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 June and 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; and3:45pm to 4:20pm on Saturday

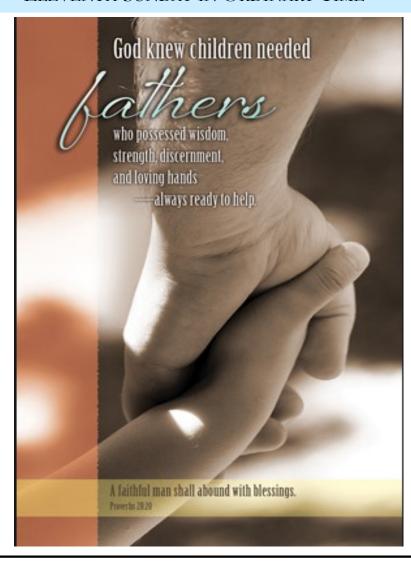
ROSARY

Tuesdays at 7:00pm in Church

SAINT RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

CATHOLIC CHURCH JUNE 17, 2018

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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.

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THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Monday, June 18th

7:00am - Church Mass

7:00pm - Tobias Room School Board

Tuesday, June 19th

7:00am - Church Mass

8:30am - Off Site Servers' Picnic
6:00pm - Cafeteria Men's Club Meeting
7:00pm - Church Rosary Recitation
7:30pm - Guardian Angel Women's Faith Group

Wednesday, June 20th

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

Thursday, June 21st

7:00am - Church Mass

2:00pm - School Dance Camp

7:00pm - Cafeteria Ladies' Club Meeting

Friday, June 22nd

7:00am - Church Mass

Saturday, June 23rd

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

Sunday, June 24th

8:00am - Church Mass 10:00am - Church Mass

11:00am - Cafeteria Fr. Bob's Reception 5:00pm - Gym 2-on-2 Tournament



FATHER BOB'S COLUMN

FATHER'S DAY! GOD'S BLESSING ON OUR FATHERS AT SRA!

The first known Father's Day service occurred in 1908 in West Virginia – mostly to remember 200 men who died in a mine explosion. In Spokane, Washington, in 1909, Sonora Smart Dodd convinced the ministers of the city to have a Father's Day theme on a Sunday in June. This celebration started the path to a national observance with President Calvin Coolidge in 1924 signing a resolution in favor of Father's Day. In 1966, President Lyndon Johnson gave an executive order that Father's Day always be observed on the third Sunday of June, and finally President Richard Nixon made it a national holiday in 1972.

Let us prayerfully and lovingly remember our own fathers on this day. They gave us life and nurture, love and tenderness, knowledge and wisdom, faith and hope. For these gifts and many others we are grateful!



A BLESSING FOR FATHERS

Blessed are You, Lord and Father of all life, who has given to us the gift of the father of our family. Today we honor him, and we thank You for the numerous good things that are ours because of him. And so, as we honor him, we praise You, Father of all peoples. This blessing and all graces, we pray, descend upon the father of our family, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. AMEN!

WE THANK OUR SRA ALTAR SERVERS!

Of the several various liturgical ministries necessary for a good parish Mass, one that is always quite noticeable is the ministry of acolyte, or altar server. At St. Raphael Parish we are blessed by numerous excellent servers who take pride in serving the People of God at Mass, every Sunday and weekday. I must say

that I have truly appreciated the quality job that our 40+ servers do in assisting me and the deacon at Mass.

We have nine new fourth grade servers recently trained and ready to serve for the first time this summer. Thanks to Mr. George Kerry for working patiently to help train them.

To show our appreciation, we will have <u>our annual Servers Picnic this Tuesday</u> at a beautiful and fun spot, thanks to John and Stacy Schicker hosting the servers at their farm. Servers, make sure you have responded by tomorrow, Monday, so we know how many are going.

A CHANGING OF THE GUARD AT ST. RAPHAEL PARISH

Last month the Archbishop has changed my pastoral assignment from being Pastor of St. Raphael Parish to be the new Pastor at St. Bernadette Parish in Lemay, next to the Jefferson Barracks complex and the national military cemetery. Father John Mayo will be your new Pastor.

So, sadly for me, my last Mass at St. Raphael will be this coming weekend, Sunday, June 24th, the 10am Mass, followed by a reception in the cafeteria. I hope to see many of you at that time to say farewell and thanks for the good times we have had to together worshipping our God and serving one another here at St. Raphael's.

I will be leaving on Monday, June 25th, and Father John Mayo will be moving in on Tuesday, June 26th.

SUMMER HUMOR: What did the pig say on a hot, summer day" I'm bacon! Why do bananas wear sunscreen? Because they peal!

