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# ST. LOUIS PARISH, CUSTAR


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### Parish Office Hours:

Mon., Wed., Thurs. 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

### Parish Staff:

Pastor - Fr. Walter Tuscano, SAC

Parish Secretary – Linda Boyle

Bookkeeper - Sue Stokes

Parish Nurse - Joyce Walker, R.N.

Music Coordinator- Jennifer Tussing

Finance - Dennis Schwab

Pastoral Council- Joyce Walker (Secretary)

Cemetery Board – Robert Boyle (President)

School Advisory – Lindsay Tussing

Altar Rosary Society - Julie Lause (419-601-3319)

Mission Coordinator - Mary Jane Flowers

Religious Education & Youth Group Facilitators -

Joyce Walker (419-494-4813)

Prayer Hotline – Dianne Hoile (419-669-2504)



**Established 1864**

***Mission:** We, the members of St. Louis Catholic Church, come together under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, to promote the mission of Jesus Christ. We encourage and support the development of the sacramental life of each member in our communities through liturgical, education, social and service activities. The stewardship of our time, our talents and our treasures expresses the continuous accountability to God and the shared responsibility to each other, to our communities and to the world.*

## St. Louis School ♦ Established 1875

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### School Staff:

Superintendent- Fr. Walter Tuscano

Principal- Jennifer Tussing

Secretary- Kim Bonner

Custodian- Tim Schroeder

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
Today we celebrate the feast of the Revelation of our Lord to the gentiles. The three kings reading the sign of the star believed that a King has been born. They set out in search of the newborn king and when they found him, they worshipped him.

The King – God the Son, was revealed to the Magi in the form of an infant baby. Our Lord and King is revealed to us at every Eucharist under the veil of bread and wine. Do I believe that the ordinary bread and wine become truly the body and blood of Jesus at Mass? Do I worship the King present under the species of bread and wine?

As we begin this new year 2021 let us pray for the gift of Faith that we may be able to see Jesus present in our life under the veil of so many people, places, and situations. Let us pray that the challenges and difficulties of the year 2020 are behind us and the year 2021 may be filled with God's blessings of health and well-being. Wish you a bright, Happy and Prosperous New year 2021!

Fr. Walter Tuscano, sac  
Pastor

### Update on Fund Raiser

We have received \$61,174.25 toward Boilers, Church Building and Church roof project. Our goal is \$213,917.00. If you have not donated yet, prayerfully consider making donation towards this project.

### New Parish Email

We have a new email id for parish – stlcustar@gmail.com

### Prayer Chain Update

We will be updating our Prayer Chain during **January**. Please sign up in the back of church or contact the church office. Please update your phone numbers. It costs nothing to pray for the intention of our parish family. "Faith in Action"

### Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday @ 09.30 am School Mass  
Wednesday @ 09.00 am.

### Church Visitation

The church will be open Monday-Friday from 8:30 to 3:30 for private visitation.

### Online Mass

On Sundays we have a Facebook live mass at 09.30 am on **St. Louis Parish Custar** Facebook page

### Henry County Right to Life

This year marks the 48th year of legalized abortion on demand in our country. Now more than ever we need your help! It is important for each person with a conscience for life and every church and organization that supports life to make their voices heard.

The Henry County Right to Life will be sponsoring a pro-life signature ad in the Defiance Crescent and the Napoleon Northwest Signal on Jan. 22 - the anniversary of the infamous Roe vs. Wade decision. There is a sign up sheet on the table in the back of church with a red box to put your donation in and they are asking for a \$3-\$5 donation to cover the cost of the ad.

**School fund drive:** As of Dec 15 we have received an additional \$4410 which makes the total \$28,591.00. Thank you for your continued support.

- St. Louis School Advisory Board

**New Envelopes- 2021** Envelopes are in the narthex on the table. Please pick them up at your convenience. Thanks!!

### Knights of Columbus

Our next Knights of Columbus meeting will be on Tuesday **January 5, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** in St. Patrick's parish hall.

### Tootsie Roll Drive

Our Knights of Columbus will be selling Tootsie Roll candies after the Masses. The funds raised will be used to help people with intellectual disabilities. A case of Tootsie Roll's cost \$40 and a box is only \$7, you can also get 5 for \$1. Please help our K of C to support this worthy cause.

