FORTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 8, 2022

MASSES ON THE LORD’S DAY
5:00 pm Sat (vigil)
8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:00 noon, 5:00 pm
LiveStreaming of
Sunday Mass and daily
Mass offered at 8:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES
7:00 am (Mon-Fri)
8:00 am (Mon-Sat)
12:05 pm (Mon-Fri)

OPEN WEEKDAYS
6:30 am – 5:00 pm

LITURGY OF THE HOURS
Evening Prayer
4:30 pm (Sat)

OPEN SATURDAY/SUNDAY
7:00 am – 6:30 pm

CONFESSIONS
7:30–8:00 am
(Monday through Friday)
3:30–4:50 pm (Sat)
9:00–9:50 am (Sun)
11:00–11:50 am (Sun)

PERPETUAL HELP
DEVOTIONS
Following 8:00 am &
12:05 pm Mass (Tues)

EUCARHISTIC
ADORATION
3:30 pm–4:30 pm (Sat)
8:30 am–11:45 am
(Every First Friday)
**Welcome to Our Visitors**

Archbishop Mitchell T. Rozanski and the people of the Archdiocese of St. Louis welcome you and hope that your time in our Mother Church may be an opportunity to share our faith and joy in Jesus Christ.

Please enjoy the beauty of this building dedicated to the glory of God and built for the inspiration of all who enter. Public tours of the Cathedral led by volunteer guides are available by appointment.

All visitors who are not of the Catholic faith are welcome to join us in prayer, but not to receive Holy Communion. Reception of Holy Communion is a sign of unity of faith and full membership in the Catholic community. Together let us pray for the eventual unity of all believers.

If you desire to become a member of the Catholic Church or to become a member of the Cathedral Basilica Parish, please complete a registration card, available at the entrances the church.

All contributions to the Cathedral Basilica parish, ministries, and maintenance are sincerely appreciated.

**Cathedral Concerts**
314.533.7662

**Tours**
314.373.8205

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**Mass Intentions**

Specific Mass intentions for each scheduled Mass listed regularly in this bulletin are made by individual request. Requests for Mass intentions may be directed to the rectory by calling 314-373-8202.

**Cathedral Tours**

Tours of our beautiful church are once again being offered at various times by appointment during the week (pending other events). To book a tour, please visit our website to submit a “tour inquiry” form (https://cathedraltstl.org/tour-info) or contact Susie Irons at 314-373-8205.

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**Mass Intentions**

**Sun., May 8 – Fourth Sunday of Easter**
- 8:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
- 10:00 a.m. - Karen Adamec
- 12:00 p.m. - Jay Isaacks
- 5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss

**Mon., May 9 – Easter Weekday**
- 7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family
- 8:00 a.m. - Anthony (Tony) Chivetta, Jr.
- 12:05 p.m. - Joanne Reilly

**Tues., May 10 - St. Damien de Veuster**
- 7:00 a.m. - FSCC
- 8:00 a.m. - Gerald Archibald
- 12:05 p.m. - Jack Magee

**Wed., May 11– Easter Weekday**
- 7:00 a.m. - Darren Young
- 8:00 a.m. - Joseph & Kathryn Darpel
- 12:05 p.m. - David Kutchback

**Thur., May 12 – St. Nereus & St. Achilleus**
- 7:00 a.m. - Victor Stuart
- 8:00 a.m. - Joseph & Kathryn Darpel
- 12:05 p.m. - Emily Newsham

**Fri., May 13 – Our Lady of Fatima**
- 7:00 a.m. - Carol Ann Mattingly
- 8:00 a.m. - Joseph & Kathryn Darpel
- 12:05 p.m. - David Metherd

**Sat., May 14 – St. Matthias**
- 8:00 p.m. - Joan Cain
- 5:00 p.m. - Karen Frick Gleason

**Sun., May 15 – Fifth Sunday of Easter**
- 8:00 a.m. - Sue VanDack
- 10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
- 12:00 p.m. - Joseph & Kathryn Darpel
- 5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss
Dear Parishioners,

