



*A PARISH FOR THE PEOPLE*

## QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC CHURCH

DECEMBER 18, 2022

### FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

The virgin shall conceive, and  
bear a son, and they shall name  
him Emmanuel.

Matthew 1:23

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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF

# Advent



DECEMBER 18, 2022

*Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son,  
and they shall name him Emmanuel,  
which means "God is with us."*

MATTHEW 1:23

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### 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.

#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesday 9:00 a.m.—7:00p.m.

#### PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS AND BENEDICTION

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday following the 6:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Masses

Tuesday 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 7:30 a.m. - 8:00 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, December 19 - Advent Weekday**

*Judges 13:2-7, 24-25/Luke 1:5-25*

**6:15 a.m.** Rob Ryan (†)

**\* 8:15 a.m.** Jonathan Taylor (†)

**Tuesday, December 20 - Advent Weekday**

*Isaiah 7:10-14/Luke 1:26-38*

**6:15 a.m.** Daniel Karpen (†)

**8:15 a.m.** Kevin Messmer (†)

**Wednesday, December 21 - St. Peter Canisius**

*Song of Songs 2:8-14/Luke 1:39-45*

**6:15 a.m.** Loretta Gacioch (†)

**\* 8:15 a.m.** Mark Pollpeter (†)

**Thursday, December 22 - Advent Weekday**

*1 Samuel 1:24-28/Luke 1:46-56*

**6:00 a.m.** Paul Pisoni (†)

**8:15 a.m.** Samuel Sagan (†)

**Friday, December 23 - St. John of Kanty**

*Malachi 3:1-4, 23-24/Luke 1:57-66*

**6:15 a.m.** Ed Kientzy, Jr. (†)

**\* 8:15 a.m.** Kathy Max (†)

**Saturday, December 24 - The Morning Mass**

*2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16/Luke 1:67-79*

**8:15 a.m.** Mark Frederickson (†)

**Vigil of Christmas**

*Isaiah 62:1-5/Acts of the Apostles 13:16-17, 22-25/Matthew 1:1-25*

**4:00 p.m.** Jonathan Taylor (†) (Church)

**4:00 p.m.** Michael Noetzel (†) (Limbach Hall)

**6:00 p.m.** Mary Reilly (†)

**Sunday, December 25- The Nativity of the Lord**

*Isaiah 9:1-6/Titus 3:4-7/Luke 2:15-20*

**Midnight** For the People

**7:30 a.m.** Dorothy Nadolny (†)

**10:00 a.m.** Lisa Berra (†)

\* Denotes 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.*

**STEWARDSHIP  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

“When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home.”

*MATTHEW 1:24*

Putting our complete trust in the Lord without expecting anything in return. Striving to put God first in all things and follow Him wherever He may lead us. Joseph was a model of these pillars of our faith. As we prepare for the birth of our Lord, pray for the strength and courage to be a model of discipleship, just as Joseph was.

## FROM OUR PASTOR



Dear Parishioners,

The Emperor of France, Napoleon Bonaparte, was reviewing his troops in Paris when, in giving an order, he thoughtlessly dropped the bridle upon his horse's neck. The animal instantly set off at a gallop, and the Emperor was obliged to cling to the saddle, holding on for dear life.

So many soldiers were present and all of them looked on with a combination of shock and confusion - all but one. Just one soldier moved to help, a new recruit, a lowly private. He alone anticipated where the horse was going and courageously he stepped into the horse's way. With skill he seized the bridle and brought the horse to a stop. Humbly and respectfully, he handed the bridle to the Emperor.

"Much obliged to you, Captain," said Napoleon, instantly making the new recruit an officer. Overwhelmed, yet appreciative of the Emperor's meaning, the young man saluted, and asked, "Of which regiment, sire?" Napoleon, still in a gracious mood, responded, "Of my guards." The Emperor then continued his inspection.

