

## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKENDS

Saturday at 4:30pm  
Sunday at 8:00am & 10:00am

### WEEKDAYS

Monday through Saturday 7:00am  
Monday - Thursday 8:00am  
No 8:00am Mass for Summer

### HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS

Check Bulletin For Mass Times

### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

There will be no Adoration or Benediction on the First Friday in July. First Friday Services will begin again in August. However, there will be adoration on the subsequent Tuesday of each month (without exposition), 7:00am to 2:30pm

### PERPETUAL HELP

#### DEVOTIONS

Tuesday mornings at 6:50am

### CONFESSIONS

15 minutes before 7:00am Mass on  
Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday;  
and 3:45pm to 4:20pm on  
Saturday

### ROSARY

Tuesdays at 7:00pm in Church

# SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

*July 8, 2018*



*Many who heard Jesus were astonished.  
They said,  
"Where did this man get all this?  
Is he not the carpenter,  
the son of Mary?"*

Mark 6:2,3

## PARISH INFORMATION

Registration of New Members: Please call the Parish Office to register.

Baptism: Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements for Baptismal instructions and to arrange a Baptismal date.

Marriage: Please contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the intended date to begin the Church process of marriage preparation.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.): Please call the Parish Office for information.

**ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
6047 BISHOPS PLACE • SAINT LOUIS, MO 63109**

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH**

**CLERGY & STAFF**

<b>Fr. John Mayo</b>	Pastor
	frjohn@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Msgr. Dennis Stehly</b>	Priest-In-Residence
	dennisstehly@archstl.org
<b>Deacon Ron Holmes</b>	Permanent Deacon and Pastoral Associate
	holmes@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Deacon Gerald J. Geiser</b>	Retired Deacon
<b>Dr. Nancy Deacon</b>	Music Director
	musicdirector@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Mrs. Diane Halbert</b>	Parish Office Manager
	halbert@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Mrs. Mickey Janos</b>	Admin. Assistant
	janos@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Mr. Robert Schlueter</b>	Maintenance
<b>Mr. Howard Adams</b>	Maintenance
<b>Mrs. Julie Hayes</b>	School Principal
	hayes@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Mrs. Linda Mechler</b>	School Secretary
	secretary@straphaelarchangel.org
<b>Mrs. Qi Franz</b>	Cafeteria Manager

<b>Parish Office</b>	314.352.8100
Fax	314.353.6603
<b>School</b>	314.352.9474
Fax	314.351.7477

**Website**  
straphaelarchangel.org

**Facebook**  
Saint Raphael the Archangel Parish and School

**Twitter**  
@SRAtoday

**MyParishApp**  
Text 'App' to 88202

**Monday, July 9**

7:00am - Church	Mass
7:00pm - Tobias Room	Parish Council
7:00pm - Guardian Angel	St. V. de Paul

**Tuesday, July 10**

7:00am - Church	Mass
7:00pm - Church	Rosary
7:00pm - Raphael Room	Knights of Columbus

**Wednesday, July 11**

7:00am - Church	Mass
9:00am - Quilters' Room	Quilters

**Thursday, July 12**

7:00am - Church	Mass
2:00pm - School	Dance Camp
7:00pm - Church	Contemporary Music
7:30pm - Guardian Angel	Men's Prayer Group

**Friday, July 13**

7:00am - Church	Mass
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**Saturday, July 14**

7:00am - Church	Mass
4:30pm - Church	Mass

**Sunday, July 15**

8:00am - Church	Mass
10:00am - Church	Mass
5:00pm - Gym	2-on-2 Tournament



## CYC ADULT AND YOUTH SOCCER REFEREES NEEDED

The South Central CYC is in need of soccer referees for the upcoming fall soccer season. The requirements for NEW referees for this PAID position are as follows:

- Must be 14 years old by August 1, 2018.
- Attend classroom clinic on EITHER Wednesday 7/18 OR Sunday 7/29 at Sacred Heart – Valley Park from 6-10pm (use gym entrance; session will be held in the Great Hall).
- Attend field training on EITHER Wednesday 8/1 from 6-7:30pm OR Saturday 8/18 from 9-10:30am at Memorial field in Webster Groves (corner of S. Elm and E. Glendale).
- Bring Cash/Check/Credit Card to purchase referee jersey/pea-less whistle and lanyard/data wallet with pad and red and yellow cards. Striped referee socks will also be available for purchase.
- Receive a score of 92% or above on the 2018 Soccer Official's Test.
- Must meet additional archdiocesan requirements if 18 years of age.

