

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKENDS

Saturday at 4:30pm

Sunday at 8:00am & 10:00am

WEEKDAYS

Monday through Saturday 7:00am

Monday - Thursday 8:00am

CONFESSIONS

15 minutes before 7:00am Mass on

Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday

Saturday 3:45pm to 4:20pm

Confessions also available by
appointment.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

First Friday of each month (with
exposition) following 7:00am Mass
concluding at 2:00pm with Benediction
Subsequent Tuesday of each month
(without exposition) 7:30am to 2:30pm

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday mornings at 6:50am

ROSARY

Tuesday at 7:00pm in Church

BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office to make
arrangements.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the pastor at least six
months prior to the intended date.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC

Please contact the parish office.

SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

JUNE 16, 2019



*O Lord our God,
how wonderful your name in all the earth!*

Psalm 8:2

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the parish of Saint Raphael the Archangel, celebrate Jesus as the center of our life. Through our active participation in the Eucharist, we strive to recognize Jesus in our daily lives and the lives of others. Our commitment is to grow as a parish family, and live this through our religious, educational, social and civic involvements, witnessing to all, our faith in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit."

CLERGY & STAFF

Fr. John Mayo Pastor
fjohn@straphaelarchangel.org

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CONNECT WITH US!

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Finance Council Joseph Cyr 314.335.7322

A PRAYER BEFORE HOLY MASS

Heavenly Father: I, your unworthy servant, come to worship You in this Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. By Your grace, kindly help me to listen attentively, pray devoutly, and receive worthily the Sacred Body and Blood of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. May Your Holy Spirit open the eyes of my heart to perceive more fully the great Mystery that takes place on the sacred altar. At this Holy Mass, I wish to pray in particular for the following intentions: (*here name them*). Amen.

**THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH
JUNE 17-23, 2019**

Monday, June 17

7:00am - Church Mass
7:00pm - Tobias Room N.E.X.T. Meeting
7:00pm - Cafeteria Scouts

Tuesday, June 18

7:00am - Church Mass
8:00am - Cafeteria Prof. Development
1:30pm - Church Lectio Group
7:00pm - Church Rosary Recitation
7:00pm - Cafeteria Men's Club Meeting
7:30pm - Tobias Room Prayerful Scripture

Wednesday, June 19

7:00am - Church Mass
8:00am - Cafeteria Prof. Development
9:00am - Quilter's Room Quilters
7:00pm - Parish Office Parish Council
Discernment

Thursday, June 20

7:00am - Church Mass
8:00am - Cafeteria Prof. Development
2:00pm - School Dance Class
6:00pm - Parish Office Finance Council
7:00pm - Cafeteria Ladies' Club Meeting

Friday, June 21

7:00am - Church Mass

Saturday, June 22

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

Sunday, June 23

8:00am - Church Mass
10:00am - Church Mass
12:00pm - Gym 5th Gr. Boys Basketball



Visit catholicscomehome.org and click on "find your parish" on the right side of the page to locate a Catholic church nearest to your summer destination!

Fr. John's Digital Quill for Spiritual Musings and Parish News

50 and Beyond Campaign Update

Since I arrived nearly a year ago here at St. Raphael the Archangel, I have taken time to study the capital campaign. As part of the 50 and Beyond Campaign, St. Raphael the Archangel made a commitment to replace the roof of the church and cited a cost of \$150,000 for this expense.

As our Maintenance Committee has begun to meet and examine our facilities, we noticed that the shingled roof on the pitched areas were in poor condition. Several contractors that have looked at the church and school roofs have noticed the school roof is in more critical condition and needs immediate attention.

This need does make sense. When Msgr. William Drennan was pastor, he replaced the roof on the school and the church at about the same time. It makes sense, then, that both roofs would now be due for replacement.

After receiving bids, we believe that we can replace the roof on the church and the school for about \$150,000. We may need to look for ways to fund replacement of the roof on the rectory and minorly supplement the church, but we believe this is all doable. We also know that the school roof is at a state that waiting for replacement is not an option without risking water damage to the school. The roof on the church has been given at least 2-3 more years of life, depending on which contractor you speak with.

