



TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 10, 2021

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)

EUCHARISTIC 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*, as is access to the Cathedral Gift Shop.

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.

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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

Small 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun., October 10–28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family

10:00 a.m. - Yolanda Mills

12:00 p.m. - Tony Lewis

5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss

Mon., October 11-St. John XXIII

7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family

8:00 a.m. - L.B. & Bonnie Eckelkamp

12:05 p.m. - James Fears

Tues., October 12- Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Richelle Weisbrod

8:00 a.m. - Vi Phung

12:05 p.m. - Donny Kopmann

Wed., October 13- Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Carol Foltz

8:00 a.m. - Betty Banstetter

12:05 p.m. - Glenn Mertens

Thur., October 14- St. Callistus

7:00 a.m. - Anne Duval

8:00 a.m. - Gerald Marie Phung N. Quan

12:05 p.m. - Special Intention (LMV)

Fri., October 15– St. Teresa of Jesus

7:00 a.m. - Rosemary Farrow

8:00 a.m. - Anne Marie Nguyen K. Nhuong

12:05 p.m. - Virginia Bira

Sat., October 16-St. Hedwig

8:00 p.m. - God's Precious Infants

5:00 p.m. - For the Parish Family

Sun., October 17–29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - Mothers who've passed away

10:00 a.m. - Intentions of the Archbishop

12:00 p.m. - Alice & Eugene Owen Sr. & Family

5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss



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FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

This week a new staff member joined us as our Facilities Manager. His name is Timothy Dunn, and he is also a Permanent Deacon currently assigned to Our Lady's Parish in Festus, MO. Tim's job will supervise and maintain all service aspects of building support functions at the Cathedral Basilica. As you begin to see Tim around the parish, please join me in extending a warm welcome to him.



As we welcome a new member to the parish staff, we are also saying goodbye to two staff members. Laura Voegelie has been with the Cathedral Basilica for close to 20 years in various roles and most recently as our Office Manager. Every day you will find her greeting visitors to the rectory at the door, answering the phone, inputting data in our database, and publishing our weekly bulletin—all of these functions she does with a smile on her face. Her last day will be this coming Friday, October 15th. Feel free to stop by to express gratitude to her.

Larry Borowiak, our sacristan, has decided to retire. While Larry will be leaving us in this role, you will still find him serving the 12:05 Mass on Mondays and giving tours of the Basilica. During my short time at the Cathedral, I can tell you how vital the work of a Sacristan in a Cathedral is to the day-to-day operation. Please join me in expressing Larry gratitude for his service to the Cathedral Basilica.

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**.

Jesus invites us in the Gospel this week to put God before everything, even before our possessions, and consider the poor as our brothers and sisters to whom we are in debt of love and help. It may seem that the Lord is asking us to give something up, and he is, partly. But what the Lord is asking is, in fact, a great wisdom of life. Jesus' answer to the question Peter asks in the name of the disciples explains the consequences of this evangelical wisdom. Those who leave everything to follow Jesus receive a hundred times as much during their life and will receive eternal life after their death. Sometimes we think that Gospel life is only deprivation. The rich man thought like this. Actually, following Jesus is extremely "convenient," not just for the future salvation of our souls, but also to enjoy a hundred times as much life on this earth.

Monsignor Henry Breier

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ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

St. Paul says the Gospel is the medicine of immortality

Because of that, we should invite others to share in this medicine, rather than keeping it to ourselves

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ.

ARCHBISHOP MITCHELL ROZANSKI

SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS



How would it be if we had a medicine that could cure the world of some sickness like cancer and, instead of letting everyone know, we kept it to ourselves?

It would be among the most selfish, insensitive and uncaring things we could possibly do.

And yet that's precisely what we often do when it comes to the Gospel. A living relationship with Jesus is the cure to sin and the medicine for eternal life! But we tend to keep it to ourselves.

We'll be reading St. Paul's letter to the Romans for the next four weeks. The Church clearly wants us to think long and hard about it! One of the things St. Paul says in it is: "I am not ashamed of the Gospel. It is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes." St. Paul believes that the Gospel is the medicine of immortality. He cannot, in good conscience, keep it to himself. He wants to give everyone a chance to have this medicine. Do we believe that, too?

Who has the sickness to which the Gospel is the cure? St. Paul answers, in Romans: "All have sinned and are deprived of the glory of God." Everyone has the sickness. Jesus is the medicine. And faith is the means by which we receive the medicine — a major theme of chapters three and four in the letter to the Romans.

There's a natural desire to share the discovery of good things. It comes out in all kinds of ordinary ways. We hear a good song, see a good movie, find a helpful app or a good restaurant, and we become "evangelists" — sharing the good news with friends, family, and even strangers: "Listen to this song!" "Try this app." "I went to this restaurant and it was really good — give it a try!"

There's no pressure there, just an invitation. And yet, when it comes to the Gospel, we hesitate. Why is that?

Part of it may be that our relationship with Jesus is a more intimate part of our lives, and modesty calls us to protect what's most intimate. But I don't think that's the whole truth about why we hesitate to share the Gospel.

