

A PARISH FOR THE PEOPLE

# QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

#### November 17, 2024

#### THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN Ordinary Time

Be vigilant at all times and pray that you have the strength to stand before the Son of Man.

Mark 13:24-32

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# Parish Office Hours

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# Sacrament of Baptism

Congratulations to our recently baptized parishioner, Myla Rose Pichler, child of Andrew and Sarah Pichler, baptized in Christ on November 10, 2024 at Queen of All Saints Church.

May the blessing of the Lord be always upon her, and may God watch over and cherish her.

#### SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST SUNDAY MASS

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30 a.m., 12 Noon

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday — Friday 6:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Saturday 8:15 a.m.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the Cry Room Tuesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. in the Church Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the Cry Room

#### PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS AND BENEDICTION

Tuesday following the 8:15 am mass Benediction 7:00 pm

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday following the 6:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Masses Tuesday 6:00-7:00 pm Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 8 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Anytime please call the rectory.

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#### **MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS** Monday - November 18 Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Luke 18:35-43 John Willett (†) 6:15 a.m. \*8:15 a.m. Rob Ryan (†) **Tuesday - November 19** Revelation 3:1-6,14-22/Luke 19:1-10 6:15 a.m. Sandy Sandheinrich (†) 8:15 a.m. Bernadette Godfrey (†) Wednesday - November 20 Revelation 4:1-11/Luke 19:11-28 Rick Davis (†) 6:15 a.m. \*8:15 a.m. James Hunt (†) Thursday - November 21 - The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Revelation 5:1-10/Luke 19:41-44 6:15 a.m. John Ruzicka 8:15 a.m. Don Jones (†) Friday - November 22 - Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr Revelation 10:8-11/Luke 19:45-48 6:15 a.m. Rev. Patrick Christopher (†) \*8:15 a.m. Rev. John Deken (†) Saturday - November 23 Revelation 11:4-12/Luke 20:27-40 8:15 a.m. Janet Kimack (†) 5:00 p.m. Dennis Grainger (†)

Sunday - November 24 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

 Daniel 7:13-14/Revelation 1:5-8/John 18:33b-37

 7:30 a.m.
 Larry Palmer (†)

 9:00 a.m.
 Brooks Nave (Birthday)

 10:30 a.m.
 For the People

 12:00 Noon
 Sister Anne Marie Mack (†)

\*Children's Mass

#### **Mission Statement**

As members of Queen of All Saints Parish, we are a community united in the Catholic faith, nourished by the Eucharist, and sent to make Christ known to all through word and deed.

Sunday Mass (Live Video Mass Streaming) 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Weekday Masses (Live Video Mass Streaming) Monday—Saturday

8:15 a.m.

#### STEWARDSHIP THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory."

- Mark 13:26

We will all have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens and God asks each of us, "What have you done with the gifts I have given you?" How will you respond? The good news - it's never too late to start living a grateful and generous lifestyle.

# FROM OUR PASTOR

#### **Queen of Hearts**

The search for the Queen of Hearts continues as she remains elusive. With each passing week, we eliminate one more of her hiding places. The projected jackpot for next Tuesday's drawing is around \$66,000, which a lucky winner would split with Queen of All Saints Parish. Now is the time to join the search for the elusive lady. Purchase your tickets online at: https://www.goraisedough.com/buy/2020 or drop in at the parish office and our secretaries will be happy to assist you. Good Luck!

#### Youth Update

As I mentioned a couple of weeks ago, the effort to form a South County Regional Youth Ministry has stalled. We now go to "Plan B", which is to begin a search for a new Youth Minister to replace Anna McAndrews. This week I will meet with a representative from the Southern Vicariate Office of Youth Ministry to discuss the hiring process and set up interviews for possible candidates. As soon as a framework is established, I will invite the QAS Youth Group Core Team to participate in the process. Pray to Mary, the Queen of All the Saints, for guidance us in our search.

