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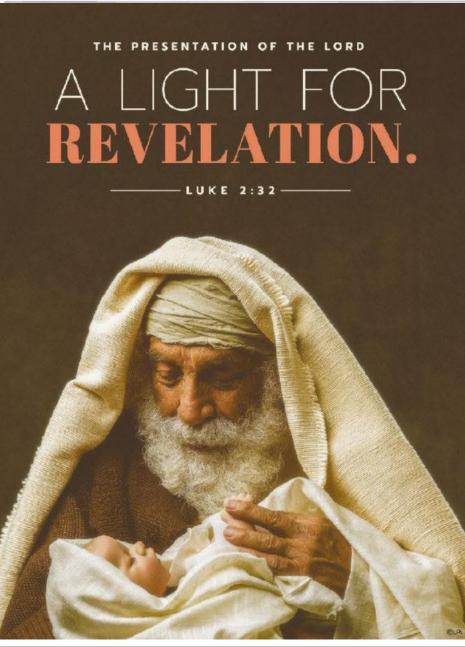


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February 2, 2025



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Mass Schedule Sat: 5 pm Sun: 8 am and 10 am Mon-Thur: 8:30 am Reconciliation Sat: 4-4:30 pm Rosary Mon-Thu: 8 am

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Mass Schedule
Sat: 4:30 pm
Sun: 8:30 am and 10:30 am
Mon-Fri: 7:30 am
Except Wed: 8 am

Reconciliation Sat: 3:30-4 pm Rosary Mon: 7:30 pm

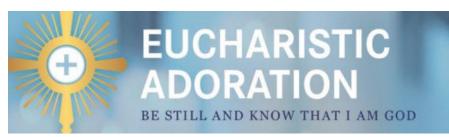
PRAYER

MASS INTENTIONS ANNUNCIATION

MON 2/3 8:30 am	Jack Hagerty 🕆
TUES 2/4 8:30 am	John Boman ⊕
WED 2/5 8:30 am	Gianna Howard 🕆
THURS 2/6 8:30 am	Bill Cribbin 🕆
FRI 2/7	No Mass Today
SAT 2/8 5 pm	Helen Nussbaum 🕆
	Marjorie Korte † People of the Parish

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MON 2/3 7:30 am	Jeff Hansen 🕆
TUES 2/4 7:30 am	John Kloepper 🕆
WED 2/5 8 am	Fr. Schilli 🕆
THURS 2/6 7:30 am	Souls in Purgatory 🕆
FRI 2/7 7:30 am	Men and Women Discerning Religious Vocations
SAT 2/8 4:30 pm	Thomas Mueller Sr. 🕆
SUN 2/9 8:30 am 10:30 am	People of the Parish Tom Saranita 🕆



ANNUNCIATION: All are invited every Tuesday following 8:30 am Mass until 4 pm. This quiet meditative, prayerful time is open to all for visits. For more information or if you would like to sign-up for an hour of adoration weekly, bi-monthly or monthly, please contact **Debbie Kujawa**, 397-4970, or debbiekujawa2@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF PROVIDENCE: Jesus is calling you to spend time with him! Please sign up for time in front of the Blessed Sacrament at Our Lady of Providence Church by going to the following link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090B4CA5A82AABF49-eucharistic1 There are also paper signup sheets on a table in the back of the church. You may sign up for 30 minutes or more on February 25, March 25 and April 22. Adoration will begin in the church at 8 am and finish with Benediction at 2:40 pm.

→ MAY THEY REST IN PEACE 🛶

From Our Lady of Providence, we pray for the repose of **Celeste Bartin.**

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. May the family know the compassion and comfort of the Risen. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Margie Anderson Julie Aufdenspring Carol Baumann Matt Beavin Fr. Jim Byrnes Patty Cabot James Casev Rich Cassani Jason Chambers Kerry Deacon Annette DeGreeff Vincent Deiters Deedee Dussold Virginia Everett Olivia Fenton Tim Flasch

Cindy Galati Peggy Springer Garcia Julie Gibson Judy Harig Ruth Henry Helen Horvath Peter Jabbour Robert Janecek Roberta Jones James Kappel Beth Heaman Keohane John Keath Nancy Keath Laura Klages Sue Knoll Cheri Lee

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Jim Schurk Jerry Schwartz Holly Stoltz Smith Til Smith **Beverly Spinner** John Stalinski Pat Steele Paul Stock **Bob Strong** Debbie Struckhoff Molly LaBarge Sublette Randy Thatcher Richard Timmerman Doris Tucker Margit Vincenz Mike Vonderharr

Gert Wegmann Joann Wills Irene Wirthlin Josephine Wren Rich Yates Beverly Zacher Anne Zimmermann

We are trying to update this list, please notify us if your family member or friend can be removed from the list. Contact: Jan Fabick at ladyprov@olpstl.org



Dear Friends,

As we break into the month of February, it is so nice to break out of the frigid cold temperatures that we had experienced in January! I look forward, even more, to the days of spring that are on the near horizon whether Punxsutawney



Phil sees his shadow later today or not!