Part of it may be that we're unsure how to share — we don't want to be pushy. But we can borrow from our experience with other good things that we share. Give a witness: "Hey, I did this, and it was really good." Follow it with an invitation: "Think about giving it a try." When it comes to restaurants and movies, that approach isn't pushy. It simply opens a door for someone — a door they might not have known was there. They still get to decide whether to walk through. The same can be true of how we share the Gospel: It opens a door.

In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus says: "I tell you, everyone who acknowledges me before others the Son of Man will acknowledge before the angels of God. But whoever denies me before others will be denied before the angels of God." What will happen, then, if we possess the medicine that can save people from sin and death and we remain silent?

Note: this column appeared in the St. Louis Review for October 11-17 and may be read in the print edition or at https://bit.ly/35ejOXr.



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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.

Margaret Aubermann
Barbara Beckemeyer
Joe Dubuque
Wayne Eultgen
Deborah Harlan
Luke Havey
Lenore Molloy
Dorothy Quinn
Mary Riley
Resy Sanchez
Mickey Shears
Durie Shiebler
Mary Anne Work
Betty Ytzaina

Pauline Price

Pro-Life Mass

Remember to join us at the Cathedral Basilica on the third Saturday of each month for a pro-life Mass at 8:00 a.m., followed with a rosary procession to Planned Parenthood at Boyle and Forest Park. The next Mass is scheduled for **Saturday, October 16.**

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

Infant Baptism

According to the mind of the Church, parents are obliged to see that infants are baptized within the first weeks after birth. As soon as possible after the birth, or even before it, parents should request the sacrament for their child and are to be properly instructed in preparation for it. Godparents are also encouraged to attend baptismal preparation before the child is born. If you are a **registered parishioner** who is or is about to become a parent or godparent, contact Laura Voegelie at 314-373-8202 to schedule a baptism or to register for baptismal preparation class.

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 10, 2021 through October 17, 2021

Sunday: Wis 7:7-11 Ps 90:12-17 Heb 4:12-13

Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Monday: Rom 1:1-7 Ps 98:1, 2-4 Lk 11:29-32 Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11 Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9

Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Rom 3:21-30 Ps 130:1-6 Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Rom 4:1-8 (or Rom 8:22-27)

Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11

Lk 12:1-7 (or Jn 15:1-8)

Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18 Ps 105:6-9, 42-43

Lk 12:8-12

Sunday: Is 53:10-11 Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22

Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

40 Days for Life

The Cathedral Basilica Parish has adopted **Sunday**, **October 31**, as its day for the 40 Days for Life vigil of quiet prayer outside of the Planned Parenthood on Forest Park Avenue.

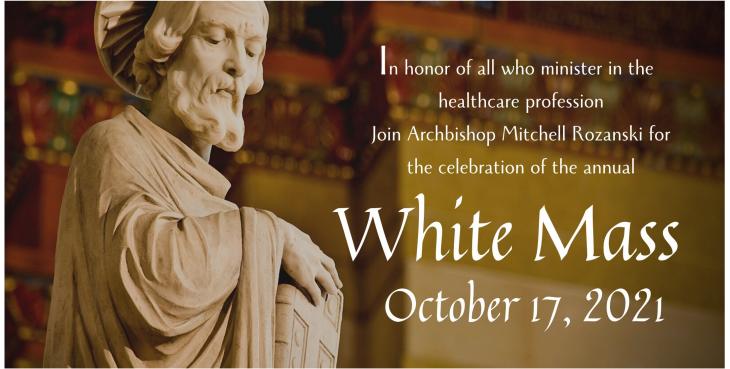
The Cathedral Pro-Life Ministry would like to invite you to this beautiful witness for the unborn. If you are interested in spending an hour of peaceful prayer between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. that day, please email **bryankirchoff@att.net** to request a time.

Parish Pro-Life Ministry

The Cathedral Pro-Life Ministry coordinates prolife activities in our parish. These activities range from prayer and education to promotion of public policies which protect the right to life. Annual events/ projects sponsored by this ministry have included a Mothers' Day rose sale, a 30-Minute Speaker Series, the Epiphany Supply Drive, and 40 Days for Life prayer Vigils. For more info, contact Bryan, pro-life ministry coordinator, at **bryankirchoff@att.net**.







STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!

Sacrament of Marriage

Congratulations to parishioners **Doug & Samantha** on the celebration of their marriage at the Cathedral Basilica on October 1, 2021.

May God the eternal Father keep you of one heart in love for one another, so that the peace of Christ may dwell in you and abide always in your homes.



Weekly Thoughts on Giving

"It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." (Mk 10:25)

Jesus uses tough language that we may not want to hear. But, we are <u>all</u> called to be generous with <u>all</u> of our gifts. Not just the ones we pick and choose, but all our gifts, and especially the one that means the most to us! That includes our time in prayer to God, our talent in participating in parish ministries and our treasure supporting our local parish and other charities.

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**, **October**. 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**.