We are now within the Easter Season and the Cathedral is a busy place mainly on the weekends as we host the Sacrament of Confirmation for the parishes of the Archdiocese. This is quite an undertaking, and I am so grateful to the many volunteers from the Cathedral parish who assist as ushers. There is truly no way we could welcome so many without their help. If you are interested in being a part of this ministry, please call the rectory. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

The Annual Catholic Appeal has one primary goal – proclaim the Gospel. Often it is seen as a collection or fundraising appeal. The Appeal does raise money but only so that the Catholic community has the resources to announce the Gospel. How? Principally by loving others, showing compassion and care for the hungry, the thirsty, the homeless, the imprisoned, the sick and dying, and the naked. Thank you for your generosity to the Annual Catholic Appeal.

The 4th Sunday of Easter is affectionately called Good Shepherd Sunday. Our gospel this week reports the second part of the passionate speech with which Jesus presents Himself as the "good shepherd." He also uses the image of the gate where the sheep he gathers, guides and defends even at the cost of his own life’s cost to enter. He clarifies: "The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away-and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep."

In a time full of wolves who kidnap and destroy and of hired hands - among them the false prophets who deceive so many people in the world - together with the great mass of indifferent people, the Lord asks of us a new passion: to be with him "shepherds" of the crowds of our time. We come up with excuses, perhaps saying that we are only "sheep" ourselves.

The Gospel tells us that the shepherd is a sheep who has learned how to love, who has begun to have Jesus' same feelings. That is why Jesus says to the disciples: "I send you like lambs among wolves." And the lambs are softened sheep who have widened their hearts, who see beyond their own habits, their own closures and who, together with Jesus, also say: "I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd."

Monsignor Henry Breier
Step into an apostolic mode

In an apostolic mode, we need to shift to preach the Gospel to everyone, even when people aren’t coming to us

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

“The apostles and the brothers who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles too had accepted the word of God.”

The readings this week tell us about the beginning of an important shift in the early Church: from the proclamation of the Gospel only to the Jewish people to the proclamation of the Gospel also to the Gentiles.

This shift contained a seed of enormous growth for the early Church. It also left some things to be worked out. For example, the Church needed to come to a new understanding of what the Jewish law meant for Gentile Christians.

The Church today is also undergoing an important shift. For a long time, we’ve been content to proclaim the Gospel to those who are already coming to us — what some have called a “Christendom” or “maintenance” mode of being Church. For many years, we’ve been talking about, and now are just beginning to make the shift to, proclaiming the Gospel to those who are not already coming to us — what some are calling an “apostolic” or “mission” mode of being Church.

This shift contains the seed of tremendous growth for the Church. In that respect, we need to embrace it. It also leaves some things to be worked out — and we need to embrace that, as well!

Let me be clear: unlike in the early Church, we’re not talking about working out any new doctrinal points. As we make the shift from Christendom to an apostolic mission, the teachings of the Church are not up for negotiation!

What we do need to look at, however, is the basic mindset of some of our operations. I think Pope Francis was on to something when he said: “I dream of a ‘missionary option,’ that is, a missionary impulse capable of transforming everything, so that the Church’s customs, ways of doing things, times and schedules, language and structures can be suitably channeled for the evangelization of today’s world rather than for her self-preservation” (“Evangeli Gaudium,” 27).

In a Christendom mode, we can assume that people will come to us; in an apostolic mode, we know that we need to go out to find people where they are. In a Christendom mode, we can assume that people will basically agree with us on issues of morality, philosophy and theology; in an apostolic mode, we know that people need basic conversions on all those fronts. In a Christendom mode, we can drift along with the current of culture and be faithful; in an apostolic mode, we have to swim against the current of culture to be faithful.

