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M A S S E S  O N  T H E  L O R D ’ S  D A Y
5:00 pm Sat (vigil)
8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:00 noon, 5:00 pm

W E E K D A Y  M A S S E S
7:00 am (Mon-Fri)
8:00 am (Mon-Sat)
12:05 pm (Mon-Fri)

O P E N  W E E K D A Y S
6:30 am – 5:00 pm

L I T U R G Y  O F  T H E  H O U R S
Evening Prayer
4:30 pm (Sat)

O P E N  S A T U R D A Y /  S U N D A Y
7:00 am – 6:30 pm

C O N F E S S I O N S
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)

P E R P E T U A L  H E L P  D E V O T I O N S
Following 8:00 am &
12:05 pm Mass (Tues)

E U C H A R I S T I C  A D O R A T I O N
3:30 pm–4:30 pm (Sat)
8:30 am–11:45 am
(Every First Friday)
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

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://cathedralstl.org/tour-info) or contact Susie Irons at 314-373-8205.
Dear Parishioners,

Don’t forget about our All Souls Novena. You are invited to send us the names of the deceased loved ones you wish included in the Novena, and they will be remembered collectively in a Mass each day for nine days. In addition to our prayer, the name and image of your loved one will be displayed in our chapel, and you will receive a lovely Mass card with the name of your departed loved one inscribed inside. To enroll a loved one or for more information, please visit cathedralstl.org/all-souls.

This past Sunday was quite a Sunday at the Cathedral Basilica parish. At 12:30 am, I was awakened by a phone call from our alarm monitoring company that there was a trouble signal on our fire alarm. After opening the side door of the Cathedral, it was clear there was a problem with power. Following a phone call with Ameren, I learned that about 6 homes were without power; they were aware of the problem and had a crew working on the issue. However, when I woke up later in the morning, I quickly discovered that the power issue was not resolved.

It took a few phone calls with Ameren to convince them there was definitely a problem because everything appeared fine on their end, and Ameren stated that they completed the repair at 2:30 am. Unfortunately, after sending a line crew out it was determined that one of the lines coming into the building was damaged and had to be replaced. The damaged line caused one of the 3 phases to go down, which resulted in only a few lights functioning. Ameren devoted a significant amount of resources to resolve the problem, and I am so grateful to them for all their hard work.

Throughout this very challenging Sunday, I was impressed by how many parishioners and staff members worked together to ensure we could pull off a full Sunday schedule of Masses. This is one of those moments where I am so proud of my staff as many of them put in many extra hours and demonstrated to me their dedication to the mission of the Cathedral. A huge word of thanks to our Ushers who assisted all of our visitors and parishioners in a dark Cathedral. To our parishioners, thank you for your patience in this hopefully once-in-a-lifetime experience.

Monsignor Henry Breier
The gift of an ‘evangelical style of listening’

In listening, we need to hear where God is already active in a person’s life, and where He wants to do more.

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Well, we’ve started the All Things New parish listening sessions. We’re also starting a series of readings from St. Paul’s Letter to the Ephesians this week. It’s providential timing. Ephesians is St. Paul’s great letter about the Church, and it has a special focus on two things: the unity of the Church and the mission of the Church.

It makes me think of two things: listening, and lighthouses!

Listening

This moment — where we are in the All Things New process — calls for a deep kind of listening.

First, we need to engage in a deep listening to each other. We need to be able to listen not only to what people are saying, but to the heart that’s speaking through their words. (As we all know, sometimes our words say exactly what’s in our hearts, and sometimes our words represent our hearts very imperfectly!) We can only foster the unity that St. Paul talks about in Ephesians, and that we need in this moment, if we listen deeply to one another’s hearts.

Second, we need to engage in an evangelical style of listening to the world. It’s an intriguing phrase, isn’t it — “an evangelical style of listening”? The new Program for Priestly Formation says that seminarians need to develop this to become good priests. What does it mean? I think it means two things: being able to hear where God is already at work in someone’s life, and being able to hear where God is wanting more for a person’s life. When we listen in such a way that we can hear both of those things, we’re ready to proclaim the Good News as both a consolation and a challenge to people.

I think we could all use some growth in that kind of listening! We can only foster the kind of mission that St. Paul talks about in Ephesians, and that the Church needs in this moment, if we learn an evangelical style of listening to the world.

Lighthouses

As you know, I come from the East Coast. And East Coasters can tell you that the whole coast — from Florida to Maine — is dotted with historic and beautiful lighthouses.

I’m thinking of them this week because, in the Church’s Office of Readings, St. Columban talks about asking Jesus to light our lanterns, and St. Maximus the Confessor says that Jesus Himself is the lamp set upon a lampstand for all to see.

What does it mean when we say that one of the goals of All Things New is to have a Catholic presence in every square mile of the archdiocese? I think it might be helpful to think of our parishes the way we think of lighthouses. You don’t need to have a lighthouse in every square mile, because a lighthouse can send its beam of light anywhere from 10-15 miles (depending on its height).

