

Mass Times and Serving Schedule

Monday, August 11

Ferial (Sts. Tiburtius and Susanna)

7:15am Luke Hesemann & Gawain Blaney

Tuesday, August 12

St. Clare

7:15am Scott Deters

6:00pm Jack Cavanaugh

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Conf: Fr. Brueggemann

Wednesday, August 13

Ferial (Sts. Hippolitus and Cassian)

7:15am Dominic Sihnhold & Damian Sihnhold

Seminarian

Thursday, August 14

Vigil of the Assumption (St. Eusebius)

7:15am Mark Riti

6:00pm **Benediction and Mass**

Anthony Lillis & Thomas Lillis

5:30 pm Conf: Fr. McDonald

Friday, August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am Joseph Hoffman

6:00pm **MC** Peter Hesemann **CB** Jude Deters

TH Ikaika Breitenfeld **TB** Douglas Hummel

A1 Po Breitenfeld **TB** Kaleo Breitenfeld

A2 Jayden Theiss

Saturday, August 16

St. Joachim, Father of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am Damian Meyers & Dominic Meyers

Sunday, August 17

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

7:30am Brogan Hanlon & Garrett Hanlon

10:00am Brendan Kellerman & Max Kellerman

Sancti et Sanctae Dei, orate pro nobis!

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
August 15

The Assumption refers to the Blessed Virgin Mary being assumed — body and soul — into heaven at the end of her earthly life. “Assumption” is different than “ascension” because one is passive (i.e., one is assumed) and the other is active (i.e., one ascends). It is by the power of God Mary was assumed.

As evidenced by the writings of many early Church fathers, Christians have believed for more than a millennium that the Blessed Virgin was assumed into heaven. In 1950, Pope Pius XII issued *Munificentissimus Deus*, which officially defined the Dogma of the Assumption. This means that the Church officially recognizes this belief as a true and necessary part of our Catholic beliefs about Mary. Like all beliefs about Mary, they illuminate our most treasured beliefs about her Son. The Assumption illustrates to us the truth about Christ’s promise of eternal life and the resurrection of the faithful.



New bulletin announcements and prayer requests must be submitted by noon on Wednesday to be included in the following Sunday bulletin. Send to bulletin@smastl.org. All requests subject to parish priest approval.

Saint Mary’s Assumption

1126 Dolman St. Saint Louis MO 63104



Roman Catholic Church

Tel. (314) 436-4544



Mass Times:

Sunday: 7:30am, 10:00am

- Monday-Saturday, see back of bulletin

Confessions:

- Sundays 1 hour before Masses
- During Tuesday evening devotions
- During Thursday evening Benediction
- After Saturday morning Mass

Baptisms:

- Contact Pastor to schedule time.

Holy Matrimony:

- Arrange with a priest 6 months prior.

Extreme Unction and Sick Calls:

- Arrange individually with the priests.

Regular Devotions

Perpetual Help Devotion: Tuesdays at 6:00pm

Benediction and Mass: Thursday at 6:00pm

Clergy:

Father Dennis McDonald, Pastor, Principal

Email: d.mcdonald@fsspx.email

Father Richard Brueggemann

Father Tyler Nelson

Website: www.smastl.org

School Information:

Queen of the Holy Rosary Academy

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Every month, after Mass

First Sunday: Mothers of Lu Prayer

Second Sunday: Blessing of Religious Articles at the Altar Rail

Second Sunday: Holy Name Society Pledge

Third Sunday: Holy Face Devotion



Saint Mary’s Assumption Roman Catholic Church

EVENTS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners

We are grateful for your presence.
Please use the maroon Sunday Roman Missal Booklet located in the pews to follow along. Registration forms are available in the church basement. Restrooms and Cry Room are in the Church Basement.

Holy Name Society

Today, being the second Sunday of the month, members will communicate as a body and recite the pledge after each Mass.

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Friday, August 15th, is the Assumption, which is a Holy day of obligation. Masses will be at 8:00am and 6:00pm. There will be confessions for one hour before each Mass.

Militia Immaculate

Enrollment will be on **August 15th**.

Parish Conferences

Dr. Matthew Childs, from St. Mary’s College, will be giving two conferences open to the parish: **Friday, August 22nd** at 6 pm in QHRA gym: Rational Love in Dante’s Divine Comedy. A general overview of the pilgrim’s journey throughout the poem with a focus on the central cantos of Purgatorio that define good and bad love.

Saturday, August 23rd at 6 pm in QHRA gym: Generative AI: an Existential Threat to Education. A brief history of artificial intelligence with a discussion of the dangers of generative AI in light of The Divine Comedy and the “journey of our life.”

St. Stephen’s Guild

St. Stephen's Guild enrollment and promotions are planned to take place on Sunday, **August 24th**. Please contact Fr. McDonald via email (dionysiusmcd@yahoo.com) if you would like to be enrolled or promoted.

2025 Angelus Press conference for Catholic Tradition

*Nurturing Vocations: a Shared Responsibility, **October 17-19, 2025***. It will be held at the Hilton Kansas City Airport. 8801 NW 112th St. Kansas City Mo 64153.

Sunday Morning Volunteers

Today Donuts: **Matteson/Maggiore**
Bookstore: **Kallal/Hesemann**

Aug 16 Bread pickup: **Hinrichs**
(Bread Co. closes **9:00pm***)

Aug 17 Donuts: **Wencker/Wiersma**
Bookstore: **Lillis/McAuliffe**

Usher Schedule

Today

7:30am Hoffman, Koch, *Kallal*
10:00am Hinzpeter, Flanery, *Hermann*

August 15 *The Assumption*

7:30am Hoffman, Koch, *Kallal*
10:00am Hinzpeter, Flanery, *Hermann*

August 17

7:30am Kallal, Matteson, *Macheca*
10:00am Kunstmann, Herrmann, *Grahek*

August 24

7:30am Kallal, Matteson, *Macheca*
10:00am Kunstmann, Herrmann, *Grahek*

Church Grass Cutting

Aug 9-10 Matt Hesemann
Aug 16-17 Nick Kallal
Aug 23-24 Kieran Flanery
Aug 30-31 Sean Sullivan

Fatima Statue



8/10-8/16 Jackson
8/17-8/23 Jones



Piggyback Raffle

August Winners

#107 \$50
Chris K from MO

#108 \$200
Paul H from MO

#109 \$50
Luis M from M0

Calendar

Aug 15: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Aug 15: Enrollment in MI

Aug 22,23: Parish Conference with Dr Matthew Childs

Aug 24: St. Stephen’s Guild Enrollment

Sept 16: HNS Meeting

Collection

Sunday Collection 8/03/25
Chapel \$4907.00
Tuition Assistance \$1664.00

Sunday 2nd Collection

Today: Building Fund
Next Week: School Collection

Next Weekend Confessions

Saturday, Aug 16
8:45am Fr. McDonald

Sunday, Aug 17
6:30-7:25am Fr. McDonald
During 7:30 Mass None
9:00-9:55am Fr. McDonald
During 10:00 Mass None

Please pray for the followingsick:

Heidi Becker, Marlene Bettale, Marianne Boyer, Michael Boyle (Kwiatkowski), Kathleen Carter, Michele Droege, Gene Flacche (Kwiatkowski), Hilary Flanery, Cecilia Grahek, Mary Greer (Herrmann), Hugh Hesemann, Maryann Jacobucci (Kwiatkowski), Donna Kallal, Alan and Ruth Kokenge, John Kokenge, Anne O’Mara (Herrmann), John B Maggiore, Suzanne Martin, Judy Redshaw (Maggiore) Vince Valenza