

# St. Louis Parish

3310 S. Sherman • Englewood, CO 80113

Father Robert J. Reycraft - Pastor

Sr. Margaret Quinn, RSM - Pastoral Assistant

Office Hours: M-F 9 am - 12 pm, 12:30 pm - 3 pm



## Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 pm

Neo-Catechumenal Way - English: 7:30 pm (Gym)

Neo-Catechumenal Way - Spanish: 7:30 pm (Church)

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and 5:30 pm

Holy Day Masses: As announced

Weekday Masses: Monday-Friday 7:30 am

Rosary: Monday-Friday 7:00 am

Prayer Network Rosary – Thursdays 8:00 am

Croatian Language Mass-Last Sunday of Month at 12 pm

Christian Life Movement Mass-2nd Sunday of month at 12 pm

## Baptisms

By appointment.

## Marriage

Appointment required 9-12 months in advance.

## Confessions

Saturday: 3:30 – 4:30 pm

## Bingo

Saturdays: 7:00 pm in Parish Center

## Phones

Parish Office .....303-761-3940

Fax.....303-806-5394

Sister Margaret .....303-986-1541

Ext. 6205

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Principal-Pattie Hagen.....303-762-8307

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Neo-Catechumenal Way-Tim & Flora Potter .....303-694-3045

Altar & Rosary-DaLinda O'Grady.....303-973-3498

St. Vincent House - Verda Gully .....303-761-3280

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Project Gabriel.....1-800-713-3021

## REMEMBER – St. Louis Parish/School in your Will!

*Help continue the message of the Gospel and Catholic Education  
for future generations!*

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

*Those who are sick have their names placed in the bulletin and in the book at the rear of the Church. Specific names will be mentioned at Mass for one week only. But all who are sick will be included in our prayers at every Mass.*

*If you want someone included, please call the Parish office at 303-761-3940.*

*Also, if you are going into the hospital and wish to be anointed, contact the Parish office.*

*When there is a parishioner in the hospital who wishes to be visited call the Parish office.*

*When you have updates on the current list of those who are sick, let us know.*

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

*Al Zerr, Joe Romero, Mary Allan, Dorothy Leonard,  
Jolie Philips*

## CHRISTMAS

*The Christmas Mass Schedule is:*

*Thursday, December 24-5 P.M. and 10 P.M.*

*Friday, December 25-8 A.M. and 10 A.M.*

## ARCHBISHOP CHAPUT AND CROATIAN MASS

For the past 10 years, there has been a Croatian language, Mass on the 4th Sunday of the month.

To Commemorate this anniversary, Archbishop Chaput will celebrate a Mass at 12 noon on Sunday, December 27.

Father Mate Bizaca is the priest who says the Mass every month. He also helps out with our regular Masses.

All are invited to the Mass at noon on December 27.

## Breakfast with Santa Claus

The Parish Breakfast menu for Sunday, December 13th 2009, Serving Breakfast Burrito-green chile, Biscuits & Gravy, hash browns, sausage, pancakes, fruit cup, orange juice & coffee-cocoa & Tea. Cost -Adults \$6- Seniors \$5- & Children ages 3-12- \$5,FREE to Children under 3.

Santa will be there after the 8 AM & 10 AM Masses.

We the Council will also be giving away two Hams after each Mass. So come and enjoy Santa and to wish the Parishioners of St. Louis A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



**Week of December 14 –December 20 , 2009**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	<b>Chronowski Family</b> By The Keeley Family
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	<b>+Shari Quintana</b> By <b>Barb von Behren</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	<b>+William Allan</b> By The Allan Family
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	<b>Intentions of Cousin of Ramona Mueller</b> By Charles & Lillian Kauffmann
	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>+Roland Fernandes</b> By Veronica Fernandes
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7:30am</b>	<b>+Lorranine Miodowski</b> By Helen & Shirley & Arnie Jakubowski
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>Mass for Parishioners</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Rose Kyan &amp; Mary Margaret Hill</b> By The Duff Family
	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Harry Waruszewski</b> By The Keeley Family
	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>+Shari Quintana</b> By Barb von Behren