Women of the Cathedral

All women desiring to grow in faith and fellowship with other women are invited to our next meeting on **Wednesday**, **October 20**. We begin at 6:30 pm with Adoration in the Blessed Mother Chapel. At 7:00 pm, we move to Boland Hall for a short business meeting. Msgr. Mikesch, our spiritual director, will offer confessions during Adoration and a reflection at the beginning our meeting.

All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Catholic Radio

Do you have a plan to keep you on the right path in this ever-changing world? Listening to Catholic programming on Covenant Network will help keep you focused on faith in your life. Tune in to AM 1460 or 92.7 FM, listen on our Covenant Network app on your mobile device or at OurCatholicRadio.org.

Offertory Collection for The Weekend of 10/03/2021					
Offertory	\$8,596.00				
Loose	3,398.00				
Landscaping & Maintenance	85.00				
Catholic Ed & Catholic University	80.00				
Permanent Deaconate	1,005.00				
World Mission Sunday	25.00				
OnLine Giving	11,726.00				



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PICK OF THE WEEK

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WATCH

JOHN XXIII: THE POPE OF PEACE

This movie tells the whole life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and eventually his life as Pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the advisers around him, John XXIII proved to be his own man when he surprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Council.



LEARN

DIVINE MERCY WITH FATHER MICHAEL GAITLEY EPISODE 6: FATIMA

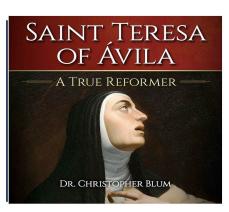


Renowned speaker and author Fr. Michael Gaitley tells the dramatic history of God's love and mercy in this 10-part series. Against the backdrop of a world engulfed in war, the prophetic drama surrounding a small town in Portugal captures the minds and hearts of believers and unbelievers alike. In this episode of learn about Pope Benedict XV and the apparitions at Fatima.

LISTEN

SAINT TERESA OF ÁVILA: A TRUE REFORMER BY CHRISTOPHER BLUM

Dr. Christopher Blum unfolds the inspiring life of St. Teresa and her important role in the Catholic Reformation. After having already been a nun for twenty years, she had a radical transformation in her own life and then became one of the most powerful forces for bringing about conversion and positive change in the history of the Church. Listen and learn about this Mystic, Doctor of the Church, and True Reformer.



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Share Everything

In today's Gospel Jesus tells the rich young man to sell everything, give to the poor and follow Him. The rich young man's response – he went away sad for he had many possessions. Each of us is that rich young man. God calls us to be generous with all of our gifts, not just the one or two gifts that we choose, but especially that one gift that means the most to you. When it comes to sharing, we typically give away what we have the most of. We share what we have "leftover" instead of sharing our "first fruits" – our first and best. Of all the gifts that God has given us the one that He wants the most is our heart. When we share all of our gifts, we keep God first in everything. Visit **archstl.org/dynamic** for more info.

A Lasting Gift

Looking for a special gift to memorialize a loved one, or celebrate a birth or wedding? Consider a commemorative brick in the Cathedral Basilica Jubilee Prayer Garden! Contact the parish office at 314-373-8202 for more information.

The Rosary Month

October has long been time within the Church's life when the holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary has been prayed with special concentration and intention. The devotion of the Rosary has been a strength of Catholic Faith for centuries. It is the prayer of the little ones as well as the powerful. It is an open invitation to holiness by immersing oneself in the mysteries of Christ using the eyes and heart of His mother. Everyone is encouraged to pray the Rosary daily.

Matthew 25 Come Alive

Often we find ourselves approached on the street with requests for assistance for food or a bus pass. In order to live Matthew 25, parishioners should considering carrying fast food gift cards and a book of bus tickets. That way, you can provide substantive assistance when asked, without resorting to cash. Also, encourage those seeking assistance to call 2-1-1, United Way's assistance hotline, or the Cathedral's **SVDP HotLine at 314-373-8288**.



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 on 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 2. Please 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.

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. May perpetual light shine upon them."

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



LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 16-17, 2021							
	Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers		
5:00 p.m. (Sat)	No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend	John Willard Jessica Lobo		Doug Weber Seminarians	Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Robert Sutter Chris Newgent		
8:00 am		Patricia Rice Mitch Smith	Susan Metheny Jonathan Klimpel	Doug Weber	Dave Meyer Tom Doyle Frank Snyder		
10:00 am		Guest Lectors for the White Mass		Seminarians	Victor Stuart Barb Murray Susan Metheny Jerry Danekas		
12 Noon		Willie Stevens Vito Alu		Will Ryan Simon Blanner JP Blanner	Willie Stevens Vito Alu Lawanda Reason Barb Murray		
5:00 pm		Christina Stankey Erin Heathman		Luke Welby Brak Welby	Willie Kelsey Charlie Hapke Pat McCann		

Parish Information

Registration in Parish

To join our parish, please register online at https://cathedralstl.org/about-basilica/parish-life or contact the office at 314-373-8202.

ON LINE GIVING is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, or lap top, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral web site (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 Laura Voegelie at 314-373-8202.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

For persons interested in becoming Catholic, contact the parish 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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