At the end of the week, on May 14, we celebrate the feast of St. Matthias, who replaced Judas among the 12. St. Matthias was chosen to step into an apostolic role. What a fitting time to reflect on the fact that, in today’s Church, we’re being asked to step into an apostolic mindset.

Note: this column appeared in the St. Louis Review for May 9th — May 15th and may be read in the print edition or at https://bit.ly/35ejOXr
CATHEDRAL CONCERTS  2021 - 2022 SEASON

Cappella Romana
Friday, May 20, 2022 8:00 PM

Lost Voices of Hagia Sophia

“Lost Voices of Hagia Sophia … brings to life the stately mystery of Byzantine cathedral liturgy, bathed in the glittering acoustics of the space for which it was written … Chords unfurl in reverberant bloom....” The New York Times

Cappella Romana is a professional vocal ensemble that performs early and contemporary sacred classical music in the Christian traditions of East and West. The ensemble is known especially for its presentations and recordings of medieval Byzantine chant (the Eastern sibling of Gregorian chant), Greek and Russian Orthodox choral works, and other sacred music that expresses the historic traditions of a unified Christian inheritance.

Cappella Romana brings to life music that meets a deep human need, not only to belong and to have a shared creative experience, but to feel the full range of ethical, emotional, and spiritual effect as expressed through music. We strive to give an experience that allows you, our audience, to feel a sheer joy that cannot be contained by mere words, but through the ineffable sounds of the human voice in song.

Tickets $40 & $25
WWW.CATHEDRALCONCERTS.ORG
or call: 314-533-7662

CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF ST. LOUIS 4431 LINDELL BOULEVARD 63108
Mother’s Day Rose Sale

The Cathedral Pro-Life Ministry will be selling roses to benefit Birthright on Mothers' Day weekend, **May 7-8th**. Volunteers will be available at a table in the main entrance area of the Cathedral before and after the 5pm Mass on Saturday, and for each of the morning Masses on Sunday (8 am, 10am, and noon). Roses will sell for $3 per stem (cash or check only).

Walk-up sales will be available at a table near the front steps of the Cathedral, but if you would like to reserve a rose, please contact the Pro-Life Ministry chairperson, Bryan, at bryankirchoff@att.net.
A Joyful Announcement

Congratulations to the four young men who were ordained transitional deacons this weekend. While the ceremony was held on Saturday, May 7th, you can watch the livestreamed ceremony from home on the Cathedral’s website at www.cathedralstl.org.

These men are preparing to enter their final year before their priesthood ordination.

Please keep these young men and all of the newly ordained in your prayers.

Annual Catholic Appeal

Please consider giving a gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal. Pledge information for this year’s appeal was recently mailed to parishioners. You are asked to prayerfully consider a pledge.

- Text “ACA” to 43725
- Give online at aca.archstl.org
- Scan the QR code to give

THANK YOU for your support!
PRAY FOR THE SICK

It is our responsibility in the Lord to remember the sick, who are especially close to the Redeemer in their suffering.

Linda Baldwin  Dorothy Quinn
Janice Bashford  Keith & Terri Reason
Barbara Beckemeyer  Kelvin Ayala Reyes
Joe Dubuque  Mary Riley
Wayne Eultgen  Vivian Rachel Rossen
Deborah Harlan  Resy Sanchez
Jennifer Jaswal  Mickey Shears
Lenore Molloy  Durie Shiebler
Edwin Ayala Padilla  Mary Anne Work
Pauline Price  Betty Ytzaina

A Thought on The Sanctity Of Life

“O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, “A Prayer for Pregnant Mothers”

Daily Readings for the Week...

The readings are included each week so that the parishioners who are unable to join us for daily Mass will be able to consider and pray them in union with the whole Church.

