WE BELIEVE. WE BELONG. WE CELEBRATE THE MOST HOLY TRINITY.

June 11, 2017

THIS WEEKEND:
2nd Collection Catholic Communications Campaign
Sunday: 10:00 am - Journey Through the Bible, p.7
11:15 am - Fr. Juan Celebrates a First Mass at St. Louis Followed by a Reception In Reddington Hall Gym

THIS WEEK AT ST. LOUIS (Daily Mass Schedule p.2)
MONDAY - JUNE 12
6:30 am - Men’s Spirituality Group, Parish Mtg Hall

TUESDAY - JUNE 13
7:30 am - Next Sunday’s Scriptures, PMH
9:45 am - Mass at Heather Heights
12:30 pm - Bible and the Virgin Mary, PMH, p.7
7:00 pm - Bible and the Virgin Mary, PMH, p.7

WEDNESDAY - JUNE 14
9:10 am - St. Louis School Flag Day Prayer Service, School Courtyard
10:00 am - Mass at the Highlands Living Center
7:00 pm - Stewardship Team, Ministry Center
7:30 pm - Bible Basics, Rectory
7:30 pm - Regional Charismatic Prayer Grp, PMH

THURSDAY - JUNE 15
9:10 am - St. Louis School Mission Day Prayer Service, Church
7:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration, Church

SATURDAY - JUNE 17
Food Collection for St. Andrew’s Food Cupboard
9:45 am - Women’s Bereavement Program, PMH
3:30 pm - Confessions
4:30 pm - Mass (Sign Language Interpreted)

SUNDAY - JUNE 18 - Father’s Day
Food Collection for St. Andrew’s Food Cupboard
7:30 am - Mass & Coffee Hour
9:00 am - Mass & Coffee Hour
10:00 am - Journey Through the Bible, Youth Rm, p.7
11:15 am - Mass, Children’s LOW
5:00 pm - Mass
7:00 pm - Joe Zambon, Love Is, Free Concert, Church, Reception Follows, p.9

Father Juan Benitez, Ordained a Priest June 3, 2017, at Sacred Heart Cathedral

Congratulations!
**Mass Intentions for This Week**

**MONDAY - JUNE 12**
2 Cor 1:1-7/ Mt 5:1-12
11:00 am Josephine Marino - Family
5:15 pm Adeline Giannascoli - Deacon John & Sue Payne

**TUESDAY - JUNE 13**
2 Cor 1:18-22/ Mt 5:13-16
6:45 am Paul Spinelli - Peter & Pat Spinelli
9:45 am Mass at Heather Heights For the People of the Parish
11:00 am Ann Becker - Paul & Geri Dolan

**WEDNESDAY - JUNE 14**
2 Cor 3:4-11/ Mt 5:17-19
11:00 am Edward & Irene Schults - Mary
5:15 pm Ann Brimmer - Family

**THURSDAY - JUNE 15**
2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6/ Mt 5:20-26
6:45 am Adeline Giannascoli - Deacon John & Sue Payne
11:00 am William Kane - Mary-Ellen & Family

**FRIDAY - JUNE 16**
2 Cor 4:7-15/ Mt 5:27-32
11:00 am Daniel Blind - Jerry Schmitt
5:15 pm Raymond Mahar - Mary & Family

**SATURDAY - JUNE 17**
2 Cor 5:14-21/ Mt 5:33-37
9:00 am David Botcher - Lillian Jabbour & Sis Murphy
4:30 pm Greg Barr - St. Louis Pastoral Care

**SUNDAY - JUNE 18**
Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), Father’s Day
Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/ 1 Cor 10:16-17/ Jn 6:51-58
7:30 am Vincenzo Leonardo - Daughter
9:00 am Wayne Harber - Nancy & Caroline Harber
11:15 am William Jesson - Family
5:00 pm Maria Hoang Thi Phach - Ho Dinh Tran & Family

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**Special Intentions**
We invite you to have a Sanctuary Lamp lit at the Blessed Sacrament to have your very special intentions remembered for a week.

To reserve a candle, please call or visit the Ministry Center. The Thursday Holy Hour Ministry will offer special prayers for your intention.

