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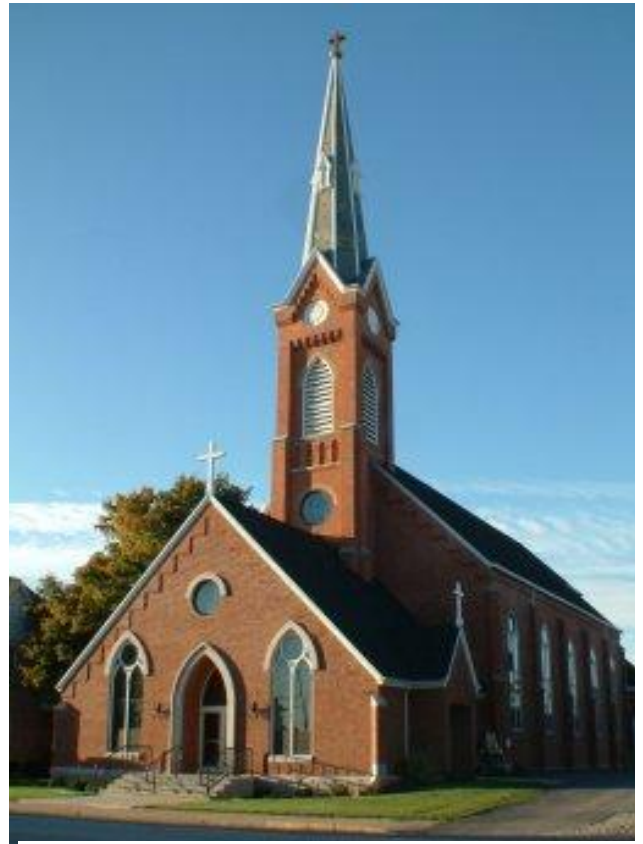
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**Parish Office Hours:**  
Mon., Wed., Thurs. 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

### 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 - Katie Mahlman  
Altar Rosary Society - Julie Lause (419-601-3319)  
Mission Coordinator - Mary Jane Flowers  
Religious Education & Youth Group Facilitators -  
Luann Flowers & Joyce Walker  
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,

I am pleased to inform you that the Parish Finance Council in its recent meeting has approved the following works to be executed during this summer.

1. **Flat roof over the school:** The school roof needs to be replaced at some point but the flat roof needs to be replaced immediately as water leaks down in the office from this portion of the roof.
2. **Repair and installation of a new façade at the school Entrance:** As some of you have noticed that the bricks at the entrance of the school are loose and we have been called out by the health department. We have begun the work to fix this issue.

The estimated cost for both these projects is \$38000.00. we are not going to do the fund raiser for these projects. We are going to use the money from our general checking.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for supporting our Church and the School. God Bless!

Fr. Walter Tuscano, SAC  
Pastor

### **Update on return to school**

we are planning to return to school on a normal schedule, with students in school 5 days a week for all K -6 grade students. We will be following the guidelines from the CDC, along with working closely with our local health department and the Governor's orders. Students and staff will be using masks and classrooms will be set up, practicing social distancing. The teachers will continue meeting throughout the upcoming weeks in making plans to meet the suggested guidelines. While we know that we cannot eliminate all risk, we will make every effort to make sure we do our very best in providing a safe and healthy environment at school. **Our first day of school for students K-6 will be Tuesday, September 8.**

### **2020 Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)**

This year our parish goal is \$ 6500.00. We have raised \$ 3440.00. Which is about 53% of our goal. Every gift above our goal will be used in our parish. I want to appeal everyone to help us reach the ACA goal. Thank You! Envelopes are available on the table in the Narthex.

### **Chicken BBQ TODAY!!!!**

You are invited to the St Louis Parish Annual Chicken BBQ! It will be held Sunday, August 2 from 11am until gone. The menu will consist of a BBQ chicken half, homemade noodles, mashed potatoes & gravy, coleslaw, cucumbers and a homemade cutout cookie. It will be drive thru only for a free-will donation.

### **How it will work:**

The Milton Township Fire Department will make their famous BBQ chicken and the sides will be made with minimal help to reduce exposure. Cars will pull in by the rectory and loop around the church and school to line up. You will let workers know how many meals you would like and give your donation. Boxed meals are all the same and will include all your festival favorites. Your meals will be loaded into the back seat/trunk of your car and all workers will be wearing masks for your protection. Please invite your family and friends to support our church and enjoy an awesome meal!

