

# ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

3014 Oregon Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63118

*Served by the Missionaries of the Holy Family Since 1960*



**Fifteenth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
July 10, 2016**

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Members of St. Wenceslaus Parish are Christian People on a journey seeking companions to join us as we move toward our eternal goal. We strive to be a stabilizing and strengthening factor in our community by being a source of service and help to our neighbors. We invite others to join us in bringing their unique gifts, as together, we care, nurture and love one another. United by the love of Jesus Christ, we strive to be more fully connected with God's people everywhere.

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. James Wasser, M.S.F., Pastor

Deacon George W. Miller

Mr. Paul Jolly, Business Manager

Mr. Ron Williams, Parish Maintenance

Mr. Bob Bollinger, Parish Maintenance

### MASSES FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday 4:00 PM, Sunday 9:00 AM

### MASSES FOR WEEKDAYS

Monday thru Saturday, 7:45 AM in the Chapel

### MASSES FOR HOLYDAYS

8:00 AM and 6:00 PM (No Vigil Mass)

### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 3:00 - 3:30 PM. Anytime by appointment.

### BAPTISMS

Parents of children to be baptized must be practicing Catholics and registered in the parish. Please call the parish office for further information.

### WEDDINGS

Practicing Catholics, registered in the parish, must make arrangements six months before the wedding. No arrangement for a dinner or reception etc. may be made until after the Church has officially set a Wedding date.

### PARISH BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Tuesday - Friday - 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

12 Noon - 1:00 p.m. Closed

865-1020 FAX # 664-8260

PARISH HALL (On Event Nights) 865-1027

### SOUTH CITY DEANERY PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Nancy Haselhorst (314) 773-3070

### ST. FRANCES CABRINI ACADEMY 776-0883

### COMMUNION CALLS

To have Communion brought to your home contact the Parish Office.

**LADIES OF MARY** 1st Monday of Month 6:30 PM  
in the Parish Center

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Chapel

1st Wednesday (including Evening Prayer) at 6:00 p.m. in the Church

1st Saturday (including Morning Prayer) at 7:00 a.m. in the Church

**MEN'S CLUB** 1st Tuesday of Month 6:30 PM in the Parish Center

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

3rd Tuesday of Month 7:00 PM in the Parish Center

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

### PARISH WEB SITE ADDRESS:

[www.stwenceslaus.website](http://www.stwenceslaus.website)

**SEND BULLETIN INFORMATION TO:** [stwencebulletin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stwencebulletin@sbcglobal.net)

## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Christ Jesus...is the head of the body, the church.  
- Colossians 1:15, 18

### THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE

#### Saturday, July 9th

7:45 AM + Souls in Purgatory  
4:00 PM + Fr. Joe Roelke, M.S.F.

#### Sunday, July 10th

9:00 AM People of the Parish

#### Monday, July 11th

7:45 AM + Mary Jane Kubik

#### Tuesday, July 12th

7:45 AM + John Rothweil

#### Wednesday, July 13th

7:45 AM + Shirley Rancilio

#### Thursday, July 14th

7:45 AM + Marcella Keim

#### Friday, July 15th

7:45 AM + Charles Kubik, Sr.

#### Saturday, July 16th

7:45 AM + Mary Jane Kubik  
4:00 PM + Ed & + Rhoda McGrail

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Emmanuel Aziz, Sue Barnowski, Jerry Bielickie, Patricia Carr, Richard Carr, Jr., Dennis Curtis, Margie Sosa Delgado, Chris Doerr, Pat Feeler, Don Fielder, Jean Finn, Rosa Flores, Leon Frigillana, Mary Ann Gajdosik, Joshua Galaster, Lon Griffard, Ray Heine, Mary Henderson, June Hirlinger, Jody James, Margaret Kalbac, Marie Kellner, Patricia Kennedy, Dolores LaBruyere, Everleigh Lauber, Mary Helen Malle, Tom Malle, Mary Mattammal, Joyce McKiernan, Deacon George Miller, Carmelle Minton, Tom Moran, Krista Myers, Roberta Noeth, Silvia Osorio, Jim & Nancy Pender, Mary Pichler, Rosemary Pichler, Anna Pierce, Carol Plassmeyer, Ray Rancilio, Rosemary Rivituso, Bob Roelke, Clem Ruemker, Ariane Sery, Pat Thomas, Mary Ullo, Pat Wevers, Evelyn Williams, Marsha Williams, Eric Wolf, Fr. Jim Wuerth, M.S.F., Bill Zib

### REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the repose of the soul of parishioner **Jimmy Collins** who passed away recently. May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace!

Listen to Catholic Radio, **AM 1080 WRYT**. Hear live call-in shows, daily Holy Mass, and much more.

### WELCOME TO ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

We welcome all of our guests and parishioners here celebrating the Eucharist with us on the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

### Stewardship Prayer of the Faithful

That we may strive to be more like the Good Samaritan, helping those in need, without expecting anything in return.

### GO AND DO LIKEWISE

Miss Collins, the dean of students at Olympic High School, was past the point of scolding Matt, though she liked him very much. "Four detentions in two weeks are too many."

Still Matt wouldn't tell. It was only after Miss Collins went on a morning neighborhood patrol that she found out the real reason for Matt's tardiness. Thump, thump, thump, came the wheelchair down the stairs. It was Matt, steadying Shawnetta as he helped lower her down the stairs and then push her to the corner bus stop.

