

CATHEDRAL  
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
NOVEMBER 7, 2021

**MASSSES 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)

**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 *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.

**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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Sun., November 7– 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - All Souls Novena  
10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family  
12:00 p.m. - George Nadler  
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss

### Mon., November 8– Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Gerald Marie Phung N. Quan  
8:00 a.m. - All Souls Novena  
12:05 p.m. - Devon P. Wear, MD

### Tues., November 9– The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family  
8:00 a.m. - All Souls Novena  
12:05 p.m. - Virginia and Arthur Eultgen

### Wed., November 10– St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

7:00 a.m. - Anne Marie Nguyen K. Nhuong  
8:00 a.m. - All Souls Novena  
12:05 p.m. - Emma Dickerson

### Thur., November 11– St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

7:00 a.m. - Francis Stetler  
8:00 a.m. - Betty Bansletter  
12:05 p.m. - Jared Schmitz

### Fri., November 12– St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

7:00 a.m. - Raffaella Maria Stroik  
8:00 a.m. - Vi Phung  
12:05 p.m. - Jim Barry

### Sat., November 13– St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

8:00 a.m. - Barbara P. Vital  
5:00 p.m. - James Steinhaus

### Sun., November 14– 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - Charles Mattingly  
10:00 a.m. - Patricia Adler  
12:00 p.m. - For the Parish Family  
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss





## FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

The beginning of our week was pretty busy here at the Cathedral Basilica as we celebrated the Feast of All Saints with a little over 140 relics of saints on display for prayer and adoration. Throughout the day, the All Saints chapel was at times full of people praying and a steady stream of people at other times. For myself, it was most moving to see the devotion of the faithful as they prayed before the relics.

I hope that you have the opportunity to visit our All Saints Chapel to view the prayer area set up for our All Souls Novena. Our response to this program has been tremendous, and it is quite moving to read the prayer intentions and view the loved ones we remember in prayer.



In this week's Gospel, we are at the end of Jesus' journey to Jerusalem, and the contrast with the scribes and Pharisees has reached its climax. Scribes and Pharisees are those who dictate what happiness or unhappiness is; they are those who govern consciences. Jesus, with the only proclamation of the Gospel, denounces their behavior: "They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers."

Today, there are many widows like the one in Zarephath, whose story we heard in the book of Kings. In many houses and lands there is nothing to eat tomorrow. There is no future. Who will look at these widows? Who will take care of them? Jesus looks at and defends them.

He looks at them as he gazed at that widow who made her offering for the temple. Jesus sees her throwing her two coins in the treasure. No one, of course, notices her. She does not come from a noble family and so she does not attract attention; she does not belong to the world of rich and famous people so she is not noticed. However, Jesus looked with affection and admiration at that woman. Only Jesus notices her. Jesus teaches the disciples, who were absentminded or focused only on impressive things, to look with love and care at the smallest things.

It is not by chance that the evangelist locates this episode at the end of Jesus' public life and of his teaching in the temple of Jerusalem. Contrary to the young rich man who "went away grieving" because he had many riches and wanted to keep them for himself (Mk 10:22), this poor widow, by giving everything, teaches us how to love God and the Gospel. She went away happy.

**Monsignor Henry Breier**

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## ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

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SERVE THE LORD  
WITH GLADNESS

## Like a mosaic, each person is individually placed to draw others to Jesus Christ

The image of the Temple helps us ask how we can cooperate with God's project

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

We celebrate the feast of the dedication of the Lateran Basilica — the Pope's Cathedral — this week (Nov. 9). Interestingly, the Church's theological reflection for the day focuses on the building as an allegory for the people: "Whenever we come to church, we must prepare our hearts to be as beautiful as we expect this building to be ... Just as you enter this church building, so God wishes to enter into your soul, for He promised: I shall live in them, and I shall walk the corridors of their hearts."

I think it's fair to ponder our beautiful Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis along the same lines. Each of the mosaic tiles in the cathedral is made individually and placed individually, just as each of us is made individually by God, and placed individually by God in history. No one tile tells the whole story but, all together, they draw people into the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Likewise, one word and one action at a time, each of us can tell people about Jesus, and draw others into His life. If we miss the connection between the building and the person, we miss one of the reasons the cathedral was built.

The readings for the feast day all focus on the Temple. But there's a transformation in how the Temple is considered. And that transformation has particular importance for us today.

In the Hebrew Scriptures, the Temple was a particular building: the center of Jewish worship, and the place where God dwelt in a special way. In the Gospels Jesus is the new Temple — the new center of worship, and the new place where God dwells in a special way. After the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, every baptized Christian becomes a living temple of God. That's why St. Paul can say: "Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?" And that's why St. Peter says: "Come to Him, a living stone ... and, like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house."

At each stage of salvation history God builds a "temple" in a way that's appropriate to that stage, and that draws the people deeper into His life. The question becomes: what is God trying to build in our time, to draw people deeper into His life, and how do we cooperate with that project?