I am thus writing and announcing my intention to use part of the 50 and Beyond Campaign funds that were designated for the church roof for the replacement of the shingled sections of the school roof this summer. After this project is paid for, we will look to next spring or summer to replace the roof on the church and then to proceed with any needed plaster repairs and repainting of the church.

Since this project was not part of the original campaign, you may elect not to have your monies used for this project. If this is your intention, please call the parish office so that we may set your funds aside for the projects on the church that will take place after the school roof project.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

This fall, we will begin another journey in faith. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a great way to grow closer to Christ and to learn about the Catholic faith. If you are not Catholic or have not completed your sacraments in the Church, take this time over the summer to ask in prayer if God is calling you to journey through the RCIA beginning this fall.

Development Committee Update

Thank you to all of those who came to our meetings this week or have submitted ideas to us. We look forward to reviewing them and soon unveiling some great new events to benefit our school.

One question that was asked this week stood out to me...why do we need new events? Do we not do events for our school already?

The only two events that go directly to benefit the school are the Angel Appeal and the Dinner Auction. The picnic benefits the parish. Many of the other events, including the Cornhole Tournament, Quarter Auction, dinner nights at a restaurant, and the trivia night, benefit the Men's Club, Ladies' Club, 8th grade class activities, and the school's Home and School Association, respectively. These monies are truly theirs to fulfill the purposes set out in their charters. Each of these groups fulfill these charges while being very generous to our school and parish, for which we are truly grateful.

Our Development Committee is seeking to develop events that will directly affect the school in two ways. First, to help fund the gap between the cost of tuition and the actual cost of educating a student at SRA School. When tuition was introduced in Catholic schools in the 1990s, it was understood that families would still need to help make up the gap between tuition and the actual cost of education. Back then, this part of the message was largely missed in the Archdiocese. Second, to help keep the cost of tuition increases at a reasonable level. This year, we had to pass a 5% increase in the grade school and an 8% increase in the pre-school. Our school families have been very understanding about this. We cannot do such increments each year; we have to keep increases between 2-3% per year. This will keep the increase more in line with a family's income.

We are grateful then for our Development Committee and the energy and enthusiasm of many to take on creating and running new events to achieve these goals for our school. We hope you will find them interesting and attend one soon!

In Gratitude

Thank you to all of those who helped to setup for our Corpus Christi Procession last week, to our beautiful choir for singing, and to all those who attended. I was impressed by the attendance and reverence of everyone who came for this event. May the Lord reward you!



Mass INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 16

8:00am Neil Svetanics
10:00am Marcia Matreci

Monday, June 17

7:00am Bill Goeddel

Tuesday, June 18

7:00am Ernie Winkelmann

Wednesday, June 19

7:00am John Gubser

Thursday, June 20

7:00am Don Deachan

Friday, June 21

7:00am Elizabeth Cramer

Saturday, June 22

7:00am Ernie J. Winkelmann
4:30pm People of the Parish

Sunday, June 23

8:00am In Thanksgiving
10:00am Joseph Grana



Amazon Smile Update

Thank you to all of those who support our parish on Amazon. This quarter, we received \$73.69 from Amazon in donations.

If you have not begun to use this benefit yet, it is easy to begin. Shop at smile.Amazon.com, making sure you have selected St. Raphael the Archangel. If you are like me and forget, fill your cart at Amazon and then, before placing your order, just go to smile.Amazon.com. Your cart will automatically transfer over and SRA will get the donation!

This is my last week here before I leave for retreat. I appreciate all of the thoughts and prayers over these weeks of preparation and everyone's patience this week as I try to attend to all of the last minute details before leaving.

I will see you in Church! -Fr. John
#SRAstrong

**INTRODUCING THE SRA
RELIGIOUS LIBRARY!**



We are happy to introduce, starting this weekend, the St. Raphael the Archangel Religious Library, located in the Highfield vestibule. This library will be a resource for our Parish to deepen our knowledge of faith and our love for God.

The library will work by donations. Please place any books on faith that you would like to donate to the Library on top of the bookcase. After they are checked in, you are free to take a book from one of the shelves. When you have completed it, please return the book to the top of the bookcase.

We hope that you will donate a book soon and also take one home to read that will be a blessing in your life! Thank you.

