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Mon.-Fri. | 7:00am-3:00pm

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday | 7:00am, 4:30pm Sunday | 9:00am

WEEKDAY MASS Mon. - Fri. | 8:00am

CONFESSION

Monday - Friday | 7:30am Saturday | 3:30pm Other | By Appointment

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Mon.-Fri. | 8:00am-2:00pm Saturday | 8:00am-4:30pm **3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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The Spirit of the Lord is upon me... He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free. - Lk 4:18

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Event Sponsorship

Event sponsorship includes your logo projected on our "Sponsor Big Screen", printed acknowledgement on tournament brackets and will be viewed by 64 teams and more than 500 individual participants.

The Logan Warnecke Memorial 3rd & 4th Grade Boys and Girls Basketball Tournament, Saturday, February 16th - Sunday, March 9th 2024



The Basketball Tournament is an annual event, hosted by the St. Raphael Men's Club and Athletic Association. The tournament benefits the students of St. Raphael the Archangel school. The tournament is named in memory of one of our alums, Logan Warnecke, class of 2012. Logan was a constant figure as a referee at the tournament, often driving in from MIZZOU to ref for the weekend. His smile was infectious. He was never too busy to shoot around with the scorekeepers & always took time to explain a call to the young tournament players.

We invite you to #LoganUp by sponsoring this event.

THANK YOU!

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Save the Date - Progressive Dinner!

Save the date! The SRA Ladies' Club is organizing a Progressive Community Dinner on Saturday, March 29, 2025, after the 4:30pm Mass. <u>ALL</u> parishioners are invited to attend! We will be looking for households to host small groups for appetizers and dinner. During the next few weeks, please consider hosting. More details and registration forms to come.





Sunday, January 26 9:00am Laura E, Klos

Monday, January 27 8:00am Hodes Family, SI

Tuesday, January 28 8:00am Kris Schneidewind

Wednesday, January 29 9:00am John Ruzicka

Thursday, January 30 8:00am Bob Mullins

Friday, January 31 8:00am Liddy Family

Saturday, February 1 7:00am Maureen Baudenistel 4:30pm O'Mallery Family

<u>Sunday, February 2</u> 9:00am George Sullens, Jr.

St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that He was anointed to bring glad tidings to the poor, liberty to captives, sight to the blind, and freedom to the oppressed. We try to follow Jesus' example by serving our neighbors in need. We help by paying rent and utilities for the poor. By working with our neighbors, we are able to suggest alternatives to what is holding them back. We assist them when they are stressed and have a hard time seeing a better future. We guide them to agencies able to help free them from an abusive situation. Your prayers and donations support our mission as we try to follow Jesus' example. Thank you.

This weekend's Sacred Scripture readings:

Sunday, January 26: Ritual Song: No. 1202 Pray Together: Page 78 "Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared..." Nehemiah 8:10

Ezra's instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need. Now here's the hard part – to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

Your Contributions to God and Parish

Jan. 19, 2025	This Week		Year-to-Date	
(Envelopes Used)				
Regular Env. (29)	\$	2,710	\$	122,735
Loose Money	\$	5 <i>,</i> 243	\$	61,690
School Support	\$	265	\$	5,813
Building Fund	\$	15	\$	5,515
Holy Days	\$	0	\$	9,059
Online Giving (51)	\$	3 <i>,</i> 043	\$	86,625
St. Louis Review	(\$	210)		
First Offering	\$	25		
Grand Total	\$	11,511		
Total for Parish	\$	11,301	\$	300,408
Amount Needed	\$	10,000	\$	300,000
Difference	<u>\$</u>	1,301	<u>\$</u>	408
FYE 2024			<u>(\$</u>	<u>17,741)</u>

ALTAR SERVERS

SERVERS FOR JAN. 27 - FEB. 2, 2024

Monday, January 27

<u>ivionday, January 27</u>					
8:00am	Archie Geisz	Vivien Smith			
	William Schneeberge	r			
<u>Tuesday, January 28</u>					
8:00am	Harrison Baker	Mac Teeter			
	Kerry Mense				
Wednesday, January 29					
8:00am	Helen Potts	Emma Peters			
	Isaac Potts				
<u>Thursday, January 30</u>					
8:00am	Elle Anstey	Jake Anstey			
	Stassi Boxdorfer				
Friday, January 31					
8:00am	Lucca LoBello	Isa Hogrebe			
	Eleanor Chitwood				
<u>Saturday, February 1</u>					
4:30pm	Katelyn Feldman	Lucas Feldman			
	Lucy Howard				
Sunday, February 2					
9:00am	Helen Potts	Grace Berta			
	Jude Potts				

