

CATHEDRAL
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
APRIL 16, 2023

**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 *most weekdays*, call for availability.

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.

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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 available 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.

If you are interested in volunteering as a docent, please contact SusieIrons@cathedralstl.org

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun. Apr. 16th - Divine Mercy Sunday

8:00 a.m. Al Marmino
10:00 a.m. Eric G. Stewart
12:00 p.m. Jim & Donna Eyerlotzer
5:00 p.m. John Valene, Sr.

Mon. Apr. 17th - Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. Teresa & Francis Farrow & Family
8:00 a.m. Dennis Bader
12:05 p.m. Paul Beckerle

Tues. Apr. 18th - Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. Mary Agnes Weber
8:00 a.m. Andrew Krupp
12:05 p.m. Aretha Wise

Wed. Apr. 19th - Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. Religious Sisters of Mercy
8:00 a.m. Joseph & Kathryn Darpel
12:05 p.m. Terry & Cheryl Callahan

Thur. Apr. 20th - Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. Tom Kubat
8:00 p.m. Pamela J. Meier
12:05 p.m. Msgr. Jerome Billing

Fri. Apr. 21st - Easter Weekday

7:00 a.m. Tom Kubat
8:00 a.m. Charles E. Whitten
12:05 p.m. Walter Reyland

Sat. Apr. 22nd - Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Jeanne Marie Rueth
5:00 p.m. Joseph & Kathryn Darpel

Sun. Apr. 23rd - Third Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m. Betty Owens Ward & Family
10:00 a.m. Robert Couchman
12:00 p.m. Gerald McClenning
5:00 p.m. Lydia Elking



FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

After the solemn celebrations of Easter, we are still imbued with spiritual joy, as we carry in our hearts that Easter joy. My deepest thanks to everyone who helped to make these liturgies so beautiful this past week. Most importantly I would like to extend a word of thanks to the staff of the Cathedral for their hard work and to the volunteers who helped in many ways. In addition, there are many others who gave so much of their time including our ushers, servers, Eucharistic ministers, and those who helped to clean our church, arrange flowers, and work with those in our RCIA program. Lastly, a special word of gratitude to the choir for all their hard work, that truly assisted the faithful to enter fully into the mystery of the Triduum.

We welcomed parishioners and visitors to the Cathedral Basilica in numbers we have not seen since before the pandemic began. It was so wonderful to see the Cathedral full with people coming to worship together on Easter.

Many of you should have received a letter from me regarding the Annual Catholic Appeal, which is one way we proclaim our Faith. Whether it's feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, or providing a family the resources to help fund a Catholic education for their children, your Faith has helped the Church grow stronger, lighting up the world with faith, hope, and love.

Our parishioners have pledged so far \$78,000, which surpasses our parish goal of \$89,770. We are well on our way to meeting the challenge goal of \$224,583. Through the Appeal, we join together and make possible the Church's mission of evangelization, education, and many ministries of charity. For now, I ask you to prayerfully consider your gift to this effort of the Archdiocese of Saint Louis.

For this reason Saint John Paul II chose to call this Sunday after Easter, Divine Mercy, with a very specific image: that of Jesus' pierced side from which blood and water flowed, according to the account of an eyewitness, the Apostle John. However Jesus is now risen and the paschal Sacraments of Baptism and the Eucharist flow from him, who is alive: those who receive them with faith receive the gift of eternal life.

Monsignor Henry Breier

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ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

Seize the opportunities we're given to proclaim the power of Jesus

The week following Easter Sunday helps us enter the 'today' of the Lord

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Have you ever had a moment when time stood still — in sorrow, in joy or for any other reason? The same thing happens this week: Liturgical time stands still. Every day is treated as the day of the resurrection. Every day, the Gospel refrain is the same: "This is the day the Lord has made; let us be glad and rejoice in it" (Psalm 118:24). Every day recounts one of the resurrection episodes.

The fourth section of the Catechism is about prayer, and one of its repeated themes is the "today" of the Lord. When we enter into prayer, we enter into the "today" of the Lord — God's timing. The goal of prayer is to help our entire lives enter into the "today" of the Lord. This week is a great opportunity to practice and reflect on that — to think about how time belongs to God, and how all the time of our lives can be given more completely to God.

This week, Matthew tells us how Jesus appeared to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary and sent them with a message to the apostles. John tells us how Jesus encountered Mary Magdalene in a garden, and she went to the apostles to tell them: "I have seen the Lord." Luke tells us about Jesus' encounter with two disciples on the road to Emmaus and how they went back and told the others that they had seen the Lord. Mark gives us a summary and recap of all these events, followed by one more encounter with Jesus, who sends His disciples into the world to proclaim the Gospel.

That leads to a question: How have you encountered the risen Jesus? Perhaps you've encountered Him in confession, adoration, service, quiet moments of spontaneous prayer — or in all of those and others, each in a different way. Whatever it is, each of us needs to be able to say, along with Mary Magdalene: "I have seen the Lord."

