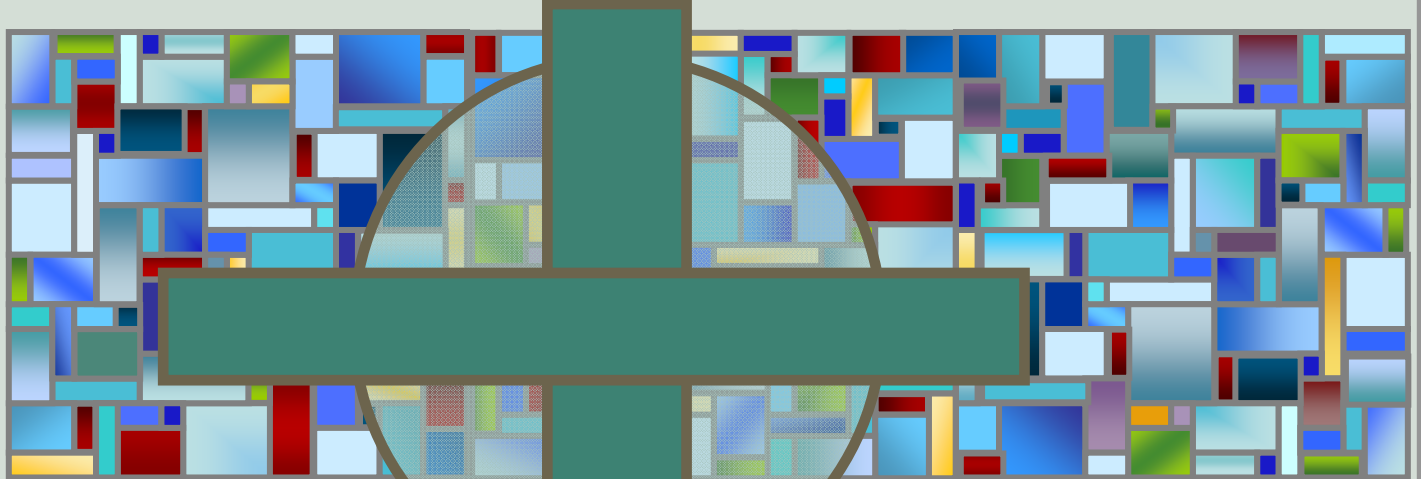


Our Lady of Providence Parish



Schedule of Services

Mass

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday

8:30 AM, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Monday 7:30 AM

Tuesday 7:30 AM

Wednesday 8:00 AM

Thursday 7:30 AM

Friday 7:30 AM

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Friday, December 7 at 7:00 PM

Saturday, December 8 at 9:00 AM

Rosary follows 7:30 AM Mass

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 PM



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November 25, 2018
Christ the King

Guided by the Word of God and the redeeming love shown for us by Jesus, our parish is committed to the Providential Care of God and the Patronage of Mary, Our Lady of Divine Providence, through prayer, worship the Sacraments and joyful service to the needs of others. - OLP Mission Statement



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STEWARDSHIP

"Jesus answered, 'My kingdom does not belong to this world.'"

JOHN 18:36

How often do we put all our time and energy into building a kingdom here on earth, forgetting that life here is short? The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time and energy do we invest in working for that eternal kingdom?

Liturgical Schedule

LECTORS

SAT 12/1/18 4:30 PM Mueth

SUN 12/2/18

8:30 AM Amelotti
11:00 AM Conboy

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT 12/1/18

4:30 PM 1st SAT Allen

SUN 12/2/18

8:30 AM 1st SUN Vegeldesang
11:00 AM 1st SUN Modde

Pope Francis Prayer for Peace
Lord, come to our aid.
Grant us peace, teach us peace,
Guide our steps in the ways of peace.
Instill in our hearts the courage
to take steps to achieve peace.
Give us the strength daily
to be instruments of peace;
Enable us to see everyone who crosses
Our path as our brother or sister
Keep alive within us the flame of hope.
Renew our hearts and minds,
So that the word which brings us together
Will be "brother". Amen

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Week Ending 11/11/18

Envelope Collection \$ 7,667

Electronic Giving \$ 5,361

Week Total \$ 13,028

Month Total \$ 34,355

68% Monthly Budget Collected

November 18 will be published
December 2

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Visit our parish website
OLPSTL.ORG
and get started today!*

