

# Church of the Magdalen

~ 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time ~

August 21, 2022

## ORDINARY TIME

at Magdalen



### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 9:30am and  
11:30am

Monday–Friday: 8:00am

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30pm–4:15pm

Wednesday: 6:00pm–7:30pm

### ADORATION

Wednesday: 6:00pm–7:30pm

### ROSARY

Monday–Friday: 7:30am

### PERPEPTUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday after 8:00am Mass

### FIRST SATURDAY HOLY HOUR

9:15am

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need a communion visit,  
please contact the office, 314.352.2111.

## From the Desk of Fr. Fallon



Hi Parish Family,

We have a tough Gospel this weekend. The toughest part for me is when Jesus says, “Strive to enter the narrow gate.”

Frankly, I don’t want to!

Isn’t it enough that we pray, that we’re kind, that we do good works? Isn’t that enough for you, Jesus? Can’t you be satisfied?

The answer, very simply, is no.

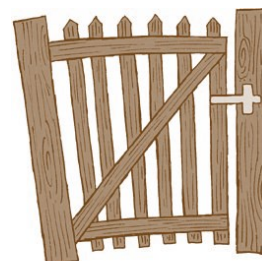
It’s not enough that we are good people and have done good things. Jesus wants our whole heart. He wants us to be attentive to the places that need transformation in our lives, and He wants to help us with them.

Why is the gate narrow?


Because many other people will be traveling by a much wider gate, that which is not where God intends us to go. We can float along in the sea of complacency, or we can recognize the Lord’s call to journey by a much more limited path. We have to remember, while it’s so difficult, it is the path to everlasting joy, to Him!

G.K. Chesterton says, Each generation is converted by the saint who contradicts it most.” That’s the narrow gate. Let’s ask God to help us become those saints!

Fr. Fallon



Enter life through the narrow gate



SUNDAY

# BIBLE STUDY

10:30-11:30AM

SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER  
EVERY SUNDAY EXCEPT 1ST OF THE MONTH




# Senior SOCIALS


FIRST THURSDAYS  
8:30-11AM




## ST. MONICA CLUB

praying for our loved ones who are away from the Church

Last Wednesdays of the month  
7pm in church



magdalen

# young adults

ages 20's & 30's

**YA Nights: 4th Mondays, 7pm**  
social, faith formation, witness  
8/22, 9/26, 10/24, 11/28

&  
**Monthly Service**  
date and activity varies each month  
next up: 9/21 Blessing Bags, 7pm

### Weekly Offertory Collection August 14, 2022

Envelopes	\$ 1,434.00
Loose Cash & Checks	962.00
Online Giving *	717.00
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Total General Collection	\$ 3,113.00
(Budget)	(\$4,200)

Thank you for your gifts to God and our Parish.



You're invited.



## Magdalen Youth Ministry

Sunday 11:30-2:00pm Mass & Youth Group  
Thursday 7:00-8:30pm Caritas Night





# THE CHOSEN

WATCH PARTY &  
TABLE DISCUSSION

1st & 3rd Tuesdays,  
6:30pm

Sept. 6 - Nov. 15

"Those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty."



THE WELL  
AT MAGDALEN

First Event: September 15

Parish-wide 'Praise & Worship' Night in the Church featuring live music, a speaker, and Eucharistic Adoration.

**Mass and Tour at  
The Shrine of St. Joseph  
Friday, September 2**

Join others for a Magdalen Parish trip to the Shrine of St. Joseph. No sign ups required, just meet in the church parking lot at 11:15am to car-pool. We will attend 12 noon Mass at the Shrine with tour beginning after Mass. The Shrine has a Great Gift Shop for those who would like to shop. Hope you can join us!

**History Fact:** This shrine has been noted for an authentic 2nd miracle on March 16, 1984 that led to the canonization of Blessed St. Peter Claver to Saint Peter the following year.

**Church of the Magdalen  
St. Vincent de Paul Society**

Due to your generous donations as of August 12, our conference was able to provide 'Service' to our neighbors in need.

- Distributed \$1,000 worth of food, an air conditioner, a box fan & high chair to 8 families

Presently, Our Conference has an outstanding "requests totaling almost \$8,000 that we are processing but we do not have nearly that much available in funding.