Readings for the Week
May 8, 2022 through May 15, 2022

Tuesday:  Acts 11:19-26  Ps 87:1b-7  Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday:  Acts 12:24-13:5a  Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8  Jn 12:44-50
Saturday:  Acts 1:15-17, 20-26  Ps 113:1-8  Jn 15:9-17

Pro-Life Mass

Remember to join us at the Cathedral Basilica on the third Saturday of each month for a pro-life Mass at 8:00am, followed by a rosary procession to Planned Parenthood at Boyle and Forest Park. The next Mass is scheduled for Saturday, May 21st.

St. Patrick Casserole Program

Casseroles and other offerings collected by volunteers of the St. Patrick Casserole Program provides one week of dinners for the Women’s Shelter, and one night of dinners for the Men’s Alumni Club.

Cathedral casserole organizers will host our next "touchless" drop-off in the parish parking lot on Thursday, May 12th, from 1:00 –2:00 p.m. Please contact Skip or Nicki Batchelor at 916-834-4843 for additional information.
STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!

Women of the Cathedral

The next gathering of Women of the Cathedral for Mass, breakfast and fellowship will be **Saturday, May 14, 2022**. We will start with 8am Mass together in the Cathedral and then go to Boland Hall for a light breakfast and short program until 10am. We welcome all parish women to come grow in faith and fellowship together. Please RSVP to Barbara Murray by text or phone (314-974-6900) by May 11th if you plan to come for breakfast.

Anima Christi Young Adults

All young adults interested in growing the fellowship of our young adult community are invited to the next young adult gathering scheduled for **Thursday, May 12th**. We begin with Adoration and confessions in the church at 6:30 pm (*enter through the west door by the playground*), followed by dinner in Boland Hall at 7:30 p.m. Please join us, in full or in part, to deepen your relationship with Christ and with one another. For additional information, please e-mail the group at AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 5/1/2022**

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Men of the Cathedral

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

The **Men of the Cathedral** invite all parishioners and visitors to join in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on **May 31st** in the Cathedral. Adoration will begin sharply at 6 PM. During Adoration, Monsignor Breier will hear confessions.

Now that we are into daylight saving time, Adoration will conclude before dusk!

For those who have shared this amazing evening, please invite your friends and family. For those of you who have hesitated as you may not be a registered parishioner or you do not know others in the parish, this is your invitation to engage with our Lord and your fellow Catholics.

Let’s fill all the kneelers this month to thank Him for His death and resurrection, giving us eternal life.

After Adoration, all men are invited to move to Boland Hall for dinner and fellowship.

Please RSVP to Michael Weisbrod at 314.918.2893 or michael.weisbrod@rcfsl.org by Monday, May 30th. The suggested offering for the evening is $20 per attendee payable at the dinner.

**Weekly Thoughts on Giving**

*“The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.” (Acts 13:52)*

The disciples heard Our Lord’s call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with supernatural joy. A joy that others notice and are attracted to!
LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MAY 14 – 15, 2022

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Parish Information

Registration in Parish
To join our parish, please register online at https://cathedralstl.org/about-basilica/parish-life or call the rectory at 314-373-8202.

Online Giving is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, or laptop, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral website (www.cathedralstl.org) and go to Parish Online Giving under the “GIVE” tab. Then follow the easy instructions to set up your secure account and authorize your contributions to be automatically withdrawn from your bank account on the date you specify.

Baptism of Infants
Parents requesting Baptism should be registered members of the parish. To schedule baptisms or register for baptismal preparation classes for parents or godparents, contact the rectory at 314-373-8202.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults
For persons interested in becoming Catholic, contact the rectory at 314-373-8202.

Anointing of the Sick
Parishioners facing surgery or struggling with serious illness may request this sacrament by calling the rectory at 314-373-8202.

Vocations to Christian Marriage
Couples planning to marry at the Cathedral Basilica may contact Mary Ann Fox at 314-373-8208.

Vocations to Holy Orders and Consecrated Life
Those who feel called to this life are invited to call the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations at 314-792-6460.

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