### **Online Mass**

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

### **Weekday Mass Schedule**

Our Weekday masses are on Monday and Wednesday at 08.30 am. If you are able, I want to invite you to participate in our weekday Masses.

### **Reminder**

If you haven't donated to the Silent Festival, there is still time. All is appreciated!!

**Thank you**

We would like to thank the members of St. Louis Parish for all the prayers and support that Erica received during her recovery. She is getting stronger every day and is slowly returning to her normal, pre-trauma life.

Rex & Nicki Reimer

**COMING SOON - St. Louis School ONLINE Silent Auction Number 2!**

We usually have our Silent Auction in conjunction with our Reverse Raffle, but as you know COVID-19 changed our plans and we held our raffle drawing on Facebook Live. BUT...we still have a lot of great items to be auctioned off for the school!

The St Louis School PTAA will be hosting our 2nd of 3 Online Silent Auctions throughout the summer. It will be held July 30-August 2.

How it works:

Items will be posted on July 30 at 6:00 PM. Bidding will be done by leaving your bid in the comments section (Min. \$1 increments). Items will be on display in the back of church on Sunday, August 2. If you would like to bid, but are not on Facebook, you may contact a PTAA member (Luann Flowers, Katie Mahlman, Cathy Hanna or Sarah Schroeder) to bid for you.

The Silent Auction will close at 6:00 PM on Sunday, August 2. Whoever has the highest bid posted at that time will be the winner!

Winners will be contacted to arrange for payment and pickup of their items.

**Thank you**

A big thank you goes out to the Pat & Jennie Tussing family for all the mulching, weed pulling and miscellaneous work at the cemetery and around the school, church and rectory. It is greatly appreciated!! God bless!!

**Please keep in your prayers**

Charles Stein, Carolyn Souvenier, 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, Roger Wilhelm

**Office Hours –**

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

**Mass Attendance**

July 26 64

**Parish Stewardship**

Offering Envelopes	\$2345.00
Loose	\$ -0-
Fuel	\$ 10.00
School Scholarship	\$ 30.00

**Scriptures for August 02, 2020**

Isiah 55:1-3

Romans 8:35, 37-39

Matthew 14:13-21

**A Family Perspective**

The apostles were just being practical when they asked Jesus to “dismiss the crowds to go buy food.” Jesus knew there is always enough when we place our trust in the Father, even with juts 5 loaves and fishes. Trust is the bridge to miracles.

**Knights of Columbus**

Our monthly Knights of Columbus meetings are scheduled for the First Tuesday of every month in the Parish Hall at St. Pat’s. The next meeting is August 04.

**First Friday Eucharistic Adoration**

12 Hours of Adoration at St. Louis Parish is the First Friday of each month 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. Stop by for a few minutes to spend some quiet time in prayer, silence, and reflection. Bring your favorite prayers, a list of things you would like to talk about withy the Lord, or read sections from a book in the lending library. We take time to visit family and friends. Take some time to visit with the Lord in His home. If you are available to spend an hour throughout the day, there is a sign up sheet in the back of church with available times or feel free to come anytime. The next Adoration will be **August 7, 2020.**

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**August 02, 2020**

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sun. Aug. 02	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	St. Louis School Fund Drive Donors
Mon. Aug. 03	St. Louis	8:30 a.m.	
Tues. Aug. 04	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Wed. Aug. 05	St. Louis	8:30 a.m.	
Thur. Aug. 06	St. Patrick	8:30 a.m.	
Sat. Aug. 08	St. Patrick	4:30 pm	
Sun. Aug. 09	St. Patrick	7:30 & 11:30 a.m.	
Sun. Aug. 09	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.	Francis & Rosella Flowers and the Deceased members of the Albert & Jean Wilhelm Fm.

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS – August 09, 2020

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

**Lector**      **Sun.:** Margaret Feehan

**Servers**      **Sun:** Amy Flowers

**Offertory**      **Sun.:**

**Hospitality**      **Sun:**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug. 02, 2020

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Aug. 07, 2020

Have a Great Week!!!

Chicken BBQ Dinner 11:00 till gone

1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.