

CATHEDRAL  
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY MAY 31, 2026

### MASSES ON THE LORD'S DAY

5:00 pm Sat (vigil)  
8:00 am, 10:00 am,  
12:00 noon, 5:00 pm

#### Live Streaming

Sunday Mass at 10 am  
Daily Mass at 8 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 – 6:00 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)

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

3:30 pm–4:30 pm (Sat)  
8:30 am–11:45 am  
(Every First Friday)

4431 Lindell Boulevard Saint Louis, Missouri 63108-2403



## 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 *most weekdays*, call for availability.

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 go register at <https://cathedralstl.org/new-parishioner-registration>

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

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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 made online <https://massrequest.cathedralstl.org>

## Cathedral Tours

Tours of the Cathedral are available during the week (pending other events). To book a tour, please visit our website to submit a "tour inquiry" form (<https://cathedralstl.org/tour-info>) or contact Susie Irons at 314-373-8205.

If you are interested in volunteering as a docent, please contact Susie [sirons@cathedralstl.org](mailto:sirons@cathedralstl.org)

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sun. May 31 - Most Holy Trinity

8:00 a.m. Robert Austermann  
10:00 a.m. Lisa Ruskamp  
12:00 p.m. Gustavo Ruano Amparan  
5:00 p.m. Jane Rothkopf

### Mon. Jun 1 - St. Justin

7:00 a.m. Mary M. Weber  
8:00 a.m. All Souls  
12:05 p.m. Emily Posala

### Tues. Jun 2 - Sts. Marcellinus & Peter

7:00 a.m. Joseph Chatham  
8:00 a.m. Kyung Kim  
12:05 p.m. Mike Vlasak

### Wed. Jun 3 - St. Charles Lwanga & Companions

7:00 a.m. Alyssa  
8:00 a.m. Musick Family Ancestors  
12:05 p.m. Oscar & Dominga Actis

### Thur. Jun 4 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. Edmar Relabo  
8:00 a.m. Riain Callahan  
12:05 p.m. Dr. Salvador Alatorre

### Fri. Jun 5 - St. Boniface

7:00 a.m. Dolnesha Jones  
8:00 a.m. Suzanne Jeffrey  
12:05 p.m. Bob Sutter

### Sat. Jun 6 - St. Norbert

8:00 a.m. Doug Weber  
5:00 p.m. Scott Shipman

### Sun. Jun 7 - Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

8:00 a.m. Wayne Eultgen  
10:00 a.m. Mark Koenemann  
12:00 p.m. Patricia Putnam  
5:00 p.m. For the Parish Family



## FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

As we enter the liturgical season following Pentecost, the Church immediately turns our attention to the great mystery at the very heart of our faith: the Most Holy Trinity. Every prayer we offer begins “In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” These familiar words are much more than a formula; they are a profession of faith in the God who is one in three divine Persons — Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity reminds us that everything in the Christian life begins with God’s love. The Father, out of limitless love for the world, sent His Son for our salvation. As Jesus tells Nicodemus in the Gospel of John: “For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.” The mystery of the Trinity is therefore not distant or abstract. It is the mystery of divine love poured out for humanity.

The Church herself is born from this love. Pentecost marked the beginning of the Church’s public mission, and now, in the light of the Trinity, we see more clearly what that mission is: to bring the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all peoples and to gather humanity into communion with God and with one another.

Saint Paul reminds us in the Letter to the Romans that through the Holy Spirit we are no longer slaves to fear, but adopted sons and daughters who can cry out to God as “Abba, Father.” The Holy Spirit unites believers into one people — not divided by language, nation, or status, but united in Christ.

This message is especially important in our world today. We live in a time marked by conflict, fear, division, and uncertainty. Too often people are tempted to look only to their own interests while forgetting the poor, the weak, and those who suffer most. Yet the Holy Spirit continues to call the Church to speak the language of love, peace, reconciliation, and hope.

