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### Announcements and Upcoming Events

TO ALL PARISHIONERS CELEBRATING IN MAY!

#### SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Receiving the Blessed Sacrament in the Eucharist is the source and summit of our Catholic faith, but during these unprecedented times and to ensure the health and safety of all people, it is not always possible or desirable to receive the Sacrament publicly during this time. However, there are still opportunities to draw close to Christ and unite with the Church during these difficult times.

We encourage all parishioners who would like to do so, to take the opportunity to receive the blessings bestowed upon us through a Spiritual Communion. Spiritual Communion is an opportunity to still be able to unite ourselves to the Sacrament. The basic elements of an Act of Spiritual Communion are an Act of Faith; an Act of Love; a desire to receive Christ; and an invitation to Him to come into your heart. Families or individuals can be encouraged to receive Spiritual Communion in the following manner.

#### **STEPS FOR A SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

- Find a quiet space
- Begin with the Sign of the Cross
- Read the daily readings. These can be found at any of the following locations:
- http://usccb.org/calendar/index.cfm?showLit=1&action=month
- MAGNIFICAT: English: www.magnificat.com/free
- Take time to reflect on the readings
- Pray the Our Father; Pray the Prayer of Spiritual Communion Conclude with the Sign of the Cross

#### Prayer of Spiritual Communion:

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You have already come, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen. (Attributed to St. Alphonsus Liguori)

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WE ARE CONTINUING OUR CELEBRATION OF PUBLIC MASSES IN COMPLIANCE WITH ARCHDIOCESAN DIRECTIVES.

THIS INVITATION IS EXTENDED TO PERSONS WHO ARE NOT COMPROMISED THROUGH VULNERABILITIES OF HEALTH. EVERYONE WHO IS ABLE TO RECEIVE IT WITH ITS RESPECTIVE COMPONENTS IS ENCOURAGED TO BE VACCINATED.

# PLEASE REVIEW THE PASTOR'S CORNER ABOUT THE LIVE-STREAMED MASS.

Rev. Arthur J. Cavitt, Pastor arthurcavitt@archstl.org

**Pastoral Staff** Deacon Stanley Peterson (Retired) Darlene Elston–Religious Education

Music Ministry Coordinators Irene Franklin, John Reed

Sacrament of Reconciliation Please see Fr. Cavitt or call the Rectory for an appointment.

Parish Center Rental and Roller Skating Call the Parish Office for details.

#### Food Pantry (Note Revised Hours)

Monday (except holidays), 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. 701 N. 18th St., **Now On Facebook** https://www.facebook.com/snfpstl/ Serving Zip Codes 63101, 63102, 63103, 63106, & 63155

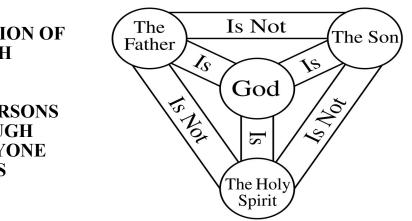
*Two forms of ID to confirm residency are necessary.* The Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program is an equal opportunity provider.

1414 N. Taylor location Tuesdays, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Serving Zip Codes 63108, 63113, 63115

## las Catholic With St. Ann Shrine

## Church

## The Most Holy Trinity



701 N. 18th Street Saint Louis, Missouri. 63103 Phone: (314) 231-2860 Fax: (314) 241-9823

Email: stnickscatholicchurch@gmail.com Web Page: www.stnickscatholicchurch.com

> Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m. Scheduled Weekday Masses Holy Days of Obligation, 12:15 p.m.

Parking available on Sundays and special events on the lot at the northwest corner of 19th and Lucas. Entrance is on 19th Street.

## St. Nicholas Catholic Chu<mark>rch</mark> Mission Statement

We, the community of believers of St. Nicholas Catholic Church are called by GOD to give living witness to the saving power of Jesus offered freely to all humanity. We are empowered by the Holy Spirit and sent into the world to recreate the face of the earth. In the light and the truth of the Gospel message, we are committed to: Grow in our faith, participate in and support our Church, to reach beyond ourselves to meet the needs of others who seek to better their lives by unashamedly living our Catholic Faith.

## **Pastor's Corner**



**Dear People of God.** 

Blessed greetings to you.

We will continue to schedule the live streaming of Mass on Sunday as long as is technically manageable for us with reasonable audio and visual clarity. Later viewing of the recording will still be anticipated to be on YouTube and the Parish Website later in the day. We ask for your continual patience as the proficiencies are being worked out.

Thank you to the crew persons who participated in the cleaning and sanitizing of the church for this weekend. For the time being, we will continue to wear masks during liturgies and will also continue our sanitation procedures.

Please continue to log on to the parish website for the electronic copy of the bulletin and or let us know your email address for forwarding a copy. If you know a parishioner who does not have electronic access, let us know the appropriate postal address and we will send a copy from that list.

We cannot force anyone to contribute but to the extent that you can, everyone is urged to continue to make financial contributions to the church in person at Mass, through on-line giving, or postal mail. Aside from being in the midst of numerous structural problems, in order to continue operating, there are still bills to be paid on a regular basis.

Please remember to stay "prayed-up" generally. Our Lady, Health of the Sick, pray for us. St. Nicholas, pray for us.

> Your pastor and brother in Christ, Fr. Art

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You are invited to submit Mass Intentions to the Parish Office or to Fr. Art for scheduling. Only one submission is accepted for each Mass. The submission should include \$10.00 for each Mass Intention. We will list them in the bulletin for that upcoming week.

Sunday, May 30

Leon Frazier and Family

### Stewardship

**Financial Summary** For Weeks of May 16 & May 23, 2021

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Source	May 16	May 23	
		\$ 732.00	
Offertory/Drop Off Mass Intentions	\$ 622.08	\$ 20.00	
Ascension	\$ 120.00	\$ 12.00	
Catholic Communications	\$ 163.00	\$ 32.00	
On-Line Giving	\$ 340.00	\$ 230.00	
Candles		\$ 3.00	
Total Offertory & Other	<u>\$ 1,245.08</u>	<u>\$ 1,029.00</u>	
Church Mail-in	\$ 760.00	\$ 1,295.00	
	<u>\$ 2,005.08</u>	<u>\$ 2,324.00</u>	
Total Parish Deposit	<u>\$ 2,005.00</u>	<u> </u>	
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10:30 a.m. Lectors: Rashonda Round			
Kellie Willis	Alice Prince	e	
Eucharistic Don Elston	Eloise Grimes		
Ministers: Bill McHugh	Sylvia Dear	nes	
Hospitality: Monica Feaman	Monica Feaman		
Judith McDuffie	Judith McE	Judith McDuffie	
	Frances W	Frances Wilkes	
Commentator: TBD	трр		
	IDD	TBD	



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Herbert Wheeler

Carole Willi



Award honoree, our parishioner Ophelia Wilson.

a week until further notice) is available at 877-435-8411 and

This information is placed here for your reference to move toward inoculation if you haven't already done so.