SERVERS

SAT 12/1/18 4:30 PM M. Altobella
A. Beckett

SUN 12/2/18 8:30 AM A. Beffa
C. Mitchell

11:00 AM J. Buttice
B. Buttice
M. Blanke

5:30 PM M. Krobath
N. Millar

FRI 12/7/18 7:00 PM
Holy Day Vigil M. Parsley
P. Parsley

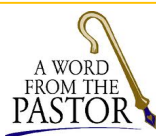
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SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING

For almost a century now the Church brings the liturgical year to its conclusion with the Solemnity of Christ the King.

The Sunday Lectionary, utilizing the three-year cycle of readings offers us, over the course of the cycle, three distinct portraits of the kingship of Jesus. From Matthew: the final judgment, from Luke the crucified Messiah, and today from John, in the trial before Pontius Pilate, the kingship that does not belong to this world. Jesus' kingship discloses the challenge to the Church to evangelize the world with an invitation to prepare for a kingship that bears very little relationship to our experience of life in this world. In the Book of Revelation, John sees a "new heaven and a new earth". All that has come before has dissolved into a new experience of God received in covenantal love. Our challenge is to live in the present moment, enlightened by the Gospel of Jesus with a look toward that kingdom which will certainly come to us in the final days.

ADVENT IS UPON US

Next Sunday will begin a new liturgical year with the season of Advent. The Sunday Lectionary will walk us through the Gospel of Luke, who has the most to say about the beginnings of Jesus as he walked upon the earth. Luke is the gospel of mercy and compassion, Luke is the gospel of universal message to announce the salvation of God to all the nations of the earth. Advent is the liturgical season of proximate preparation for the Church's annual celebration of the Incarnation of the Son of God at Christmas. A cultural celebration to be sure, and ever so much more than that! From the prophets of the Old Testament and John the Baptist in the New Testament their words serve to "PREPARE YE the way of the Lord!" In part this preparation invites us to deeper contemplation of the prophets, personal preparation for Christmas by repentance and the use of the sacraments to reacquaint us to He who comes among us as the Word-made-flesh.

Once again this year I will be providing many opportunities to make use of the Sacrament of Penance. I have planned approximately 20 extra hours to make Penance available both on Saturdays and during the evenings. Please consult the bulletin each week for the available times as Christmas draws near.

MASS SCHEDULES DURING DECEMBER

Coming up soon, on Saturday, December 8 we honor the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is always a holy day of obligation in the United States because this feast is the patronal feast of our nation. Because of the proximity to the Sunday celebration of the Second Sunday of Advent (Dec 9) the Mass schedule for Immaculate Conception will be: Friday December 7 at 7 pm and Saturday December 8 at 9 am.

For clarification the evening Mass at 4:30 pm on December 8 will be a celebration of the 2nd Sunday of Advent (and **NOT** the Immaculate Conception). And the answer to your question is...**YES!** There is a separate Mass obligation for the Immaculate Conception and another obligation for the 2nd Sunday of Advent. No "double-dipping" allowed!

LITANY OF SAINTS

November 24 honors the company of the Vietnamese Martyrs, St. Andrew Dung-Lac and his 117 companions. Martyrs over an extensive period of persecution in the mid-1800s, these martyrs represent 96 Vietnamese and some 21 bishops, priests, religious, and lay martyrs in a particularly brutal attempt to eliminate the growth of the faith in eastern Asia. Their faith and courage inspire the 21st century Church to endure in their own times of suffering. Saint Andrew & companions, pray for us!

Father Rick Schilli

Mass Intentions



Monday, November 26
7:30 am
Eileen Otti

Tuesday, November 27
7:30 am
All Souls

Wednesday, November 28
8:00 am
Michael & Joanne Cronin

Thursday, November 29
7:30 am
Mary Wehner

Friday, November 30
7:30 am
Jackie Smith

Saturday, December 1
4:30 pm
Bob Isenmann

Sunday, December 2
8:30 am
People of the Parish

11:00 am
Janet Sue Wilson

5:30 pm
Jackie Smith

Pray for an end to
the *gun* violence in
our city, our coun-
try, and the world.

