

CATHEDRAL  
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



## THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 27, 2024

### 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 – 6:30 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)

### EUCCHARISTIC 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 *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 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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**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 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. Oct 27th - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Christian McKeel  
10:00 a.m. Joan Anderson  
12:00 p.m. Thomas E Heckert  
5:00 p.m. Jack Linkul

### Mon. Oct 28th - Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles

7:00 a.m. Paul Leibel  
8:00 a.m. Charles E. Whitten  
12:05 p.m. Harry Araver

### Tues. Oct 29th - Weekday

7:00 a.m. Arthur "Topy" Matthews  
8:00 a.m. Angela Roach  
12:05 p.m. John Mosher

### Wed. Oct 30th - Weekday

7:00 a.m. Sr. Marie Mechtild, R.S.M.  
8:00 a.m. Shari McVey Actis  
12:05 p.m. John F. Mosher

### Thur. Oct 31st - Weekday

7:00 a.m. Sr. Maria Ancilla R.S.M.  
8:00 a.m. Lynette Raidt  
12:05 p.m. Scott Abbott

### Fri. Nov 1st - All Saints Day

7:00 a.m. Mattingly Family  
8:00 a.m. Sr. Mary Clare Neuhofer  
12:05 p.m. John Mosher  
5:30 p.m. Josephine Hines

### Sat. Nov 2nd - All Souls Day

8:00 a.m. All Souls Novena  
5:00 p.m. Fr. Matt Hillyard

### Sun. Nov 3rd - 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. All Souls Novena  
10:00 a.m. Lynette Raidt  
12:00 p.m. John Mosher  
5:00 p.m. Robert Eilerman



## FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

All Saints day is just around the corner. To celebrate this great feast, we will have the relics of the Cathedral on display for adoration in prayer in the All Saints Chapel. After each Mass on All Saints Day, we will chant the Litany of Saints and process to the All Saints Chapel for a special prayer. This feast is an excellent opportunity for us as the pilgrim church to call to mind the many men and women who have already reached heaven, and through them, we are invigorated to walk to the path of holiness here on earth

The day following All Saints, we remember our deceased relatives and friends. If you have a loved one that you would have remembered in our All Souls Novena, there is still time to do so. Just visit [cathedralstl.org/all-souls](http://cathedralstl.org/all-souls) to submit your name(s). During the length of the Novena, the names and photos of loved ones will be placed in the All Souls Chapel for prayer and devotion.

On the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month, Cardinal Glennon would celebrate Mass and give the sermon during his time as the Archbishop of St. Louis. The following is from the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of November 1919. “The church kindly leads us by the hand during these days, asks us to kneel by the graves of our friends and to pray to Him that they may rest in peace and to ask Christ, who is all-powerful and merciful, to forgive them their sins and to bring them to his own place of rest and joy, that they may all join in the grand processional of saints, chanting benediction, praise and worship, honor and glory, to him who sitteth on the throne.

Looked at in this way, death is not a tragedy. It stands merely as a temporary loss to which greater gains succeed. The Christian’s hope therein is secure, for it is based upon the work and the word of one who cannot deceive, and who will not betray, Christ who died for us and in dying conquered death.

For all our dear departed, we must pray. We would be ungrateful and forgetful-our friendship and our faith would be equally empty if we did not remember these, our friends—if we did not remember the cry to us ‘have pity on me—have pity on me...Pray to the Almighty to speedily bring these, his children, home to bless them with his presence and to crown them with bliss forever.’”

**Msgr. Breier**

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## ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

## Find the Light in the Midst of the Darkness

Hope is the conviction that God is in charge, even in the darkest hours

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

We turn from October to November this week. With sunrise getting later and sunset getting earlier, we start to feel the darkness more intensely. The same might be said of our sense of culture right before an election: We feel the darkness more intensely.

It raises the question for me: Where are you finding hope these days? Hope is, after all, a kind of light in the midst of darkness.

But before you answer that question, let's make an important distinction: I'm talking about hope, not optimism.