**300 Club Update**

Here are the winners for 12/29/2020

- #050 Pat Imm - \$100
- #051 Dan Hoile- \$200
- #052 Sue Hoile- \$100

**Please keep in your prayers:**

Fr. Paul, Gwen Maas, Phil Kramp, Charles Stein, Jim, Carolyn Souvenir, Tom Cass, Ron Trumbull, Richard & Kay Pickens, Herman Wensink, Oliver John Wilhelm, Brenda Cavanaugh Spence, Dan Smith, Fiona Bartley, Tricia Gerken, Sr. Joyce Hoile, Stefanie Rich, Dodi Tussing, Betty Wilhelm, Bob Boyer, Thomas Hermiller, Jim Flowers, Breckin Maas, Isabella Sweeney, Josh Vandergriff,

**Prayers Update:** It is the new year and I would like to update our prayer list. If you know of someone to add or would like to remove, please contact the office. Thanks!!!

**Office Hours –**

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday  
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Mass Attendance**

December 25, 2020	149
December 27, 2020	74

**Parish Stewardship**

Offering Envelopes	\$ 1585.00
Loose	\$ 210.00
School Fund	\$ 10.00
Christmas	\$ 5598.00
Imm. Conception	\$ 20.00

**Scriptures for January 03, 2021**

- Isiah 60: 1-6
- Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
- Matthew 2:1-12

**A Family Perspective**

The Magi in today's gospel were led to Jesus by a star. Who are the stars your children follow? Don't let it be the tabloid stars. Resolve in this New Year to be the guiding star in the life of your children.

**Religious Education/CCD**

The classes are after Mass from 10:30 until 11:45. They include K through 8<sup>th</sup> grade and High School Youth Group. Classes resume on January 03, 2021.

**Annunciation Radio**

"Listen to your 8 a.m. Sunday Mass at EWTN on Annunciation Radio." Your source for prayer, news, inspiration, updates, and daily Mass at WNOC 89.7 FM for Toledo/Bowling Green area. You can also listen at [www.AnnunciationRadio.com](http://www.AnnunciationRadio.com). More information can be found by calling 1-877-275-8098. Annunciation Radio is a local listener-supported station!

**\*SNOW EMERGENCIES**

In case of level 3 snow emergency all events scheduled at the church and school will be cancelled. Catholics are encouraged to participate in Holy Mass via tv, radio, or internet, making a spiritual Communion.

**Does your marriage need a tune up? Or even a major overhaul?**

**Sometimes a marriage can run along fine and then things change. They may need your time and attention.**

Sometimes lines of communication break down and they need repair. Sometimes our focus moves away from our marriage and family and needs a little redirection. Sometimes a fair or average marriage is just not enough. Have you ever thought to yourself, "How can I make my marriage better?" If so, Retrouvaille can help. Retrouvaille is marriage program for couples whose marriage has become off course. It begins with a weekend program that can help get your relationship back on track. It is an effective program that has worked for thousands of couples and it can work for your marriage. Our next weekend in this area will be January 22-24, 2019.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT REGISTRATION TEAM: JEFF AND ROBYN@ 419-481-1116 OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE: [HELPOURMARRIAGE.COM](http://HELPOURMARRIAGE.COM)



## MASS SCHEDULE

Sun. Jan. 03	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	Mary Lue Stein, Linda Kramp, Ronald Stein, Larry Ickes, Deceased members of the Stan & Dortha Ickes Family
Mon. Jan. 04	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	<b>School Mass</b>
Tues. Jan. 05	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Wed. Jan.06	St. Louis	9.00 a.m.	
Thur. Jan. 07	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Sat. Jan. 09	St. Patrick	4:30 pm	
Sun. Jan. 10	St. Patrick	7:30 & 11:30 a.m.	
Sun. Jan. 10	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	Rita Goris, Judy, Frank & Ruth Goris

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS – January 10, 2021

**Ministers of Holy Communion**      **Sun:**

**Lector**      **Sun.:** Jan Cavanaugh

**Servers**      **Sun:** Liz Tussing

**Offertory**      **Sun.:**

**Hospitality**      **Sun:**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 03. 2020	Have a Great Week!!!
Jan. 03. 2021	CCD Classes 10:30 a.m. until 11:45 a.m.
Jan. 04, 2021	School Resumes