The new Captain laid down his gun, and rather than return to his own unit, confidently marched toward a group of officers. Shocked at the boldness of one wearing the uniform of a private, a General ordered him to halt and firmly inquired of the soldier, "Just what do you think you're doing here?" The answer came, "I am the Captain of the Guards." The General chuckled, "Are you mad? Are you sick? Do you expect me to believe you?" The new Captain only pointed at Emperor Napoleon. "He told me I was." The General looked at the Emperor, who nodded approvingly, and then begged the Captain's pardon. The Emperor's word was enough.

It has been said, if we thus took God at his word, how different our world would be.

A different life than what he expected was waiting for Joseph when he woke up from his dream. That planned wedding with its lengthy reception? - that wasn't happening now. That quiet life in Nazareth with his beautiful young bride? Not yet. That hope of fathering children and raising them? Yes, but God's Son, not yours. Everything for Joseph changed in a hurry.

Not, however, his trust in God. Not his belief that God's plans were best and that God's will must be done. Uncertainty surrounded Joseph, "what the heck is happening here?" But he would remain faithful. A nod of approval from the angel of the Lord was all it took. Joseph would take Mary into his home and our world is different because he did.

Being, as the Gospel tells us, a righteous man, Joseph already was aware of God's great love before he went to bed that night. That God's love would embrace him in an entirely unexpected way was not in his plans, but Joseph would certainly rely on that love as he obeyed the angel's order. God's love will do that to people.

A boy once found a turtle and he wanted to examine the creature closely. As he began, the turtle pulled in his head and closed its shell like a vice. The boy was frustrated and he picked up a screwdriver to try and open the shell.

The boy's father saw this and remarked, "No, that's not what you do. In fact, if you keep using that screwdriver you may hurt, or worse, kill the turtle."

The man took the turtle from his son and asked the boy to follow him inside. Once in the house, he placed the turtle near the fireplace. It took only a few minutes for the warmth of the fire to force the turtle to push out his head, stretch out his legs and begin to crawl. "Turtles are like that," said the father, "and people too. You can't force them into anything. But if you first warm them up with special love, more than likely they will do what you want them to do."

This Fourth week of Advent is our time to be aware of the nodding approval of God, who calls us to imitate the obedience of St. Joseph. This is our time to appreciate the beauty and warmth present in the Christ Child, who summons us to follow him. May the beauty of that love inspire us to do what the Lord wants us to do.

May God bless all of you,

**Fr. Hambrough**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**SUNDAY: December 18**

7:15 p.m. **Life Teen -**  
Youth Ministry Center

**MONDAY: December 19**

3:00 p.m. **Girl Scout Mtg Troop 1173 -**  
Church Hall

4:00 p.m. **Basketball practices -**  
Limbach Hall

6:30 p.m. **School Board Mtg -**  
Makerspace

7:00 p.m. **Endow - ARC**  
(Adult Resource Center)  
Cafeteria

7:00 p.m. **Boy Scouts - Cafeteria**

**TUESDAY: December 20**

9:00 a.m. **Eucharistic Adoration -**  
Church

4:00 p.m. **Basketball practices -**  
Limbach Hall

7:00 p.m. **QAS ACTS Women's Meeting -**  
Cafeteria

7:00 p.m. **Devotions - Church**

7:00 p.m. **SVDP Holy Couponers -**  
School basement

**WEDNESDAY: December 21**

7:00 p.m. **Men's ACTS Meeting -**  
Church Hall

7:00 p.m. **Maintenance Meeting -**  
Rectory basement

8:00 p.m. **CYC Basketball Practice -**  
Limbach Hall

**THURSDAY: December 22**

4:00 p.m. **Basketball practices -**  
Limbach Hall

6:30 p.m. **Celebration Singers Practice -**  
Church

7:00 p.m. **LUX - Youth Ministry Center**

8:00 p.m. **Spirit Singers practice -**  
Church

**FRIDAY: December 23 - No events scheduled**

**SATURDAY: December 24**

6:30 a.m. **Men of St. Joseph -**  
Church Hall

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**



**Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.**

Here God dwells in our midst;  
come let us adore!