The Feast of the Holy Trinity reminds us that the Church’s mission remains urgent. The Spirit of God continues to renew hearts, restore dignity to the forgotten, and bring peace where hatred and violence threaten to prevail. As Christians, we are called not only to believe in the Trinity, but to reflect the life of the Trinity through unity, charity, and self-giving love.

May this season after Pentecost renew in all of us a deeper awareness that we are called to live as children of God, united in the love of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**Monsignor Henry Breier**

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## ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

## Priests bring Christ Into the World in a Special Way

For the members of their flock, priests lift the veil on the supernatural world to help prepare us for heaven

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Of course, Jesus Christ Himself is the great high priest and all priesthood is only a share in His. And: Of course, there are two priesthoods — the baptized and the ordained. And: Of course, the ordained priesthood is in service of the unfolding of baptismal grace.

Still, within that framework, let's pause for a few minutes to ponder the great gift of the ordained priesthood.

St. John Paul II once said: "If we take a close look at what contemporary men and women expect from priests, we will see that, in the end, they have but one great expectation: they are thirsting for Christ. Everything else — their economic, social and political needs — can be met by any number of other people. From the priest they ask for Christ!"

Now, on a day-to-day level, that's not 100% true, is it? We do ask for many things from our parish priests: organizational leadership, social skills, financial savvy, strategic planning and so on. But, most fundamentally, he's right: The priest brings Christ into the world in a special way — most especially in the Eucharist and in the confessional. In the end, that mediation of Christ's presence is the most important thing.

On one level, contemporary Americans don't like this. Part of our heart harbors a doubt and a resentment: Why should God come to me through intermediaries — why not directly?

But that question has two good answers.

First: God — who made us! — knows our nature. As body and soul, we need outward signs of spiritual

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### SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

realities. So God gives us outward signs through priests. For example: In the Eucharist we can taste and see that God really gives Himself to us; and in confession we can hear that God really forgives us.

Second: God — who has watched us hide since Adam and Eve! — knows our weakness. We're not yet ready to meet God without intermediaries. In heaven, it's true, there is no temple (see Revelation 21) and there are no sacraments — there is the immediate vision of God. But in heaven, the saints also don't hide themselves from God. Here on earth, where we still hide in shame, God gives us intermediaries — to draw us out of hiding and prepare us for the transformation we need before we're ready for heaven.

Here's one more thing St. John Paul II said about the priesthood: "As a steward of God's mysteries, the priest is a special witness to the invisible in the world. For he is a steward of invisible and priceless treasures belonging to the spiritual and supernatural order." Great writers like G.K. Chesterton and C.S. Lewis and J.R.R. Tolkien talked about the need to "re-enchanted" the world — to make it more and more clear that the material world is shot through with spiritual realities. The priest is meant to do that: Both in what he does and in who he is, the priest lifts the veil on the supernatural world over and over for all of us. We need that witness, because we're meant to live in that supernatural world for eternity!

After 42 years as a priest and 22 years as a bishop, I know that priesthood demands sacrifice and strength. Of course, so does every Christian life! But, for a moment, let's pause, and give thanks to God — for the priesthood itself and for the good priests we have known.

*Note: This column appeared in the St. Louis Review for Jun 1 - Jun 8 and may be read in the print edition or <https://www.stlouisreview.com/column/serve-the-lord-with-gladness/>*



Sts. Peter & Paul Church in Souland

# TRIVIA NIGHT

**Friday, June 12, 2026**

Proceeds will fund continued renovation of the church's lower level to serve a transitional housing program for individuals moving from homelessness to self-sufficiency.