Optimism is the conviction that "things will get better." I don't think anyone needs to believe that. History tells us, and the cross shows us, that things often get worse. Christian faith has plenty of room for that kind of realism.

Hope, by contrast, is the conviction that "God is in charge." Faith tells us, and the cross shows us, that even in the darkest hour God is still in charge. It's important when things seem dark to make time and energy and space for those people, places and events that keep our sense of hope alive and strong.

Fortunately, that's exactly what this week is about. If culture has made Halloween something of a celebration of darkness, for us it remains All Hallows' Eve — the eve of All Saints Day. The light of the saints predominates our sense of this week, and the light of the saints is precisely Jesus Christ, the source of our hope.

Halloween is one of the great feasts of children in our culture. That makes it a good time to recall the words

## ARCHBISHOP MITCHELL ROZANSKI



### SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

of Jesus: "Unless you turn and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven" (Matthew 18:3). How does a child receive the kingdom? Let me propose three key elements of a child's receptivity for our imitation.

First: acceptance. When told there is a heaven, the child says, "OK!" Likewise, simple and deep acceptance of spiritual realities is important for our life of faith. We just need to combine childlike acceptance with an adult's awareness that the spiritual realities are both good and bad: Angels are real; so are devils.

Second: wonder and awe. When told about spiritual realities, the child says, "Wow!" What we can see with our eyes is not all there is, and that's wonderful! We know that in one way through the sciences; we can know it in another way through faith.

Third: curiosity. When told about spiritual realities, the child will combine acceptance with curiosity, and ask, "OK, how, exactly, does that work?" To have acceptance without curiosity is to be childish rather than childlike, but curiosity without acceptance tends toward cynicism.

This week we celebrate all the saints who brought the light of Christ into the darkness of their time. As we do so, let's ponder how the light of Jesus can shine in us and through us. Then we can be witnesses to hope — and therefore sources of light in the darkness of our own times.

*Note: This column appeared in the St. Louis Review for October 26 & 27 and may be read in the print edition or at <https://it.ly/35ejOXr>*



## Sacrament of Marriage

Congratulations to **Joshua & Morgan Mesler** who were united in the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral Basilica on Saturday, October 19, 2024.

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

1 Corinthians 13:4-8



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<p>The Bach Society of St. Louis <i>Rachmaninoff Vespers</i> Sunday, October 6, 2024 7:30pm</p> <p>The Sixteen <i>Harry Christophers, Conductor</i> Thursday, October 17, 2024 7:30pm</p> <p>Vienna Boys Choir <i>Holiday Concert</i> Friday, November 15, 2024 7:30pm <small>Welcomed by Steinway Piano Gallery</small></p> <p>Christmas at the Cathedral <i>with the St. Louis Archdiocesan Choirs &amp; Orchestra</i> Saturday, December 7, 2024 10:30am (NOTE TIME) Sunday, December 8, 2024 2:30pm <small>Welcomed by Favazza's Restaurant and Michael Bawisk &amp; Kathleen Skely</small></p> <p>The Legend Singers Friday, January 31, 2025 7:30pm FREE: Tickets not Required</p>	<p>Vox Una with St. Louis Area High School Choirs Sunday, February 23, 2025 2:30pm FREE: Tickets not Required</p> <p>The American Spiritual Ensemble Sunday, March 23, 2025 7:30pm</p> <p>Westminster Cathedral Choir, London Monday, March 31, 2025 7:30pm</p> <p>VOCES8 Friday, April 4, 2025 7:30pm <small>Welcomed by Bruce &amp; Linda Ryder and Melanie &amp; Anthony Falhman, MD</small></p>
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Artists & Dates subject to change  
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## All Souls Novena

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

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.

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





# What Catholics Believe



Join us at the Cathedral Basilica as we explore the nature of the Sacraments as well as their role in the life of the Church.



