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- attend a Pre First & Third Sundays of the month at 12:00 p.m. Parents must
day or night.

Call Rectory for date and time. Anointing of the Sick, anytime
Arrangements should be made at least one year in advance.
Registered Parishioners please call the Rectory for appointment.

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK
Call Rectory for date and time. Anointing of the Sick, anytime day or night.

BAPTISMS
First & Third Sundays of the month at 12:00 p.m. Parents must
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Classes are offered bi-monthly. Please call the Rectory for information.

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PARISH MUSEUM & ARCHIVES: OPEN BY APPOINTMENT.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FORMER PASTORS
Reverend John Nicholas Mertz....................................... 1829-1836
Reverend Alexander Pax .............................................. 1836-1843
Reverend Francis Guth ................................................... 1844-1850
Reverend Joseph Raffeiner .......................................... 1850-1851
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Reverend J. E. Moshall .................................................. 1861-1862
Reverend Francis Anthony Gerber ................................ 1862-1863
Reverend Sergus Schoulepnikoff .................................. 1864-1867
Reverend Joseph M. Sorg .............................................. 1867-1888

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Reverend Michael A. Anstett .................................... 1944-1948
Reverend Howard J. Schwartz ..................................... 1948-1964
Reverend Clarence Ott .............................................. 1964-1965
Reverend Alfred M. Mosack ........................................ 1965-1979

**Announced Masses of the Week**

**SATURDAY, November 3:**
- **2:00 pm**: Wedding of James Woolfort and Christina Fox
- **4:00 pm**: **VIGIL FOR THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
  - Kevin McCue, by 4:00 Mass Friends

**SUNDAY, November 4: THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
- **9:00 am**: Lynne Kuehn, by Anthony and Kim Jordan
- **11:00 am**: Eleanor Bennett Brayer, by Kevin Brayer and Family

**MONDAY, November 5: WEEKDAY**
- **12:05 pm**: Mary K. Crane, by Estate

**TUESDAY, November 6: WEEKDAY**
- **12:05 pm**: For the People of Saint Louis Parish

**WEDNESDAY, November 7: WEEKDAY**
- **12:05 pm**: Susanna Lautz, by Estate

**THURSDAY, November 8: WEEKDAY**
- **12:05 pm**: Theresa Kita, by Ed and Luci Buczek

**FRIDAY, November 9: THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA**
- **12:05 pm**: Stephan Mikos, by Family

**SATURDAY, November 10:**
- **4:00 pm**: **VIGIL FOR THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
  - Deceased of the Peter Berst Family, by Marilyn Young

**SUNDAY, November 11: THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
- **9:00 am**: Rev. Jon J. Dekowski, CSSR, by Family
- **11:00 am**: Carmela, John, Mary and Carrie Arnone, by Family

**SCHEDULE OF LECTORS**

Weekend of November 10th and November 11th
- **4:00 pm**: Kaitlin Cunningham
- **9:00 am**: Wendy Mistretta
- **11:00 am**: Ed Kuzan

**SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Weekend of November 10th and November 11th
- **4:00 pm**: Mike Mikos, Ann Dumansky and Frank and Jane Pelosi
- **9:00 am**: Al Bluemle, Susan Minestro and Fred and Marilyn Steffan
- **11:00 am**: Pat Doyle, Michael Riester and Keith and Kathy Boerner

**MEMORIAL PRAYER CANDLE**

The Sanctuary Light burns this week to the Glory of God and in memory of Kevin McCue, requested by His 4:00 Mass Friends. If you desire to have a Memorial Prayer Candle lit in memory of a loved one or for your intention, please use the envelope available for that purpose.

**TUESDAY IS ELECTION DAY**

“Responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation.” *(Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship.)* By our baptism, Catholics are committed to following Jesus Christ and to be “salt for the earth, light for the nations.” As the Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us, “It is necessary that all participate, according to his or her position and role, in promoting the common good. This is inherent in the dignity of the human person … As far as possible citizens should take an active part in public life” (nos. 1913-1915).

We Catholics are called to look at politics as we are called to look at everything—through the lens of our faith. We should be guided in evaluating the important issues facing our state and nation by the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the teachings of His Church. Our national and state elected officials have profound influence on countless matters of great importance, such as the right to life, issues of war and peace, eliminating racism, concern for refugees and immigrants, the education of children and how we treat the poor and vulnerable among others. We must look at all of these issues as we form our consciences in preparation for Election Day. We properly form our conscience by reflecting on the moral and social teachings of our Church. Everyone is strongly urged to vote on Election Day. For when you vote, you are exercising your cherished right and your solemn duty as American Catholic Citizens.

**Msgr. Manganello**

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Today’s special collection is for the Catholic University of America, unique among universities in the United States, as the national university of the Catholic Church.

Your contributions will strengthen the work of our top scholars, many of whom help to explain Catholic social teaching to the rest of the world. It will also support scholarships for students in our diocese and others in achieving our mission of preparing the next generation of leaders for our Church and nation—including those studying to become our future priests and religious. We appreciate your generosity.