Next Sunday is going to be Super, that is, Superbowl Sunday! You may have a tradition for watching the Superbowl, or its commercials, with a group of family members or friends, or maybe you don't. Either way, you are invited... Annunciation and Providence... to join me and other parishioners in Annunciation's cafeteria for the Superbowl. We don't care if you are Chief fans, or Eagle fans, or no fan of football at all! Consider yourself invited for a fun evening with friends. We will have the game on the big screen, with some food and drink to enjoy, and the option of buying some chances for some games that will award cash prizes determined by the score of the football game at the end of each of its quarters. School doors of Annunciation will open at 4pm. Make plans to join us for a super fun evening of football!

Please keep in your prayers our search for the Director of Parish Engagement and Discipleship for our two parishes, and for the next President of our grade school, Holy Cross Academy.

Have a blessed week,

In Christ, Father Mike

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AT ANNUNCIATION 314-475-3436

Principal: Rebecca Bickel

FOR BAPTISMS: Contact parish office to schedule baptisms and to sign up for baptism preparation class (for first family member being baptized)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Contact the parish office to request a hospital visit or for communion to the sick or home-bound or to add a name to the prayer list.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

For assistance within OLP parish boundaries: 314-289-6101 x2262

BULLETIN DEADLINE

8 am Mondays

To submit: Email Jan Fabick at

ladyprov@olpstl.org

STEWARDSHIP



Your Sunday envelope contribution is very important to our parishes - Annunciation & Our Lady of Providence.

Ways you can contribute:

1. Set up automatic payments directly from your bank. Simply add Annunciation or Our Lady of Providence as a regular vendor in your checking account. It's a secure, easy way to make your Sunday envelope

donation. 100% of your contribution goes to our parishes!

- 2. For Annunciation Online Giving, you can donate through the link on our parish website, go to 'Donate' then click on 'Online Giving' or go to https://www.goannunciation.com/annunciation-online-donations.html. Annunciation uses the Archdiocese of St. Louis for Online Giving.
- 3. For Our Lady of Providence Online Giving, you can donate through the link on our parish website, go to 'Parish' then click 'Online Giving' or go to https://osvhub.com/olpstl/giving/funds. Our Lady of Providence uses Our Sunday Visitor for Online Giving.
- 4. You can mail your donation or drop it off your parish office using the mail slots at your parish.

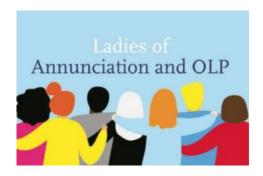
"Thank You" to all our parishioners who have been doing one of the methods above to continue to support Annunciation and Our Lady of Providence Parishes. Your donations are very much appreciated.

And just a Reminder: The finances for our parishes are separate. If you use your parish envelope at the other parish, the donation will be for the parish where you turned in your envelope.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE FY25: January 26, 2025

ANN Sunday Envelopes Loose Donations Online Donations Holy Day Total	\$4,387.00 \$439.00 \$1,400.00 \$5.00 \$6,231.00	OLP Sunday Envelopes Loose Donations OSV Online Holy Day Total	\$6,473.93 \$218.00 \$4,833.90 \$30.00 \$11,555.83
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS St. Vincent DePaul Society St. Louis Review Misc.	\$355.00 \$270.00 \$35.00	SPECIAL COLLECTIONS St. Vincent DePaul Society St Louis Review School Support Repairs/Improvement Misc.	\$240.00 \$310.00 \$255.00 \$100.00 \$103.00

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Main Street St. Charles for the Once Upon a Time Valentine Festival

Saturday, February 8, 2025,we will car pool from Annunciations parking lot at 10:15. Lunch at 11am at Lewis and Clark restaurant followed by Valentine's Day festivities till 3pm. RSVP to **Mary Hittler** as soon as possible: 314-277-5116

February Women's League Meeting

The February Women's League Meeting will be held on Thursday, February 27 at 7pm in the O.L.P. Cafeteria. After a short meeting, women from Annunciation will lead each of us in making a Miraculous Medal bracelet, from the Wear & Give Ministry. There is no charge for this event, but a free will offering will be available. All women of the parish are invited to attend, but please R.S.V.P. to **Betty Amelotti**, at (314) 843-3604 if you plan to attend, so supplies can be ordered.