Meetings

Friendly Visitors—2nd Friday 8:15 am
Green Thumbs—2nd Saturday 9 am
St. Louis Life Teen —Thursday 7 - 9 pm at
Bishop DuBourg High School
www.saintlouislifeteen.org
Men's Club—3rd Thursday 7 pm
ProLife Committee—3rd Monday 7:30 pm
St. Vincent DePaul—1st & 3rd
Monday 7 pm
Women's League—1st Thursday 7 pm
YAA—2nd Thursday 7:30 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

Scheduled on the 2nd Sunday of the
month at 12:00 p.m. or at a Mass by
request. No Baptisms are scheduled
during Lent. Call the Rectory for ar-
rangements and to schedule the prepa-
ration class.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements are to be made through
the pastor or a priest at least six months
prior to your wedding date. A marriage
preparation program is a requirement
of the Archdiocese.

Sick Calls & Anointing of the Sick

Call the Rectory to request a hospital
visit or for communion to the sick or
homebound. If you are in the hospital
and want a visit, or your name added to
the prayer list, please notify the Recto-
ry.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

For un-baptized or baptized persons
interested in learning more about the
Catholic faith and the process of be-
coming a full member of the Catholic
Church. Please call 843-3570.

The bulletin deadline is
Tuesday at noon.

Please submit via email:
ladyprov@olpstl.org

This Week in Our Parish

Monday, November 26

Boot Camp	6:00 AM	Gym
Women's Prayer Group	9:30 AM	Duggan Room
Divine Mercy Chaplet	7:00 PM	Church
Rosary	7:30 PM	Church
Adult Volleyball and Basketball		Gym

Tuesday, November 27

Quilters	9:00 AM	Rectory Basement
First Reconciliation		Church

Wednesday, November 28

Boot Camp	6:00 AM	Gym
Adult Choir	6:30 PM	Church

Thursday, November 29

Friday, November 30

Boot Camp	6:00 AM	Gym
Church Cleaning	8:00 AM	Church

Saturday, December 1

Sunday, December 2

Eleven O'clock Music Rehearsal	10:15 AM	Church
Children's Liturgy of the Word	11:00 AM	Providence Room
Tiger Scouts	4:30 PM	Tiger Scouts
Boy Scouts	6:30 PM	Duggan Room



Providential Care and Enduring Love

Thank you to all parishion-
ers who have completed
and submitted your Commitment
Card to the church. As a reminder,
all commitments need to be submit-
ted to the church no later than Sun-
day, December 9 in order to be ac-
counted for in the final Summary
Report. Please complete and sub-
mit your card to the church even if
you are unable to make a change to
your current level of giving. *For
those registered parishioners not
currently supporting the church with
regular offertory gifts, please consid-
er a monthly gift to support the
needs of our parish.*



Mary and Spiritual Motherhood for Priests

presented by:

Fr. John McCusker, O.S.B.

St. Louis Abbey / St. Anselm Parish
530 S. Mason Rd.,
Creve Coeur, MO 63141

All **Women** are invited on the Solemnity of

The Immaculate Conception

Saturday, December 8, 2018

9:00 am Mass in the Abbey Church with the
Benedictine Community
10:15 am - 12:30 pm Spiritual Motherhood Program in
the Parish Centre Lower Level with refreshments, Talk,
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and
prayers for priests, Priest Adoption Ceremony and
Benediction.
Free, but please REGISTER by DECEMBER 3 -
Online www.stlspiritualmotherhoodforpriests.com,
Email smfpstl@gmail.com, or Call 314-275-0890.
-Sponsored by the Apostolate of Spiritual Motherhood
for the Sanctification of Priests in the Archdiocese of
St. Louis.

AN EVENING FOR THE DIVORCED & SEPARATED: FINDING COMFORT & PEACE DURING THE HOLIDAYS

An evening for the divorced and separated will be held on Thursday evening,
December 13, 2018, 6:30-8:30 PM at the Cardinal Rigali Center, 20 Archbishop
May Dr., 63119. Greg DeNeal, a licensed professional counselor, will be speak-
ing on *Finding Comfort and Peace During the Holidays*. This is a free event.
Please RSVP to melissakeating@archstl.org or 314.792.7173.