DAILY READINGS

Sunday	Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 (see Jn 6:63c)/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12- 14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21
Monday	Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday	Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday	Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1 2, 3, 4/Mk 4:1- 20
Thursday	Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/ Mk 4:21-25
Friday	Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39 -40/Mk 4:26-34
Saturday	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73 -75/Mk 4:35-41
Next Sunday	Mal 3:1/4;Heb 2:14-28/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

LECTORS/MINISTERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 2 - 3, 2025 LECTORS

4:30pm

9:00am

To Be Scheduled

Extraordinary Ministers To Be Scheduled



Monday, January 27 8:00am Church

3:30pm Gym 6:00pm Cafeteria 6:30pm Parish Off. 7:00pm Parish Off. Tuesday, January 28 8:00am Church 3:30pm Gym 6:00pm Gym Wednesday, January 29 7:30am Church 8:00am Church 3:15pm Gym 5:00pm Gym 8:30pm Gym Thursday, January 30 8:00am Church 2:00pm Cafeteria 5:00pm Gym Friday, January 31 7:30am Church 8:00am Church 9:00am School 3:30pm Gym 5:30pm Gym Saturday, February 1 7:00am Church 8:00am Church 9:00am Gym 4:30pm Church Sunday, February 2 9:00am Church 9:00am Church/Off. OCIA 10:00am Gym 12:00pm Gym

Mass Basketball Practices 3rd Gr. Girl Scouts St. Vincent de Paul Knights of Columbus

Mass Basketball Practices Family Trivia

Rosary Mass 5th Gr. Boys Basketball

Basketball Practices Old Man Basketball

Mass Dance Class Basketball Clinic

Rosary Mass Grandparents Day Basketball Practices Basketball Games

Mass Music Ministry Rehearsal Basketball Games Mass - Basketball Team Mass

Mass OCIA 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Gr. Basketball Basketball Games



SRA Friends,

SRA's biggest fundraiser, The Black & Gold Auction, is just a few weeks away. We have some exciting new items this year which we will be "previewing" shortly. While the attire is formal, the atmosphere is as exciting as you want it to be. We have a delicious dinner catered by Bartolino's, an open bar, and live music until midnight, so we assure you that you won't be hungry, thirsty, or bored!

The funds raised from the auction help bridge the gap between what tuition covers and what the school's total expenses amount to. The "Fund-A-Need" will be directed toward a new playground area and improvements to the parking lot. This event plays an integral role in ensuring our school and children continue to thrive, and we ask that you consider participating. Individual tickets are available, so you don't need to fill up a table, just show up. If you are new to the community, this is a great way to meet new families.

Auction and raffle tickets can be purchased through <u>https://blackandgold25.givesmart.com</u> or by check delivered to the parish office.

Thank you,

Mark Pfeiffer - 2025 Auction Chairperson auction st.raphael@gmail.com



SRA Catholic Schools Week Service Project 2025



We are collecting donations to benefit Claver House Located in the Ville Neighborhood of North St. Louis. Claver

House promotes faith-based community, social justice, and simplicity of life. The Claier House Community provides members the opportunity to develop their faith life by learning about and practicing Ignatian spirituality. Members of: Claver House participate in weekly community-building and reflection activities.

Attendance at school is an issue for students in the neighborhood, whose families do not have the means to take care of some basic needs that we can sometimes take for granted. Your task for this donation drive is simple! Our school is also collecting specific items at each grade level. Choose an item or two from the list below and place it in the donation box at the Highfield Church entrance. Or, follow the links and have your donation delivered directly to Claver House. Thank you for your generosity!

- Bar seep
- Body lation
- Deciderant
- Disposable washdoths
- Kleenex fravel packs
- Tompons
- Toothbrushes
- · Toothposte
- · Wet wipes
- Dry cereal packs

- Dry fruit packs
- · Cheese crockers pocks
- Fruit cups
- Granela bars
- Jello cupa
- Nutri-grain bars
- · Peanut butter packs
- · Poptarts
- pudding cup

Walmart Wish List:

https://www.awalmant.com/registry/RR/65eib04b-e8c7-4584-8d36-2ifc8dfld302

Amazen Wish List:

https://www.amapen.com/he/wishtst/16/214H3P06V5k9/3Prof_stat_d_wi_Mu_nov_5

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Meior: mitor@straphaelarchangelorg



Basketball Jean Mass

Saturday, February 1, 4:30 pm

Join us for unity and prayer at the SRA Basketball Team Mass!

All are invited to celebrate together. This liturgy will include a special team blessing for athletes, refs, and coaches.



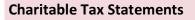
Players can wear their uniform to Mass.



Join us for the Black and Gold Basketball Jamboree immediately after in the gym to showcase the talents of our future CYC basketball stars. Food and beverages will be available for puchase.

