THIS WEEKEND - 3rd Sunday of Lent
Knights of Columbus Easter Lily Pre-Sale

THIS WEEK AT ST. LOUIS (Daily Mass Schedule p. 2)

MONDAY - MARCH 25
6:30 am - Men’s Spirituality Group, Manse
6:30 pm - First Eucharist Family Session, Church

TUESDAY - MARCH 26
7:30 am - Sunday Scripture Study, Manse
1:00 pm - Bible & Sacraments, Parish Meeting Hall
4:30 pm - Faith Formation Classes
7:15 pm - Bible & Sacraments, PMH

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 27
1:30 pm - St. Louis School Rosary Livestream, Church (pg 9)
6:30 pm - First Eucharist Family Session, Church
7:30 pm - Bible Basics, Manse
7:30 pm - Charismatic Prayer Group, PMH

THURSDAY - MARCH 28
9:30 am - Pastoral Care Team Meeting, PMH (pg 9)
7:00 pm - “Biggest Lie” Book Discussion, PMH (pg 6)

SATURDAY - MARCH 30
2nd Collection for Catholic Relief Services
8:30 am - Pre-Cana
10:00 am - “Walk with Jesus” Faith Formation Event, St. Bernard’s (pg 5)
3:00 pm - Confessions
4:30 pm - Mass (Sign Language Interpreted)
5:45 pm - Vespers (Evening Prayer), Church (pg 8)

SUNDAY - MARCH 31
2nd Collection for Catholic Relief Services
7:30 am - Mass
9:00 am - Mass
10:00 am - Faith Formation Classes
10:00 am - Catholic Conversations, Manse
11:15 am - Mass / Children's Liturgy of the Word / RCIA Dismissal
5:00 pm - Mass

“He said to the gardener, ‘For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none. So cut it down.’” - Lk 13:7a

Mass Intentions for This Week

**Monday - March 25**
Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
11:00 am With Special Intention for João Ramiro Freitas - Isalina
5:15 pm Debbie Lucas - Richard Baum

**Tuesday - March 26**
Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
6:45 am For the People of the Parish
11:00 am Susan Mary Smith - Family

**Wednesday - March 27**
Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
11:00 am Nikki Leonardo - Fred & Karen
5:15 pm Joseph Mitsuti - Ferranti Family

**Thursday - March 28**
Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
6:45 am For the Intentions of Pope Francis
11:00 am Shirley Ray - Birdie Proctor

**Friday - March 29**
Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
11:00 am Josephine Marino - Family
5:15 pm Andrew Dolan - Family

**Saturday - March 30**
Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14
9:00 am Funeral for Mary Ann Palermo
4:30 pm Jared Adams - Pam Baker

**Sunday - March 31**
Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
7:30 am Mary Boehm - Ellen & Larry Jensen
9:00 am Anna Sanger - Joan
11:15 am William H. Perham, Sr.
5:00 pm Jared Adams - Perham Family

Special Intentions This Week:
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.

Requiem Aeternam
Mary Ann Palermo

Saturday & Sunday, March 30 & 31

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Sunday Communion Service - March 31
The Highlands - Julian Smith
Heather Heights - Richard Caruso

The funeral celebration for Claire Hodges Bagale will be held on April 6, 2019, 12:30 p.m., at St. Louis Church, 64 South Main St., Pittsford, NY, 14534. Donations in memory of Claire may be made to the Memorial Art Gallery Docent Endowments Fund, 500 University Ave., Rochester, NY, 14607, or to the Mercy Spirituality Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester, NY, 14620.
Our Weekend Scriptures:
3rd Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15
I am the God of your ancestors

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12
Do not grumble, as some of them did

I tell you, repent and be saved

Looking Ahead:
4th Sunday of Lent

1st Reading: Joshua 5:9a, 10-12
Finally at home in the Promised Land

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:17-21
We are ambassadors for Christ

He was lost, and has been found!

The Friendship Begins
“*I am who am.*” A fascinating name. One held with tremendous reverence. In respect for our Jewish sisters and brothers, who believe that the Divine name is too holy to be spoken, recently the church has asked that we not use the name ‘*Yahweh*’ in the liturgy. Songs like “*Yahweh is the God of our salvation*” are out. But there is more to this reading. Moses has a mission that is central to God’s plan, and the process begins as any healthy relationship does – God shares who he is: *I* *am the God of your fathers. I am the one who has heard the cry of the people. I am the one who has come down to rescue them (and us). I know their suffering (and ours). I will lead them to the Promised Land.* God begins with self-revelation. As the story unfolds, Moses will open himself up to God, share ever more deeply. Deuteronomy 34:10 tells us “*Since then, no prophet has risen in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face.*” God shares with us the divine identity throughout the scriptures. Lent is a good time to ask: how am I doing sharing the real me with God?

Typology
We believe that important facets of the Christian mysteries are pre-figured, or symbolized in the Old Testament. St. Paul was masterful in drawing out these theological insights, as relates to us today, the typology between the Exodus events and Christian experience. Do you have a clear enough sense of the central motifs and themes of the Old Testament to connect them to your experience, so each can shed light on the other? If not, a Bible Study, or a good book on scripture can do wonders!