Returning referees must also receive a score of 92% or above on the 2018 Soccer Official's Test and are encouraged to attend a classroom clinic and on-field training. Classroom clinic is required for returning referees that score <92% on the official's test.

Pay ranges from \$15/game for K-2 games to \$30/game for 7th-8th grade games. Information can be found at [cycsouthcentral.net](http://cycsouthcentral.net) (select soccer and then officiating).

To register, contact Referee Coordinator Melanie Sullivan at [melaniesullivan9135@gmail.com](mailto:melaniesullivan9135@gmail.com) or leave a message at 314.783.6249.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, August 12  
Wednesday, August 15  
Saturday, August 18

Back-to-School Sunday  
First Day of School  
Watermelon Festival

The logo for the Watermelon Festival features the word "WATERMELON" in a red, blocky font with a watermelon slice graphic integrated into the letter 'A'. Below it, the word "FESTIVAL" is written in a green, blocky font.

### SEEKING VOLUNTEERS!

SRA's Home and School Association (HSA) is seeking volunteers to chair the Watermelon Festival this year on Saturday, August 18. This is your chance to get involved in one of our most-beloved traditions! Interested parties should contact the HSA Volunteer Coordinator, Stephanie Kamp, at [stephaniekamp22@hotmail.com](mailto:stephaniekamp22@hotmail.com).

It's that time again...Our bulletin advertising representative, Dan Brady, will be selling ads for our

weekly bulletin. Feel free to call Dan at 314.443.8804 or email him at [bradyd@jspaluch.com](mailto:bradyd@jspaluch.com) if you are interested in advertising in the weekly bulletin. Please remember these ads help pay for the bulletin and other benefits from J. S. Paluch. Thank you for your continued support.



**SERVERS FOR JULY 9-15, 2018**

**Monday, July 9**

7:00am Lydia Bick Ava Stolte

**Tuesday, July 10**

7:00am William Hotze Isabella Pfeiffer

**Wednesday, July 11**

7:00am Anna-Grace Guenther Cate Guenther

**Thursday, July 12**

7:00am Henry Cyr Mateo Switzer

**Friday, July 13**

7:00am Flora Borowiak Andrew Kellar

**Saturday, July 14**

7:00am Jovie Mersinger Cillian Sheehan  
 4:30pm Nahima Ramirez Gavin Smith  
 Christian Concepcion

**Sunday, July 15**

8:00am Flora Borowiak Jack Stein  
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 10:00am Abby Delf Ava Stolte  
 Isabella Pfeiffer

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK**

**Sunday, July 8**

8:00am Pauline Zagroba  
 10:00am Jean Bolte

**Monday, July 9**

7:00am Haberberger-Saracino Families

**Tuesday, July 10**

7:00 am Dorothy Wamser

**Wednesday, July 11**

7:00am Trokey Family

**Thursday, July 12**

7:00am Arthur English

**Friday, July 13**

7:00am Don Deachan

**Saturday, July 14**

7:00am Marilyn Parker, SI  
 4:30pm People of the Parish



**WEEKEND OF JULY 14-15, 2018**

**4:30pm                      8:00am                      10:00am**

**LECTORS:**

Ron Goedecker                      Kevin Liddy                      Frosty Hodes

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

Kathy Steck	Carol Hughes	Ann Grabian
Pam Hager	Kevin Liddy	Tom Yehlen
Kathe Berger	Mary Niemeyer	Dennis Matreci
Nancy McCarthy	Joyce Holmes	Carolyn Skidmore
Gina Horas	Mary Reck	Greg Divis
Brian McCarthy	Barbara Cramer	Karen Divis

**CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JUNE 30-JULY 1, 2018**

Sunday Collection	\$ 5,965
Online Giving	\$ 1,562
<b>Weekly Total Collection</b>	<b>\$ 7,527</b>
<b>Weekly Budget Goal</b>	<b>\$ 9,000</b>
<b>Fiscal Year-To-Date Goal</b>	<b>\$445,000</b>
<b>Fiscal Year-To-Date Actual</b>	<b>\$374,176</b>
<b>Shortfall</b>	<b>\$ 70,824</b>

Online giving is fast, easy and convenient. Go to: [straphaelarchangel.org/online-giving](http://straphaelarchangel.org/online-giving). It's quick and simple to sign up!





## KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

The process for the 2018-2019 Kindergarten registration is now open. Children who are to be registered must be 5 years old by July 31, 2018. If you are interested in touring our school or would like to request a packet of information and the registration form, please call the School Office at 314.352.9474. Registration packets may also be mailed if requested.

## Pre-K At SRA

We offer a Kindergarten readiness curriculum for children 3 to 5 years of age. We have 2 classrooms that each have 1 full-time lead teacher and 1 full-time assistant. We also have a part-time aide between the 2 classes. We offer a place for children to LAUGH, LOVE and LEARN in a loving environment that allows them to explore, experiment and create! We offer very flexible options of full or half days, as well as aftercare available until 6 pm. We are now accepting registrations for the 2018-2019 school year. Please contact Ms. Chris at [federspeil@straphaelarchangel.org](mailto:federspeil@straphaelarchangel.org) to schedule a tour or receive more information.

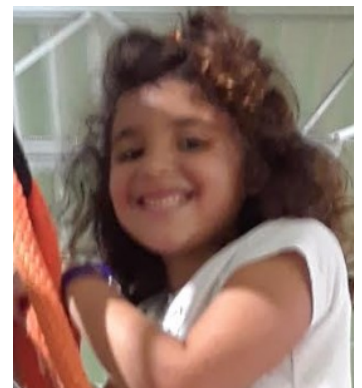


We are half way done with summer camp. It is hard to believe that we will be going back to school soon. This week was Big Game Week and the kids brought bikes and scooters to ride around the parking lot. They had an obstacle course to follow and street signs. Let's just say they need a little more practice before they hit the streets. We went to Rockin' Jump for a field trip and they had a blast jumping and climbing on the different attractions.

Thank you and God bless you, Molly Indelicato.



# SUMMER CAMP WEEK 4



## Father John's Digital Quill for Spiritual Musings and Parish News

### From the *Book of Ecclesiastes*

This book from the Bible is famous for its saying that there is a time for everything under the sun. This column is written in this spirit.

### A Time to Greet

Again, I want to thank you for the warm greeting I have received here. It is quite humbling to be so received. Please be patient as I continue to work on names and faces.

### A Time to Work

I also want to thank the many committees that I have met with and the people who have adjusted their schedules to make these meetings possible. St. Raphael is a great parish and it is interesting, fun, and exciting to hear about our parish and the great possibilities ahead of us.

### A Time to Meet

I also want to encourage school families, especially those needing to make special arrangements for tuition, or who believe the dream of a Catholic education is not within reach for them, to call or e-mail me for a meeting later in July. My goal is to make sure each child who wants to attend Catholic school can be part of our community. I only ask that you come and be willing to make a sacrifice according to your means to make this dream a reality.

### A Time to be Contacted

In my first week, I have setup the voicemail on my office phone to go to a number that I can access from my cell phone. Certainly, if there is an emergency that requires me immediately, this will ensure that I will be able to get the message faster, as well as be able to check messages while away from the parish.

### A Time to Greet

I am working too to begin a schedule that will enable me to visit the shut-ins of our parish as well. If you or a loved one would like a visit, either at home or at an assisted living or nursing home facility, please call or e-mail me. Also, please remember to contact the parish if you or a loved one

is in the hospital, as many times HIPPA laws will not permit the hospital to contact the parish. It is never inconvenient to let me know you need a visit. That is why I became a priest. We will find a time that works for both of us and go from there.

### A Time to be Grateful

Thank you to the Delf and Niebling families for hosting the 2018 Croquet Tournament. Unfortunately, I did not find the (still) hidden sport that I can turn professional with, but we had a good time and a good game. May God reward you for your generosity and thank you, too, for all who came and played, watched, and ate!

