

SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

NOVEMBER 10, 2024 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Mon.-Thu. | 7:30am-4:00pm Fri. | 7:30am-12:00pm

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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

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A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." - Mk 12:42-43

PARISH CLERGY

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Fr. Molini's Notes

November 11, Veterans Day

Each year our nation recognizes those who have served in our Armed Forces to highlight the gift they shared with all our citizens. November 11 holds historical as well as emotional meaning due to its long connection with veterans. It is also (coincidentally?) the feast day of St. Martin of Tours, a former Roman soldier who embraced Christianity, founded one of the first monasteries in the West, became the bishop of Tours (France), and was renowned for his charity and defense of the Faith. The example of St. Martin speaks to the dignity of self-sacrifice and promotion of the common good. Our honoring of veterans lifts up these same virtues manifested in their service of self-sacrifice for the common good. Please take some time this week to thank a veteran for serving and remember to pray for all those currently serving our country. The virtues of St. Martin, patron saint of those in the military, are still in need among us. St. Martin of Tours, pray for us and for all who serve in our military.

Veterans Day Mass

All veterans are invited to join the school community for a Veterans Day Mass at church on Monday, November 11, at 8:00am. Mass will be followed by a reception in the school cafeteria. Veterans interested in celebrating with us and attending the reception should contact the school office at 314.352.9474 and leave their names and the number of people attending. Participants are to gather before Mass in the back of church for a procession. We are looking forward to seeing you on November 11.









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Sunday, November 10 9:00am Michael Adams

Monday, November 11 8:00am Kris Schneidewind

Tuesday, November 12 8:00am Liddy Family

Wednesday, November 13 8:00am Bill Schicker

Thursday, November 14 8:00am Hutton Family

Friday, November 15 8:00am Henry Tepe

Saturday, November 16 7:00am Elsa Straub 4:30pm George Sullens

Sunday, November 17 9:00am Nancy Geiser

St. Vincent de Paul

In today's Gospel, Jesus says, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." We serve our poor neighbors through our prayers and donations. They are so grateful for anything that we can provide to alleviate their suffering. So many of them respond that they in turn will pass it on when they are on their feet again. It reminds us that your healing contributions not only serve the people in need, but those contributions multiply as they are passed on to others. Thank you for making this possible.



This weekend's Sacred Scripture readings:

Sunday, November 10: Ritual Song: No. 1288 Pray Together: Page 62 "I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living." Mark 12:43-44

Jesus gets right to the point. We are called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstance. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith, as are praying and participating in parish ministries. When we make a financial offering, is it from our "first fruits" or from what is "left over"?

Your Contributions to God and Parish

November 3, 2024	Th	is Week	Year-	to-Date
(Envelopes Used)				
Regular Env. (37)	\$	5,104	\$	76,034
Loose Money	\$	1,860	\$	33,257
School Support	\$	50	\$	3 <i>,</i> 055
Building Fund	\$	275	\$	3,075
Holy Days	\$	752	\$	1,841
Online Giving (46)	\$	2,968	\$	51,817
Mission Co-Op	(\$	50)		
Retired Religious	(\$	425)		
Disaster Relief	(\$	190)		
Candle Money	\$	10		
Grand Total	\$	11,684		
Total for Parish	\$	11,019	\$	170,840
Amount Needed	\$	10,000	\$	180,000
Difference	<u>\$</u>	<u>1,019</u>	<u>(\$</u>	<u>9,160)</u>
FYE 2024			<u>(\$</u>	<u>17,741)</u>

ALTAR SERVERS

SERVERS FOR NOV. 11 - 17, 2024

Monday, November 11 8:00am To Be Scheduled

Tuesday, November 128:00amTo Be Scheduled

Wednesday, November 13 8:00am To Be Scheduled

Thursday, November 148:00amTo Be Scheduled

Friday, November 15 8:00am To Be Scheduled

<u>Saturday, November 16</u>

4:30pm To Be Scheduled

Sunday, November 17

9:00am

To Be Scheduled

DAILY READINGS

1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1b)/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 17:1 -6
Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23, 27 and 29/Lk 17:7-10
Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6/Lk 17:11-19
Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk 17:20-25
2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37
3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8
Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

