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With our sound system we now have the Phonic Ear. This hearing assistance system is available to all who are hearing impaired. This system provides a transmitter with a headset and earplugs. Please come to the Sacristy for assistance.

WEDDINGS

Registered Parishioners please call the Rectory for appointment. Arrangements should be made at least one year in advance.

BAPTISMS

Parents must attend a Pre-Baptism class prior to scheduling the Baptism. Classes are offered by appointment. Please call the Rectory for information. Baptisms will be held during Mass or

Downtown Family of Parishes

St. Joseph's Cathedral, 50 Franklin Street, 716-854-5855 Email: cathedral@buffalodiocese.org Website: www.buffalocathedral.org

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 115 O'Connell Street, 716-852-

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Blessed Sacrament, 1035 Delaware Ave, 716-884-0053 Email: office@blessedsacramentbuffalo.org

St. Michael's, 651 Washington Street, 716-854-6726 stmichaelchurchbuffalo@gmail.com Website: Stmichaelbuffalo.org

St. Anthony of Padua, 160 Court Street, 716-854-2564 SaintAnthonyBuffalo@yahoo.com Website: Stanthonyofpadua-buffalo.org

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Announced Masses of the Week

SATURDAY, July 27, Vigil for the Seventeenth Sunday in **Ordinary**

12:00 pm: Wedding of John M. Kubera and Rael E. Brown

Julio Arnaldes and Julianna Pezzino 2:00 pm: 4:00 pm: Peter Berst Family, by Marilyn Young

SUNDAY, July 28, Mass for the Seventeenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

All Souls, by St. Louis Parishioners 9:00 am: 11:00 am: Kevin Fletcher, by Carolyn Beyer 11:00 am: Baptism of Melianie Ray Monahan

MONDAY, July 29, Sts. Martha and Marv 12:05 pm: Ria Marie Rozbicki, by Estate

TUESDAY, July 30, St. Peter Chrysologus 12:05 pm: Florence Remboldt, by Estate

Wednesday, July 31, St. Ignatius 6:00 pm: Meeting of the SLGS

THURSDAY, August 1, St. Alphonsus Liguori 12:05 pm: All Souls, by St. Louis Parishioners

FRIDAY, August 2, St. Eusebius

12:05 pm: David and Michael Sliwinski, by DR

SATURDAY, August 3, Vigil for the Eighteenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

12:00 pm: Wedding of Patrick Wilkinson and Therese Purcell 2:00 pm: Wedding of Frank A. Bork and Angela M. Sobotka

4:00 pm: Kevin McCue, by Friends of St. Louis

SUNDAY, August 4, Mass for the Eighteenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

9:00 am: All Souls

11:00 am: Julia Dorfer, by Susan Villari

SCHEDULE OF LECTORS

Weekend of August 3 and 4

4:00 pm: Krista Doerfler 9:00 am: Steve Nosek 11:00 am: Pam Nordstrom

SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION



Weekend of August 3 and 4

4:00 pm: Marilyn Neil 9:00 am: Nancy Pax 11:00 am: Jim Ferrini

PARISH MUSEUM & ARCHIVES: OPEN BY APPOINTMENT

For an appointment please contact Mike Riester at flinthill57@yahoo.com

MEMORIAL PRAYER CANDLES



The Sanctuary Candle burns this week to the Glory of God and in memory of the many generous parishioners of St. Louis who share their resources, time and talents to sustain our beautiful church and parish community in so many ways

If you desire to have a Memorial Prayer Candle lit in memory of a loved one or for your special intention, please use the envelope available for that purpose or use the QR code at the bottom of page 3.

We try to honor requested dates as they are available.

EMAIL REQUESTS

Please note that our parishioner, Gina Roblin, will be contacting you for email addresses and updates on phone numbers and addresses for our church registry. Some phone numbers are disconnected, we have no way to reach you. Please contact us to update your information at Church Office 716-852-6040 or email us at churchoffice@stlouisrcchurch.org.

GIFT CARDS GATHERING!

The Gift Gathering Party will be held on, Tuesday, August 13th from 5:30 to 7:30 at the Saturn Club on Delaware Avenue. We are hoping to collect one hundred gift cards or certificates of \$25 or higher that be raffled off to one hundred lucky winners. These will be used for the gift card raffle. For more information please call the Church Office at 716-852-6040.

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE CELEBRATION!

St. Louis Parish is celebrating 195 years of parish ministry to the people of Buffalo! A huge milestone you will not want to

Tickets are now available for our parish dinner together. Friday, September 20th, 5pm, hors d'oeuvres and cocktails, 7pm sit down dinner.