Our pantry is in need of peanut butter, jelly and bar soap.

**Fun Fact:** Since the SVDP Blue Box was placed on our campus we have collected \$8,810.60 which amounts to 145,843 lbs. of clothing, etc. donations! Thank you.

*I am the Way  
the Truth  
and the Life*

John 14:6

***This Week in Our Parish***

<b>Monday, August 22, 2022</b>	
Mass	8:00a
Monday Morning Small Group	8:30a
Quilters	9:00a
20s Small Group	6:15p
YA Night	7:00p
<b>Tuesday, August 23, 2022</b>	
Mass	8:00a
All Ages Summer Small Group	6:30p
<b>Wednesday, August 24, 2022</b>	
Mass	8:00a
Adoration & Confessions	6-7:30p
<b>Thursday, August 25, 2022</b>	
Mass	8:00a
<b>Friday, August 26, 2022</b>	
Mass	8:00a
<b>Saturday, August 27, 2022</b>	
Confessions	3:30p
Mass	4:30p
<b>Sunday, August 28, 2022</b>	
Mass	9:30a
Mass	11:30a

**Please pray for the sick,  
in the hospital,  
and homebound of our Parish**

Val Bianco; Shirley Birkenmeier; Rich Brutine;  
Mary Elkins; Ellen Gianella; Dolores Greer;  
Ed Howard; Esther Huber; Dolores Hughes;  
Laverne Kammer; Larry Loftus; Patrick Maloney;  
Irene Mazzola; Jackie McGilligan; Peter Messineo,  
Jr., Richie Meyer; Lou Ann Michaels;  
Kris Onanian; MaryAnn Merli; Pat O'Neal;  
Marietta Palguta; Anna & Jacob Potje; Leonard  
Szuba; Anne Turek; Lois Zitzmann; Francis Zulauf;  
and for all caretakers.



*Arya Margaret Wozniak*

*on*

*August 7, 2022*

*at*

*Church of the Magdalen*

*Fr. Brian Fallon ~ Celebrant*



***Holy Matrimony***

*Ethan Daniel Kuhn*

*to*

*Jordan Anne Timmermann*

*on*

*August 13, 2022*

*at*

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Men, women, and couples wounded by abortion are invited to attend the third archdiocesan Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat, Sept. 16-18, 2022. The retreat will be held in a comfortable and prayerful setting in the St. Louis area, (exact location shared at registration). The cost is \$100 to attend which includes two night's lodging, all meals and materials. To register by September 6 or for more information, contact 314.406.0815 or [hopehealing@archstl.org](mailto:hopehealing@archstl.org). All information and inquiries are kept confidential.



In your charity please pray for the repose soul of former parishioner and SMM alumni parent, Arlene Dobbs, who passed away on August 11. May she be with Our Lord in glory. Please keep her family and friends in your prayers so that they may be comforted. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful

departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

**Lectors**

**Saturday, August 27, 2022 4:30 PM**

Sr. Mary Carol CSJ

**Sunday, August 28, 2022 9:30 AM**

Steve Jackson

**Sunday, August 28, 2022 11:30 AM**

Monica Stump

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**Servers**

**Saturday, August 27, 2022 4:30 PM**

Brian & Katie Weaver

**Sunday, August 28, 2022 9:30 AM**

Maya & Zoey Sahin

**Sun., Aug. 21, 2022 11:30AM**

Veronica Jakul

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, August 22, 2022**

*The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:00 A.M. Rob Ryan

**Tuesday, August 23, 2022**

*Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin*

8:00 A.M. Michael Kathalynas

**Wednesday, August 24, 2022**

*Saint Bartholomew, Apostle*

8:00 A.M. Julie Edgar

**Thursday, August 25, 2022**

*Saint Louis; Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest*

8:00 A.M. Coleman Family

**Friday, August 26, 2022**

8:00 A.M. Mary Margaret Purk

**Saturday, August 27, 2022**

4:30 P.M. For the People of the Parish

**Sunday, August 28, 2022**

9:30 A.M. Charlie Dooling

11:30 A.M. Birdie McCrory