



St. Paul Church

July 23, 2017

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1223 Church Road
St. Paul, MO 63366
www.st-paulchurch.org
636-978-1900

Pastor

Father Gerald Blessing - ext 222

Pastoral Team

Deacon Jim Litteken 636-262-3256

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Deacon Marty Towey 636-294-2483

Deacon Bob Marischen 314-574-4483

St. Paul Parish Center

Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 4:00pm

Friday 8:00am - 2:30pm

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Fax 636-978-1400

Bulletin deadline - 1:30pm Monday

Submit to: bulletin@st-paulchurch.org

St. Paul School

Kelly Kaimann, Principal

636-978-1900, ext 230

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www.stpaulknights.org

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 7am, 9am, 11am

Daily Mass

Weekdays 7:45am

Holy Days

please consult the bulletin

Perpetual Help Devotions

after Tuesday morning Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:45pm - 5:15pm



Eucharistic Adoration

24 hours daily in the Chapel

Sacrament of Baptism

Preparation classes are held the first Wednesday of each month. Please contact the Parish Center to arrange for date and time.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the Parish Center six months in advance to make arrangements.

New to St. Paul Church?

Contact or visit the Parish Center for registration information.

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 24, 2017

7:45am - Communion Service

Tuesday, July 25, 2017

7:45am - Wesley Falter

Wednesday, July 26, 2017

7:45am - Keith Nelson

Thursday, July 27, 2017

7:45am - Ed Griesenauer

Friday, July 28, 2017

7:45am - William Heppermann

Saturday, July 29, 2017

5:30pm - Ellen Lause

Sunday, July 30, 2017

7:00am - Rose Granicke

9:00am - William & Catherine Dyer

11:00am - Our Parish Family

Lectors

July 29th and 30th

5:30pm - Teresa Boehmer

7:00am - Dorothy Wilber

9:00am - Karen Mueller

11:00am - Elliot Goldfarb

Ushers

July 29th and 30th

5:30pm - Phil Sigmund

Rich Sommer

7:00am - Bob Ell

Alan Orf

9:00am - Jim Kuester

Chris Pepper

11:00am - Jerome Mueller

Steve Box

Eucharistic Ministers

July 29th and 30th

5:30pm - Marina Chisholm

Pam Sigmund

7:00am - Debbie Mueller

Victoria Sullens

9:00am - Julie Marsek

Marilyn Pepper

11:00am - Priscilla Dehler

Trish Turner

Servers' Schedule

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Cooper Grupe

Sunday, July 30, 2017

7:00am - Ryan Bishop

Aaron Bishop

9:00am - Molly McCoy

Cole McCoy

11:00am - Josh Bauer

Zac Bauer

Monthly Cash Giveaway

Each \$50 ticket gives you 5 more chances to win \$500!! Winners are put back in the drawing each month. Additional tickets are available in the back of church and at the Parish Center.

Next drawing - August 7th

Together We're Better

07/10/17 - 07/16/17

Certificates Sold: \$ 3,785

Donations Earned: \$ 156.11

Certificates can be purchased at the Parish Center during regular business hours.

Certificates will be available at weekend Masses over the summer when volunteers are available.

07/29/17 - Diana Roettger

07/30/17 - 7am Kelly Bishop

9am Mindy Schultz

11am need volunteer

Adoration Chapel Openings

2nd, 4th & 5th Thursday 1 - 2am

3rd Saturday 2 - 3am

Can you help? Want some alone time with the Lord? If you can commit to one of the above Holy Hours, please call Virginia at 636-272-4108.

Returning God's Gifts

Offertory Contributions

	<u>07/16/17</u>	<u>Fiscal Year-to-Date</u>
Regular (week 3)	\$ 7,002	\$ 31,943
Online Giving	2,651	7,830
Holy Days	<u>0</u>	<u>20</u>
Actual total	\$ 9,653	\$ 39,793
Budget	<u>11,350</u>	<u>37,870</u>
Over (Under)	(\$ 1,697)	\$ 1,923

Special Collections

Parish Improvements	\$260
Tuition Aid	\$15
Friends for Life	\$120
Holy Father	\$10

Online Giving Program

Visit www.st-paulchurch.org to sign up. Please contact Teresa at 636-978-1900, ext 224 with any questions.

Stewardship Reflection

"The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a man who sowed good seed in his field...He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom." -

MATTHEW 13:24, 37-38

As children of God, we are all "good seeds," blessed by God with the potential to accomplish much good in the world. We fulfill God's plan when we share our talents and our financial gifts to help build God's kingdom on earth. Through our stewardship we sow "good seeds" on earth to ultimately help each other get to Heaven!

What's Happening at St. Paul Church and School

Cemetery Clean-up

First week of every month
Faded items and any items not attached to headstones will be removed.

