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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

Sacrament of Reconciliation in Lent

Saturday, 03/20 - 09.00 am and 10.30 am.

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Ash Wednesday: On Wednesday, February 17 we begin a new liturgical season – Season of Lent. This is a 40 day period of fasting, prayer and alms giving. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting for those between the ages of 18 to 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence from meat.

Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule

St. Louis, Custar @ 09.30 am

St. Patrick, Providence @ 12 Noon and 07.00 pm.

Stations of the Cross

St. Louis Friday @ 02.45 pm. with school children

St. Patrick Friday @ 07.00 pm.

Update on Fund Raiser

We have received \$73,494.25 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.

2021-2022 Preschool Registration

Registered members of St. Louis Parish and St. Louis Staff will have the opportunity to enroll their child(ren) for the upcoming school year February 1 thru February 14. Please call the school office for more information 419-669-1875.

Annual Catholic Appeal

A letter from Bishop Thomas was sent out asking for your gift and/or pledge to support the ministries of the Diocese of Toledo. This letter gives all registered parishioners an opportunity to contribute to the Appeal, especially those who are unable to attend Mass. The Appeal will be successful if every member of our parish carefully considers their circumstances and truly strives to give a

significant gift. Please give prayerful consideration to your level of support to help fund the essential ministries and services supported by the Appeal. Envelopes are in the pews.

Donuts

Donuts are Back! February 28th our Famous Cake Donuts will be available to Grab and Go in the back of church after mass till 11:30 a.m.. You can also pick up your Grab and Go donuts after 9:30 a.m. at the school basement door. All donations will be put toward current church repair projects.

Baked steak & Chicken Dinner

Save the date, save the date: Baked Steak and chicken dinner, Saturday, March 27, drive through only!! If the date sounds familiar, it is also the Reverse Raffle!! Dinner and a show, and you could win the big money. Get your tickets for the Raffle and we'll fix dinner! More info to follow!!

2021 St. Louis School Reverse Raffle

This year's Reverse Raffle will be held Saturday, March 27. After speaking with Nazareth Hall about the current guidelines that are in place for Covid-19, we unfortunately will not be able to hold the event in person. We will once again be having the raffle on Facebook LIVE like we did last year. Steve Powell will be the emcee for the evening. The raffle will begin at 7pm. Tickets cost \$50 and will go on sale beginning this weekend after Mass. Tickets will also be available by calling the church rectory (419)669-1864 or the school office (419)669-1875. There will be no silent auction this year. Additional cash prizes have been added to our raffle to give you a better chance of winning since we cannot hold this event in person.

Thank you so much for your continued support!
~St. Louis PTAA Cathy Hanna, Katie Mahlman, Abby Lang, Luann Flowers, Jennifer Tussing

Little Black Books

Our little black Lenten reflection books are available on the table in the Narthex. Pick up

a book and enjoy spending a few extra moments with the Lord in prayer.

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

New Envelopes- 2021

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

Please keep in your prayers

Brenda Wagner, Gwenn Maas, Oliver John Wilhelm, Brenda Cavanaugh Spence, Fiona Bartley, Sr. Joyce Hoile, Stefanie Rich, Betty Wilhelm, Bob Boyer, Thomas Hermiller,

**On the first Sunday of every month the prayer list will be reset with names that have contacted the office for that month. Contact our Parish Office @419-669-1864

Office Hours –

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday
10 a.m. to 2 p.m. **Closed Feb. 15**

Mass Attendance

February 07, 2021 75

Parish Stewardship

Offering Envelopes	\$ 2450.00
Loose	\$ 60.00
Fuel	\$ 230.00
1 st Offering	\$ 10.00
School	\$ 260.00
Latin America	\$ 15.00
Central Europe	\$ 10.00

Scriptures for February 14, 2021

Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46
1 Corinthians 10:31—11:1
Mark 1:40--45

A Family Perspective

Family life is about decisions. The leper in today’s gospel knew this when he said to Jesus. “If you will, you can make me clean.: Jesus knew this when he said, “I do will it.” Love is not an emotion. It is a decision to be with and for another person in “good times and bad,” even when we don’t feel like it.

Religious Education/CCD

The classes are after Mass from 10:30 until 11:45. Classes every Sunday in February.

Countdown to Confirmation

As a role of our parish, let us remember in prayer our three candidates for confirmation, their families and sponsors. With prayers may they have a deeper reflection on their faith journey these coming weeks. Those preparing for the sacrament are Maya Lirot, daughter of Jeff and Josie Lirot, Clare Tussing daughter of Jennifer and Patrick Tussing and our adult confirmand, Michael Graham, husband of Stacey Graham. May the Holy Spirit enlighten and strengthen them. They will be confirmed on March 7th.

Feed Your Soul with Prayer this Lent!

Nothing will transform your life so completely, absolutely, and forever like really learning how to pray. That’s why this year’s BEST LENT EVER journeys through Matthew Kelly’s latest book, *I Heard God Laugh: A Practical Guide to Life’s Essential Daily Habit*.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday and continuing through all forty days of Lent, you will receive a daily email with a short video to help you reconnect with yourself and your God.

If you choose to throw yourself into this experience, we promise you that you will be surprised by what God can do in your life with just an email, a short video and an open heart. So this year, don’t just sign up for BEST LENT EVER, have your best lent ever! <https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent/best-lent-ever.html>

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 14, 2021

MASS SCHEDULE

Sun. Jan. 24	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	John & Dolores Schneider, Joanne Rader, Judy, Frank & Ruth Goris, Deceased members of the Albert & Jean Wilhelm Family
Mon. Jan. 25	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	School Mass- Tom & Caroline McCurdy
Tues. Jan. 26	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Wed. Jan. 27	St. Louis	9.00 a.m.	
Thur. Jan. 28	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Sat. Jan. 30	St. Patrick	4:30 pm	
Sun. Jan. 31	St. Patrick	7:30 & 11:30 a.m.	
Sun. Jan. 31	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	Robert Kempf, Richard Wilhelm

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – January 31, 2021

Ministers of Holy Communion **Sun:**

Lector **Sun.:** Cathy Hanna

Servers **Sun:** Amy Flowers

Offertory **Sun.:**

Hospitality **Sun:**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 24. 2021	Have a Great Week!!!
Jan. 24. 2021	CCD Classes 10:30 a.m. until 11:45 a.m.
Jan. 31, 2021	NO CCD Classes
Feb. 05, 2021	1 st Friday Adoration 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Feb. 06, 2021	1 st Saturday devotion 8:30 a.m.