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Mary Ann Amato

Rebecca Barczewski

Bob Basse

Pat Basse

Debbie Bayless

Susan Beckner

Loretta Borchetta

Wendy Brown

Lynda Burke

Jerry Claywell

John Courtios

Patti Cruthis

Gloria J. Davis

Ron Dieckmann

Bobbi Donze

Ron Donze

Norma Esker

Carol Faust

Delores Fleischmann

Ruth Frahm

Jane Gacioch

Jerry Garrett

Pauline Green

Ken Hagemann

Nancy Hasenstab

Diane Jones

Pat Keller

Shirley Kennedy

Bill Kerbler

Nicole Koenig

Steve Kohner

Connie Laux

Loretta Lewandowski

Noah Leyza

Jason Loring

Michael Maniaci

Robert Massey

Missy McMullen

Jerome McNamara

Amy Meadows

Gary Meadows

Annie (Pozzo) Meahl

Carmen Molett

Greg Mueller

Kelly Mueller

Marie Murphy

David Murrell

Rosemary Nagy

Mary Beth Napoli

Marilyn Novak

Ruby O'Driscoll

Helga Ogent

Jack Pfeffer

Cynthia Pozzo

Kathleen Pozzo

Neri Prichard

Charles Puff

Gerri Rebman

Diane Romano

Don Sammelman

Marilyn Sammelman

Judy Schellhase

Patricia Schmitt

Logan Schneider

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Christmas 2022

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I wish you, your families, and your loved ones joyful greetings at this special time of year!

This past year has been a year of consultation and unceasing prayer as we continue in this journey to make All Things New in the Archdiocese of St. Louis. This strategic pastoral planning process is about revitalizing our parishes and ministries, and providing a more vibrant future for Catholic communities throughout the Archdiocese.

This Christmas, I ask you to pray for vocations and for all our priests and seminarians. I also ask you to be generous in your donation to the Christmas collection at your parish, which helps ensure that our seminarians receive the education and formation they need to grow closer to Christ each day. Your support is a source of inspiration for the seminarians and helps to build up the Church in St. Louis. Together, we can encourage our future priests to walk the path of holiness as they seek to configure their hearts to the Heart of Jesus Christ.

I look forward to celebrating the joy of the Christmas season with all of the faithful of the Archdiocese. Please be assured of my prayers for you during the season of Christmas.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mitchell T. Rozanski'.

Most Reverend Mitchell T. Rozanski  
Archbishop of St. Louis



### FIRST RECONCILIATION

Congratulations to our 66 second graders from our PSR class and day school who recently made their First Confession.

### PRAYER STUDY GROUP

A new study group will meet on Wednesday, January 11th at 9 am in the church hall and will meet on the second Wednesday for the following four months. We will be studying "No Greater Love" a Biblical walk through Christ's Passion. The cost of the workbook and book is \$26.95 plus S&H & Tax. The cost of the DVD will be divided up among the total number of participants.

If you are interested contact Jackie McClanahan at [jackiemccclanahan12@gmail.com](mailto:jackiemccclanahan12@gmail.com) or 314-392-3430.

A DVD showing of the first session will be provided on December 14th at 10:30 am in church hall.

### ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION UNIFORM RETURN

The last scheduled Uniform Return date is scheduled for Tuesday, December 20th from 5:30-8pm. Please bring the uniforms to the lower level under the concession stand.

**Christmas Mass Times**

Christmas Eve	Christmas Day
4:00 p.m. - Church	12:00 a.m. Midnight - Church
4:00 p.m. - Limbach Hall	7:30 a.m. - Church
6:00 p.m. - Church	10:00 a.m. - Church*

\*This Mass will be livestreamed at [qasstl.org](http://qasstl.org)

### PSR REMINDER

No PSR classes on December 21st and December 28th. Classes resume on Wednesday, January 4th.

### BULLETIN DEADLINE CHANGES

Due to the upcoming holidays, the deadlines for the bulletins have changed.