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SERVERS FOR JUNE 18TH/24TH, 2018

Monday, June 18th

7:00am Sydney Browning Mateo Switzer

Tuesday, June 19th

7:00am Nahima Ramirez Jovie Mersinger

Wednesday, June 20th

Gavin Smith 7:00am Ava Stolte

Thursday, June 21st 7:00am Isabella Isabella Pfeiffer Henry Cyr

Friday, June 22nd

William Hotze 7:00am Jack Stein

Saturday, June 23rd 7:00am Christia Christian Concepcion Alex Atchison

4:30pm Lydia Bick Gavin Smith

Avery Bradshaw

Sunday, June 24th

8:00am Flora Borowiak Henry Cyr

Abby Delf

Sydney Browning 10:00am Joey Raymo

Samantha Koziacki

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR JUNE 9TH/10TH, 2018 **Sunday Collection** 3,600 \$ 2,215 Online Giving **Weekly Total Collection** \$ 5,815 \$ 9,000 Weekly Budget Goal Fiscal Year-To-Date Goal \$418,000

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

Online Giving

Fiscal Year-To-Date Actual

Shortfall



\$353,196

\$ 64,804

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 17th

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

Monday, June 18th

7:00am Elizabeth Cramer

Tuesday, June 19th

7:00 am Clarean Huber

Wednesday, June 20th

7:00am Frank Daus

Thursday, June 21st

7:00am David Braun

Friday, June 22nd

7:00am Henry & Barbara Tepe

Saturday, June 23rd

7:00am Rosemary Spitler 4:30pm Kathleen Fitzgerald



WEEKEND OF JUNE 23RD/24TH, 2018 4:30pm 8:00am 10:00am

LECTORS:

Helen Doyle Amy Ruggeri Mary Faith Green

EUCHARISTIC 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

LADIES' CLUB PAINT NIGHT!



The next Ladies' Club event will be Paint Night! Meeting is scheduled for <u>Thursday</u>, <u>June 21st</u>, <u>at 7:00pm</u> in the cafeteria.

A winning image has been decided for Paint Night. Please go to: survey-monkey.com/r/PWTVWDP to let us know if you will be participating. Painters pay \$20, cash or check, made payable to SRA Ladies' Club. Non-painters are welcome to socialize.

Food and drink served at 7:00pm. Painting starts promptly at 7:30pm. Finger foods and desserts are appreciated. Drinks will be provided.





QUOTES FROM POPE FRANCIS

- + Love is the great power for the transformation of reality because it pulls down the walls of selfishness and fills the ditches that keep us apart.
- + Lord Jesus, make us capable of loving as you love.

ROSARY RECITATION - CONTINUES THROUGH SUMMER!

Recitation of the Rosary will help you get to know Mary better, which in turn gets you to know Jesus better. SRA invites any and all to pray the Rosary each week on Tuesday evenings, at 7:00pm in Church. May Mary hold your hands and help you along the great and sublime paths.

SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION



Saint Raphael the Archangel School offers a quality, affordable summer camp program filled with fun, friendship, and purposeful play for ages 3-10 years old. Children may attend three, four or five days each week, or may sign up for specific weeks. Every week has a different fun-filled, age-appropriate theme, developed through games, crafts, stories, songs and much more. Outside play experiences, including "Water Wednesdays," will take place every morning on the school lot and playground; inside activities will be held in the air-conditioned classrooms, gym or cafeteria. A morning and afternoon snack will be provided; children should bring their own lunch.

- Explorer Club (EC) is for children ages 3-5 (must be potty-trained)
- Adventure Club (AC) is for children entering grades 1st 5th grade in Fall

Join us for an exciting program of summer fun! Checks should be made payable to St. Raphael School for \$100.00 per child to the school office. This non-refundable supply fee guarantees your child's placement. A maximum of 25 children per program will be accepted. When the program is full, a waiting list will be maintained.

Here are the details:
7:30am – 3:00pm, with 3:00pm – 6:00pm aftercare available,
Sessions are from June 4th - July 27th,
You can register per week; you must register for a minimum of three days,
Each week has a different theme,
Part-time camp hours are also available from 7:30am – 11:30am,
Call Molly Indelicato at 314.606.5264 with any questions.

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 31st, 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 to schedule a tour or receive more information.

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 (select soccer and then officiating).

To register, contact Referee Coordinator Melanie Sullivan at melaniesullivan9135@gmail.com or leave a message at 314.783.6249.





Thursday, June 21 Sunday, June 24 Ladies' Club Paint Night Father Bob's Farewell Reception

Saturday, June 30

Croquet 2018

SERVERS' PICNIC

Save the date for the Servers' Picnic, <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>June 19th</u>. Thank you once again to John and Stacy Schicker for donating the use of their family farm for the picnic. Enjoy a day of swimming, canoeing and fun!

An e-mail was sent out with all the information, a permission slip, and a place for parents to sign up to volunteer to drive that morning and/or on the return trip home in the afternoon. Adults must have completed Protecting God's Children workshop to chaperone. If you are able to assist, please fill out the form and return it to the Parish Office.