That is exactly the question we're asking in our pastoral planning process.

There can be a tendency to look back and disparage the past and want to throw it out. There can also be a tendency to idolize the past and want to return to it. I think both are mistakes. Instead, we should learn from the past, and apply its lessons moving forward.

From the 1920s to the 1950s we built a lot of buildings and opened a lot of new parishes and schools. And that was appropriate to the needs of the time! The needs of our time are different. I hope we can bring just as much zeal to meeting the needs of our day as our forebears did to meeting the needs of their day. They left behind something beautiful for us. Can we sense the transformation that God is working now, and help to build a new kind of beauty?

*Note: this column appeared in the St. Louis Review for November 8-14 and may be read in the print edition or at <https://bit.ly/35ejOXr>.*



## 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	Pauline Price
Janice Bachford	Dorothy Quinn
Barbara Beckemeyer	Kelvin Ayala Reyes
Sydney Cole	Mary Riley
Joe Dubuque	Vivian Rachel Rossen
Wayne Eultgen	Resy Sanchez
Deborah Harlan	Mickey Shears
Lenore Molloy	Durie Shiebler
Edwin Ayala Padilla	Mary Anne Work

## 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, November 20.**

## Men of the Cathedral

The season of Advent begins late in November. Why not begin the season by joining other men in Adoration of the Holy Eucharist? Please join us and bringing your friends, neighbors and family members for the next Adoration evening scheduled for November 30<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM.

All men are welcome; you do not need to be a member of the Cathedral parish.

Confessions will be heard during Adoration. Adoration will be followed by drinks, fellowship and a *special dinner in Boland Hall.*

The Men will be hosting a chili and cornbread cook-off! If you wish to enter your favorite chili or cornbread, please include that information when you RSVP to Michael as noted below. A donation of \$20 is suggested. Please RSVP by November 29<sup>th</sup> to Michael Weisbrod at 314.918.2893 or [michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org](mailto:michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org)

**All proceeds of the evening will be donated to the Cathedral St. Vincent DePaul Society**

## 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

**November 7, 2021 through November 14, 2021**

Sunday:	1 Kgs 17:10-16 Ps 146:7-10 Heb 9:24-28 Mk 12:38-44
Monday:	Wis 1:1-7 Ps 139:1-10 Lk 17:1-6
Tuesday:	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 Jn 2:13-22
Wednesday:	Wis 6:1-11 Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 Lk 17:11-19
Thursday:	Wis 7:22b-8:1 Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175 Lk 17:20-25
Friday:	Wis 13:1-9 Ps 19:2-5b Lk 17:26-37
Saturday:	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9 Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 Lk 18:1-8
Sunday:	Dn 12:1-3 Ps 16:5, 8-11 Heb 10:11-14, 18 Mk 13:24-32

## A Lasting Gift

Looking for a special gift to memorialize a loved one, or celebrate a birth, wedding, ordination, graduation, anniversary, or other important event? Consider a commemorative brick in the Cathedral Basilica Jubilee Prayer Garden! For more info and order forms, please, contact the parish office at 314-373-8202.

## Parish Pro-Life Ministry

The Cathedral Pro-Life Ministry coordinates pro-life 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 info, email [bryankirchoff@att.net](mailto:bryankirchoff@att.net).





## Cathedral Inspired Christmas Cards

The Cathedral Basilica Christmas cards are back again this year! The four card designs below are available for purchase on the Cathedral website under the SHOP tab.

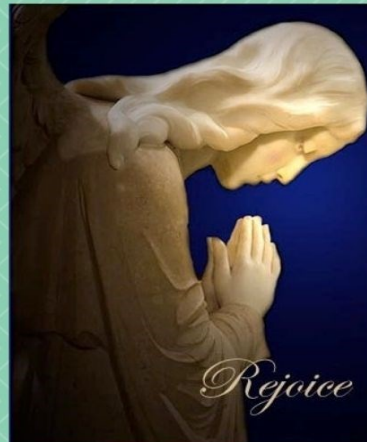
The cost is 12 cards/envelopes for \$5.

We are happy to ship them to you for a flat rate of \$12 or you can order online and pick up in the Parish Office Monday-Friday, during regular business hours.

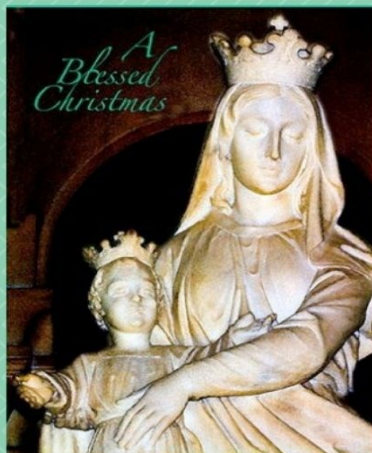
If you have any questions, please contact Chrissy Chapo at 314-373-8220 or [cchapo@cathedralstl.org](mailto:cchapo@cathedralstl.org).