LECTORS/MINISTERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 16 - 17, 2024 LECTORS

4:30pm	9:00am
Ron Goedeker	Suzy Ferrenbach
Extraordin	ary Ministers
Kevin Liddy	Amy Schisler
Greg Heuing	Mary Faith Green
Margie Auer	Lisa Murphy

Monday, November 11

Monday,	November 1	<u>1</u>
8:00am	Church	Mass - Veterans Mass
4:00pm	Gym	4th Gr. Girls Volleyball
5:30pm	Gym	8th Gr. Boys Volleyball
6:00pm	Cafeteria	3rd Gr. Girl Scouts
7:00pm	Gym	5th Gr. Boys Volleyball
7:00pm	Raph. Rm.	Historical Society
•	Parish Off.	Pastoral Council
-	November 12	<u>2</u>
8:00am		Mass
	Church	Chandelier Cleaning
3:15pm		4th Gr. Girl Scouts
•	Gym	7th Gr. Girls Volleyball
•	Gym	8th Gr. Girls Volleyball
•	Media Rm.	JustFaith Program
•	School	HSA
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	Church	Rosary
8:00am		Mass
•	Cafeteria	6th Gr. Girl Scouts
•	Gym	5th Gr. Girls Volleyball
•	Gym	3rd Gr. Boys Volleyball
-	, November 1	
8:00am		Mass
2:00pm		Dance Class
•	Gym	3rd Gr. Girls Volleyball
•	Gym	6th Gr. Girls Volleyball
	ovember 15	2
7:30am		Rosary
	Church	Mass
3:00pm		Girl Scouts
•	Gym	7th Gr. Girls Basketball
•	Gym	Volleyball Games
-	<u>, November 1</u>	
	Church	Mass
•	Church	Mass
5:15pm		St. Vincent de Paul Presentation
	<u>November 17</u> Church	
	Church	Mass St. Vincent de Paul Presentation
9.45am 12:00pm		
12.00pm	Gym	Volleyball Games

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Mass Intentions

Mass intentions are available for 2025. 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.

Urban Candle Fundraiser To Support St. Raphael 8th Grade Class

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14 oz. clear glass jar with lid 100% soy | cotton wick | natural | toxin free Hand poured in South City

Available to be shipped or delivered locally (additional charge applies)

November 1: November 15: November 29: Sales start. Order online only Last day to order Pickup at Urban Candle and orders shipped out





ORDER ONLINE AT: www.urbancandleco.com / Give Back / St. Raphael 8th Grade



OR CLICK ON THIS QR CODE:

Early Bulletin Deadlines

Due to the upcoming holy days and holidays, the bulletin publisher will have earlier publishing deadlines. Therefore, if you have anything for our bulletin, please send any items to the office as early as possible before your event.



Chandelier Cleaning

Volunteers are needed to clean the church chandeliers after the 8:00am Mass on Tuesday, November 12. Many hands mean less work! Please bring a bucket and cleaning cloths. No need to make a reservation; just show up. If you have any questions, please contact Ellen Wright at 314.353.3319. Please note, the chandeliers lower so no need to worry about getting on a ladder!





Sunday, December 8 | 5:00 pm | SRA Gymnasium | 6000 Jamieson Avenue Advent by Candlelight is an invitation for women to step away from hectic Christmas activities and focus on the inner

preparation which is the purpose of the Advent season in readying our hearts and homes to receive the gift of the infant





The evening opens with hostesses greeting their guests and general visiting. It continues with a short prayer service, followed by sharing of light appetizers or dessert provided by each hostess for her table and concludes with a guest speaker. This year, we are excited to welcome Jen Ryan as our guest speaker. Jen has a MA degree in Counseling and is a Licensed Professional Counselor. She has worked in lay ecclesial ministry for 17 years as a youth minister, clinical therapist, college campus minister, and parish pastoral associate. Jen currently works at Kenrick-Glennon Seminary as the Director of Pastoral Education and Evangelization.

