



St. Cronan Catholic Church 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time July 24-25, 2021

Mass Information

SUNDAY – 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.

SATURDAY VIGIL – 5:00 p.m.

Wednesdays – 8:00 a.m.

Masks are required for all Masses to keep our unvaccinated children safe.

Welcome, Fr. Expedito Muwonge, who is speaking to us concerning the College de Rushaki and the Missions.

Live-streaming continues at the 10:00 am Mass. PLEASE BE ON TIME! Also, please note that the recorded Masses will not be available on Saturday evenings when we live-stream. Recorded Masses will take place the weekend of August 1, and the first Sunday of each month. All other Masses will be live-streamed at 10:00. Livestreamed masses are available on our Facebook page any time after the 10:00 Mass, <https://www.facebook.com/StCronan>

Blessing of Grandparents will take place at Masses this weekend, July 24-25, in honor of World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.

Prayers Please

Bill Barrett, Mary Truetken, Laurel Hayes' parents, Jerry and Nancy, who was hospitalized this week. Bill's brother in law, Dave Rose, who had surgery for brain tumors, Bill's friend, Jim Forest, Robert Nathe's Mother, Eileen, Colleen Wallace's godson, Lachlan, Michelle Frank, Martha Stegmaier, Diane Calcaterra,

Judy's Service

Judy Miniace passed away on Wednesday, July 14. The memorial service is scheduled for Tuesday, August 3, at 2:00 pm at St. Cronan, with a celebration of Life to follow at Tower Grove Park Stone Shelter Pavilion. St. Cronan Community will provide side dishes and desserts. If you can help with this, please contact Maggie Mahon – ofccomp17@gmail.com

ACA Update: We made our Challenge Goal! We also made our new donor goal! Thanks so much for your generosity.

Children's Faith Formation 2021-2022. If you have school-aged children (K-8th grade) and are looking for a community in which they can learn about their faith and make the sacraments, please consider joining St. Cronan's Children's Faith Formation program. Additional information and a registration form are available on the desk by the north door.

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers

Now that we are opening up, we would like to re-institute the Lector and Eucharistic Minister schedule. Instruction is available. If you are interested in either or both ministries, please contact Diane, diane@stcronan.org.

Black Lives Matter Vigil: The St. Cronan Social Justice Committee is hosting a Vigil as a way of atoning for past racism. It will be held every third Friday evening of the month - 5:00 -6:00 pm at the corner of Kingshighway and Manchester. Next month's will be Friday, August 20. Please feel free to bring your own signs. If you have questions, please contact Trish Curtis: trishquita1952@gmail.com

Coffee and Donuts continues **LIVE** on Sundays after the 10:00 Mass. We ask that you maintain 3 ft. social distancing while eating and wear a mask when you finish your donut. Please seat 4 per table if inside. You are welcome to take chairs to sit outside if you are more comfortable doing that. Even though most are vaccinated, we want to respect our families with unvaccinated children. **Volunteers needed:** If you could set up donuts one Sunday a month that would be great. Get a team together, divvy up the jobs, and enjoy! Talk to Maggie or Dorothy for more information.

Bridges Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius in Everyday Life

Are you looking for a deeper prayer life and a closer relationship with God? If so, please consider the "Bridges Retreat in Everyday Life," based on the 450+ year-old Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Loyola. This nine-month retreat is designed and adapted for persons in all walks of life. The retreat consists of daily prayer and journaling (experiencing discernment, contemplation, meditation), in addition to weekly or monthly small group meetings and weekly time with a prayer companion who listens to your experiences and provides oral and written guidance through the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola.

The retreat runs September into May and coincides with the Church's liturgical calendar. The retreat begins in September 2021, and information sessions (like the retreat) will be offered at five Greater St. Louis-area sites on various days and times this summer, as well as a virtual "Zoom" session. For more details about the retreat and information session schedule, visit: www.bridgesfoundation.org or contact Steve Givens, executive director, 314-401-2072.



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Abortion Healing Ministry: The Archdiocese has established a new network that encompasses all of the healing ministries in one roof. If you or someone you know needs help to heal from an abortion, please share this information with them: phone: (314) 406-3815, email: hopehealing@archstl.org. There is a scheduled retreat in August. For further information, please see the flyer in the Chapel.

Wills: Please remember Saint Cronan's in your will. Title is St. Cronan's Catholic Church-1202 South Boyle Ave.- St. Louis, MO 63110. Our Federal I.D.# 43-0653457

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