Encounter Youth Ministry

Encounter Youth Ministry is growing, and you should be part of it! Our high school youth group meets every other Monday at Seven Holy Founders. We are looking for adults to assist our core team on occasion. No experience necessary – just an enthusiasm to support teens in their faith.



Justice Seekers First Program of 2025—Faith and Immigration Justice

In keeping with our 2025 theme, the Option for the Poor and Vulnerable, the Justice Seekers invite members of Annunciation and OLP parishes to participate in an eightweek Just Faith program on Faith and Immigration Justice. Meetings will take place on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8:30 in the Providence Room at OLP, from February 18-April 8. A Zoom option will be available for those who are unable to participate in person. While migration is a worldwide issue, this program focuses primarily on immigrants crossing our southern border, though it also touches on global migration and immigrants coming to the U.S. from non-Latin American countries. We hope that you will walk away from this program with a better understanding about immigration policies that are just, effective, and compassionate, and able to help lead your community in extending hospitality toward our immigrant neighbors.

The cost of the program ranges from \$35-\$75, depending upon your financial situation. To register, go to https://justfaith.org/small-groups/ and enter the following ID for our group: 2182025FIJ. Please let us know if you would prefer to purchase the two required books yourself or if you would like us to order for you from Just Faith (\$28). If you need help with registration or if you would like more information about the program or the Justice Seekers organization, contact Jill Orr, orrmin@charter.net.

Dear ANN & OLP,

For our joint ANN & OLP bulletin, for both parishes, please send your bulletin announcements to Jan Fabick at ladyprov@olpstl.org by 8am Mondays.



Mass Intentions

If you would like to schedule a Mass intention or pick up a Mass card for either Annunciation or Our Lady of Providence, please visit Jan at <u>Our Lady of Providence Rectory M-F, 8-4pm.</u>

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HCA Troop 914 Chocolate Covered Strawberry Sale Jan 5 -Feb 7

HCA Troop 914 is selling chocolate covered strawberries for Valentine's Day to help fund



their 2025 Philmont Trek. 6 Strawberries for \$12 12 Strawberries for \$24 Last Day to order: Friday, Feb. 7th Pick Up Date: Thursday, Feb. 13th Cash,

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Questions: Email

hcatroop914@gmail.com or call/text **Danielle Kuczka** at (314) 780-2818



The Catholic Communities of Annunciation and Our Lady of Providence welcome with great joy into our Parish Families: Annunciation — Laurie Moellering Patrick & Maggie Donnelly & Family

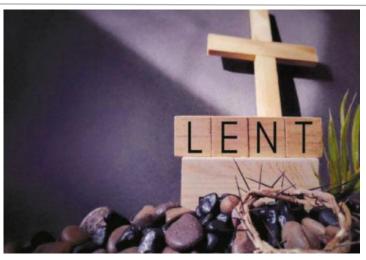
Paul & Natalie Kaestner & Family

Our Lady of Providence — Christopher Reh & Stephanie Reh & Family



For more information about our PSR Ministry, please contact **Ann Kelly**, PSR Coordinator: psr@goannunciation.com

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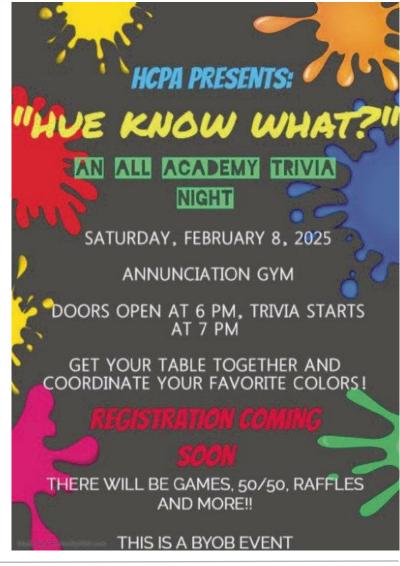
Join a Small Group!

Want to grow in your relationship with God and others? Want to learn more about the faith? Scared of big crowds? Consider joining a small group! If you want to learn more or you are interested in signing up, feel free to contact **Colton Steiner** at coltonsteiner@kenrick.edu.

Rosary Repair

Rosary repair boxes are back! Thank you for all the donations. Contact **Marisue Stoll** at (314) 960-6831 with questions.