MASS SERVER

**Weekday: December 14-December 18, 2009**

**Nathan Bokel and Aaron Bokel**

**Next Weekend: December 19 & December 20, 2009**

**Saturday 5:00pm** Isabel Denning, Jimmy O’Niell  
Teresa Bonilla, Kailyn Scheeler

**Sunday 8:00am** Gabriel Cuellar, John Paul Cuellar  
David Cuellar, Jade Cafasso

**10:00am** Josh Poppenberg, Amber Poppenberg  
Michael Hoeft, Kathleen Hoeft

**5:30pm** Nathan Bokol, Aaron Bokel  
Emily Womeldorff, Anthony Posadas

**Readings for the Week of December 13, 2009**

Sunday:	Zep 3:14-18a/Phil 4:4-7/Lk 3:10-18
Monday:	Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a/Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday:	Zep 3:1-2, 9-13/Mt 21:28-32
Wednesday:	Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25/Lk 7:18b-23
Thursday:	Gn 49:2, 8-10/Mt 1:1-17
Friday:	Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25
Saturday:	Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a/Lk 1:5-25
Next Sunday:	Mi 5:1-4a/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45



**PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS**  
**DECEMBER**

01. Stephen Brady
02. Rev. Mr. David Nix
03. Warli Castro
04. Jose Lidio Alfaro
05. Toni Aragon (Glenmary Sisters)
06. **Timothy Kelly** \* (deacon candidate)  
**Paul Louderman** \* (deacon aspirant)
07. Daniel Perez

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Mass intention dates are available to be scheduled. It is a tradition of the Church to schedule Masses for deceased loved ones, the souls in purgatory and for the living. To schedule a Mass, call the Parish Office at 303-761-3940.

**CHRISTMAS COLLECTION**

Please remember St. Louis at Christmas. Your Contributions are tax-deductable. Thank you for your generosity and your Contribution at Christmas will be appreciated.

**BONFILS BLOOD DRIVE**

St. Louis Parish will host a Bonfils Blood Drive on Sunday, December 20<sup>th</sup>. We’ll be in the cafeteria in Cline Hall from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon. A blood donation would make the perfect Christmas gift to the community. It is simple, only takes about an hour and impacts the lives of up to three people. For information contact Cathy Darnell at 303/744-0207 or [cmdarnell@msn.com](mailto:cmdarnell@msn.com).

There is a sign-up sheet in the back of Church.

Heather’s Fund collection – At all Masses today we will have a special collection for “Heather’s Fund,” an annual drive to collect funds for scholarships to St. Louis School. “Heather’s Fund” honors Heather McQueen, one of our former outstanding Religious Education students who continued with our program and became an aide and kindergarten teacher before her untimely death when she was sixteen, at the hands of a drunk driver. Your generosity in helping our school and honoring Heather is a blessing to our parish and greatly appreciated.

**St. Vincent House**

Join in the fun trip to Blackhawk Bull Durham Casino on Dec. 16 2009. Bus leaves Simon Center, 3333 So. Lincoln at 9:00 AM and returns at 2:00 PM. A donation of \$6.00 to St. Vincent House gives you a beautiful Bus ride, coupons at the Casino, Hot dog, donuts & free drinks. Also Money back. You receive \$25 for \$20 with two coupons. Have a restful day & join us. Reservations call Lucile 303-781-4093 or Priscilla 303-781-5002.

**Stewardship**  
**Weekend of December 5 & December 6, 2009**  
 Offertory Collection .....\$9,579.55  
 St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box.....\$67.70

*Thank you for your continued support.!*



**E-MAIL BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER GROUP**

The purpose is to encourage daily study and reflection of the weekly Bible Readings (New American Bible) as well as to pray a 'decade' of the Rosary every day for the intentions of the Bible Study & Prayer Group. For more information, e-mail Beverly Otto at: hbear428@hotmail.com Please put 'Bible Study' in the subject line.