All week long, we hear how Peter seizes the

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SERVE THE LORD
WITH GLADNESS



opportunity to proclaim what he has experienced in Jesus. On the day of Pentecost, as people are wondering what's happening, Peter proclaims the basic message of salvation in Jesus. While walking up to the Temple, Peter heals a man in the name of Jesus. When people gather to marvel at the healing, Peter explains that this has happened by the power of Jesus. When the Jewish leaders examine Peter and John about the healing and ask, "By what power or by what name have you done this?" Peter proclaims the resurrection and power of Jesus.

Notice this: Peter doesn't have to make the opening to talk about Jesus; he simply has to take the opening that's given to him. There's a great lesson for us in that! So often, when we think of evangelization, we think we have to make the opening — and we get tied up in knots trying to figure out how to do it. What we see in these episodes is that Jesus makes the opening. That means we don't have to force it. But, when the opening is given we — like Peter — we have to be ready to take it!

We've all had moments when we missed the opening. As we think more deeply about evangelization, and try to get better at it, let's pray that we will learn — like Peter — how to take the opening when it's given.

Note: This column appeared in the St. Louis Review for April 15 & 16 and may be read in the print edition or at <https://it.ly/35ejOXr>



Sacrament of Marriage

Congratulations to **Steve & Kali Howard** who were united in the Sacrament of Marriage at the Cathedral Basilica on Saturday, April 1, 2023.

Love is patient, love is kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth.

1 Corinthians 13:4-8



Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations to **Fitzgerald Edward Victor Ankey** son of **Kevin and Bridget Ankey** baptized in Christ on February 26, 2023 here at the Cathedral Basilica.

May the blessing of the Lord be always upon him, and may God watch over and cherish all children whom He has blessed with the grace of Baptism.

The Gospel of the Lord

On the evening of the first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples, were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." When he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. The disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.





APRIL 16, 2023



Men of the Cathedral March Adoration

The MEN OF THE CATHEDRAL cordially invite *all* parishioners and visitors to join them for them with Adoration of the Holy Eucharist on Tuesday, April 25th at 6 PM.

We will have just celebrated the passion, death and rising from the dead of our Lord. What a terrific way to continue to honor the ultimate sacrifice He gave to offer us salvation!

Adoration will begin promptly at 6 PM. Confessions will be heard during Adoration.

All men are invited to drinks, dinner and fellowship in Boland Hall immediately after the conclusion of Adoration. In anticipation of Cinco de Mayo, we will have a Mexican feast! A suggested donation of \$20 is appreciated.

Please consider making this prayerful evening a family event. Invite your family and friends to celebrate Christ through Adoration.

For dinner reservations, please contact Michael Weisbrod at 314.918.2893 or michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org by Monday, April 24th.

Women of the Cathedral

Women of the Cathedral– May 13, 2023

Dear Ladies of the Cathedral Parish,

Come grow in faith and fellowship with other ladies in the parish at the monthly gatherings of the Women of the Cathedral. We gather in the name of Jesus, our risen Lord and God.

At our last gathering we learned about three foundations of the spiritual life common to all the spiritual masters—identity, unworthiness, and destiny. The ladies shared how personal feelings of unworthiness have been part of their own spiritual journeys.

Our next gathering is on **Sunday, May 13, 2023**. Note: We will gather on the second Saturday of the month as there is a conflict using Boland Hall on the first Saturday our usual meeting time. We will begin with 8am Mass in the Cathedral, and then go to Boland Hall for light breakfast. After brief introductions and social time, an informative program is led by Msgr. Mikesch, our spiritual director, with closing prayer at 10am. An ongoing highlight is “Ask Msgr. Mikesch Time.”

To learn more and RSVP for breakfast, contact Barbara Murray at 314-974-6900 or email murraybj@swbell.net by May 10, 2023. Please send your questions for “Ask Msgr. Time” when you RSVP.





APRIL 16, 2023

SAINT LOUIS CATHEDRAL CONCERTS

THE TALLIS SCHOLARS

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 8:00 PM
Welcomed by Melanie & Anthony Fathman, MD



50TH ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM

ORLANDO GIBBONS *O CLAP YOUR HANDS*

THOMAS TALLIS *SUSCIPE QUAESO*

NICO MUHLY *ROUGH NOTES*

WILLIAM BYRD *TRIBUE DOMINE*

GIOVANNI PIELUIGI DA PALESTRINA *TU ES PETRUS*

JOHN RUTTER *HYMN TO THE CREATOR OF LIGHT*

NICOLAS GOMBERT *LUGEBAT DAVID*

JOSQUIN DES PREZ *ABSALON FILI MI*

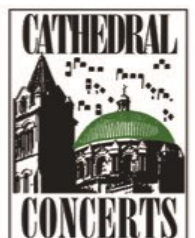
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A Thought on The Sanctity Of Life

If you or someone you know has had an abortion, be assured that it is never too late to seek God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Additionally, other confidential, compassionate help is available. Select "Find Help" from the menu on www.hopeafterabortion.org to find the diocesan Project Rachel Ministry near you.