Prayer Requests

In your charity, please remember our brothers and sisters who are sick, receiving medical treatment, in rehab, hospital, or recuperating at home.

Mike Anderson	Eleanor Messmer
Keith Ballentine	Kathy Mullen
Madelyn Beuligmann	Michael Mullins
Margaret Bogler	Carol Murphy
Ray Brennan	Bill Ondr
Joe Budde	Jack Perlongo
James Casey	Nick Pollock
Steve Cookson	Pat Powell
Patricia Croghan	Jim Regan
George Danis	Naomi Renth
William Devine	Margaret Roffino
Felicity Green	Kyle Rose
Eli Hammer	Tia Rowan
Janet Janovec	Philip Schott
Charles Kruse	Jeanne Sheehan
Loretta Lewandowski	Jamison Shields
Marietta Lewandowski	Catherine M. Tabash
Sandy Linton	Carol Vago
Thomas Lorenz	Angie Wacker
Gwen McGilley	Michael Wendl

Please help us keep our Prayer Requests up-to-date.
Contact the Rectory to add or remove from the list.



Welcome New Parishioners!

Sean and Kari Vigna
August and Maevis



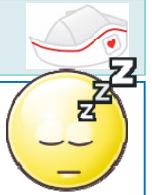
CHRISTMAS CARDS – OLP Prolife Committee

will be selling Christmas cards after all Masses the weekends of December 1-2 and December 8-9. Cost is \$10.00 for a pack of 15. All proceeds benefit Good Shepherd Children and Family Services. Payment may be made by cash or a check payable to "Good Shepherd".

Toys! We need toys! Reach Out Weekend Food and Toy Collection!!!

Gently used and new toys are being collected on Reach Out Weekend, December 1 and 2, for Sts. Teresa and Bridget. Now is the chance to **clear space** for the new Christmas toys coming to your house. This collection offers moms a chance to purchase (at very modest prices) gifts for their kids. The money collected is used by the nuns to buy necessary items for the pantry. Thank you for your ongoing support!!!

Kathy Sherwood, R.N., Parish Nurse



Signs You Aren't Getting Enough Sleep

You Battle Breakouts – If you're not getting good sleep, your skin may soon show it. Some studies have found a link between a lack of sleep and acne, perhaps related to how sleep controls hormones in your body. Sleep deprivation also affects the immune system, leaving your body open to many different issues.

Your Eyes Don't Look Good – Redness, puffiness, dark circles, and bags are all signs that you are not getting enough sleep. This may be because your body misses out on the hormone control and tissue repair that happens in deep sleep stages.

You Gain Weight – When you get a good night's rest, your body can properly control ghrelin and leptin which are the hormones that affect how hungry you feel. Without them, you may feel the urge to eat more than you need, which can make you gain weight.

You Crave Junk Food – After a sleepless night, you may be more likely to pick that cheeseburger and fries over a salad for lunch. A sleep-deprived brain is more likely to crave unhealthy foods. It may be that judgement and decision making aren't as sharp when you're tired, which makes it easier for other desires to take over.

You Feel Moody – Irritability can be a big sign of poor sleep. One study limited people to 4 ½ hours of sleep a night for a week. The result was more stressed, angry, and mentally exhausted individuals. They felt better when they returned to their normal schedules.

You Feel Depressed – Depression and poor sleep are closely related. It can be a vicious circle – depression can lead to poor sleep and poor sleep can lead to depression.

Focus and Memory Feel Dim – Even a little less sleep – losing just 2 hours if you usually get 8 hours a night – can make you groggy and affect concentration and memory. This may make you less skilled at work – or worse, behind the wheel of your car. More than one-third of people admit to dozing off while driving.

Get the rest that you need.

Most adults need 7 to 9 hour of sleep a night. Make sure it's restful:

Stick to a schedule, which means going to bed and waking up about the same time each day.

Keep your room cool, quiet, and dark.

Exercise regularly, especially workouts that get your heart pumping. It may promote deeper sleep.

A good night's sleep repairs the body and the mind, which helps to function at your best.



St. Patrick's Casserole drop off is December 1 between 9:00 and 11:00 am. Pan and simple recipe provided. Thank you to all of our casserole cooks! Questions??Contact Judy Uxa at 842-4202.