If we think of our parishes as lighthouses, and if we think of each one of us as carrying the light of Christ into our neighborhoods and workplaces, we get a different image of what it might mean to have a Catholic presence covering every square mile of the archdiocese.

These are important days for the unity and the mission of the Church in the Archdiocese of Saint Louis. Let’s ask Jesus to give us the gift of listening, and the gift of light.

Note: This column appeared in the St. Louis Review for October 8 & 9 and may be read in the print edition or at https://stlouisreview.org/
All Souls Novena  
At The Cathedral Basilica

As the seasons change and we anticipate the beginning of November, our thoughts turn to our deceased loved ones as we prepare for the liturgical feasts of All Saints and All Souls. We remember them in life and we pray that "perpetual light will shine upon them" and God will welcome them into eternal joy.

You are invited to remember deceased loved ones in prayer during the Cathedral Basilica's All Souls Novena, nine days of prayer for the departed, beginning on November 2nd. Please send us the names of the deceased loves ones you wish to be included in the Novena, and they will be remembered collectively in a Mass each day for nine days.

In addition to our prayer, the name and image of your loved one will be displayed in our chapel, and you will receive a Mass card with the name of your departed loved one inscribed inside.

Let us remember our departed loved ones by storming the gates of Heaven with prayers on their behalf, praying with confidence the words, "Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them."

Enrollment for the All Souls Remembrance is available for purchase on our website at https://cathedralstl.org/all-souls.
What Catholics Believe

Join us at the Cathedral Basilica two Wednesdays a month, when Fr. Povis will present an in-depth theological reflection on the articles of the Apostles’ Creed.

- 6:30pm in Boland Hall
- 50 minute presentation followed by social
- Feel free to bring food and drink
- Designed for adults, but all are welcome!

Next Sessions

November 2
“I Believe in God”

November 16
“The Father Almighty”

Questions? Contact Fr. Povis at zacharypovis@archstl.org
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Sunday, October 30, 2022 2:30 PM
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Andrew Kreigh, Director

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A Thought on The Sanctity Of Life
“An old Irish proverb says, ‘It is in the shelter of each other that the people live.’ Indeed, we are created to depend upon one another and walk together in suffering. But when family members or friends approach life’s end, we may not know how best to ‘shelter’ them. Here are some concrete ways we can compassionately care for them: usccb.org/end-of-life-care.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro Life Activities Caring for Loved Ones at Life’s End ”

St. Louis Catholic Resident Physicians and Medical Students
Interested in joining a community of Catholic resident physicians and medical students? Scan the QR Code to sign-up!

The Gift That Has No Season
Over the years, it has been gifts left to the Cathedral Basilica in wills, Bequests, and memorials that have largely enabled us to continue to operate as a place of worship. As we approach year end and consider the upcoming tax season, please remember the Cathedral Basilica Parish in your will or charitable giving plans.

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
October 9, 2022 through October 16, 2022

Sunday: 2 Kgs 5:14-17 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 2Tm 2:8-13 Lk17:11-19
Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1 Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6 ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25 Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Eph 1:15-23 Ps 8:, 2-3ab, 4cd-4, 5-6 Lk11:47-54
Friday: Eph 1:15-23 Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Eph 115-23 Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-7 Lk 12:8-12
Sunday: Ex 17:8-13 Ps 121:1-8 Tm 3:14—4:2 Lk 18:1-8

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
Janice Bashford
Barbara Beckemeyer
Joe Dubuque
Deborah Harlan
Jennifer Jaswal
Joaquinta Jones
Edwin Ayala Padilla
Pauline Price

Dorothy Quinn
Keith & Terri Reason
Kelvin Ayala Reyes
Mary Riley
Vivian Rachel Rossen
Resy Sanchez
Mickey Shears
Mary Anne Work
Betty Ytzaina
Have You Considered Online Giving

Online Giving is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, laptop, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral website (www.cathedralstl.org) and click on the ONLINE GIVING button on the home page. Watch the 5-minute “Watch Help Video” and 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. All of information is encrypted and stored securely.

St. Patrick Casserole Program
Pick up on Thursdays

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 "touchless" drop-off in the Portico of Boland Hall-Thursday, October 13, November 10 & December 8 from 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Please contact Skip or Nicki Batchelor at

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive

Once again, the Knights of Columbus will begin their annual Tootsie Roll Drive to benefit all people with intellectual and physical disabilities.

Knights will be stationed outside in the front of the Cathedral following Masses this weekend. As well, they will be collecting funds on numerous street corners throughout the community and in front of popular business, including Schnucks and Dierbergs.

Just look for the yellow vests!

Weekly Thoughts on Giving

“Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?” Luke 17:18

Most of us live relatively “easy” lives. We have food, shelter, clothing and money. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn’t this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you and discern how He is calling you to share your gifts.
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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