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### Parish Office Hours:

Mon., Wed., Thurs. 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

### Parish Staff:

Pastor - Fr. Walter Tuscano, SAC  
Deacon – David Krempeck  
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 Facilitator -  
Joyce Walker (419-494-4813)




**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-Stacey Graham  
Custodian- Tim Schroeder

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. “King” is a word we do not normally use to describe Jesus because we associate the word “king” with power and majesty and Jesus did not display power or majesty. Jesus avoided all shows of earthly power and authority.

Jesus is a king because he has a kingdom, but his kingdom is totally at odds with any display of power. Jesus kept company with tax collectors, sinners, and prostitutes, so much so that the authorities described Jesus as “a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners.” (Luke 7:34)

Jesus was not the kingly type according to our understanding of king; he is a powerless king!

In the Gospel today (Luke 23:35-43), we see Jesus sitting on the most unusual throne of the cross. “King of the Jews” was written over it. But that moment of pain and humiliation was passing, and then Jesus assumed his throne at the right of his Father. This can teach us something: to bring about the kingdom of God we may have to abandon what the world considers important and even be prepared to be ridiculed as Jesus was on the cross. It was not easy for Jesus to begin establishing his kingdom with values at odds to those of the world—it cost him his life. It is not easy for the Church now trying to establish the kingdom of Jesus in a society growing daily more secular. But for those who die to themselves, who truly open themselves to Jesus, the reward is a share in Jesus’ kingdom: “Indeed I promise you, today, you will be with me in paradise.” (Luke 23:43)

Rev. Walter Tuscano, SAC  
Pastor

### **Thanksgiving Mass**

We will be having a Thanksgiving Eve Mass on November 23 at 7:00 p.m. Come and thank the Lord for the many blessings you have received throughout the year.

### **Thanksgiving Blessing**

We are accepting food and toiletries for Thanksgiving this year. Please put them in the back of church, or you may make a donation in an envelope marked “Thanksgiving Food.” Thank you!

**2023 Envelopes-** available on the table in the Narthex.

### **Cemetery Note**

Winter is coming and if you have any summer or fall decorations you want to keep, please remove them by December 01 before the wind blows them away!!! Any winter decoration is more than welcome!!!!

### **Formed.org**

Diving into the beauty of the Faith has never been easier: at home, on the go, or from any internet connected device. Discover thousands of books, audio talks, movies, documentaries, and studies... there is something for every member of the family to help them grow closer to Christ and His Church.

**Go to FORMED.org/signup**  
**Enter your zip code (43522) or St. Patrick Church, Providence**  
**Enter your name and email**

### **Religious Education**

November classes are 6, 13, 20 with no class on November 27.

### **R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:)**

Do you or a family member or friend have questions about the Catholic Faith. R.C.I.A may help in providing instruction on the Catholic beliefs, rituals and teachings. You may consider becoming catholic and answering or responding to God’s call. Regardless we welcome you to learn about the Catholic faith. Please contact us at St. Louis Parish 419-669-1864 if you have questions or would like further information.

### **Little Blue Books**

Little Blue Books for the Advent Season are available on the table in the Narthex. Please

pickup a copy. Great preparation for the Christmas Season.

**Knights of Columbus Invite**

Knights of Columbus Council #17333 invites all children of St. Patrick and St Louis Parishes to participate in a Keep Christ in CHRISTmas poster contest. Children will need to draw a picture (on 11 x 17 sheet of paper provided) representing the true meaning of Christmas (the light of Christ and the spirit of giving). Open to all children in grades 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> of both parishes. The grand prize winner will win a \$50 Amazon gift card plus a chance to be entered into a drawing across all Knights of Columbus Councils in Northwest Ohio to have your poster displayed on a local billboard. 2<sup>nd</sup> place will receive a \$30 Amazon Gift Card and 3<sup>rd</sup> place a \$20 Amazon gift card. Entry forms and the 11 x 17 paper can be picked up in the back of church. Please attach your entry form to your final poster and drop it off in the poster contest box located in the Narthex by November 27, 2022. Question please contact Kenny Schank at (567) 278-1030. Good Luck.