**In your prayers…**

Please pray for all those who are sick, suffering, recovering and hospitalized, especially Ray Shaner, Frank Zawistowski, Delores Needham, Sara Ascela, Will Travis, Amy Vile, Patricia Bortle, Patricia Guerra, Joel Rivera, Theresa Dominski, Loretta Rembold, Lynn Gosinski, Tracy Abram, Mamie Kate Johnson, Bud Vetter, Deborah Buyers, John Zawistowski, Spencer Daly, Joseph Acquino, Linda Campbell, James Palka, Bernadette R. Crawford, Niziti Ascela, Geraldine Sliwinski, Carlos Calhoun and Margaret Foegen.

Please contact the Parish Office to have a loved one placed on the Prayer List. Names will appear for one month. If their condition continues to warrant our prayers, please call the office and we will gladly include them in one month increments as long as necessary.

We remember all those recently deceased and our deceased parishioners and loved ones.
SPIRITUAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

We warmly welcome all who come to St. Louis for Mass—tourists, visitors, parishioners and friends. Last weekend 379 people attended Mass at St. Louis Parish. Our regular collection was $6,578.00.

Your generosity is deeply appreciated. It enables the preservation, ministry and maintenance of our historic church. It assists us in reaching out to the people of our neighborhood.

Thank you for your support.

Please remember St. Louis Parish in your will. A bequest may be worded in this fashion - “I give to St. Louis Roman Catholic Church of Buffalo, NY the sum of ___________ to be used for its general purposes.”

THIS WEEK AT SAINT LOUIS

SATURDAY, November 3rd

9:00 am: Saint Louis Garden Society—SLGS
4:00 pm: The Regular Offertory Collection Including Monthly Collection and Catholic University of America Collection
4:00 pm: Western New York Catholic Available

SATURDAY, November 10th

4:00 pm: The Regular Offertory Collection Including Maintenance and Repairs Collection

SUNDAY, November 4th

2:00 am: Daylight Saving Time Ends
Turn Clocks Back 1 Hour
9:50 am
9:00 am & 11:00 am: The Regular Offertory Collection Including Monthly Collection and Catholic University of America Collection
9:00 am & 11:00 am: Western New York Catholic Available
12 noon: Baptism of Elrick Bensyn Mears

SUNDAY, November 11th

9:50 am
9:00 am & 11:00 am: The Regular Offertory Collection Including Maintenance and Repairs Collection

FAITH MOMENT REFLECTION

We see a direct correlation between the first reading and the Gospel today. In the Gospel, Jesus is tested by a scribe who asks, “What is the first of all the commandments?” Jesus answers with the same words we hear in Deuteronomy—“love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.” Then Jesus adds, “The second is this — You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” Again, God gives us the directive to love—to love God and to love like God, imitating His ever-present love as a child might imitate a devoted parent. The scribe is impressed with Jesus and understands that loving God and one another is more important than rituals and offerings. To love is to care, to help, to lift up. Love in action is the very purpose of our lives.

ANNUAL PRESERVATION FUND DRIVE

Thank you to everyone who has so generously contributed to our Preservation Fund Drive. As the structure of the church ages there is always something that needs attention. We noticed that the top of the stairway near the handicap ramp has deteriorated leaving an open hole. Obviously it will need immediate attention. Our Preservation Fund this year will be used to address this situation as well as some other minor projects.

Thanks to your generosity in the past we have been able to maintain our beautiful church. With your generous support we will continue to be able to keep everything in good repair.

So far, $36,773 has been donated.

REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US

Please remember to enroll your beloved deceased in the Saint Louis All Souls Remembrance. They will be remembered in all the Masses during the month of November. Envelopes are in the September/October envelope packet and on the tables at the church entrances.

LITTLE PORTION FRIARY

Temporary Shelter for Homeless Women and Men
As an all volunteer shelter for the homeless we rely on your time to help those less fortunate than us. We are currently in need of help with cooking, maintenance, office duties and house supervision during the day and evening.

Please contact us for a tour or to answer questions you may have—716-480-1749.

The gift of your time will be greatly appreciated!

RAINBOW K SCHOOL

Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser
To Benefit Rainbow K and the Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy
St. Anthony of Padua Hall
160 Court Street (behind City Hall)
Friday, November 9, 2018
4:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.
$10.00—Take-Out Available

- Dinner includes pasta with homemade sauce, meatballs, mixed green salad, bread and beverage.
- Desserts available for purchase.
- 50/50 split club.
- Theme baskets—Chinese Auction

VOCATION THOUGHT

Of all that God commands us loving Him and loving each other is paramount. How is God calling you to share your love? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Father Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Do you have an older adult loved one who has been diagnosed with a mental illness and is now at risk for out-of-home placement? Consider Project Hope (Helping Older People Excel) in Erie County. The program provides services to keep an older adult with a mental health diagnosis independent in their home environment through linkage, referral, advocacy and intervention with formal and informal supports. Care coordinators and nurses provide an in-depth assessment before creating an individualized action plan to empower older adults and help them thrive in the environment they deem most comfortable. To connect with the program, call (716) 362-2388. For more information on Catholic Charities and other services and programs we provide, visit ccwny.org.
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