QUILT RAFFLE

The SRA Quilters will be raffling off a beautiful, handmade quilt in the near future. Watch your mailbox for an opportunity to purchase raffle tickets or, for more information, please call the parish office at 314.352.8100.

ALTAR SERVERS

SERVERS FOR JUNE 17-23, 2019

Monday, June 17

7:00am Flora Borowiak Claire Fuhr

Tuesday, June 18

7:00am William Hotze Steven Irons

Wednesday, June 19

7:00am Nahima Ramirez Dalila Ramirez

Thursday, June 20

7:00am Flora Borowiak Justin Wingron

Friday, June 21

7:00am Lucas Feldman Andrew Kellar

Saturday, June 22

7:00am Ryan Pinkerton Alex Atchison
4:30pm Addison Berta Thad Berta
Matthew Franz

Sunday, June 23

8:00am Brendan Cierpiot Charlie Dirnbeck
Madalene Cierpiot
10:00am Nahima Ramirez Brandon Young
Dalila Ramirez

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth..." (John 16:13)

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. We should develop a daily prayer routine, to talk and listen to the Holy Spirit. This is best done in silence, when we can hear His response.

EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINE

Due to the July 4 holiday, the bulletin for Sunday, July 7, needs to be submitted early. Therefore, please send any items no later than Monday, June 24. Thank you.

MINISTERS/LECTORS FOR THE WEEKEND OF

JUNE 22-23, 2019

LECTORS

4:30pm

8:00am

10:00am

Ron Goedecker

Lorraine Gurley

Denise Howard

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Bob Ahrens Lorraine Gurley Joe Zulich

Maureen Ahrens Sue Lawton Dan Harbaugh

George Kerry Amy Ruggeri Amy Schisler

Margie Auer Rosita Koehler Anna Skidmore

Matt Fuhr Christy Connor

Tony Mariani Kerry Deacon

Your Contributions to God and Parish

June 9, 2019

(Envelopes Used)

This Week

FY to Date

Regular Env. (78)	\$ 2,990.00	\$ 233,802.00
Loose Money	\$ 1,582.00	\$ 51,519.00
School Tuition Asst.	\$ 20.00	\$ 4,947.00
Building Fund	\$ 195.00	\$ 7,012.00
Holy Days	\$ 46.00	\$ 9,202.00
Online Giving (38)	\$ 1,095.00	\$ 99,616.00

Altar Flowers \$ 10.00

Cardinal Glennon (\$ 145.00)

Tithing-Concern for the Poor (\$ 55.00)

Peter's Pence (\$ 55.00)

Catholic Comm. (\$ 194.00)

Latin America (\$ 1.00)

ProLife (\$ 1.00)

Grand Total \$ 6,389.00

Total for Parish \$ 5,938.00

Amount Needed \$ 9,000.00 \$ 442,000.00

Difference (\$3,062.00) (\$ 38,733.00)

PRINCESS DANCE CAMP AT SAINT RAPHAEL

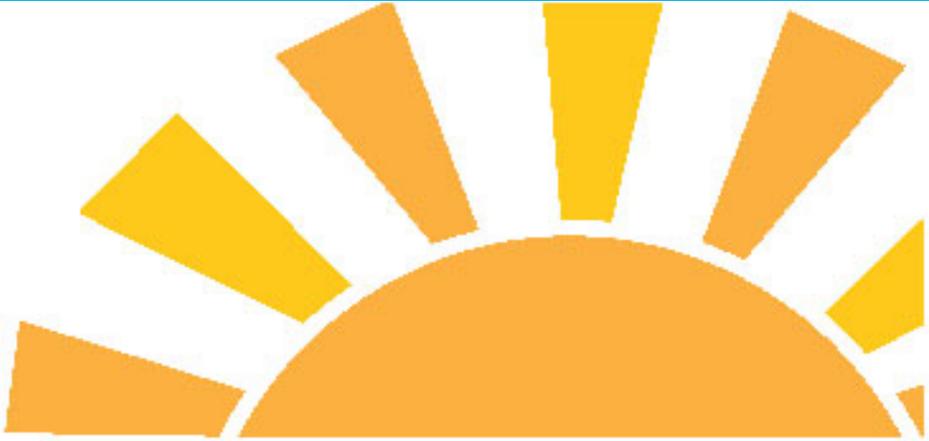
Summer Dance on Thursdays - June 6 - July 25