**Breakfast With Santa**

Mark your calendars!! The K of C will conduct a Breakfast With Santa at St. Patrick’s on Sunday, December 18 from 8:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m. Menu (eggs, sausage and pancakes: coffee and milk). Free will donation. Picture opportunities for children with Santa will be available (be sure to bring your own camera).

**Church Visitation**

The church will be open from 8:00 to 5:00 Monday-Friday for private visitation.

**300 Club**

300 Club Drawing winners are: #220 Josh Flowers – McClure \$100 #221 Don Seibert – Jerry City \$200 #222 Morgan DeSmith – Custar \$100 Congratulations!! There are still 20 tickets available! On Sale at the Church Office or after Mass!!

**Please keep in your prayers:** Jan Cavanaugh, Nancy Wensink, Ron Tolles, Jim Wagner, Kendyll Hoile, Aiden & Erin Callahan, Gwenn Maas, Oliver John Wilhelm, Brenda

Cavanaugh Spence, Sr. Joyce Hoile, Thomas Hermiller, Tricia Gerken, Breckin Maas, Erica Reimer, Richard Vandergriff, Frank “Macy” Costilla, Presley Speakman,

**Annual Catholic Appeal**

Donations to the ACA help support various ministries the Diocese undertakes. Please help reach our goal of \$9236.00. Donations so far \$4567.50.

**Support Our Retired Priests**

Please consider a donation to Perpetuate Your Gift that benefits our retired diocesan priests and your Parish. Once a priest retires, he is responsible for his own personal expenses: medical, housing, car, clothing and food. All funds contributed between September 18, 2022 and December 31, 3022 help reduce the amount the parish contributes to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate The Gift, P.O. Box 954, Toledo, OH 43697. Envelopes are attached to your bulletin or can be found on the table in the Narthex.

**Office Hours**

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday  
10:00 to 2:00 Closed Nov. 23 & 24

**Mass Attendance**

November 13, 2022 146

**Parish Stewardship**

Offering Envelopes	\$1490.00
Loose	\$ 55.00
Fuel	\$ 50.00
School Fund Drive	\$ 90.00
All Saints	\$ 30.00
Cemetery	\$ 462.00

**A Family Perspective**

Today’s gospel reminds us the Kingdom of Heaven is not like Disney’s Magic Kingdom. Admission to Christ’s Kingdom is paid with the currency of acceptance, forgiveness, attention to the poor and love of one’s enemy.

**Sunday Readings**

2 Sm 5:1-3  
Col 1:12-20  
Lk 23:35-43

**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**

**November 20, 2022**

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sun. Nov. 20	St. Louis	9:00 a.m.	Emil & Dolores Goris, Dan Smith, Edie Johann, Bob & Arlene Boyer, Living & Deceased of the Albert Wilhelm Fm.
Mon. Nov. 21	St. Louis	9:00 a.m.	
Tues. Nov 22	St. Patrick	8:30a.m.	
Wed. Nov. 23	St. Louis	7:00 p.m.	<b>Thanksgiving Mass</b>
Thur. Nov. 24	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Sat. Nov. 26	St. Patrick	4:30 p.m.	
Sun. Nov. 27	St. Patrick	7:15 & 10:30 a.m.	
Sun. Nov. 27	St. Louis	9:00 a.m.	Harry Pfeifer, Jim, Mary Lue & Ron Stein, Linda Kramp, John Feehan, Paul Bowers, Living & Deceased of Walter Wilhelm Fm., & Lawrence Diem Fm.

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS November 27, 2022

<b>Ministers of Holy Communion</b>	<b>Sun:</b> Deacon Dave, Stacey Graham, Cathy Hanna, Dianne Hoile, Julie Lause
<b>Lector</b>	<b>Sun.:</b> Chuck Hoile
<b>Servers</b>	<b>Sun:</b> Zack Koenig, Cate Tussing, Peyson Wilhelm
<b>Offertory</b>	<b>Sun:</b> Bob & Linda Boyle

## UPCOMING EVENTS

November 20, 2022	Have a Great Week!
November 23, 2022	Thanksgiving Eve Mass 7:00 P.M.
November 24, 2022	<b>HAPPY THANKSGIVING</b>
December 02, 2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration
December 03, 2022	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday Adoration