#### World Toilet Day????

This Tuesday, November 19, all the nations on Earth will celebrate World Toilet Day. When I first saw this in my calendar, I thought that this has got to be the stupidest thing to celebrate. Out of all the things we could celebrate, why toilets? Why not electric toothbrushes, or ceiling fans or the odd kitchen gadget that slices avocados? After I did some investigation, it turns out that World Toilet Day is actually a very serious and worthy cause. This day is meant to draw attention to the plight of billions of people who live without proper sanitation and clean water and inspire action to find simple solutions to improve the plight of people affected by the lack of things that we take for granted. The following statistics are staggering:

- 3.5 billion people still live without safely managed sanitation, including 419 million who practice open defecation. (WHO/UNICEF, 2023)
- 2.2 billion people still live without safely managed drinking water, including 115 million people who drink surface water. (WHO/UNICEF, 2023)
- 2 billion people still lack basic hygiene services, including 653 million with no facility at all. (WHO/UNICEF, 2023)
- Unsafe water, sanitation and hygiene are responsible for the deaths of around 1,000 children under five every day. (WHO, 2023)

I suppose we can go online to find more information about this day and find ways to help the cause. But the important take away is to be grateful for what we have been blessed with in this country and be more willing to help the plight of the poor no matter what the need is.

-fr mike



#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday - Nove	mber 17	
12:00 am	Life Teen Mass - Church	
1:00 pm	Baptism - Church	
7:00 pm	Life Teen - Youth Ministry Center	
Monday - Nov		
	<b>Eucharistic Adoration -</b> Cry Room	
5:45 pm	ACTS Leadership - Adult	
	Resource Center	
7:00 pm		
7:00 pm	Boy Scouts - Cafeteria	
Tuesday - Nov	ember 19	
9:00 am	<b>Eucharistic Adoration -</b> Church <b>Home Visit Meeting -</b> Adult	
6:30 pm	Home Visit Meeting - Adult	
	Resource Center	
7:00 pm		
7:00 pm	ACTS Core Team - Adult Resource	
	Center	
	Benediction - Church	
7:30 pm	Adult Faith Bible Study - Cafeteria	
Wednesday - N		
9:00 am	<b>Eucharistic Adoration -</b> Cry Room	
3:00 pm	<b>Girl Scouts Troop 747 -</b> Church Hall	
	School Chess Club - Gym	
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6:00 pm	<b>PSR Confirmation Prep -</b> Church Hall	
7:00 pm	Maintenance Committee Meeting	
1	- Rectory Basement	
7:30 pm	Boy Scouts - Cafeteria	
Thursday - No	vember 21	
•	<b>Eucharistic Adoration -</b> Cry Room	
	Heritage Luncheon - Church Hall	
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- 3:00 pm **Baton -** Gym
- 4:05 pm Volleyball Practices Gym
- 7:00 pm ACTS Team Church Hall
- 7:00 pm **Respect Life Committee -** Adult Resource Center
- 7:15 pm **Two + -** Youth Room
- 7:30 pm Celebration Singers Church

#### Friday - November 22 - No events scheduled

#### Saturday - November 23

6:30 am Men of St. Joseph - Church Hall 10:30 am Memorial Mass - Church

# **PRAY FOR THE SICK**

#### LONG TERM SICK LIST (6 MONTHS)

Loretta Borchetta Andrea Dupuis Sean Fuller Marietta Lewandowski Jason Loring Jackie McClanahan Al Nadolny Christopher Sevcik Margie Sneed Joe Thaman Karen Thaman Jen Weber Bob Zaitz

#### SHORT TERM SICK LIST (6 WEEKS)

Pam VonderHaar

#### SICK LIST CHANGES

Please contact the parish office and let us know if you would like to be on the **short term sick list** (6 weeks) or the **long term sick list** (6 months).

#### **BAPTISMAL PREPARATION**

The next baptism preparation class will be held **December 1, 2024.** This program is for all parents who are seeking baptism for their children. If you have attended a preparation program either here or at another parish, you do not need to attend again. Classes are held the first Sunday of the month in the ARC Room after the 9am Mass. Please call the parish office for registration information at 314-846-8207.

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Lester Devereux, husband of Minerva Devereux, or our parish.

Charles Bartnett or our parish.