Lector, Server or Eucharistic Minister Opportunities

If you are interested in volunteering to be a Lector, Server or Eucharistic Minister, there are forms at each one of the church entrances to complete and begin this process. All existing Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers, who wish to continue to serve, must also complete one of the forms and return ASAP for scheduling. New volunteers will start in February; brief training is required and will be provided by Fr. Lawson. You may return the form to the Parish Office or put it in the collection basket. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Lawson. We hope you will consider joining one of more of these ministries.



The 2024 donation tax statements have been mailed. If you do not receive yours, please call the parish office and we will print another copy for you.

WINTER OUTREACH - A MINISTRY OF MERCY

Encouraged by our Catholic Social Teachings, "Option for the Poor and Vulnerable," many parish communities are committed to making St. Louis Winter Outreach a faith-filled Ministry of Mercy. "As long as you did it to one of these the least of my brethren, you did it to me." MT 25:31-46

As winter approaches, our homeless "brethren" will spend cold days and nights on the streets of St. Louis. In an effort to give them some comfort, we are asking for help in providing meals to an overflow shelter.

DATES: SATURDAYS (1:00pm Dropoff) February 8

Please consider joining our Ministry of Mercy by providing one or more of the following: 9x13" Casserole: meat, fish, veggie, or breakfast Cookies, cupcakes, breads: (12 to 24 servings)

Prepared food should be baked, frozen, wrapped, and marked. Donations are to be dropped off at Our Lady of Sorrows parking lot at 1:00pm. If needed, other arrangements can be made. For more information or if you would like to share a dish, please contact Mary Ellen Mueller: 314.374.1712 or email maryem@brick.net.

Protecting God's Children

Did you know that all employees and volunteers in the schools and parishes of the Archdiocese of St. Louis are required to be in compliance with the Safe Environment Program to help prevent the abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult? Those who work with or near minors or vulnerable adults are required to: (1) attend a Protecting God's Children workshop; (2) complete a national criminal background screening and agree to regular updates; and (3) commit to the Archdiocese's Code of Ethical Conduct for Clergy, Employees, and Volunteers Working in Ministry policy. Please contact the parish office to complete these compliance efforts. Call 314.352.8100 for details and to sign up for a PGC workshop; or email hager@straphaelarchangel.org. Thank you.

Mass Intentions

Mass intentions are available in the parish office. Please call the office or stop by Monday through Thursday, 7:30am until 4:00pm, and Friday 7:30am until noon, with your Special Intention or Repose of the Soul intention requests. The suggested offering is \$10 per Mass intention. If needed, you can pick up a card to send to the family when you drop off your offering.

Rosary

Every Wednesday and Friday at 7:30am, our community prays the Rosary together in church. Please join us.

Flu Season

Because of flu season, please do not leave any personal items, i.e., tissues, in the pews, and, especially, not in the missalette holders. Thank you for your cooperation.

<u>Welcome to ARCHANGEL YOUTH MINISTRY (AYM)</u> covering the parishes of the St. Louis Hills neighborhood (St. Gabriel & St. Raphael). AYM is open to <u>all high school teens</u>. No sign-up necessary and teens do not need to be from the St. Louis Hills parishes to participate. High school teens can attend on a regular basis or drop in as it fits their schedules.

Weekly *Sunday Life Teen Nights* (6:45-8:30pm in Gabriel House) include snacks, socializing, games, talks, and discussions.

Wednesday R&R Nights (7-8:30pm in Gabriel House) are unstructured evenings for teens to hang out (recharge & reconnect). See the AYM calendar for specific dates.

Luke 18 Retreat 2025 - for 8th graders, led by high school teens:

"Believe" | April 25 - 27

Team Member (high school teens) registration is now OPEN via the Google Form link. Please read all the required preparation meeting dates and times before registering and contact Sarah with any questions. <u>Regis-</u> <u>trtion will close on Monday</u>, January 27.

8th Grader registration will be open February 10 through March 3.

LOOKING AHEAD

*April 25 - 27 | Luke 18 Retreat! | for 8th graders, led by high school teens | Registration for high school team leaders is OPEN and will close on Monday, January 27!

*July 18 - 20 | <u>AYM at Steubenville 2025!</u> | for current 8th- 12th grade students | <u>Registration is OPEN and will</u> <u>close Monday</u>, January 27! Visit the SGA website for more information and to register.

Follow us on Instagram@archangelym

Like our Facebook Group: Archangel Youth Ministry

Join the SGA or SRA Flocknote Group: Youth Ministry

Visit the Youth Group page on the SGA parish website

Contact Youth Minister: Sarah Henderson - hendersons@stgrabrielstl.org



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LUKE 18

TEAM MEMBER REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN VIA THE GOOGLE FORM LINK!

HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/IANKUVGCG1IX8FVLA

You Don't Want To Miss... Steubenville 2025!



Current 8th through 12th graders

July 18th - 20th Missouri State University

AYM Registration Closes Jan. 27th! Link on SGA Website

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