Quilting

Quilting will begin again on September 11th. Times to be announced.

PSR Classes

Registration for 2017-18 now open! Visit the website or contact the Parish Office or Deacon Bob bmarischen@st-paulchurch.org. Parent meeting on Wednesday, August 30th.

Holy Hour for Religious Freedom, Sanctity of Marriage, Peace and for All Life

Every Thursday evening at 7pm in the chapel.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Informational meeting on Thursday, September 7th at 7pm.

Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

First Friday of each month in the chapel after the morning mass.

School Office Summer Hours:

The office will re-open on August 1st.

Church Basement Ladies at Westport Playhouse

Friday, August 4th
Showtime is 7:30pm - meet on the church lot at 6pm to carpool. Questions? Call Lori at the Parish Center 636-978-1900.

Ladies Sodality Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, August 8th
Details next week!

Saturday Evening Mass

Beginning September 2nd our Saturday evening Mass will begin at 4:30pm.



Morning/After Care Positions Available:

St. Paul School is looking for one adult and two high school students to monitor the Morning/After Care program. This could be 6-10 hours per week per person. All positions are part time. Adult hours may be 6:15am to 7:45am a couple of days a week and/or 2:45pm to 5pm. The high school student hours will be 2:45pm to 5pm two to three times per week. **If interested, please contact**

Morning/After Care Coordinator, Melissa Nelp-Buerck at 636-578-5014 or mel99plen@yahoo.com

Dates to Remember:

August 1st - Office Reopens
August 14th - New Family BBQ and PreK/Kindergarten Open House
August 16th - 1st Day of School - Grades K to 8 - noon dismissal
August 21st - Parent Orientation - 7pm in the gym
August 22nd - 1st Day of Preschool and PreK

Parish and School Website

Have you visited our parish and school website lately? The available information has been updated and more improvements are in the works!

www.st-paulchurch.org

Mark your calendars- details to follow in upcoming bulletins

PSR Parent Meeting
Wednesday, August 30th

RCIA Informational Meeting
Thursday, September 7th

Annual Outdoor Mass and Potluck Dinner
Saturday, September 9th

Quilting begins
Monday, September 11th

Parish Mission
October 15th - 17th

St. Paul Men's Retreat
March 22 - 25, 2018
White House Jesuit Retreat



Soccer and Volleyball Sign-ups are now open!

Visit spysa.siplay.com to register. Please contact Dennis Bange at 636-980-6357 or dennisbange11@gmail.com for soccer questions. Contact Michelle Allred at 636-978-3911 or mallred04@yahoo.com for volleyball questions.

All Coaches and referees must be in compliance with the Protecting God's Children Program. Details about PGC can be found on the next page of this bulletin and on the website.

Another way to keep in touch! Send an email to lwortmann@st-paulchurch.org and ask to be added to the parish email database. Receive weekly email copies of the bulletin, Father's announcements and updates on parish events.



PSR Registration 2017-18

Going on now!

Information about the program is available on the parish website, including registration forms and handbooks.

It is important that you register at this time so that class sizes are known, books can be ordered and teacher/helper needs identified.

Even if you have a need to pay later, you are still requested to register your child at this time. Any questions, please contact Deacon Bob at bmarieschen@st-paulchurch.org or the parish office.

Parent meeting on Wednesday, August 30th in the gym.

Protecting God's Children To keep our children safe, our parish complies with the Safe Environment Program. Any adult who works or volunteers with young people **must** attend a Protecting God's Children **workshop** and agree to **undergo a background check** that is updated in even numbered years. Students (High School and under) are required to sign a Student Code of Conduct.

Upcoming Workshops:

Wednesday, August 2nd - 1:30pm at St. Dominic High School

Wednesday, August 9th - 6:30pm at St. Charles Borromeo

Wednesday, August 9th - 7pm at Holy Rosary, Warrenton

Thursday, August 17th - 6:30pm at St. Cletus

Monday, August 21st - 6pm at Holy Spirit, Maryland Heights

Tuesday, August 22nd - 6:30pm at St. Paul, St. Paul

Wednesday, August 30th - 6:30pm at Sts. Joachim and Ann

Monday, September 11th - 6:30pm at Immaculate Conception,
Old Monroe

Please visit <http://archstl.org/sep> and select the "Protecting God's Children Workshop Schedule" tab to view the scheduled workshops throughout the Archdiocese or to register for one of these workshops.

You must be pre-registered to attend!

CHURCH PICNIC

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Mark your calendars - our annual Parish Picnic will be held on
Sunday, September 3, 2017.

This is our largest parish fundraiser and we need everyone's support to make it a success.

Every Tuesday - 8:00am - the "Tuesday Morning Guys" will be working at the Picnic Grounds each week, making repairs and sprucing up the grounds.