- One lamp will burn In Memory of Raymond Salamone By the Hirsch Family.
- One lamp will burn For a Special Intention By Mom.
- One Lamp will burn For Gene Schomburg In Honor of 100th Birthday.

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**Saturday & Sunday, June 17 & 18**

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**Sunday Communion Service - June 18**
The Highlands - Pete & Gerry Shea Heather Heights - Richard Caruso
Close Encounter

Our first reading, from Exodus, describes the closest encounter any human being had with God in the Hebrew Scriptures. Those who think God in the Old Testament is a God of wrath would do well to spend serious time in meditation on this passage. Moses is presented in the Old Testament as closer to God than any human being. He is given the mission by God to proclaim God’s will to the people, while also advocating and interceding for a sinful people before the Lord. What does Moses learn of God’s nature in this close encounter on Mt. Sinai? The Lord is merciful, gracious, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity. This is one of the most repeated and quoted statements about God in the Tanak (the Hebrew Bible). Can you name other places in the Old Testament that portray God as tender and loving? (Hint: The Psalms, Hosea and later chapters in Isaiah are good places to start looking.)

Building Community

At times, the churches St. Paul founded caused him great pain. The petty infighting, subverting the basic message of the Gospel, all the dirty laundry can be found in his letters (remember, he never intended them to be read in church for 2,000 years!). Yet even in his frustration, his deep love comes through loud and clear. He often uses family relationship language, and even speaks of how much he anguishes over the community’s well-being. The sentiments in today’s reading could easily capture those of any parent of a large family. This Father’s Day, hear his words as the desire a father has that his children get along in peace with one another. We hear this reading on the Feast of the Holy Trinity because Paul concludes his letter with the Trinitarian formula, the very words with which the priest greets the church community at the beginning of Mass.

Heart of the Mission

What exactly was Jesus’ mission? In our Gospel today, John breaks it down to the simplest terms. Jesus was sent into the world out of love, that he might save us, and open the door to eternal life. Many folks have heard this passage and seen it in print. But how would you explain the meaning to the uninitiated? Saved from what? Can you articulate just what Jesus has saved you from, and how he has done so? The more clearly we can articulate what this means to us personally, the more likely we will succeed in helping others discover the saving love of God, forgiveness, peace and eternal life.

Looking Ahead: (Corpus Christi)

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2 – 3, 14b – 16a
I fed you in the desert

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16 – 17
Participating in the Body & Blood of Christ

Gospel: John 6:51 – 58
Whoever eats this bread will live forever

Cursillo

Christ Is Counting On You!

After a powerful retreat weekend, those who make a Cursillo are told “Christ is counting on you.” Their response? “And I am counting on Christ.” The next men’s Cursillo is scheduled this summer, July 13-16. Fr. Bob will be one of the Spiritual Directors for the weekend. We can promise you will experience the Lord in your life in a way you never have before. Contact Fr. Bob, Msgr. Krieg or anyone who has made a Cursillo weekend for more information!
WITH A GENEROUS HEART

BEING IN COMMUNITY, SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY

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THIS WEEK’S TITHING WILL SUPPORT
FR. PROTUS - ST. LOUIS SCHOOL, KENYA

NEXT WEEK’S TITHING WILL SUPPORT
ST. ANDREW’S FOOD CUPBOARD

St. Andrew’s Food Cupboard, 890 Portland Avenue, serves an area of highly concentrated poverty in the 14621 Northeast quadrant of Rochester. St. Andrew’s mission is to provide the best nutrition they can offer. They also provide diapers, some baby needs, and include toiletries with each household order. Clients are offered recipe and food handling advice and access to free clothing, coupons, used books and magazines, and phone usage. Furniture assistance through the adjoining St. Vincent dePaul Society is also available. Most importantly, they try to build relationships with those who come in need.

To learn more about St. Andrew’s Food Cupboard, please contact Margaret Oberst at 338-1764 (Cupboard), 254-3093 (home) or email moberst@dor.org. Volunteers come in on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday from 9:00 – 11:30 am.