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

## Next Sessions

**November 6**

Baptism, Part I

**November 20**

Baptism, Part II

Questions? Contact Fr. Povis [zacharypovis@archstl.org](mailto:zacharypovis@archstl.org)

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Study Scripture from the heart of the Church with one of today's most respected scholars

**"HAIL HOLY QUEEN"**

**DATE**  
Sunday, October 27  
2 PM

**LOCATION**  
Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis  
4431 Lindell Blvd  
St. Louis, MO 63108

**PRICE**  
Free

**REGISTER NOW!**  
[stpaulcenter.com/stlouis2024](http://stpaulcenter.com/stlouis2024)

## VETERANS DAY MASS Nov. 10 Sunday 10:00 AM



*Regular, guard, reserve, retired, and prior service, are encouraged to wear the dress uniform as authorized. Following a group photo inside the cathedral, veterans join all congregants for coffee and donuts in Boland Hall.*

Saint Michael the Archangel <https://cathedralstl.org>

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# Christmas Memorial Poinsettias

The poinsettias and greenery that adorn our Cathedral are a special part of the celebration of Christmas at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis. We invite all parishioners and visitors to share in the experience through a memorial or thanksgiving gift by purchasing one or more of the poinsettias decorating the Nativity Scene or the Chapels. Memorial Poinsettias are \$10.00 each. Names of those being honored will appear in the weekend and Christmas bulletins.

Please indicate in whose memory or in whose honor you wish the flowers to be dedicated. Completed forms and payment may be placed in an envelope and dropped into the weekend offertory baskets, OR mailed to: Cathedral Basilica of St Louis, c/o Memorial Poinsettias, 4431 Lindell Blvd, St. Louis, MO, 63108

Please Check one: \_\_\_ in memory of OR in honor of \_\_\_

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Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis

**Order by Monday, December 16**





## Introduction to Catholic Health Care Ethics for Medical Students & Resident Physicians

Meetings will take place in the Gannon Room located in the basement of the rectory of Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis (4431 Lindell Blvd. St. Louis, MO 63108). Each session will begin at 7:00 pm and conclude no later than 8:30 pm.

### Date and Topic

- **Nov 13** The Patient – Physician Relationship (Decision Making)
- **Dec 11** Understanding Conscience and Cooperation with Evil
- **Jan 8** Catholic Teaching on Reproductive Health
- **Feb 12** Discerning Ordinary v Extraordinary Care (including Nutrition & Hydration)
- **Mar 12** Caring at the End of Life (Palliative Care, Physician Assisted Suicide)
- **April 9** Determining Death & Organ Transplantation
- **May 7** Open Question Day

About the Instructor Fr. Peter Fonseca was ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of St. Louis in 2015. He holds a Master of Arts in Theology and a Master of Divinity from Kenrick-Glennon Seminary. Additionally, he holds a Master of Science in Bioethics from the University of Mary, where he was chosen by the faculty as the distinguished graduate student, and a certification in Catholic Healthcare Ethics from the National Catholic Bioethics Center.

Having previously served as a pastor, Fr. Fonseca is now assigned as the Director of Continuing Formation for Priests for the Archdiocese of St. Louis while pursuing doctoral studies in health care ethics at St. Louis University. While studying at SLU, he has taught in the undergraduate program and served as a research fellow for the Catholic Health Association. In addition to his canonical assignments, he serves as a consultor to various parties in the Archdiocese of St. Louis and the greater St. Louis area on bioethical issues. Fr. Fonseca has presented at various conferences and seminars across the country and has contributed to local television and national radio programs.

## 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 27, 2024 through November 3, 2024

- Sunday: 149: Jer 31:7-9 Ps 126:1-6 Heb 5:1-6 Mk 10:46-52
- Monday: 666: Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16
- Tuesday: 480: Eph 5:21-33 Ps 128:1-5 Lk 13:18-21
- Wednesday: 481: Eph 6:1-9 Ps 145:10-14 Lk 13:22-30
- Thursday: 482: Eph 6:10-20 Ps 144:1-b, 2, 9-10 Lk 13:31-35
- Friday: 667: Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a
- Saturday: 668: Wis 3:1-9 Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9 Jn 6:37-40
- Sunday: 152: Dt 6:2-6 Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51 Heb 7:23-28 Mk 12:28b-34