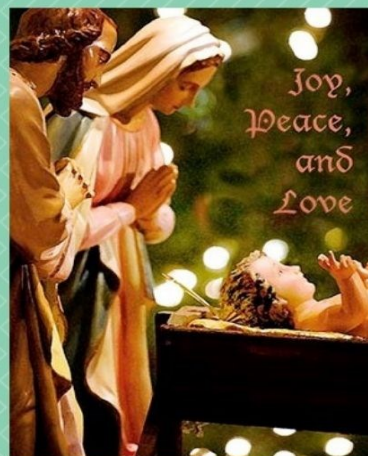
*Glad Tidings of Great Joy*



*Rejoice*



*A Blessed Christmas*



*Joy,  
Peace,  
and  
Love*



## STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!



All military personnel – regular, guard, reserve, retired, and veterans - and their families are invited to a special Veteran's Day Mass at 8:00 am on Thursday, November 11, at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis. Veterans are encouraged to wear the dress uniform as prescribed by service. A reception of coffee and donuts will follow Mass. For any questions, please email [davidcorrick@hotmail.com](mailto:davidcorrick@hotmail.com).

## St. Vincent de Paul Sunday

The St. Louis Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will be celebrating the 6th Annual St. Vincent de Paul Sunday **today**. The Cathedral Basilica Conference will participate by collecting contributions of personal hygiene items (e.g., shampoo, toothpaste, and toothbrushes) as well as cleaning supplies (e.g., paper towels, soap, and detergent). These are essential items not covered by food stamps, and our clients often can't afford to buy them. All items collected will be distributed to the poor in the Archdiocese. **Vincentians will be stationed in the Cathedral vestibule at all Masses this weekend, to receive your donations.** Please consider participating in this worthy effort! Your ongoing support and generosity remain vital to our mission of reaching out in Christian charity to those in need.

## St. Vincent de Paul Membership

Members of the Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul Society meet weekly. Members are committed to aiding fellow parishioners and neighbors with necessities such as food, clothing, utilities, and rent—all in the context of the Christian imperative. If interested in becoming a member or in learning more about the Society and our Conference, please leave a message on the SVDP HotLine at 314-373-8288.

## 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, November 11, from 1:00 –2:00 p.m.** Please contact Skip or Nicki Batchelor at 916-834-4843 for additional information.

## Weekly Thoughts on Giving

*"I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living." (Mark 12:43-44)*

Jesus gets right to the point – we are all called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstance. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith, just like praying and participating in parish ministries. When you make a financial offering, is it from your "first fruits" or from what is "left over"?

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR  
THE WEEKEND OF 10/31/2021

Offertory	\$9,671.63
Loose	3,338.86
Maintenance	1.00
World Missions	631.00
Landscape	111.00
Catholic Education	10.00
OnLine Giving	3,251.50





## Relics on Display

On Monday, November 1, a collection of more than 140 relics were on display in the All Saints Chapel. Many parishioners visited the Chapel for prayer.





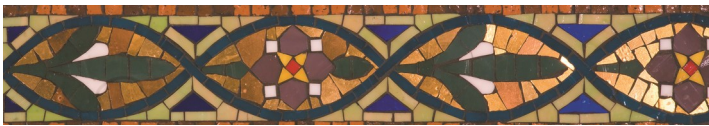


## For the Poor

**Today**, and on the first Sunday of every month, the Cathedral Parish collects foodstuffs and canned goods for delivery to local food pantries. Please place donations in the baskets near the sanctuary at the side aisles. Thank you for your generosity!

## Eyeglass Drive

**Today**, and on the first Sunday of every month, "The Respectacle Project", an eyeglass recycling program, is accepting donations of quality used eyeglasses. Please place donations in the baskets near the sanctuary at the side aisles. Thank you!



## 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.

## 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 the parish office at 314-373-8202 to schedule a baptism or to register for baptismal preparation class.

## 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 NOVEMBER 13-14, 2021

	Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers
<b>5:00 p.m. (Sat)</b>	<b>No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend</b>	Mitch Smith Phoebe Del Castillo		Doug Weber	Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Robert Sutter Chris Newgent
<b>8:00 am</b>		Brian Ragen Pat Harper	B. Ragen -Bernard S. Metheny - Broussard P. Harper - Mary Ryder	Doug Weber Kevin Mattingly	Dave Meyer Tom Doyle Frank Snyder
<b>10:00 am</b>		Rachel Kondro Sr. Maria Howell		JP Blanner Simon Blanner Thomas Jackson	Victor Stuart Barb Murray Susan Metheny Jerry Danekas
<b>12 Noon</b>		Jonathan Klimpel David Parr		Henry Foppe Gus Foppe George Foppe	Willie Stevens Vito Alu Lawanda Reason Barb Murray
<b>5:00 pm</b>		Sal Alatorre John Willard		Will Ryan	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 call the rectory 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](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.

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