The bulletin for the weekend of December 25, 2022 was due on **Wednesday, December 14th at 10:00am.**

The bulletin for the weekend of January 1, 2023 is due on **Wednesday, December 21st at 10:00am.**

Please email your information to [queenparish@qasstl.org](mailto:queenparish@qasstl.org).

### REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Baseball, Softball and T-Ball registration is now open and will end January 31st. No late registrations will be accepted. Children in Pre-K - 8th grade can sign-up to play. The season starts the week after Easter on April 11th and goes through the end of June.

To sign up go to:

<http://www.qasaa.org/sports/baseball-softball/registration>

Grab some friends and sign up today!

## PUBLIC ROSARY RALLY

**Solemnity of Mary  
The Holy Mother of God**

**NEW YEARS DAY**



**JANUARY 1**

**12:00 pm**

**Monastery of St. Clare**

(On Telegraph Road near Monument)

Join us on NEW YEARS DAY at NOON to pray the Rosary to honor the most Blessed Virgin Mary on the Solemnity of the Holy Mother of God. It is right, and pleasing to Her Divine Son, to show our love for Her to the whole world on this day!!

MARY ANNE JONES . 314-971-5742

## Confession Schedule



Prepare your heart for  
Christmas by celebrating  
the Sacrament of Confession

### **Tuesday, December 20**

- Immediately following the 6:15 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Masses
- from 6 - 7 p.m. in the evening

### **Friday, December 23**

- from 6 - 7 p.m.

### **Tuesday, December 27 - no confessions**

- The regularly scheduled confession time from 6 - 7 p.m. is canceled.

**P - Pray (daily)**

**E - Eucharist (often)**

**A - Adoration (once a week)**

**C - Confession (regularly)**

**E - Embrace the will of God (always)**

**Merry  
Christmas!**

**Parish Office  
Closed**

**December 26th -  
January 2nd**



**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. The next three **IN-PERSON** weekend experiences are listed below. Sign up now! For more information or to apply, go to: [wwme.org](http://wwme.org) or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

**2/3 - 2/5/23 Courtyard Marriott, St. Peters, MO**  
**3/17-3/19/23 Villa Maria Retreat Center,**  
**Springfield, IL**

**World Marriage Day – Save the Date!**

On Sunday, February 12, 2023, at 2:30 pm., Auxiliary Bishop Mark S. Rivituso will celebrate a Mass for World Marriage Day at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis, 4431 Lindell Blvd. St. Louis, MO. A reception will follow in Boland Hall. All married couples are invited to attend and celebrate the gift of marriage. World Marriage Day honors husband and wife as the foundation of the family – the basic unit of society. It emphasizes the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy of daily married life. World Marriage Day started in Baton Rouge, LA in 1981 and was later adopted by Worldwide Marriage Encounter who now is sponsoring this event on February 12<sup>th</sup>.



**DYNAMIC CATHOLIC, *ALIVE!***  
**BETROTHAL OF MARY AND JOSEPH**

Was Mary really an “unwed mother”? As Matthew makes clear in today’s Gospel, the answer is clearly no - Mary and Joseph were really “betrothed,” she was his wife, and Joseph was really contemplating divorce. Marriage customs were such that the last stage of marriage was that the betrothed came together to live as husband and wife. The Annunciation and the Incarnation of Jesus take place *after* betrothal but *before* they lived together. What would you have done if you were Joseph?

(CCC 437, 488, 1846)

**WASHING MACHINE NEEDED**

SVDP Society has another request for a slightly used washing machine. Please contact the parish office if you can help, 314-846-8207.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Rock Steady Boxing STL-Fenton is a not for profit exercise program for Parkinson’s Patients. Volunteers are needed to assist the “Boxers” as they work through the exercise circuits.

Contact Mary LeGrand at 314-406-3678 for more information.

**COVENANT NETWORK - CATHOLIC RADIO**

Covenant Network Catholic Radio fills the airwaves with inspirational and educational programming that will fill your heart and mind to welcome the Christ Child at Christmas.

Listen to Catholic radio on KHOJ 1460 AM or 96.7 FM. You can also listen anytime on our Covenant Network App or at [OurCatholicRadio.org](http://OurCatholicRadio.org).

