



Most Holy Trinity Parish

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Who do you say that I am?

Matthew 16: 13

How has my response to Jesus' question changed through the years?

we reflect on these SACRED ISSUES to

- promote and work for racial justice
- recognize the dignity of every person
- protect all people in poverty
- honor all elders
- provide health care for all
- care for migrants
- welcome immigrants and refugees
- secure quality education for all
- provide safe neighborhoods with quality housing
- create job opportunity and job security

we respond to
GOD'S CALL

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Food Pantry/Utility Assistance:

Provided by OLPH Food Pantry/St. Vincent de Paul. | Serves residents of zip 63107, 63115 and 63147.
 OPEN: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday from 9am-noon, located on 4335 Warne Ave. 314.535.9794.
 Note: phone answered only during operating hours. For information on donating or volunteering, please go to www.helpstlouis.org.



WHAT DO I KNOW ABOUT GOD THROUGH FAITH ALONE

Reflection: Joan Penzenstadler, SSND; Design: Joyelle Proot, SSND

MISSION: We are a people graced by God, who come together as a community of faith, supporting each other as we live and celebrate the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Parish Mass Schedule: 9:30 AM Sunday in Church

Who do you say that I am? Matthew 16:13

Jesus asks each of us the same question he asked the disciples. He invites us to reflect on our relationship with him. We know Jesus from Scripture stories but this is a personal question, "who do you say I am in your life?" We imagine ourselves asking the question to Jesus about us. "How does Jesus see us? How do we want Jesus to see us? How might Jesus respond? Reflecting on this relationship may offer insight about how intimately bonded we are with Jesus. We respond with the psalm for today: "Your love is eternal. You are a constant in my life – always present to me. I give you thanks."



– S. Janice

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Wednesday, August 26 Sharon Lee Ryan,
Friday August 28, Philip Brown



SAVE THE DATE

Homecoming Weekend, October 17 & 18.
Saturday, October 17, Curb-side Chicken Dinner
Sunday, October 18, Live-stream Mass and Raffle

August Club Trinity Winner

Eric and Theresa Entzerth, St. Charles, Mo

STEWARDSHIP Envelopes

August 2, 1235.00; August 9, 1595.00
Thanks for your financial support of our parish. Our consistent Sunday contributions reflect commitment to our parish.

MASS INTENTION

Sunday, August 23, 9:30 am
Father Rich, Joanne George, Judy Fritz

PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING FOR: Helen Barber, Vickie and Ed Deason, Mary Green, Mary Lee Howard, John Towles, Ethel Long, Mary Meyer, the needs of the Tracy and Usanga family, and Mary Collins, sister of Ann Russek, who is very ill. Hazel Hosea who is having surgery August 31. Send cards to: 690 St. Marie, Florissant, Mo 63031.

Joetta Lukowski who is recovering from health issues. Send cards to: 1525 Herder St. Louis, Mo. 63107.

CONGRATULATIONS to the newly elected parish council members: Michael Freymuth, Willy Howard, Meg Reask and Brenda Tillman. Acting as alternate is Terry Bacott. Thanks to Robin Feeherty and Melita Long for their willingness to be considered in this election. We are grateful for Council members who generously give their time and talent to our parish.

MISSOURI CATHOLIC BISHOPS RESPONSE TO MEDICAID EXPANSION. Expansion of the program means that over 200,000 more Missouri citizens qualify for health coverage through Medicaid. Our support for human life at all stages is unwavering. Health care is pro-life. We are called to see Christ in the face of all.

\$25,000 GRANT In answer to the proposal to the Archdiocese for financial assistance to help with fixing the heating in the basement of the rectory, we have been awarded this grant from the **Annual Catholic Appeal Parish Emergency Fund**. Previous to this grant, asbestos was removed in the parish chapel using parish maintenance funds at \$10,000. We are appreciative to the Archdiocese and Sister Gail for this grant award.

The **ACA** Appeal is the most important financial undertaking in our archdiocese. It is through your generosity that this Appeal has succeeded for over sixty years. Our appreciation to Kenneth Patterson, who has been working to help us reach our goal as well as the challenge goal. Please call him to make your donation 314.941.7452.

We welcome all who are visiting today!
We invite you to join us every Sunday at 9:30am.

Blessing OF THE Parish Council



Loving God,
You have chosen us to be Your beloved people,
and have gathered us in this parish.
Be pleased with all our efforts
to love and serve You
in word, worship, and work.
Give Your blessings to these
members of our parish council.

Guide their activities by
the light of Your Spirit. Help
them to coordinate all parish
related activity
and promote meaningful
dialogue
and decision making.
May they grow together in
love and trust as they take
into consideration the hopes of the
parish, the broader community
and the world.

We pray in the name of the Most
Holy Trinity. Amen