DOORS OPEN at **6:15 PM**

The Franklin of Souland  
816 Allen Avenue  
St. Louis, MO 63104

TRIVIA STARTS AT **7 PM**

- Tables of 10 - \$250 (only 28 available)
- INDIVIDUAL TICKETS \$25
- BEER AND SODA INCLUDED

EVENTS INCLUDE

Emcee for the evening Meteorologist Glenn Zimmerman - Silent Auction - 50/50 Raffle - Wine Pull - Prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & Last Place

CALL: 314.231.9923 OR VISIT: STS. PETER AND PAUL TRIVIA NIGHT AND SILENT AUCTION

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

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## Eucharistic Exposition

The Blessed Sacrament, the very presence of Christ's body and blood in the Eucharist, is reserved in the tabernacle of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel to the east of the main sanctuary. At all hours the Cathedral is open, people may be found praying there before the Lord "face to face." **Each Saturday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 p.m., the Eucharist is displayed for prayer and adoration in public exposition in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel for a holy hour.** Following this holy hour, the Evening Prayer of the Church with Benediction is celebrated.

**Additionally, the Blessed Sacrament is displayed for public adoration and prayer on the First Friday of the month.** First Friday Adoration begins at approximately 8:30 a.m., following the completion of the 8:00 a.m. Mass, and concludes with Benediction at 11:45 a.m. Our next First Friday Adoration will be held **Friday, June 5.**



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## Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations and God’s continued blessings on **Sorren Leyla and the Wilson Family** (pictured below) She was baptized on April 26, 2026.

“And now why do you wait? Rise and be baptized, and wash away your sins, calling on his name.” Acts 22:16



## The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) - The Blessed Sacrament

The Solemnity of Corpus Christi is celebrated on the first Sunday after the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. As we try to live according to God’s word and as we share the Gospel with others, we can often feel alone. Living as a witness of Christ is radical and it is countercultural. However, we are **never** alone.

Jesus promised that He would be with us until the end of time. We can experience His presence in others, in creation, in Scripture, etc. Most importantly, we can experience Christ’s presence in the Eucharist and we can adore Him in the Blessed Sacrament. We can experience the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ!

This week let us meditate on the presence of Jesus in our lives and take some time to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus wants to hear what is in our hearts and minds. He wants to embrace us with His love, and He wants us to spend quality time with Him. We can all use practice listening to Jesus with our hearts.

**Next Sunday, June 7 we will celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi. We will have our Corpus Christi procession following the noon Mass.**





## Sacrament of Marriage

Congratulations to **Logan & Edy Thomure** (pictured right) who were united in the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral Basilica on Saturday, September 20, 2025 at 11 in the morning.

Love is patient, love is kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on it's own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth.

1 Corinthians 13:4-8



## Sacrament of Marriage

Congratulations to **Reynaldo & Mary Miranda** (pictured left) who were united in the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral Basilica on Saturday, October 4, 2025 at 1:30 in the afternoon.

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OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 5/23/2026-5/24/2026	
Offertory	\$8,217.00
Online Giving	\$6,827.00
Loose	\$5,182.49
Cathedral Candles	\$690.31
Cathedral Landscape	\$419.00
Cathedral Maintenance	\$21.00
Catholic Education	\$17.00
Catholic Communication	\$392.00
Misc	\$95.00

## 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 31, 2026 to June 7, 2026

- Sunday: 164: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9 (Ps) Dn 3:52-55  
2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18
- Monday: 353: 2 Pt 1:2-7 Ps 91:1-2, 14-16  
Mk 12:1-12
- Tuesday: 354: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18 Ps 90: 2-4, 10,  
14, 16 Mk 12:13-17
- Wednesday: 355: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 Ps 123:1b-2  
Mk 12:18-27
- Thursday: 356: 2 Tm 2:8-15 Ps 25:4-5b, 8-10, 14  
Mk 12:28-34
- Friday: 357: 2 Tm 3:10-17 Ps 119:157, 160-161,  
165-166, 168 Mk 12:35-37
- Saturday: 358: 2 Tm 4:1-8 Ps 71:8-9, 14-15b, 16-  
17, 22 Mk 12:38-44
- Sunday: 167: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a Ps 147:12-15,  
19-20 1 Cor 10:16-17 Jn 6:51-58

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# SUNDAY SUPPER



MEET FELLOW PARISHIONERS FOR AN EVENING OF JOYOUS FELLOWSHIP  
*Special A La Carte Menu – Separate Checks – Cash or Credit Card*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 28**  
**6:15 PM**

*Bartolino's*  
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## Service Saturdays



Join us for 8:00am Mass at the New Cathedral. After, we'll break into teams and head to different service sites. At 11:30am, we'll reconvene for lunch at Tacos4Life.



**STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!**



**Men of the Cathedral**

The **Men of the Cathedral** invite everyone (parishioners, visitors, men and women) to join them for monthly Adoration and Dinner. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

The evening is a terrific way to thank God for all the blessings He has bestowed upon us *and* to enjoy the friendship and fellowship of other Cathedral parishioners and guests who are also seeking religious fulfillment.

Adoration begins at 6 PM, followed by dinner in Boland Hall. All men are invited to attend the dinner.

Please RSVP to Michael Weisbrod at [michael.weisbrod@rcfstlorg](mailto:michael.weisbrod@rcfstlorg) or 314.918.2893 no later than Monday June 29<sup>th</sup>. The suggested contribution for dinner is \$20 per person at the door and includes dinner and beverages.

**Women of the Cathedral**

We will be starting the Women of the Cathedral group up again beginning on Saturday, June 13. We will have gatherings the second Saturday of the month. We plan on beginning each gathering with Mass at 8am. We will follow Mass with discussion and snacks. At gatherings we will have discussions to strengthen our faith and will participate in various social and community service activities.

**Please save the date for our first meeting on Saturday, June 13.**

Questions contact Phoebe at [pdel33@gmail.com](mailto:pdel33@gmail.com)

**Appointment with Fr. Marco**

Fr. Marco is available for confession and spiritual discussion. To make an appointment to meet with Fr. Marco, please call 314.373.8202. Thank you!

**Anima Christi Young Adults**

Our next meeting will be **June 4, 2026.**

We will follow our normal First Thursday schedule with Holy Hour at 5:30 pm, Mass at 6:30 pm, followed by dinner in Boland Hall. All young adults aged 18-39 are invited to join us!

Please enter through the door on the west side of the Cathedral, across the parking lot from the playground. Email [AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com](mailto:AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com) Or see the Anima Christi Facebook page for more details.

**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.

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| Judy McGrath        | Goldie Wirth    |
| Doreen Kelly        | Barbara Garrett |
| Linda Baldwin       | Tronda White    |
| Barbara Beckemeyer  | Tiffany Pitts   |
| Edwin Ayala Padilla | Shamelia Clark  |
| Mary Leah Kovarik   | Mary Anne Work  |
| Guy Thomas          | Juliana Brown   |
| Kelvin Ayala Reyes  | Craig Campbell  |
| Nicole Pace         | Michael Theiss  |
| Resy Sanchez        | Ron Pallman     |
| Betty Ytzaina       | Lily Ann Suiter |
| Deborah Lee         | Mark Stephens   |



LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JUNE 6 & 7, 2026					
Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers	
<b>5:00 p.m. (Sat)</b>	<b>No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend</b>	Kevin Ross Annie Joseph		Doug Weber	Bob Sutter Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Pat McCann
<b>8:00 am</b>		Jonathan Klimpel Mary Ann Cheng	Cheng Robinson Klompel	Doug Weber	Dave Meyer Frank Snyder Joe Schilli
<b>10:00 am</b>		Patricia Rice Denise Murphy			Sue Metheny Dan Mangus Roger Willis Vito Alu
<b>12 Noon</b>		Lucas Blatter David Parr		TBD	Willie Stevens Skip Batchelor Lawanda Reason Mark Burmester
<b>5:00 pm</b>		Michael Pajor Phoebe Del Castillo		TBD	Willie Kelsey Charlie Hapke Pat McCann Don Burns Krystle Hatter

## 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

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### Baptism of Infants

Parents requesting Baptism should be registered members of the parish. To schedule baptisms, 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