Patricia Hubert, mother of Greg (Julie) Hubert, of our parish.

May they, and all the faithfully departed rest in peace.

# THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



# SVDP THANKSGIVING DAY DRIVE

SVDP will be sponsoring our annual Thanksgiving Day Drive. This year the focus will be on paper, hygiene products, and laundry detergent. Items such as bathroom tissue, Kleenex, paper towels, laundry detergent, dishwashing soap, shampoo, conditioner, body wash for male and female, bar soap, hand soap, deodorant for male and female, toothpaste and tooth brushes are needed. Please bring the items to mass on Thanksgiving Day.

The 4th grade PSR Students made rosaries during the month of October to celebrate the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary.







Some of our PSR and Parish School students took some fun photos to celebrate Vocation Awareness last week.



# **Advent Holy Hour**

Please join us for an hour of Advent Scripture, song, and reflection as we await the coming of our Lord at Christmas. All are invited.

# Wednesday **December 4th**

6:15-7:15 pm

Church

Queen of All Saints



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Offertory				
	Offertory 11/3/24	WeShare 11/5/24	Faith Direct 11/4/24	
Offertory	\$ 19,330.00	\$ 15,578.64	\$ 5,700.00	
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Capital Improvement	\$ 120.00	\$ 220.00	\$ 35.00	
Tuition Assistance	\$ 590.00	\$ 470.00	\$ 30.00	
Saint Vincent de Paul	\$ 1,565.00	\$ 1,345.00	\$ 271.00	
Permanent Diaconate	\$ 270.00			
World Mission	\$ 20.00			
All Saints	\$ 20.00	\$ 732.00	\$ 35.00	
All Souls	\$ 70.00		\$ 35.00	
Hurricane Relief	\$ 320.00			
Religious Retirement	\$ 735.00	\$ 1,905.00	\$ 80.00	
Human Development	\$ 30.00		\$ 40.00	
STL Review	\$ 30.00			
Regina Cleri	\$ 250.00			
Easter Offering	\$ 250.00			
Catholic University	\$ 50.00			
Seminary	\$ 250.00			
Christmas Offering	\$ 250.00			
Military Services			\$ 10.00	
Endowment Fund			\$ 10.00	
Mold Remediation			\$ 10.00	

## PREVENT AND PROTECT STL

If you are a volunteer of ANY kind or an employee (church, school, sports, etc.) at Queen of All Saints and are not yet registered in the new system for Protecting God's Children, please do so ASAP.

- 1) It is mandatory.
- 2) It is free to you.
- 3) QAS will pay for your background check.

The new system is called Prevent and Protect STL. To register, please go to <u>www.preventandprotectstl.org</u> Enter the passcode <u>stlprotect</u> when prompted. Please complete ALL of the modules to be Approved. **If you have any questions or need Step by Step instructions, please call Pam VonderHaar in the Rectory at 314-846-8207.** 



#### **CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

Please be generous in this week's special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. IN the United States, over 11% of the population lives in poverty. Through this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at **www.usccb.org/cchd.** 

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS - NOV 23 - 24

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		Presider	Lectors	Ushers
	5:00 p.m. (Sat)	Fr. Hopmeir	Anne DeRuntz Rita Holt	Debbie Millaway Mike Millaway Hal Cruthis
	7:30 a.m.	Fr. Hopmeir	Mike Altepeter Betty Fau	Ed Barron Debbie Barron JoAnn Thee
	9:00 a.m.	Fr. D'Amico	Lisa Messmer Laurie Dulle	Kevin Winkelman Liz Winkelman Volunteer
	10:30 a.m.	Fr. Murphy	Ed Murphy Sherry Murphy	Sheila Florian Julie Hubert Stephanie McKelvey
	12:00 p.m.	Fr. D'Amico	Mary Anne Jones	Linda McMullen Jackie McClanahan Carol Susanka

## NOVEMBER 17, 2024

#### BLANKETS OF HOPE - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1 - 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