2:00pm to 2:45pm - Six Classes \$60

Offering: Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Pom, Musical Theater, and Hip Hop

Preschool - 5th Grade

Please contact Miss Tina for more information at 314.680.2613



ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

SUMMER CAMP

Come join the fun at S.R.A. summer camp! Enjoy all our theme weeks or pick your favorite. Join our young and energetic camp counselors for Water Wednesdays, Field trip Fridays, Cooking, sports and much more. **MAKE IT A SUMMER TO REMEMBER!!**

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

June 3rd – 7th WILD WEST
June 10th – 14th SURVIVOR WEEK
June 17th – 21st PIRATES COVE
June 24th – 28th V.B.S.
July 1st – 5th REACH FOR THE STARS
(closed 4th&5th, half price)
July 8th – 12th SHARK TANK WEEK
July 15th - 19th ART THROUGH THE AGES
July 22nd- 26th MAD SCIENTIST

**FOR CHILDREN FROM 3 YRS
TO 5TH GRADE**

**FULL DAY: 7:30 - 3:00
HALF DAY: 7:30 - 11:30**

**QUESTIONS? CALL MOLLY INDELICATO AT 314-606-5264 OR
EMAIL INDELICATO@STRAPHAELARCHANGEL.ORG**

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT WWW.STRAPHAELARCHANGEL.ORG



St. Raphael House Flag & Garden Flag

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____
 E-mail: _____

- Garden-size Flag 12" x 18" \$18
- House-Size Flag 28" x 40" \$18
- Metal Garden Flag Stand \$10

Please make checks payable to SRA HSA with this form.
 Please place in collection basket. Flags will be delivered
 to your home or arrangements can be made for pickup.



Summer Camp started out with a great group of kids and a lot of fun. The theme was Western Week and we had some fun making horses and hats, lassoing some horses and visiting the History Museum. The big kids and little ones get along great and we have fun playing together. Next week will be SURVIVAL!!! Thank you and God bless everyone.



Prayerful Scripture Reading

All are welcome to join us on Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm in the lower level of the parish office to prayerfully read and reflect on the Scripture readings for the coming Sunday.

Learn to dive into the Scriptures and picture yourself in the places and events you read about. Hear what the Scriptures that were written so long ago have to say to you about your life right here and now. Take the time to meditate on what you're reading and let it form a prayer in your heart that will bring you to put your faith into action.

Bring your Bible and a prayerful spirit. Questions, please contact Sue Brandt at 314.704.5304 or sbrandtstl@gmail.com.

SRA CONTEMPORARY CHOIR NEWS

The SRA Contemporary Choir (SPN @ SRA) will be singing at the Annual Outdoor Novena to Our Lady of Mount Carmel on Saturday, July 20, at 8:00pm. Prelude starts at 7:45pm.

Please join us in worship at this sacred event located at Carmelite Monastery, 9150 Clayton Road, 63124.

FROM ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity, we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. If we believe in this mystery we can then reflect thanksgiving and praise. Is there a family who needs assistance? Please have them call the parish office staff who will refer the information to an SRA member of the Society, so that together we can help those who are suffering.

WEDDING BANNS II

There is a promise of marriage between Amanda Imo and Josh Knauer to take place at St. Raphael on Saturday, June 29, 2019.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Friday, June 28th, 2019 St. Clement of Rome Parish The Festival of our Lord's Love Fun for the entire family!

4:30pm-5:30pm: Exposition/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:30pm: Celebration of Holy Mass, Fr. Anthony Wieck, SJ
- to include optional Enthronement of families to the Most Sacred Heart

6:30pm: Dinner and Social (pizza, salad and cookies
*free will offering)

7:00pm: Reflection led by Fr. Wieck, SJ

Bounce House, Petting Zoo, Face Painting and Climbing Wall!!
(Babysitting for little ones will be available during Reflection.)

St Clement of Rome Parish
1510 Bopp Rd
St Louis, MO 63131

ATTENTION, SRA ALUMNI!

SRA is continuing to look for all alumni. Therefore, please send your name, address, and e-mail address to Jennifer Delf at alums@straphaelarchangel.org or you can call the parish office at 314.352.8100.