**St. Louis School Needs Your Support**

St. Louis is competing in the Street of SouthGlenn to win \$2,500.00 for our School. We were originally in 4th place, but have currently dropped to 8th. There are two very easy ways to support this fundraiser without purchasing a thing. Visit their website at [Streets at SouthGlenn - Street Smarts](#) to earn 1000 points per family, by signing up with your email address. Visit the [SouthGlenn Public Library](#) and earn 100 points with your receipt for each book you check out.

**"Grocery Certificates"**

Each week, grocery certificates are available after each Mass from King Soopers and Safeway. The Church receives 5% of all sales. The certificates are the same as cash. Your support of this program is appreciated. Certificates could also be used to purchase GAS!

**ADVERTISERS**

Please support our Bulletin Advertisers.

**Thanksgiving Basketball Tournament  
Thank You Notes!**

Our Thanksgiving Basketball Tournament was a great success. Many volunteers helped staff the Thanksgiving Tournament, and several of them worked more than one shift to make sure all openings were covered. Thanks to the Anselmi Family, Ann Young, the Konizeski family, the Keeley family, the Haight family, the Fellers family, David Hutt, Bill Beckman, Phil Chavez, & Mike Hoefl.

Special thanks to Darryl Dreiling, Steve Compton, Pat McCaslin, Sarah Hutt & Mrs. Hagen who filled empty shifts at the last minute and to Tom & Tina VanderStel (Ted Tholen's sister and her husband) who support us every year at the scoring table.

**2009 Christmas Program  
Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM  
in the gym. Everyone is welcome to attend.**

**Monday December 14**

7:30 am-Mass-Church  
3:00-9:00 pm-Basketball Practices

**Tuesday, December 15**

7:30 am-3:00 pm-Mass-Church  
7:30 pm-3rd Neo-Cat-Eng-Church Basement  
7:30 pm-4th Neo-Cat-Eng-Gym & Cafeteria  
7:30 pm-3rd Neo-Cat-Spanish-Church  
3:00-7:30 pm-Basketball Practices

**Wednesday, December 16**

7:30 am-Mass-Church  
7:30 pm-2nd-Neo-Cat-Spanish-Church  
7:30 pm-1st Neo-Cat-Eng & Spanish-Church Basement  
Christmas Program Setup & Rehearsal

**Thursday December 17**

7:30 am-Mass-Church  
7:00 pm-Christmas Program

**Friday, December 18**

7:30 am-Mass-Church  
3:00-9:00 pm-Widgets

**Saturday, December 19**

5:00 pm-Mass-Church  
7:00 pm-BINGO-Cafeteria  
7:00-6:00 pm-Widgets

**Sunday, December 20**

8-12 pm-Bonfils Blood Drive-Cafeteria  
8:00 am-10:00 am- & 5:30 pm-Masses-Church  
9:25 am-Rosary-Church  
Family Basketball

**PRAYER NETWORK:** If you have a serious prayer request or if you need some extra prayers said for your Special intention, call Margaret at 303-781-3523.

**DID YOU KNOW  
THAT SAINT LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
OFFERS THE FOLLOWING  
AFTERSCHOOL ACTIVITIES?**

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|----------------------------|-------------------|
| EIGHTH GRADE SPEECH        | CUB SCOUTS        |
| AFTER SCHOOL CRAFT CLUB    | ART CLUB          |
| CHESS CLUB                 | NEWSPAPER         |
| MAKE IT AND TAKE IT        | YEARBOOK          |
| MIDDLE SCHOOL PLAY         | SPORTS Grades 3-8 |
|                            | Basketball        |
| RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS    | Baseball          |
|                            | Volleyball        |
| SPELLING BEE               |                   |
| MUSIC LESSONS              |                   |
| Voice                      |                   |
| Piano                      |                   |
| Guitar                     |                   |
| LITTLE FLOWERS GIRLS' CLUB |                   |