### A Time to Rest

One of the hard things about being a diocesan priest is you do not know when you will be transferred. This year, I scheduled my vacation starting this Sunday and returning the 19. I do apologize for just getting here and leaving already. I want to thank Monsignor Stehly and the entire parish staff for holding down the fort and being so gracious about this inconvenience. Know that I will be checking e-mail while I am gone if you do need to get ahold of me during this time.

I will see you in Church! - Fr. John #SRAstrong  
St. Raphael the Archangel, pray for us!



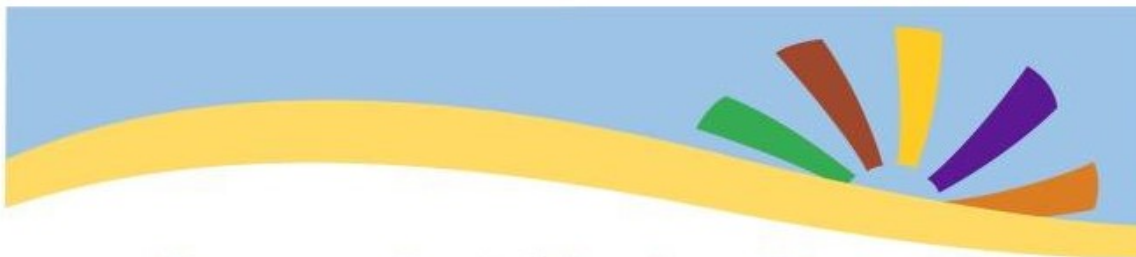


**SAVE THE DATE!!!!!!!!!!**

**Black and Gold Dinner Auction  
Saturday, November 3**

**Preview Night  
Friday, November 2**

**More information to come!**



## Summer Social Justice Cinema

Sponsored by  
Gethsemane Lutheran  
Hope United Church of Christ  
St. Mark's Episcopal  
St. Raphael the Archangel



Wednesday, July 25                      7:00pm

“A Place at the Table” - An examination of the issue of hunger in America

Shown at Hope UCC, Tamm & Eichelberger

Tuesday, August 21                      7:00pm

A movie about immigrants and refugees

Shown at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 4712 Clifton

Come to one; come to all! Movie, discussion and popcorn!

### LADIES' CLUB

Please join the Ladies' Club on Thursday, July 19 at 7:00pm to catch the Cardinals play the Cubs on the big screen. We will meet in the cafeteria for dinner, drinks, and fellowship. Main course to be provided. Sides and desserts are appreciated.

### FROM ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

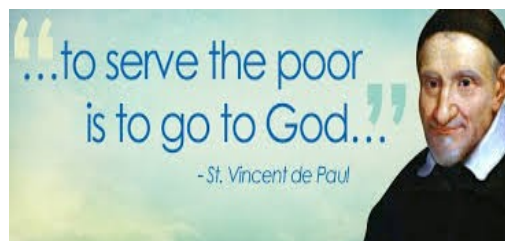
In today's Gospel the people ask: "How is it such miraculous deeds are accomplished by his hands?" Because of your gifts to the Society many "miraculous deeds" are accomplished for the poor. This week, put a gift in the St. Vincent de Paul envelope, knowing that through your kindness someone who is suffering will be touched by God in a miraculous way.



### CALL FOR TROOP 500 ALUMNI!

The Scouts of SRA are compiling a list of Eagle Scouts and former Scoutmasters of Troop 500. If you or your son or relative was a Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, or Eagle Scout, please drop an

email to Tom Finan at [thomas.finan@slu.edu](mailto:thomas.finan@slu.edu).



### ST. RAPHAEL WOMEN – SAVE THE DATE NOVEMBER 10 FOR A WOMEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION HERE IN OUR CHURCH WITH DONNA CORI GIBSON (SPONSORED BY ST. RAPHAEL LADIES' CLUB AND WOMEN'S FAITH SHARING)

After years of working in New York as a professional, singer, songwriter, and studio musician, Donna now lives in the Midwest, far from the secular scene. Donna has been sharing her songs, sung prayers, and meditations via Golden Arrow Catholic Music and Media in Catholic churches and prayer groups, and on TV for 22 years. She is a repeating guest at many conferences and events from coast to coast. She can be heard in interview and song on Catholic radio stations across the nation and worldwide on Mother Angelica's EWTN Global Catholic Network, and sister short-wave station WEWN. Donna is featured in numerous television programs, including EWTN's "Life on the Rock" and "Backstage," NY's Prayer Channel and Shalome World Catholic TV. All the songs from her "Divine Mercy Prayers" CD are featured on the audio version of St. Faustina's Diary produced by the Congregation of Marians of the Immaculate Conception of Stockbridge, MA.