Couldn’t Happen to Me!
In the earliest days after the resurrection, many believers expected Christ to return and make all things new immediately. Over time, the expectation diminished, and a sad result was complacency sometimes setting in. Our Gospel was intended to shake Luke’s community, (and us), out of complacency. Repentance isn’t a one-time thing; it is a life long journey. Repentance isn’t simply about changing behavior – the central aspect is our relationship with God and our relationship with the family of God. What damages the relationship? That’s what we turn away from; what deepens it? That is what we are called to turn toward and embrace.

You are invited
to join our adult choir on a pilgrimage through Michigan this September! The choir will be singing at historic St. Anne’s Catholic Church on the beautiful Victorian Mackinac Island.

We will bus from Rochester over to the charming Bavarian village of Frankenmuth, Michigan. This delightful town is home to Bronner’s Christmas store, the largest in the world! We will celebrate mass at the famous “Cross in the Woods” along our way to the island. Three nights on the island with lunch at the famous Grand Hotel and lots of activities for you to choose from are included in your stay. If you have seen the iconic movie, “Somewhere in Time”, you are aware that cars are not allowed on the island. You may rent horses, bikes, take a carriage ride, or simply sit and enjoy the terrific waterfront scenery.

We will complete the trip with an overnight at Thunder Bay Caribou resort where we will stay in rustic lodges and enjoy a 5-course home cooked meal paired with Michigan wines and accompanied by storytelling by the family who owns the ranch.

The trip is scheduled for *September 4-9, 2019* and is all inclusive for $1,250.00. Space is limited, but we would love to have you join us! Please contact Stephanie Honz shonz@rochester.rr.com for a brochure and more information.
Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network (RAIHN) an affiliate of Family Promise, is a not-for-profit, interfaith, culturally-competent organization that assists homeless families to achieve **sustainable independence** by supporting them with tailored services including shelter, food, personalized case management, and a diverse network of caring volunteers. Rochester is the **2nd poorest city** in the United States with more than 600 homeless individuals each night in Rochester and its suburbs, including **100 families with children**.

The St. Louis faith community has been a supporting congregation since RAIHN’S inception more than a decade ago. The mission of RAIHN Homeless Ministry is to help families get back on their feet into a stable home and job. St. Louis has about 20 dedicated parishioners that volunteer with RAIHN.

Our hosting location is the Mary Magdeline House in East Rochester, where we provide private and public space for families, safe overnight accommodations, home-cooked meals, and gracious hospitality for up to 15 families a week at a time, 3 times a year.

RAIHN has numerous volunteer opportunities ranging from greeting guests at a host location, cook or provide part of a meal, plan a children’s activity, shop for breakfast food and supplies, inflate/deflate air mattresses, drive the RAIHN van (no special license needed), maintenance, fundraising, guest mentor, office staff and much more! Information about RAIHN (and upcoming events) can be found at [www.raihn.org](http://www.raihn.org).

**“I Was Hungry And You Gave Me Food”**

Many thanks to all who brought in food last weekend, to help keep the St. Andrew’s Food Cupboard stocked. If you miss the third weekend collection, food may be left anytime for Pittsford Food Cupboard. There is a drop off drawer in the entry way near the grand piano at the front of church. There is also a bin in the Narthex near the handicap door. Contributions of non-perishable food can always be donated. Thank you!

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**About Tithing**

St. Louis Parishioners commit 10% of our Sunday envelope and online contributions to support others in need, beyond our Parish operations. Our designated weekly Tithing Recipient receives $1,000. The balance of the weekly Tithe is reserved for larger commitments of support such as refugee services provided through Saint’s Place, support of other parishes in need, our triennial Habitat House Build and emergency responses such as natural disasters. The full Tithe or 10% is distributed over the course of each fiscal year.

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**Good Friday American Red Cross Blood Drive**

Sponsored by St. Louis Parish

**April 19, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Reddington Hall Gym**

Please call 1-800-RED-CROSS to schedule an appointment. Please bring identification with you when you come to donate.

**Give the gift of life! Give blood!**
Sign up now!

St. Louis
Faith Formation
Family Event
“Walk with Jesus”

Saturday, March 30th
from 10:00-Noon

Location: St. Bernard’s School of Theology and Ministry, French Rd

This inspiring event follows Jesus through His last days on earth—and in our daily lives. “Walk with Jesus” engages both young and old alike, and is perfect for families to experience together. Each station includes powerful activities and you’ll take home special keepsakes that serve as reminders of Jesus’ tremendous sacrifice and love for you.

Register for this event at: stlouischurch.org/walk-jesus

MOVIE NIGHT

Young Adults (18-38) Movie Night:
All Young Adults are invited to meet at Regal Henrietta 18 this Friday, March 29th for the opening night 6:45pm showing of the Movie Unplanned followed by some food and sharing at a nearby restaurant.

Unplanned tells the true story of Abby Johnson who was one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation. Abby fought to enact legislation for the cause she so deeply believed in until the day she saw something she did not plan on that changed everything.