## 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.

Roxanne Ali  
Doreen Kelly  
Linda Baldwin  
Barbara Beckemeyer  
Edwin Ayala Padilla  
Dorothy Quinn  
Mary Leah Kovarik  
Janetta Williams  
Aisha Mitchell  
Shirley Brown

Guy Thomas  
Kelvin Ayala Reyes  
Nicole Pace  
Resy Sanchez  
Mary Anne Work  
Betty Ytzaina  
Therese Terri Svehla  
Deborah Lee  
Margaret Aubermann





**STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!**

**Anima Christi Young Adults**

**Anima Christi will not meet Thursday, October 31.**

Our next meeting will be November 7. 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. Please see the Anima Christi Facebook page for more details or email [AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com](mailto:AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com)

**Women of the Cathedral**

Join the **Women of the Cathedral** the 1st Tuesday of the month for Benediction, Adoration & fellowship. We meet monthly from September through May, along with Bible Studies, Blood Drives, Sunday Suppers, Advent & Lent Evening of Reflection, a Christmas party and other fun activities.

To be added to our email list, please contact Sarah Schimpf [sarah.schimpf@icloud.com](mailto:sarah.schimpf@icloud.com)

You are invited to join us on **Tuesday, November 5**, beginning with Adoration & Benediction at 6:30 pm then moving to Boland Hall for food & fellowship. Bring an appetizer or drink to share.

**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!

**Men of the Cathedral**

The Men of the Cathedral cordially invite all parishioners and visitors to join them for Adoration of the Holy Eucharist on **Tuesday, October 29**. Adoration will begin promptly at 6 PM. Confessions will be heard during Adoration. All are welcome for Adoration!

As we approach November and our thoughts turn to Thanksgiving and Christmas, this is a great time to reflect on God’s blessings bestowed upon each of us.

All men are invited to drinks and dinner in Boland Hall immediately after the conclusion of Adoration. A suggested donation of \$20 is appreciated. We will again host the chili and cornbread cook-off for the dinner. If you wish to enter the contest, please let Michael Weisbrod (info below) know!

For dinner reservations, please contact Michael at 314.918.2893 or [michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org](mailto:michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org) by **Monday, October 28**.

**Legion of Mary**

The Legion of Mary invites you to join our weekly meetings on Saturdays at 10 am.

Meetings are held in the outer office of the Cathedral School building. For further information, please call the rectory at 314.373.8202. We look forward to seeing you.

**Weekly Thoughts on Giving**

“And Jesus said to him, ‘Go your way; your faith has made you well.’ And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way.” (MARK 10:52)

Faith is believing in something even though you may not be able to physically see it. Many people think that miracles don’t happen anymore. This is hard, but try to focus on the positive and not the negative things in your life. When you focus on your blessings instead of your hardships, miracles will seem common. You will see God’s active presence in your daily life. You will begin to develop an attitude of gratitude.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 10/20/2024-10/21/2024**

Offertory	\$6,612.00
Online Giving	\$5,737.00
Loose	\$4,613.00
Cathedral Candles	\$385.37
Cathedral Landscaping	\$41.00
Wedding Jubilee Mass	\$1,583.00
World Missions	\$988.00



## LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 2 &amp; 3, 2024

Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers
<b>5:00 p.m. (Sat)</b> <b>No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend</b>	Phoebe Del Castillo David Parr		Doug Weber	Bob Sutter Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin
<b>8:00 am</b>	Thomas Gregory Mitch Smith	Smith, Robinson, McGrath, Austerman	Doug Weber Kevin Mattingly	Dave Meyer Frank Snyder Joe Schilli
<b>10:00 am</b>	Guest Lector Guest Lector			Sue Metheny Dan Mangus Vito Alu
<b>12 Noon</b>	David Butler Nancy Butler		TBD	Willie Stevens Skip Batchelor Lawanda Reason
<b>5:00 pm</b>	John Stith Mary Ann Cheng		TBD	Willie Kelsey Charlie Hapke Pat McCann Don Burns

## 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](http://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.

