

Church of the Magdalen

Solemnity Of Mary, The Holy Mother Of God

January 1, 2023



*Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin
Mary, the Mother of God*

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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If you are homebound,
sick, hospitalized,
need a communion visit,
please contact the office, 314.352.2111.

From the Desk of Fr. Fallon



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

It's funny how one change of a calendar, a clock, a year, can make such a huge difference to us. But it does, and it's something that we can use to our advantage. Even though it's only a day later, we can let January 1 be a chance to be renewed and grow more and more in the love of Christ Jesus.

And He's given His mother to help us.

Today we celebrate Mary, Mother of God as the new year begins. She is our model and guide through life. She opened her heart to receive the love of God, and by doing so, let Jesus use her as a vessel to make Jesus known to the world.

I think that's the best resolution we can make as we begin 2023, to be like Mary and be vessels of the love of Jesus. In all we say and do, we can be like Mary and "let it be done to (us) according to (God's) will."

As we hear at Mass today, Mary had all of these experiences and kept "reflecting on them in her heart." As we grow in devotion to Mary, we take on such a disposition.

Let's ask her to help us as we begin this new year!

Fr. Fallon



"I have seen the Lord!"

**ADORATION & CONFESSION:
WEDNESDAYS
6-7:30PM**

BARCIA

2nd Mondays, 7:30pm
Golden Hoosier

Magdalen

SMALL GROUPS

EVERY OTHER WEEK
JANUARY - FEBRUARY - MARCH 2023

magdalen.org/groups

**Weekly Offertory Collection
for December 18, 2022**

Envelopes	\$ 2,930.00
Loose Cash & Checks	1,259.00
Online Giving *	3,003.15
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Total General Collection	\$ 7,192.15
Budget	(\$8,000.00)

**Thank you for your Gifts to God
and our Parish**

* Faith.Direct/MO1095

Stewardship Reflection

"And Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart." LUKE 2:19

After Jesus, we look to Mary as an ideal steward. Her entire life was lived in obedience to God's call. She heard God's message, and immediately said "yes." Mary teaches us to live with joy and gratitude for the many blessings God has given us. Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, Mary reflects the light of Christ. Like Mary, we are called to reflect Christ's light to the world. We do this through lives of gratitude and generosity.

THEOLOGY OF DANCE – STL PRESENTS:

THEOLOGY OF DANCE INAGUARAL BALL

A THEOLOGICAL TALK, DANCE LESSON, AND SOCIAL

JANUARY 28TH AT 6:30 PM

Join us for a talk on how partner dance relates to upholding the dignity of the human body, followed by a ballroom dance lesson at 7:00 PM and social dance at 7:30 PM. Refreshments will be provided. Donations are appreciated.

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MAGDALEN YOUTH MINISTRY

JANUARY 2023

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Sunday

11:30 - Parish Mass, youth are welcome to join and sit with their families or with the Core Team members who sit towards the front on the left hand side of the Church

12:30 - Youth Group, youth will meet for lunch and LifeTeen Edge programming in the Upper Room of the Parish Hall

Thursday

6:00 - Homework Help, youth can join us for dinner and study hour with academic assistance available by request

7:00 - Caritas, youth are encouraged to stay for an hour of faith formation aimed at deepening their personal relationship with God

Church of the Magdalen St. Vincent De Paul Society

Due to your generous donations, as of December 16, our Conference was able to provide 'Service to the following neighbors...

- Distributed \$1,450.00 worth of food, fruits, vegetables, personal hygiene products to 12 families in need.
- Negotiated \$477.20 in Utility Pledges for 3 neighbor in need.
- Negotiated \$1,000.00 in Rent Assistance for 1 neighbor in need.

*The Food Pantry needs Ravioli,
Peanut Butter and Jelly.*

Thank you for your loyalty to our Conference and consistently joining our community in the fight for good!

May the Lord

bless you and keep you; may his face shine upon you,
and be gracious to you; and give you peace.

NUMBERS 6:24-26

This Week in Our Parish

Monday, January 2, 2023

Mass	8:00a
Quilters	9:00a

Tuesday, January 3, 2023

Mass	8:00a
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Wednesday, January 4, 2023

Mass	8:00a
Adoration/ Confession	6-7:30p

Thursday, January 5, 2023

Mass	8:00a
Youth Ministry	7:00p

Friday, January 6, 2022

Mass	8:00a
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Saturday, January 7, 2022

First Saturday Devotions	9:15a
Confessions	3:30p
Mass	4:30p

Sunday, January 8, 2023

Mass	9:30a
Mass	11:30p
Youth Group	12:30p





In your charity please pray for the repose soul of Delia Leal, the dear mother of parishioner Laila (Garth) Wehl who passed away in December. May she be with Our Lord in glory. Please keep all of Delia's family and friends in your prayers during this difficult time.

In your charity please pray for the repose soul of Bill Miles, the dear brother of parishioner Ray Miles who passed away on December 19. May he be with Our Lord in glory. Please keep all of Bill's family and friends in your prayers during this difficult time.

*May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.
Amen.*

*Mary kept all these things,
reflecting on them in her heart.
— Luke 2:19*



*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; James Havranek; Esther Huber; Dolores Hughes; Laverne Kammer; Tom LaForest; Larry Loftus; Katie Marek; Irene Mazzola; Jackie McGilligan; Peter Messineo, Jr.; Richie Meyer; Kris Onanian; MaryAnn Merli; Pat O'Neal; Marietta Palguta; Anna & Jacob Potje; Leonard Szuba; Anne Turek; Lois Zitzmann; Francis Zulauf; and for all caretakers.

Lectors

Saturday, January 7, 2022 4:30PM

John Halloran

Sunday, January 8, 2023 9:30AM

Mary Dooling

Sunday, January 8, 2023 11:30AM

Sierra Ellis

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Servers

Saturday, January 7, 2023 4:30PM

Brian & Katie Weaver

Sunday, January 8, 2023, 9:30AM

Volunteers

Sunday, January 8, 2023 11:30AM

Veronica Jakul

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 2, 2023

St. Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors of the Church

8:00 A.M. Nancy Birkenmeier

Tuesday, January 3, 2023

The Most Holy Name of Jesus

8:00 A.M. Jeff Esserman

Wednesday, January 4, 2023

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

8:00 A.M. Tim Kuntz

Thursday, January 5, 2023

St. John Neumann, Bishop

8:00 A.M. Meyer, Diem, Piel Families

Friday, January 6, 2023

St. André Bessette, Religious

8:00 A.M. Lucille & James Sanders

Saturday, January 7, 2023

4:30 P.M. Paula Weaver Family

Sunday, January 8, 2023

The Epiphany of the Lord

9:30 A.M. Bill Miles

11:30 A.M. For the People of the Parish