Dear Families,

Big changes are coming to the Box Tops for Education Program, and you're the first to know!

Over the summer, you'll begin to see some participating brands change their packaging from the traditional Box Tops clip to the new Box Tops label.



SEE THIS...
CLIP IT



SEE THIS...
SCAN YOUR RECEIPT

Going forward, instead of clipping from packages and checking expiration dates, all Box Tops will be earned digitally by scanning your receipt. The Box Tops for Education team is hard at work building a NEW-and-improved, user-friendly Box Tops mobile app that will be ready this summer.

The new app will feature state-of-the-art technology that allows you to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online.

WHEN THE NEW APP LAUNCHES, BE SURE TO DOWNLOAD IT OR UPDATE YOUR EXISTING APP:



As we mentioned above, some brands have already started to update their packaging in advance. Until the new app launches, if you see the new Box Tops label on packages, you can use the current Box Tops Bonus App to earn Box Tops for that product. Simply download the app, select the bonus offer for the product you've purchased and scan your receipt to earn.

If you still have traditional Box Tops clips at home, be sure to send them to school. We will still earn cash for all clipped Box Tops until they expire. Better yet, once the new app launches, you can "double dip" during the packaging transition by clipping the traditional Box Tops AND scanning your store receipt containing participating products.

Thanks for helping our school get what it needs!

PAINTING THE SCHOOL

This Friday and Saturday, June 21 and 22, join us as we begin to beautify our school with a fresh coat of paint! We will be painting the K-3rd grade rooms, two stairwells, and a hallway as well, if we get enough volunteers. We will be painting on Friday, June 21, from 3:00pm-9:00pm and on Saturday, June 22, from 8:00am-4:00pm. Please see the Flocknote that went out this past week for a Signup Genius to sign up to help or just stop by. We will also have food and refreshments. Hope to see you there!

CATECHISTS NEEDED

The South City Deanery PSR is in need of catechists and substitutes. Classes meet on Monday evenings throughout the school year. If you are a practicing Catholic who has a desire to share your faith and you are interested in this ministry, please contact Nancy Haselhorst at 314.773.3070 or by email at stl.scdpsr@gmail.com.

SEPARATED, DIVORCED, WIDOWED, OR REMARRIED CATHOLICS (SCDC) OF ALL AGES, JOIN AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS!

Thursday, June 27
7:00pm
Music and Refreshments
St. Catherine Labouré
9740 Sappington Road

For more information, please call Michelle Wack at 314.540.7400 or Bill DeCoursey at 314.894.0733.

THE VOCATION CHALICE

Please consider taking the Vocation Chalice into your home for a week. During that week, the host family will be asked to pray for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Religious Life. To learn more about the program, contact a member of the St. Raphael Serra Committee: Barb Cramer, George Kerry, Bob Ahrens, or Bart Saracino. To sign up for a week, please call Maureen Ahrens at 314.353.8444 or email at reahrens40@att.net.



ATTENTION, ALL 8TH GRADERS AND HIGH SCHOOLERS!

Please join us this Wednesday, June 19, from 7-9:00pm at Bishop DuBourg for our "What I Wish I Knew" summer series as we hear from Fr. Charlie Samson. Please see saintlouislifeteen.org for more information.

Sharing in God's Love for His Priests An Evening of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests



Holy Hour, Mass and Talk by Reverend Kristian Teater

Kenrick-Glennon Seminary
5200 Glennon Dr,
Shrewsbury, MO 63119

Friday, June 28, 2019

On the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests

5:30 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and other prayers for Priests

6:30 pm Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

7:15pm Talk by Fr. Kristian Teater

8:00pm Light Reception

Free, for details and to Register

go to www.stspiritualmotherhoodforpriests.com,

Email smpfstl@gmail.com, or Call 314-275-0890.

-Sponsored by the Apostolate of Spiritual Motherhood for the Sanctification of Priests in the Archdiocese of St. Louis.



WELCOME TO ST. RAPHAEL'S PARISH FAMILY!

If you are new to our community, we extend to you a heartfelt welcome. Please fill out this form and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the parish office. You can also call us at 314.352.8100.

Name: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please check the appropriate item(s):

New Parishioner

New Phone/Email/Address

Please Contact Me

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