CHRISTIAN LOVE: FEEDING THE HUNGRY
FOOD AND OTHER ITEMS NEEDED FOR
ST. ANDREW’S FOOD CUPBOARD,
NEXT WEEKEND! JUNE 17 & 18

☐ Cereals, Rice
☐ Canned/boxed soups
☐ Canned meats (tuna, chicken, Spam)
☐ Canned pastas (Spaghetti-O’s, etc)
☐ Pasta & Spaghetti sauce
☐ Salad dressings, Salt & Pepper, Sugar, Flour
☐ Prepared meals (mac & cheese, etc)
☐ Peanut Butter, Jam & Jelly
☐ Gravies (canned or boxed mixes)
☐ Canned fruits (peaches, pears, etc.)
☐ Canned vegetables (corn, peas, tomatoes)
☐ Canned Beans (pinto, kidney, etc.)
☐ Feminine products
☐ Diapers
☐ Toiletries: Shampoo, soap, toothpaste, deodorants
☐ Paper Goods: toilet paper, napkins, tissues, towels

Recycle bags are always welcome & appreciated!

Are you visiting with us today?
Welcome! We love to have you with us, and hope that you felt warmly welcomed, at home even. Our home is your home! We pray your experience of liturgy here was uplifting, and helped you experience God’s presence in the Word proclaimed, the prayers prayed, the music sung, the Eucharist, offered and shared. If you were able to contribute, we are very grateful! Have you ever formally registered to be a member of our parish? If not, please consider picking up a registration form, or calling the office. We would love to welcome you into the St. Louis parish family!

Remembering Your Parish
Have you considered including a bequest to St. Louis church, School or Saints Place in your will? That, or inviting people to give memorial donations in lieu of flowers can ensure that ministries you value will continue to be well supported!
Please visit our website for on-line registration and information: www.stlouischurch.org.

You may also register in person at the Ministry Center during office hours; after hours, drop registration form in the mail slot by the front door, or mail it. Please clearly mark registration to the attention of Michelle Andrews-Smith.

We need all registrations no later than the July 1st deadline to keep shipping and material costs to a minimum. If you have any questions, please contact Michelle at 585-586-5675 or michelle.andrews-smith@dor.org.

Volunteer Catechists Needed for Fall 2017

St. Louis Youth Ministry is seeking several new volunteer Catechists for the fall. If you are passionate about sharing your faith with the youth of our parish, please reach out to Leila Kaczmarek (leila.kaczmarek@dor.org).

Our needs are:

- 6th Grade Youth Group – 2 Catechists
- 7th Grade – 1 Catechist
- 8th Grade – 2 Catechists (for 2 different times)
- 9th Grade – 2 Catechists (for 2 different times)
- 10-12th Grade – 2 Catechists

Lesson outlines will be given to you at the beginning of the Youth Ministry season in September. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity before reaching out to Leila, as this is a YEAR LONG COMMITMENT.

Catechist must be a fully-initiated Catholic and at least 17 years of age as of December 1st, 2017.

ALL CATECHISTS MUST BE CASE CERTIFIED PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2017.
Father Juan celebrated a Prayer Service for the St. Louis School students who are becoming altar servers. Our school community came together for this joyous occasion as new altar servers put on their alb (white vestment) for the first time.

Congratulations to our newest altar servers as well as altar servers who began this ministry earlier in the school year!
NEXT COUNCIL MEETING, MONDAY, JUNE 19
PARISH MEETING HALL, 6:45 PM

Members of the Knights of Columbus will elect officers.

Congratulations to new members who took the Knighthood Degree. It is great to be a part of an organization that is strong in our church and community.

Men of the Parish interested in becoming a Member of St. Louis Council or any who have questions about Knights of Columbus, please contact our Membership Director, Joseph DiPrima at drdiprima@gmail.com or Grand Knight Dick Hilliard at Cell: 585-943-1106 or e-mail: bwgolf@hotmail.com.