The **Giving Tree Program** to help the rural workers of Christ the King in Old still has ornaments! Please select an ornament and return the gift by December 9.

You are invited to take a paper ornament from the tree and purchase the items written on the ornament. When you purchase your gift, bring it back wrapped, with the **ornament on the outside** with the **gift request side up** (pretty side down) to make for easier distribution. For **GIFT BAGS**, attach tag to BAG, not handle. Tags can fall off during travel. For more info, contact Shirley Fasbender at 314.849.9452.



Christmas Eve - Singing in the Choir

Planning is beginning to take place for music prior to the 10:00 p.m. Mass on Christmas Eve, December 24th. Do you wish to **join the choir for singing** at this Mass? **instrumental talent which you wish to share?** Please contact Rene Zajner at rene.zajner@gmail.com, or 314.246.9247



Fall Leaf Clean Up!

Kyle Horstmann with KMH Lawn & Landscaping has graciously offered his time, equipment and talent to help with the 2018 OLP leaf clean-up. We need many volunteers to work the 10+ leaf blowers, suction truck, and rakes. If you have a gas leaf blower feel free to bring it too as it will quicken the work. The two cleanup dates are December 8th and December 22nd (9-11 AM). This effort is weather dependent, if raining or snow on the ground, it will be rescheduled.



The OLP Women's League is again sponsoring a **Christmas Cookie Sale** the weekend of **December 15-16** after all Masses or until sold out. Delicious homemade cookies will be for sale for only \$10.00 per 1 pound box. Any cookie donations can be dropped off in the Providence Room between 10 am and 11 am on Saturday December 15. ??? Leslie Nebuloni 314-730-7052 (home) or 314-809-4456 (cell)

HCA Little Lambs HCA Little Lambs
Play Group for Parents & Children
WHERE: **Annunciation Campus Gym**
Contact Ashley Stanze 314-650-3208
Email at astanze21@gmail.com
From **9 – 10:30 a.m.**



Dec 4 Jan 7 JAN 29

PAUSE & PRAY

Advent Taize Service



**DECEMBER 16, 4 P.M.
ST. RICHARD**

Music by St. Richard Chorale,
accompanied by harps, flute,
guitar, violin, and hand bells.

**ST. JOHN PAUL II
Parish Mission**
with Fr. Jewel Aytana, CPM

December 9th-13th, 2018
Confessions/Adoration: 6pm
Mission Presentation: 7pm
*Confessions also available after presentation

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Presentations on:
-God, the Father of Mercies
-Eucharist - Food for the journey
-Our Heavenly Mother
-And more!

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RETIREEES! SAJE MOVIE MATINEE, Wednesday November 28, 1:00 PM, St. Thomas/Holy Spirit, 3980 So. Lindbergh (Sunset Hills) will present **LION**, the fantastic story of a five year old boy who becomes lost on the streets of Calcutta, survives many challenges, becomes adopted and searches for his original family. Free admission. Light refreshments. For more info, call 314-822-4736.

SAJE Bingo, Thursday November 29, 10:30 AM, Advent Episcopal Church, 9373 Garber (Crestwood). Fun prizes. Light refreshments.



COFFEE WITH A COP! Join your neighbors and police officer for coffee and conversation. Wednesday, November 28th The Barn, 1015 Sappington Road 8:00 until 10:00 a.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!
BREAKFAST WITH SANTA!
Dec 2, 8:30 - 11 a.m.
in the Cafeteria!



Join us for breakfast and bring your camera for a photo op with Santa and Mrs. Claus!

Adult \$7 Children \$4 Under 4 years FREE

Sponsored by: OLP Men's Club

**GLORIOUS NIGHT:
A Christmas Concert with the Daughters of St. Paul**

The Daughters of St. Paul are back in St. Louis for their annual Christmas Concert! Join us for "*Glorious Night: A Christmas Concert with the Daughters of St. Paul*" on **Sun. Dec. 9 & Mon. Dec. 10, 7 pm at Chaminade High School, Skip Virach Center for the Arts, 425 South Lindberg Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63131-2129.**

Be taken up into the spirit of Christmas with the Sisters' unique renditions of Christmas favorites as well as contemporary inspirational songs celebrating Christ's Birth. Tickets \$20 per person; **for information: Pauline.org/STLconcert or call 314-965-6935.**

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