"She's a girl in my parish youth group," Matt explained to Miss Collins.

There are many ways to describe Matt's actions - a random act of kindness, making a difference one person at a time. Jesus would understand. When the lawyer correctly identified the Good Samaritan as the one who had treated the injured man with compassion, Jesus said simply, "Go and do likewise" (Luke 10:37).

### JULY MEETING

The Parish Pastoral Council **will not** meet during the month of July.

### UPCOMING EVENT

All men of the parish are invited to join our **Men's Club** for a Gateway Grizzlies baseball game on August 2nd. The cost is only \$11.00. Deadline for sign-up is July 12th. Contact Paul Jolly at the parish office, at 865-1020, if interested.

### 2016 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

To date, our parish has recorded pledges of **\$12,175.00** or 72% of our ACA challenge goal of \$17,003.00. Thank you to those who have generously donated.

There is still time to participate, if you have not done so. Matt & Barb Kellner, our ACA Chairpersons, will soon be contacting individuals who have not yet pledged. Please prayerfully consider making a gift to this year's campaign. Let's all work together to make the 2016 Challenge Goal a reality. Thank you!

JULY 10th, 2016

**GIFTS TO GOD & OUR PARISH**

<b>Last Week's Collection</b>	\$ 4,507.00
<b>Weekly Collection Goal</b>	\$ 3,035.00
<b>Average Collection Fiscal Year</b>	\$ 4,507.00
(Fiscal Year is July 2016 thru June 2017)	
Parish Appeal 2016	\$ 196.00
Maintenance	\$ 185.00
Food for the Poor SVDP	\$ 219.00

**Stewardship Reflection**

*“Jesus said to him, ‘Go and do likewise.’ ”*  
- Luke 10:37

This was Jesus’ command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. But did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other. The moral of the story is to love our neighbor, who may be someone you don’t know, someone that looks different than you or someone you don’t like, without expecting anything in return.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION**

Rev. Cesar Santa Cruz will be speaking at all Masses next weekend describing the work of and requesting support for his society, the **Missionary Fraternity of Mary**. Begun in 1981 as a youth ministry, the Fraternity was subsequently established as a Society for Apostolic Life in 1990. Over 150 ordained priests serve 64 missions in 31 dioceses in 11 countries. There are currently 170 seminarians in formation at the seminary in Guatemala. Fraternity mission sites serve where there are no clergy available to fulfill pastoral needs, in difficult economic areas, and among the poor and marginalized. Please welcome Fr. Santa Cruz and be as generous as you can.

**CABRINI NEWS**

St. Frances Cabrini Academy is now enrolling grades kindergarten through 8th. All grades are open until 25 spots are filled. Many grades are filling fast. A child needs to turn 5 on or before July 31st to enroll. Call 776-0883 or email [admissions@cabriniacademy.org](mailto:admissions@cabriniacademy.org).

**SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday:	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Benedict
Wednesday:	St. Henry
Thursday:	St. Kateri Tekakwitha
Friday:	St. Bonaventure
Saturday:	Our Lady of Mount Carmel; Blessed Virgin Mary

**MINISTER’S SCHEDULE**

\*\*\*\*\* SATURDAY, 07/16/16, at 4:00 PM \*\*\*\*\*

Greeters/Extraordinary Ministers:	Evelyn Reichert Charlie Reichert
To Choir & Disabled:	Dave Huelsing
Commentator & Lector:	Sister Lorraine
Server:	Dave Huelsing
Cantor:	Ed Koeninger
Musician:	Mary Martin

\*\*\*\*\* SUNDAY, 07/17/16, at 9:00 AM \*\*\*\*\*

Greeters/Extraordinary Ministers:	Rich Olliges Karen Holthaus
To Choir & Disabled:	Jan Harper
Commentator & Lector:	Terry Dabrowski
Server:	Ismael Aguayo
Cantors:	Stephanie Blosser & Andrea Harper
Musician:	John Harper

**MASS & FELLOWSHIP**

The Holy Family Prayer Association invites you and your family to join us for Mass at 6:30 p.m. next Wednesday, July 20th, at St. Wenceslaus. Light refreshments will be served following Mass in the Parish Center. Come and pray for your family and all families of the world. For more information, please call Maury Prater at 577-6300.

**WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016**

Join EWTN on an historic journey to Poland to celebrate the Lord’s mercy with Pope Francis and thousands of young adults. Coverage, July 27th - July 31st, includes on-location broadcasts of the events, plus interviews with Catholic youth and religious from around the world. You can find EWTN on your TV, radio, computer, and mobile device. For more information, call (205) 271-2900, or go to [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com).

**UPCOMING MEETING**

The Kick-off Meeting for this year’s **Fall Festival** will be held on Tuesday, July 19th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. All chairpersons, and anyone else interested in helping, are asked to attend.

**FR. JIM WASSER INSTALLATION**

Fr. Jim Wasser, M.S.F., will be officially installed as pastor of St. Wenceslaus Parish on **Sunday, July 31st**, at the 9:00 a.m. Mass by Fr. Carl Scheble, Dean of the South City Deanery and pastor of St. John the Baptist Parish in St. Louis. Please plan to attend this Mass and installation as we recognize and congratulate Fr. Jim Wasser on his appointment as pastor of St. Wenceslaus Parish.