We were lucky enough to book Donna for a Day of Reflection as soon as she moved to the Midwest because her schedule fills quickly.

So, watch future bulletins for more details. The day will be open to all St. Raphael women and any of your neighbors, family and friends. Please begin praying now for the success of the day and the benefits it will have for all the women in attendance.





The parish Annual Catholic Appeal drive has now ended. However, those who have not completed their pledge cards can still do so and return them to the parish office or place them in the collection basket. The official total for our parish will not be available until the end of August. Again, thanks to all who have so generously contributed to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal.

The ACA Committee



**CONGRATULATIONS, SRA!**

Our beautiful church grounds won the St. Louis Hills Lawn and Garden Award! Thanks to Mr. Bob, Howard Adams, Pat Coppinger, and Matt Borowiak and all those who have helped make our grounds beautiful.



*WICKETS CLUB  
2018*





# Saint Louis LIFETEEN

## ATTENTION ALL SRA EIGHTH GRADERS AND HIGH SCHOOLERS

This week we have the privilege of participating in the Totus Tuus High School programming and will NOT have our regularly scheduled meeting. Please see [saintlouislifeteen.org](http://saintlouislifeteen.org) for more information.

**Marianist Retreat**  **Conference Center**

## 8 DAY DIRECTED RETREAT

July 15 - July 22, 2018

July 15 - 22

8, 7, 6, 5 or 4 Day Silent Retreat

A Directed Retreat is a quiet, private retreat. This experience invites people to leave the busyness and noise of daily life behind, enter into deep quiet, and encounter the voice of God.

\$70 Per Day

Register at [mretreat.org](http://mretreat.org)  
Marianist Retreat Conference Center  
4000 Highway 109, Eureka, MO  
636.938.5390  
Email: [info@mretreat.org](mailto:info@mretreat.org)

## 55 AND OVER? WANT TO HAVE FUN?

Join the St. Dominic Savio VIP Club. The Club meets at 12:30 pm on the 4th Sunday of every month in St. Dominic Savio's school cafeteria. For more information or to make reservations, please call 314.351.4088 or 314.504.6206.

## EPIPHANY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Epiphany Parish is hosting a Vacation Bible School this July and is in need of volunteers! Middle school and high school students especially are encouraged to join the team. All volunteers over age 18 must have completed required child-safety training. The VBS, Splash Canyon, will run the week of July 16-20 from 7:45am-11:30am for kids ages 4-10. Registration for participants is available online at [epiphanystl.org/vacation-bible-school](http://epiphanystl.org/vacation-bible-school). Teens and adults who are willing to assist can contact Kathy Corich at [kfcorich@yahoo.com](mailto:kfcorich@yahoo.com).



ST. LOUIS HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD  
SAFETY COMMITTEE

If you are interested in preventing crime or promoting safety in St. Louis Hills, please email us at:

[Safety\\_Committee@stlhills.com](mailto:Safety_Committee@stlhills.com).

## OUR LADY OF SORROWS PRESENTS ON THE AIR...CHANNEL SURFIN'

Performances will be July 19, 20 and 21 at 7:30 pm and Sunday July 22 at 2:00pm. Cost is \$7.00 per person for all ages. The show will feature memories from television shows and commercials. Reservations can be made by calling 314.650.9394.

Reserved tickets must be paid in full no later than Wednesday, July 18. Any unpaid tickets will be released. Tickets can be purchased/paid after weekend Masses on July 7-8 and July 14-15. Tickets that have verified payment can be picked up before each performance and admission can also be purchased at that time. Refreshments will be sold before the show begins and again at intermission.

**DON'T FORGET MASS WHILE  
ON VACATION...  
CATHOLICSCOMEHOME.ORG  
PARISH FINDER**