Thank you, and God Bless, Dick Hilliard, Grand Knight

The Diocese of Rochester has recently upgraded its email and Microsoft Office server. As a result, there have been some email addresses that have changed. To avoid having your email to staff rejected, go to the “staff page” on the parish website (www.StLouisChurch.org, then “Our Parish”, and then “Parish Staff”) and make sure that you are using the current email address. If the email to a staff member is rejected, then retry using the current address from the staff page of the website.

The new email addresses are also listed on page 10 of our parish bulletin.
Come, join a new ministry team! We have specific, short-term goals so our efforts will be very focused. Your time will be valued and you are sure to meet new people. We will meet once a month through summer and fall.

**Program Promo Team:** We have opportunities in our parish to learn more about our faith and to grow spiritually, and many more people will benefit from these offerings if we can get the word out effectively. We are forming a team to strategize and implement ways to advertise our great adult faith programs and resources.

**RCIA Team:** We plan to restructure our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program so that it offers options that accommodate busy schedules and provide a better understanding of our faith. Would you like to be part of a team that develops a good foundation for preparing and welcoming new Catholics to our faith?

No need to be an expert! Come try it out for a session to see if it is your cup of tea! We love to see new people participate. Please contact Kathryn for more information at Kathryn.McAlarney@dor.org.

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**Wedding Bells** … We pray for these couples as they prepare for the Sacrament of Matrimony.
- Laura Osborn & Andrew Kompanijec, June 17
- Carly Julien & Matthew McKenna, July 1
- Jennifer Van der Sloot & Dustin Fishman, July 7
- Anna-Marie Lee & Daniel Unger, July 15
- Lauren Davis & Brian Stoll, July 22
- Stephanie Ensenat & Jonathan Thomas, July 29

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**TALK SAVES LIVES**

This Weekend!

**A BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO SUICIDE PREVENTION**

Learn the warning signs and risk factors for suicide, and how we can help prevent it together.

June 11, 2017
6:45 PM Presentation
St. Joseph’s Church
43 Gebhardt Road, Penfield
All are welcome to
5:00 pm Mass
Pizza served after Mass
6:45 Presentation
Concludes with Prayer

Drought to you by funds raised by the Western NY Chapter of AFSP and Meg’s Gift.

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**Kate’s Gift Shop at Mercy Center**, 1437 Blossom Road, has reasonable gifts for Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation. Also: bibles, cards, spirituality books, and a variety of gifts under $20 are available.

**Hours:** Tuesday through Friday, 11am to 4pm.
The shop is located inside the Sisters of Mercy Center just off Exit 6 on 590N. Phone: 288-2710, ext. 119/124. Proceeds benefit the Ministries of the Sisters of Mercy.

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**Wanted: Some Men of Note.** The Acafellas, St. Louis’ a cappella mens vocal group, is looking for additional singers for the upcoming year. If you are interested, contact Dick Yule at 585-381-2721 or coolyule@rochester.rr.com.
FREE CONCERT

Come join us for a night with Joe Zambon and experience his joy and infectious faith as he welcomes you to share the great treasure he has obviously found in God.

This free concert of worship and praise music will be held in St. Louis Church next Sunday, June 18 at 7:00 pm. (Father’s Day – be sure to invite Dad!)

A reception with light refreshments follows the concert.

For more information, contact Kathryn at Kathryn.McAlarney@dor.org or 585-586-5675, ext. 224.

Benefiting the 2018 Education Hardship Fund

June 26th, 2017
The Links at Greystone • 1400 Atlantic Avenue, Walworth

For more information or to register, visit dorschools.org/golf or call 585-328-3228 ext. 1294

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The Diocese of Rochester Catholic School’s Golf Classic is held to raise funds for education assistance in exceptional hardship cases for students in any of the 19 schools in our 12-county region. We hope that you and a group of friends or associates will take part in our 21st Annual Golf Classic by participating in golfing, becoming a sponsor/contributor, or joining us at the 21st Annual Awards Dinner.
PARISH OFFICES - Ministry Center
64 S. Main Street, 14534
(585) 586-5675; Fax 387-9888

MINISTRY CENTER SUMMER HOURS ARE:
MONDAY - THURSDAY, 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
FRIDAY, 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

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