Please consider being a table hostess and treating your friends, relatives or neighbors to this special event. The duties of a table hostess include reserving a table, inviting up to 7 guests (8 people per table), decorating your table and providing table settings with light appetizers/desserts for your guests. More details will be given to each hostess. We are encouraging hostesses to keep their food very simple to align with our desire to offer a less stressful, more peaceful and enjoyable evening among friends. This is a FREE event, but we will be collecting for a local charity if you would like to contribute that evening.

NEW Please arrive at 4:45pm if you would like extra time to admire the decorated tables before the program begins.

Advent by Candlelight Reservation 2024 | RSVP BY NOVEMBER 22

Email		
I would like to be a Table Hostess :	and will invite others to sit with me. The people listed below will auto	matically be
registered to be seated at my table. (Ho	stess information will be sent to you.)	
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Return reservation form to Stacy LoBello, 5922 Highfield Rd, 63109 or email to: stacy.lobello@gmail.com -OR- Reserve online using this link: bit.ly/SRA-ABC-reg-2024 or scan the QR code

Ladies' Club Donation Request

This Holiday Season, SRA Ladies' Club will organize our Annual Christmas Gift Drive for our sister parish, Most Holy Trinity. This gift drive will provide 50 children with gifts and extra supplies for MHT's 24-hour daycare facility, including diapers, wipes, batteries, and snacks.

https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/KGOWNEVZUZ4N

The hyperlink is also publicly available by searching "ALLY FAVRE" and "gift list." Gifts need to be purchased by 11/22/24...less than one month from now...wow!

All items should be delivered to ALLY FAVRE'S HOME (the organizer). Please pick this option when you check out on Amazon. There will be an opportunity to wrap the gifts as a group; stay tuned for details.

We need three volunteers to drive to MHT in mid-December to deliver the items. Please text or call Krissy Sullivan if you are interested (314.608.9983). Thank you for your support!

Lace Up!

Lace up for the 6th Annual Parents vs. Kids Thanksgiving Soccer Game

Who: All ages, all adults, all kids
Where: Busch School Field
When: Thursday, November 28 Meet: 8:00am at the Ruggeri House (5822 Holly Hills Ave.) Game: 9:00am - Noon



Hot chocolate, adult beverages, and light breakfast items will be provided.

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." 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)

November 16December 7January 11February 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 Sorrow parking lot at 1:00pm. If needed, other arrangements can be made. For more information or you would like to share a dish, please contact Mary Ellen Mueller: 314.374.1712 or email maryem@brick.net.



Our 3rd grade girls soccer team visited our sister parish, Most Holy Trinity. For the team's service project, the girls made Halloween bracelets for residents of a nursing home that Sister Janice and Sister Gale visit frequently. Thank you for sharing your talents, team!



Thanksgiving

Let us take care of your holiday cooking. Enjoy a smoked & fried turkey prepared by SRA friend, professional chef and award winning BBQ competitor, Mr. Adams'



\$125 per order which includes:

(1) brined whole turkey (feeds 8-10), slow smoked, then fried. Gravy and a homemade pumpkin or apple pie included (email us your choice).

> Orders must be placed by Thuarday, November 14, and we must limit this to the first 20 orders so get yours in fast!

Avaialable for pickup from SRA on Thanksgiving Eve between 3:00 to 7:00 PM. Email us for alternative pickup or drop-off options if needed. Warming instructions will be included.



Payment options: cash or check payable to SRA or paypal me 3thgrade2025



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	11b. Pecan Pieces	\$11.00	
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	pecans, cashews, brazil nuts, hazel nuts & . large almonds)	\$11.50	
	11b. Toasted & Salted Cashews		
		\$10.50	
	12 oz. Deluxe Praline Pecans	\$10.00	
	11b. English Walnuts	\$8.50	
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<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.

LOOKING AHEAD

*April 25 - 27 | <u>Luke 18 Retreat!</u> | for 8th graders, led by high school teens | Registration and more information to come.

*July 18 - 20 | <u>AYM at Steubenville 2025!</u> | open to current 8th- 12th grade students | Registration and more information to come.



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