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

catholicscomehome.org and click on "parish finder" at the top of the page to locate a Catholic church nearest to your summer destination!



- 1. COMMIT TO NEW DAILY PRAYER
- 2. TELL GOD YOU ARE SORRY
- 3. MAKE A HOLY HOUR
- 4.BE GRATEFUL
- 5. READ THE PSALMS

FIAT Women's Group Kenrick-Glennon Seminary

All women are invited to Kenrick-Glennon Seminary, 5200 Glennon Dr., on the third Thursday of each month for prayer and a talk. The next meeting will be on June 21st, 2018. The speaker will be Father Jason Schumer, Director of Worship at Kenrick-Glennon Seminary, recently appointed Vice-Rector of Cardinal Glennon College. The Rosary will be prayed at 8am, and Father Schumer will speak from 8:15am until 9am. Coffee will be offered afterwards in the Fireside Lounge until 9:30am. For more information, see kenrick.edu/fiat.

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL

A bequest to St. Raphael can be a living memorial to the nobility of your life. A bequest is exempt from estate and inheritance taxes and reduces the amount of the estate to be taxed.

Our legal title is: ST. RAPHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH 6047 Bishops Place St. Louis, Missouri 63109

CONGRATULATIONS, TAYLOR HIETTE

Taylor Hiette, SRA 2007, completed her Bachelor of Science in Graphic Design this past month from UMSL and will be joining the advertising firm of Moosylvania in Maplewood. She completed an internship at St Louis County Department of Public Health. An avid artist, she also does freelance work in various mediums.

FROM ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

In the Gospel, Jesus says: "This is how it is with the reign of God. A man scatters seed on the ground. He goes to bed and gets up day after day. Through it all the seed sprouts and grows without his knowing how it happens." Through your almsgiving you are sowing seeds that grow far greater than you know. Your gift placed in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box brings Christ's love and compassion to the poor.



Those who have not completed their Annual Catholic Appeal pledge cards, please do so and return them to the parish office or place them in the collection basket. Thanks to all who have so generously contributed to this year's Annual Catholic Appeal.

The ACA Committee



SUMMER CAMP WEEK 1

The first week of summer camp went well. We had a beach theme for the first week. The first field trip was a walk downtown. They visited the Old Courthouse then went to City Park. The best part was ice cream at Baileys Range restaurant. Once again, a big thank you to the Ladies' Club for the new pools.







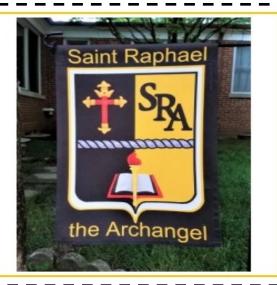


St. Raphael House Flag
& Garden Flag

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.





ATTENTION ALL SRA EIGHTH GRADERS AND HIGH SCHOOLERS

For information about joining, please see saintlouislifeteen.org for more information.

HOUSE TOUR ON THE HILL

The very first House Tour on The Hill will be <u>June</u> 24th, 2018, from 1pm to 5pm. The tour includes 12 residences, ranging from renovated shotgun houses and bungalows to ultra-modern new construction. Also on the tour are the former Columbia Theater, now renovated into a fabulous residence and arts foundation, as well as other businesses located in



buildings dating from the late 1800s and early 1900s and repurposed to meet modern requirements. Tickets may be purchased in advance for \$20.00

either online at hillstl.org. or at the Hill Neighborhood Center, 1935 Marconi Avenue, Thursday through Saturday from 10am to 3pm. Tickets may be purchased on the day of the tour at the Neighborhood Center for \$25.00. Ticket sales will be limited and everyone must have a ticket in order to visit tour locations. Hope to see you there!

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. Teens and adults who are willing to assist can contact Kathy Corich at kfcorich@yahoo.com.

ATTENTION: SEPARATED, DIVORCED, WIDOWED OR REMARRIED OF ALL AGES

You are invited to join us for fun and to make new friends at the next meeting of the South County Separated, Divorced, Widowed and Remarried Catholics (SCDC) on Thursday, June 28th, at 7:00pm, at St. Catherine Laboure parish cafeteria, 9740 Sappington Road. At this meeting Dr. Dennis Digs and his assistants will do a presentation on the benefits of Miracle Ear. SCDC offers social activities and a support group that provides the opportunity to share your personal story with caring people. For more information, please call Pat Lynch at 314.537.5930 or Bill DeCoursey at 314.894.0733.



St. Patrick Center is in need of flip flops, in all women's sizes, for women in the agency's night program. Flip flop donations can be dropped off at St. Patrick Center's donation dock on Hadley St. (one block east of Tucker Blvd.), Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 4:00pm. For more information, please contact Katie Joseph at 314.802.1976 or kjoseph@stpatrickcenter.org.