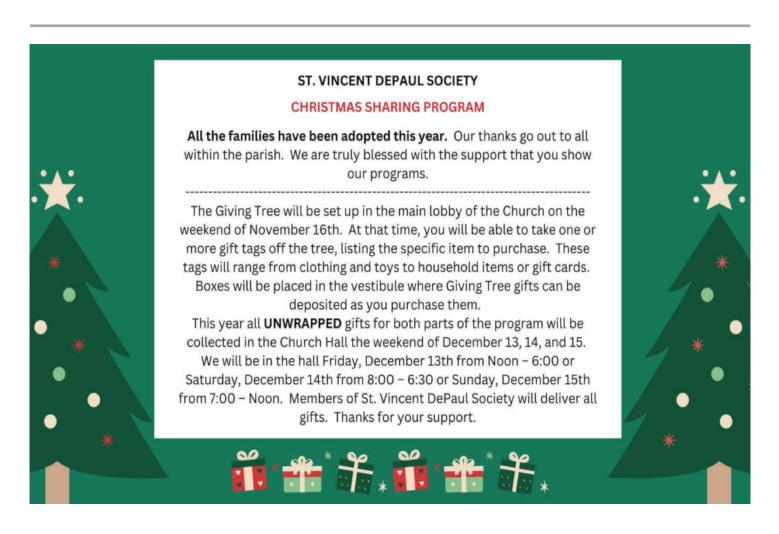
It's blanket-making time again! Where did the year go?! Before we dive into all the preparations for Christmas, let's do something to focus on the real meaning – giving hope.

Please join us on Sunday, December 1, in the QAS cafeteria. It will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. to make your blanket along with all of us. It's always a fun atmosphere and a great way to kick off the Advent season. We will also gratefully accept any new or clean, gently used blankets on this day.



To make your fleece blanket, you will need two pieces of fleece material, two yards each, along with a pair of good, sharp scissors. We will provide everything else. If you would like to make your blanket before this event and need instructions, please contact Therese Ruzicka at 314-605-4100. If you are not able to drop off your blanket on December 1, you can drop it off at the parish rectory office during normal business hours or contact Therese to drop off at her house or to have it picked up from your house.

This will be the 13<sup>th</sup> year for Blankets of Hope. During this time our parish has delivered over 1,000 of these blankets to St. Patrick's Center in downtown St. Louis where they will again be handed out to clients who are in great need. As they use these blankets to try to stay warm in the bitter cold, they will be reminded that there are people out there who love and care for them, and that will truly give them hope.



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# - What is ACTS? -

ACTS is more than an acronym referring to Adoration, Community, Theology and Service.

ACTS is more than fellowship with other men from a neighboring parish.

ACTS is soul food.

ACTS is a means of recharging your spiritual battery in a three night and three day retreat at the beautiful Mercy Conference and Retreat Center with your fellow parishioners.

• Men's Retreat Dates - February 20-23, 2025

A registration form is included in this bulletin. Copies can also be found on the tables near the side entrances and on the table nearest the center doors.

Questions or simply want to learn more? Please contact:

Mike Altepeter: 314-709-8730 Craig Messmer: 314-258-8519 Kevin Winkelman: 314-402-9186 Tim Kurt: 314-304-3480

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FEBRUARY 20-23, 2025

Held at

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Address	
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Cell Phone	
Other Phone	
Your Parish	
Your Religion	
Are you a Retreatent or Te	eam Member (Circle one)
<ul> <li>Emergency Contact</li> </ul>	

Questions: contact Mike Altepeter 314-846-8093 Kevin Winkelman 314-402-9186 Craig Messmer 314-258-2519 Tim Kurt 314-304-3480

Email

Mercy Retreat Center charges \$350. But, Queen of All Saints will pay half, so the cost to you is \$175. \$50 is due at Registration. The remainder can be paid at any time up to our departure on Thursday Feb. 20, 2025.

Please do not allow the cost to keep you from participating! Contact Fr. Murphy or Fr. D'Amico, in confidence, about scholarships.

Please check here if you wish to pay the full \$350 rather than use Parish funds.



Your Father is Merciful

# <u>Santa Shoppe 2024</u>

This fun and festive event is returning to QAS this holiday season! The kids get to Christmas shop for their family & friends while we do the wrapping!