Tickets are 11 dollars each. Please e-mail Dominic at dominic.salamida@dor.org if you would like to participate or have any questions.

Upcoming youth events:
♦ Lenten school break mini-retreat
♦ Food link Service Project

Look to future bulletins for details!

Next Youth Mass:
Sunday, April 7 at 5pm

Our youth will be serving, leading the music, and other ministries!
**Lent 2019**

**{Confessions Every Saturday 3:00 - 4:15 PM}**

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*New time

**Let’s Talk!**

Have You Joined *Best Lent Ever*? Have you read *The Biggest Lie in the History of Christianity*? Maybe you’d just like to come and hear a discussion about Lent.

Join us for our next discussion night!

**When:** Thursdays, March 28 and April 11
7:00-8:00 pm

**Where:** Parish Meeting Hall

There is still time to register for Best Lent Ever at: [Stlouischurch.org/best-lent-ever](http://Stlouischurch.org/best-lent-ever)

For more information or suggestions contact Kathryn at [Kathryn.meclarney@dor.org](mailto:Kathryn.meclarney@dor.org) or 586-5675, ext. 224.
The Beatitudes create heaven here on earth. Jesus teaches us a way of living, loving and being that help us to “live life to the full”. Shaped by the Beatitudes, we learn how to welcome into our broken world the gifts of healing, wholeness and well-being. As a Christian people we are called to become a beacon of light especially for those who suffer in darkness or who lost a loved one, experience unresolved grief from past offenses or suffer from painful memories. This three-nighttime parish retreat/mission will provide tools and techniques to help each person to become a generous distributor of God’s healing mercy and love.

Monday-Wednesday Transfiguration 9am Mass with talk following

Mon: St. Louis 7pm / Tues: St. Catherine 7pm / Wed: Transfiguration 7pm
March 10th RCIA
Rite of Sending at St. Louis Church and Rite of Election at Sacred Heart Cathedral

Please continue to support our group with your prayers. Then plan to attend a beautiful Mass on Saturday, April 20th when Bishop Matano joins us to celebrate Easter Vigil here at St. Louis Church.

Vespers
Join us for Evening Prayer

When: Saturdays during Lent 5:45-6:00 p.m.
Where: Church sanctuary
What do we do in evening prayer?
We remember our day before God and ask him to forgive our sins and our faults. We give thanks that Christ has come into the world and now, as the sun sets, we pray for the redemption of the world. We take up Mary’s song of praise, the Magnificat, and we say to God, “Let it be done to me according to your word.”

The Knights of Columbus from our parish sponsored a presentation by Fr. Bob Kennedy and now are working to bring us this part of the beautiful prayer of the Church called “Liturgy of the Hours”.

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

Come and get it!!!
We’ve gathered a rich collection of resources to help you keep growing spiritually. Lent is the perfect time to dive in and see which ones are a good match for you.

These are online, so they’re available whenever you can carve out time to breathe, focus, connect with God, and grow! Try these for a start:

stlouischurch.org/lent
stlouischurch.org/resources
stlouischurch.formed.org
Compassion:
Muslim and Christian Perspectives
Both Christianity and Islam see *compassion* as an attribute of the Divine.

Come to this session to learn what that means to people of each tradition. Learn skills and you will leave a more compassionate person, which will make you a better friend. Our afternoon will be led by Kit Miller of the Gandhi Institute and her colleagues.

March 31, 2019, 3-5pm
Islamic Center of Rochester
727 Westfall Road, Roc., NY 14620

For more information, contact Nick Frega at nicholas.frega@dor.org or 585-328-3228 ext. 1287

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Night of Worship

Friday, May 3rd - 7:00pm at Guardian Angels Church,
2061 E. Henrietta Rd. Rochester, NY

An unforgettable evening of praise, preaching and Eucharistic Adoration—Led by a team from Franciscan University of Steubenville, whose charism for deep, moving workshop is known for its beauty and power!

“Steubenville conferences can be a great opportunity to build faith. These Night of Worship events sound really good.”
— James Lohrmann, CHRISTLIFE

Pre-registration - Send Each Name, Phone No., and $5 per Person to: Night of Worship, PO Box 609 Henrietta, NY
Payable to CCR of Rochester

Admission At Door - $10 per Person if Not Pre-Registered by APRIL 12

FREE ADMISSION for PRIESTS
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Please join St. Louis School as we pray the Rosary live from St. Louis Church on Wednesday, March 27 at 1:30p.m.

A link to the live stream will be available during the early afternoon of March 27 on the front page of our website: slspittsford.org under “News.”
We invite you to join us as we pray for our students, staff, and leaders, along with any special intentions.
If you can’t join us live, the recording will be available for you to pray at any time after the livestream!

Please join as we will review and plan for upcoming events this spring during Lent and also our annual Sunshine Luncheon in May.
Our meetings are brief - usually under an hour. Please consider joining our team!

For additional information, please contact Cathy Malik, Pastoral Associate for Pastoral Care at Catherine.Malik@dor.org, or call (585) 586-5675 ext. 228.

Pastoral Care Team Mtg
Thursday, March 28
9:30am
Parish Meting Hall

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