The Westin Hotel at 250 Delaware Ave, Buffalo



Donation \$125 each, couples \$225.

Please pray for all those who are sick, suffering, recovering and hospitalized, especially Fran Angelo, Diane Andriaccio, Gabriella Parisi, Rosemary Bloch, Laurie Hoehn, Tracy Allen Abram, Greg Joseph, Marcella Ng, Beverly Grover, Billy Jacobbi, Kim Bach, Bill & Donna Reeves, Richard Shepheard, Joseph Barba, Sr., Dr. Fred Luongo, Michael MacPherson, Patricia Guerra, Jay Deveau, Sondra Schreiber, Christine Maciejewski, David Marchetti, Noreen D., Frank Zawistowski, Bernadette R. Crawford, Ryan Crnic, Sr. Mary Victoria Furriel, and Margaret Foegen.

Please contact the Parish Office to have a loved one placed on the Prayer List. If their condition continues to warrant our prayers, we will gladly include them as long as necessary.

We remember all those recently deceased, especially our deceased parishioners, Ruth State, David Sliwinski, Edward Cosgrove, and loved ones.

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SPIRITUAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

We warmly welcome all who come to St. Louis for Mass—tourists, visitors, parishioners and friends.

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.

Our collection for last week was \$3,631.00.

The number of parishioners who attended was 259.

**Please Note: We are switching online giving companies from PayPal to WeShare.

WeShare is a Catholic owned and operated company whose rates benefit the Parishes. Please visit the Parish website for instructions to switch.

You can also support the parish by mailing your donation or using our *WeShare* account on our web page or the QR code on the bottom of the page.

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, July 27, Vigil for the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary time

4:00 pm: Weekly Collection

SUNDAY, July 28, Mass for the Eighteenth Sunday in

Ordinary Time

9:00 am & 11:00 am: Weekly Collection

SATURDAY, August 3, Vigil for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm: Weekly Collection and Second Collection for the Retired Diocesan Priests' Medical Benefits Fund

SUNDAY, August 4, Mass for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am & 11:00 am: Weekly Collection and Second Collection for the Retired Diocesan Priests' Medical Benefits Fund

RCIA

Are you considering becoming Catholic? Do you know someone who is being called to join our faith? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process through which adults are received into the Catholic Church. The process is intended for adults: (1) who were never baptized; (2) those baptized in another Christian faith who wish to become Catholic; and (3) those baptized Catholic, but did not make their First Holy Communion or Confirmation. We offer an online, self-paced RCIA program that consists of a combination of Catholic videos on Formed, as well as hardcopy reading materials from Liguori to provide a solid understanding of the Catholic faith. Classes run all year, so you can begin the process when you are ready. The selfpaced program allows you to complete the program at a pace that is right for you. You can complete the program in a few months to up to a year. To register or if you have questions, please contact the CRE, Ashlee Campbell (443.744.0354 / religioused@stlouisrcchurch.org). We will try to honor the dates you request.

FAMILY OF PARISHES MASS SCHEDULE

The "Downtown Family of Parishes" (Family #22) Mass schedule is presented below.

Daily Liturgies

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday:

St. Michael: 6:45am

Confessions Daily after Mass-8:00am

Blessed Sacrament: 8:00am

St. Louis: 12:05pm

St. Joseph Cathedral: 12:10pm including Wednesdays

St. Anthony: 6:00pm (Latin Mass)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help (no daily Mass): 6:00pm Rosary

& Novena on Tuesdays

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday Vigil Masses:

St Louis: 4:00pm. Confession 3:15—3:45pm

Blessed Sacrament: 4:30pm Our Lady of Perpetual Help: 4:30pm

St. Joseph Cathedral: 4:30pm

St. Michael: 5:30pm St Anthony: (no vigil Mass)

Sunday Masses:

St. Louis: 9:00am & 11:00am

St. Anthony: 9:00am (Latin) & 11:00am (Italian/English)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: 10:00am Blessed Sacrament: 10:30am St. Joseph Cathedral: 10:30am

St. Michael: 12noon—Adoration & Rosary until 2:00pm Christ the King Chapel at Canisius University: 7:00 pm Confessions are scheduled for Monday-Friday from 11:00am-

12:00 noon and Wednesday evenings from 4:30pm-5:30pm.

MASSES IN THE DIOCESE OF BUFFALO

buffalodioces.org/weekend-masses-times

Anointing of the Sick

St. Michael: Last Sunday of each month following the 12:00 noon Mass and upon request at any time.

Adoration / Holy Hour

St. Michael: Sunday 1:00pm-2:00pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help: First Friday at 6:00pm

St. Louis: Third Friday at 6:00pm

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