> Tuesday, Dec. 3rd -Thursday, Dec. 5th

<u>Supplies Needed!</u> -paper gift bags (sm/med) -self-adhesive tags -Scotch tape (please send to school office)

Questions? Contact Amanda Volansky, AVolansky31@yahoo.com



# LIFE NIGHT TONIGHT Sunday, November 17, XLT at St. Francis of Assisi

We hope to see you there!

# TWO+ THIS THURSDAY Thursday, November 21, 7:15-8:45 pm in the youth room

Each Thursday we meet with the intention of growing closer to friends, while growing closer to our Lord. We spend time in prayer as well as time hanging out with peers to promote growth in our community. See you then!



Interested in coming to youth group, but not sure what to expect? Check out our Instagram:

# @qas\_ym

# American Heritage Girls Calendar Fundriaser

American Heritage Girls is pleased to announce their annual St. Louis Cardinals Calendar fundraiser!

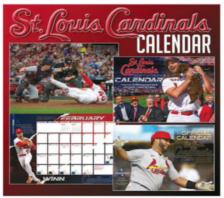
Thanks to your on-going support, hundreds of dollars are raised each year to help off-set the cost of programs for AHG families in our community.

> 2025 Calendar Cost: \$20 The troop will keep 40% of all sales!

Please scan the following QR code or use the provided link for additional details or to purchase calendars. <u>https://forms.ministryforms.net/viewForm.aspx?</u> <u>formId=a3609a55-ca0a-493f-8c81-351570ca4a87</u>

Orders must be placed before **Dec 3rd** for guaranteed delivery by Christmas.

Please feel free to contact Jaime Keeven (jaimekeeven01@gmail.com) with any questions.











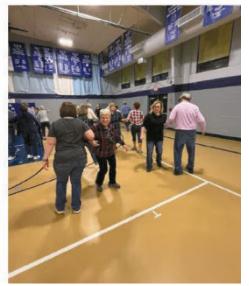




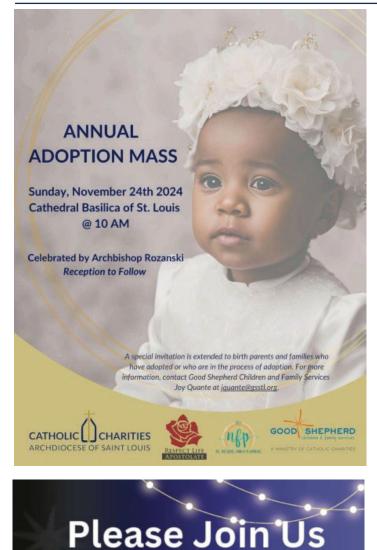
Fun was had by all at the Square Dance hosted by the ACTS community. Thanks to all who contributed by donating their time, items for the different booths and support, which made the event a success!







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DECEMBER 7, 2024 8AM - 10PM DECORATED TREES/WREATH FOR SILENT AUCTION PANCAKE BREAKFAST 8:30AM-11:30AM PHOTOS WITH SANTA 8AM-11AM LIVE MUSIC 2334 TENBROOK RD ARNOLD, MO 63010

# White House Retreat Advent Day of Prayer

White House Retreat in Oakville will be hosting a series of Advent Day of Prayer events in December. It's like a mini-retreat!

These are single-day events at White House Retreat that include Reconciliation, lunch and Mass. Plus, you'll have the opportunity to explore the beautiful 80-acre property on the bluffs over the Mississippi River!

> Check-in each day: \*Opens at 8:15 am \*First conference starts at 9:00 am \*Events conclude around 2:30 pm.

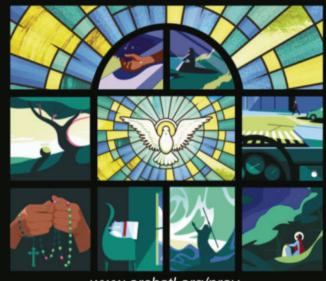
> > **Cost:** \$35 a person per event (these events fill quickly)

You can register at whitehouseretreat.org/day-of-prayer or call 314-416-6400

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