Weekend of August 5th and 6th - The worklist will be available in the back of church.

Thursday, August 31st - volunteers are needed to help wash dishes after the morning Mass.
- deadline to turn in raffle tickets for the Parishioner Incentive drawing

Saturday, September 2nd - set up

Monday, September 4th - clean up

Watch the weekly bulletin for more details and updates!

Raffle sale updates will be posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Additional tickets are available at the Parish Center and on the counter in the back of church.

Donations for the Variety Stand, Grab Bags and Ring Toss can be dropped off at the Parish Center.

To make a donation or to sponsor the Kids' Raffle, contact Michelle Vomund at 314-443-9117 or michellemvomund@gmail.com.



July is the month of the Precious Blood of Jesus. Please join us for Mass, Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 7pm on Wednesday, July 26th at Our Lady Queen of Peace Shrine, located at the corner of Emge Road and Imperial Drive in O'Fallon, MO. Let's intercede to Our Blessed Lady for peace and an end to the culture of death. Father Samson will be our celebrant. Any questions, please call Ruth at 636-978-1035. If inclement weather, (90 degrees or above) Mass will be at the Twin Oaks Chapel.

Coalition for Life St. Louis Benefit 2017

Thursday, August 3rd
6:30pm
St. Louis University Busch Student Center
Reservations required by July 31
Call 314-827-4039 or visit www.CoalitionForLife.com/Benefit2017

Friends of Birthright Run for Life and Learning - 6K Run and Walk

Saturday, August 26th
8:30am - Creve Coeur Lake
For more information, visit run4lifeandlearning.org

National NFP Awareness Week

July 23rd to 29th
To learn more about the methods that represent authentic family planning, connect with the Archdiocesan Office of Natural Family Planning at www.stlouisnfp.com.

Please contact Senator Bob Onder at 573-751-1282 or bobonder@senate.mo.gov to thank him for the good prolife bill SB5 that will be voted on this week.

Community Faith Events

Theology on Tap - St. Louis Young Adults

July 25th and August 8th - 7pm
Kirkwood Station Brewing Co.
Join young adults from across the archdiocese for engaging talks, drink specials, and great community. Call 314-792-7008 or email stlya@archstl.org with questions or for more information.

Men's ACTS Retreat

August 3rd - 6th
Sponsored by the parishes of St. Theodore and St. Joseph.
St. Paul Parishioners Jeff Sachs and Bill Hermann are on the ACTS team for this retreat. For details, please contact Bill Ryan at 314-691-1908.



Monthly Recollection for Women

Wednesday, August 2nd
7:30pm to 9:30pm
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish
A priest of Opus Dei will give two meditations and confession. For more information, please contact Mary Schlueter 314-517-1277 or Maureen Branson 314-322-9711.

Save the date - Spirit Alive Youth Conference

October 6th and 7th
High-energy weekend full of faith, fellowship and building a stronger relationship with our Lord. Early registration begins August 1st. Open to 7th-12th grade students. Contact Maria Citrowske at mtcc96@gmail.com or visit st.jojo.net/youthconference.html for more information.

A Presentation on Islam by Father Thomas Michel, SJ

Sunday, July 30th - 7pm
St. Cletus Church
Fr. Michel will speak about his many years of living in Islamic cultures and working with people of that faith. Call 636-946-6327 for more information.

Community Events

Parish Picnic and Car Show - St. Francis of Assisi, Luebbering

Sunday, July 23rd
Chicken Dinners served from noon to 5pm.

Quilts of Valor - Holy Rosary, Warrenton

Tuesday, July 25th
Lunch provided.

White Castle Night to benefit Mary Queen of Angels

Wednesday, July 26th
5pm to 8pm
At the location on Hwy K in O'Fallon, only. 15% of the proceeds of sales will be donated to Mary Queen of Angels, a prolife organization that helps mothers and their babies in our community.

Luau Trivia Night - Duchesne High School

Saturday, August 12th
Doors open at 6:30pm. Trivia begins at 7pm. Register online at www.duchesne-hs.org/trivia.

CYC Sports Summit

Saturday, July 29th
9am to 2pm at the Cardinal Rigali Center in Shrewsbury
Throughout four session and table discussions, we will dive deeper into how to integrate faith and athletics - in practices, in games and in everyday life. Speakers include Thomas Wurtz from Varsity Catholic, former MLB pitcher Bobby Keppel, Fr. McGivney High School Volleyball coach and Faith Formation Coordinator Amanda Pirih. Cost is \$10 and registration includes lunch and refreshments. Space is limited. To register, visit www.cycstl.net/summit.

Jr Crusader Basketball Tryouts

Boys and Girls - grades 4 to 8
August 28th and 30th at St. Dominic High School. Check out www.crusadersbasketball.org or call Tim Kiger at 636-379-2044.

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