**MEALS PROGRAM AT STS. PETER & PAUL**

The Meals Program at Sts. Peter & Paul serves the homeless and needy from the 2nd through the 21st of each month. We currently have 2 days a month needing coverage. This service includes preparing and serving the meal to those in need. For more information please contact Rachel Schoenberger at 314-231-9923 or [office@stspeterandpaulstl.org](mailto:office@stspeterandpaulstl.org).

**ALL THINGS NEW - PROVIDING FEEDBACK**

More than 30,000 people participated in the 329 Listening Sessions that took place across 10 counties and in the City of St. Louis. Every draft model option in every planning area is now posted and public. All are invited to take a closer look & share feedback through the online survey by visiting <https://allthingsnew.archstl.org/Planning-Process/Planning-Areas>.

All of the survey feedback is being individually reviewed as it is received by a team comprised of individuals from the *All Things New* team, The Archdiocesan Pastoral Council, & Catholic Leadership Institute.



## BASKETBALL OFFICIALS AND SCOREKEEPERS NEEDED

If your teen is interested in becoming a basketball official or scorekeeper this season please contact Rob Gerber at [RobGerber@Kenrick.edu](mailto:RobGerber@Kenrick.edu)



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The weekly collection remains absolutely essential to our parish operations. As we gather for Mass, please continue to give via WeShare or Faith Direct or by bringing or mailing your contribution to the Parish Office. Please use the slot in the door. Thank you for your generosity.

To donate through WeShare, on your computer:

- go to [qasstl.org/giving](http://qasstl.org/giving)
- Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on the small church that says Give Online
- Complete your information

If you have any questions or need help, contact WeShare at 1-877-316-0260.

You can return any time to edit your donation or to review your financial records.

## ADULT FAITH FORMATION - ONLINE

If you have been looking for a way to teach your teens and young adults the riches of the Catholic Faith then look no further.

**FORMED** is an online site that has movies and documentaries which present the richness and profundity of the Catholic Faith in a lively and entertaining way.

Access to **FORMED** is easy:

- Go online to [formed.org](http://formed.org)
- Type in access code 87b3dc
- Register your name, address, etc.



## LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA

Religious CD's available for purchase in KIOSK in the main vestibule of Church. New additions have been added.

## 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

[www.preventandprotectstl.org](http://www.preventandprotectstl.org)

Enter the passcode stlprotect when prompted. Please complete ALL of the modules to be Approved.

**Step by step instructions are located on last page of today's bulletin.**

Please contact Pam VonderHaar at [vonderhaarp@qasstl.org](mailto:vonderhaarp@qasstl.org) or 314-846-8207 for assistance.



This year, the Variety Guild is launching **#RebuildTheGuild** in an effort to help us bounce back after COVID. WE NEED YOU!

**Rebuild The Guild** is an active campaign to bring new support and life into The Queen of All Saints Variety Guild. The Variety Guild has performed shows at our parish for 40 years, raising money for the parish, school, youth group and various charities. It continues to build community support, fulfills our parish mission and greatly entertains our audiences with fun, laughter, and a memorable live theater experience. Our Rebuild the Guild campaign goal is to round out our membership and fill needed positions to once again strengthen our organization and present our next year's show with the gust and glory of its reputation in the QAS theatrical history. And we'd love to have you join us!

We are sure there's a place for **YOU** to join in and meet local parishioners and neighbors and be a part of a community-based live theater experience. No experience is necessary, and all are welcome (must be 18 years of age by 01/01/2023). Here are just a few of the areas you can participate in: singing, dancing, acting, stage manager, light and sound crew, scenery and props, stage crew, costumes, marketing and advertising, hair and makeup, helping with setup and takedown, or just being apart of our fun and lively organization, supporting the mission to raise money for the parish and community using our God-given talents.

We'd love to talk to you more and answer any questions you might have. Please contact **Elizabeth Knecht** at **314-719-7891**, or **VarietyGuildQAS@gmail.com**.