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Bridges of Mercy for Healing after Abortion" www.usccb.org/bridges-of-mercy

What Catholics Believe



Join us at the Cathedral Basilica two Wednesdays a month, when Fr. Povis will present an in-depth theological reflection on the articles of the Apostles' Creed.

-6:30pm in Boland Hall

-50 minute presentation followed by social

-Feel free to bring food and drink

-Designed for adults, but all are welcome!

Next Session

May 3

"Suffered Under Pontius Pilate, Part II"

May 17

"Was Crucified, Died, and was Buried..."

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 April 16, 2023 through April 23, 2023

Sunday:	42: Acts 10;34a, 37-43 Ps 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23 Col: 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 Jn 20:1-9 or 41: Mt 28: 1-10
Monday:	261: Acts 2:14, 22-23 Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11 Mt 28: 8-15
Tuesday:	262: Acts 2:36-41 Ps 33: 4-5, 18-20, 22 Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday:	263: Acts 3:1-10 Ps 105:1-4, 6-9 Lk 24: 13-35
Thursday:	264 Acts 3:11-26 Ps 8:2ab, 5-9 Lk 24:35-48
Friday:	265: Acts 4:1-12 Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a Jn 21:1-14
Saturday:	266: Acts 4:13-21 Ps 118: 1, 14-15, 16-21 Mk 16:9-15
Sunday:	43: Acts 2:42-47 Ps 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24 1 Pt 1:3-9 Jn 20:19-31

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.

Linda Baldwin
Janice Bashford
Barbara Beckemeyer
Ben Janson
Jennifer Jaswal
Edwin Ayala Padilla
Pauline Price
David Washington
Dorothy Quinn
Mary Leah Kovarik

Kelvin Ayala Reyes
Mary Riley
Vivian Rachel Rossen
Resy Sanchez
Mickey Shears
Mary Anne Work
Betty Ytzaina
Sharon Kay Moore
Durie Shiebler



STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!

Divine Mercy Sunday

On Divine Mercy Sunday, April 30, 2000, Pope John Paul II canonized Saint Faustina Kowalska, and declared the Second Sunday of Easter as "Divine Mercy Sunday."

In her diary Saint Faustina wrote, "May this message radiate from this place to our beloved homeland and throughout the world. May the binding promises of the Lord Jesus be fulfilled; from here there must go forth 'the spark which will prepare the world for his final coming (cf. Diary, 1732)'."



Catholic Charities– CRSS

Cardinal Ritter Senior Services (CRSS) is a ministry of Catholic Charities that provides compassionate care for senior adults through high quality residential communities which include independent living, assisted, and skilled nursing care. CRSS also provides seniors in need who are aging at home access to extensive support services, information, and referrals.

Sundays during baseball season, CRSS is looking for volunteers to assist with Cardinals Watch Parties. Volunteers are needed to help senior residents to and from the activities room and serve snacks.

To get involved or for more information, please contact Linda Pallmann.

Let's Keep in Touch

Don't miss out on the latest parish news. Flocknotes is a fast and easy email distribution platform used by the Cathedral Basilica to keep in touch with our parishioners.

Text **CATHEDRALSTL** to 84576, logon to **cathedralstl.flocknote.com** or call the parish office to sign up today!

Anima Christi Young Adults

Anyone between the ages of 18 and 39 is invited to join in prayer and fellowship with the young adult community of the Cathedral Basilica. On **Thursday, April 20th**, we will be spending our normal Holy Hour at Carmelite Monastery (9150 Clayton Rd., St. Louis, MO, 63124). We will return to our normal schedule on April 27th with adoration at the Cathedral.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR
THE WEEKEND OF 4/8/2023-4/9/2023

Offertory	\$18,614.94
Loose	\$7,077.24
Online Giving	\$1,020.83
Cathedral Candles	\$642.50
Cathedral Landscaping	\$100.00
Holy Thursday	\$889.43
Good Friday	\$2,287.45
Easter	\$2,166.00
Priests Retirement	\$1,860.00

Weekly Thoughts on Giving

Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' John 20:19

Are you good at making people feel welcome? When you meet someone new, like a new neighbor, a new work colleague or a new parishioner, do you make them feel at home? When we make people feel welcome, we make them feel like they are included instead of being excluded. We are made for relationships – with God and each other. When you see yourself as a beloved son or daughter of God, you tend to see others the same way, too – just as God, Our Father, sees us.



LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR APRIL 22 & 23, 2023

Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers
5:00 p.m. (Sat) No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend	Phoebe del Castillo John Willard		Doug Weber	Bob Sutter Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Chris Newgent
8:00 am	Jonathan Klimpel Linda Pallmann	Klimpel, Robinson, Harper	Doug Weber Kevin Mattingly	Dave Meyer Frank Snyder
10:00 am	Rachel de Almeida Oliveira Sr. Mary Kathleen		TBD	Barb Murray Susan Metheny Jerry Danekas
12 Noon	Barb Murray Mark Burmester		TBD	Willie Stevens Vito Alu Lawanda Reason Barb Murray
5:00 pm	Mary Ann Cheng Thomas Gregory		Brak Welby	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.

Online Giving is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, or laptop, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral website (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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