Join us for Little Lambs this spring on the



following Fridays: February 14, March 7, April 4, & May 9

Little Lambs meets 9-10:30AM at the gym at Saint Michael's. Little

Lambs invites children (birth to preschool) and their caregivers. No signup needed, just come ready to play! Questions? Contact Marie Laury, marielynnlaury@gmail.com



MEET THEM AT THE WELL

Walking with our Loved Ones who have left the Church



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SUNDAY, MARCH 2

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More Info:

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Southern Vic: Jennifer Meehan - 314.363.6945 or jmeehan@archstl.org



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Children's Liturgy of the Word

Each week a theme that correlates to the Sunday readings and Gospel is presented to the children using age appropriate materials. The children depart from the front of church after a blessing from the priest prior to the first reading, gather in the school building for the lesson, and return during offertory. Parents and students interested in helping or volunteering, please contact **Kristen Dawson** at 314-650-6721.



Need a Ride to Mass or a Holy Communion Visit

The Annunciation's Visiting Companions are people in our parish who volunteer to bring Holy Communion to home bound parishioners and are available to provide transportation to Mass. If you or any other parishioners need this help, please contact **Jill Prebil**, 314-603-0970 or jillauman0@gmail.com



Super Bowl Party on February 9 in the Annunciation Cafeteria

We will have fun for everyone with the big game on

the big screen. Doors open at 4 pm. Take your chances with \$1, \$5 and \$20 super bowl squares. Free game time munchies will also be available. And we will have tickets available for purchase of the new **Annunciation Parish Raffle**. The winner of this raffle will be drawn at our Fish Fry this Lent. Contact **Tim Rittenhouse**, ritt.n.house@gmail.com for more information. Don't miss it! All are invited!



Grief Support

All are invited to the Annunciation Grief Support Group meet on Mondays at 7pm in the Klocker House, 43 Short Ave. Has someone who you love died? Please join us.

We will meet on the 1st & 3rd Mondays in February. Everyone and their families are welcome. **Jeanne Place**, (314-420-5834) or **Mary Hittler**, (314-277-5116)

Feed the Homeless needs a casserole maker!

Our Annunciation Feed the Homeless Program needs a monthly casserole maker. Each casserole feeds 12 people and they are counting on us to provide that hot meal on our assigned day. The task of a casserole maker involves purchasing the ingredients, preparing, and freezing the casserole in advance of the drop off day. St. Patrick Center provides the specific casserole recipe, and the foil pan with a lid. It is the same recipe every month. On drop off day the frozen casserole is dropped off at 128 E. Glendale Rd. into a cooler labeled "Casseroles" between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. The next drop off day is Monday, February 10th.

Please contact Marty Useted at msuseted@gmail.com or 314-799-7613 to volunteer.

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EnergyCare Blanket Drive

Dear OLP Parishioners,

I have been handling the EnergyCare Blanket Drive for 24 years and Thursday, EnergyCare picked up 68 blankets, afghans, throws, and quilts which are desperately needed during this extremely cold winter weather. The folks who distribute our donations are overwhelmed by your constant generosity! Thank you for your positive energy, kindness, and openheartedness. It's what keeps us all going.

In faith, friendship and deep gratitude,

Laura Langhorst

Blood Drive Report- We Generously Answered the Call!

Many thanks to all the dedicated donors who came to give blood for the recent blood drive at Our Lady of Providence. Thanks, also, to all the prayer warriors who kept our drive in mind and heart. You are an essential contributor to our success, too. The report is in and we broke our regular parish blood drive record! There was a total of 45 units of whole blood and double red blood cells collected! You generously answered the call for blood donors, which allows Impact Life to send much needed blood to the Los Angeles area while keeping up with blood needs here in our area as well. Additionally, through Impact Life's Lifesavers Grant program, our school will receive about \$295 for classroom resources. Thank you! Thank you! What an amazing community we have!



SOULCORE at OLP Next SOULCOURE is

Friday, February 7.

SOULCORE is a movement to nourish body, mind, and soul while meditating on the life of Christ. It pairs core

strengthening, stretching, and functional movement with prayers of the rosary. No fitness level or experience required. All are welcome! When: **First Fridays of the month at 6 AM** in the Our Lady of Providence gym. There is no cost but a suggested donation of \$5-\$10 for those who are able. Dress in comfortable clothing or sportswear and bring a fitness mat, light hand weights optional. Questions: **Mary Randant** at 314-359-0576.

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Renew your Sacrament, deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, and rekindle your romance by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. The following upcoming weekends are available in 2025. Sign-up now as space is limited! For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call **Terry & Eric Engholm** at 314-649-7317.

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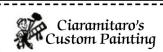
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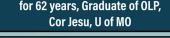
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