## Have You Heard?

**GOD IS DOING SOMETHING  
NEW—AND HE IS CALLING  
YOU TO BE A PART OF IT!**

We are in the midst of a National Eucharistic Revival. Why? Because the Church needs healing, and the world needs Jesus. The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith—the Eucharist.

Scan the code to learn more about the exciting journey ahead, and sign up for weekly updates on what's happening in this unprecedented national movement!

[eucharisticrevival.org](http://eucharisticrevival.org)





## QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS

Youth Ministry

### LIFE NIGHT TONIGHT

**Sunday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:15-8:45pm in the youth room**

We will be wrapping up our series on Advent tonight! Join us as we continue to prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus.

### CHRISTMAS PARTY TONIGHT

**Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:15-8:45pm in the youth room**

Our annual Christmas Party is tonight! We will be playing games, decorating cookies, and hanging out before we go on Christmas break. Bring a very small gift (\$5 or less) for someone else to receive.

### 8TH GRADE MINISTRY

**EDGE Cafe - Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:15-7:45am in the youth room**

Every Monday, 8th graders are invited to the youth room for donuts and to break open next Sunday's Gospel. This will be our last meeting of the semester. Hope to see you there!



*In place of the March for Life this year, we will be attending a Generation Life Youth Rally on Friday, January 20th. It will be a day of prayer, community, and diving deeper into what it means to be pro-life post-Roe V. Wade with youth groups around the archdiocese. Our Knights of Columbus generously covered our costs, so the event is free for our teens. If you are or know a high schooler interested in attending with us, reach out to Anna Hackett at [hacketta@qasstl.org](mailto:hacketta@qasstl.org).*

*Interested in coming to youth group but not sure what to expect? Check out our Instagram: [@qas\\_ym!](https://www.instagram.com/qas_ym/)*



Do you have a couple of hours to help enrich someone's daily life?

Is it time to learn something new?

**Nazareth Living Center, a senior care campus,  
is looking for Adult Volunteers to:**

- Work in our Gift Shop
- Assist our wheelchair users to our on-site chapel for Sunday mass
- Resident companion in our Memory Care
- Accompany our "house dog" Sandy on her residents visits

**\*We provide training for all positions\***

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To learn more about ACTS, please visit...  
[www.actsmission.org](http://www.actsmission.org)  
[www.stlouis-acts.org](http://www.stlouis-acts.org)

The ACTS (*Adoration, Community, Theology, Service*) retreat movement began in San Antonio, Texas, in 1997 and came to St. Louis in the early 2000's. It is now thriving in over 25 parishes with new ones joining every day. The ACTS weekend *inspires, encourages, challenges*, and so much more. It is put on by lay men and women for lay men and women with support from our parish priest. Take a *leap of faith*, put yourself in the hands of others. Enjoy some quality time away from your busy life and with Jesus, and *embrace the journey. You will be glad you did!*

Queen of All Saints men and women over the age of 21 are invited to our upcoming ACTS Retreat Weekends. This retreat offers the opportunity to get closer to our God, strengthen your faith and build lasting friendships among members of the parish community.

The retreat begins on **Thursday with check-in at 6:00pm at the Queen of All Saints Church**. Transportation will be provided to and from the retreat center. The retreat concludes at the 10:30am Sunday mass at Queen of All Saints Church. A lunch reception will follow. Approximately 7-10 days prior to the retreat, you will receive information describing what to bring with you for the weekend.

**RETREATANT:** A deposit of **\$50** is requested to reserve your place with the remaining **\$100** due at check-in. To register, please return your registration and deposit to the parish office. Please note: Financial difficulties should not prevent anyone from attending this retreat. If you wish to confidentially inquire about a scholarship, please contact Fr. Hambrough at 314-846-8207.

## Men's ACTS Retreat

February 23-26, 2023

Mercy Retreat Center  
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Men's retreat lead by

**Joe Brockhaus** -- Director 314-591-4040  
**Mike Redd**, Co-Director 314-223-6924

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January 12-15, 2023

Mercy Retreat Center  
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