

Northern Vicariate Contact Guide and Directory

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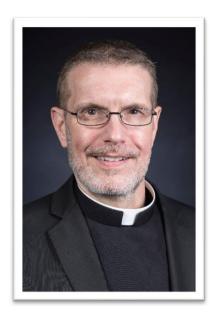
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Northern Vicariate



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Fr. Scott Jones, our Episcopal Vicar, is leading a team of faithful professionals to serve alongside all of you who work in parishes in the Northern Vicariate. The primary focus is to be at the service of the priests, parish staff and lay leaders of the parishes and churches of Deanery 1 and Deanery 2, providing local pastoral and administrative support.

As Episcopal Vicar, Fr. Scott promotes a spirit of fraternity among the priests, develops regional cooperation and coordinates with the Vicar General and the various ministries in the Curia (Archdiocesan employees).

The Northern Vicariate team members include:

- Three full-time coordinators for Vicariate Communications & Operations, Pastoral Ministry and Social Outreach.
- A Catholic Charities Navigator who is employed by Catholic Charities to connect parishes with the many resources they offer.
- Liaisons for Education, Shared Accounting & Finance and Human Resources are dedicated full-time to the Northern Vicariate while remaining connected to their respective offices at the Archdiocese.
- Several other Curia offices have named liaisons for the Northern Vicariate including Evangelization and Discipleship, Human Dignity and Intercultural Affairs/Hispanic Ministry, Racial Harmony, Respect Life Apostolate and Youth Ministry. These liaisons continue to have Archdiocese-wide responsibilities, with a special focus on the Northern Vicariate.



Cara Koen, Northern Vicariate Coordinator 314-792-6510 carakoen@archstl.org

Cara is the main contact for the Northern Vicariate Office, coordinating projects and communication to facilitate collaborative relationships. If you're not sure which member of our team to reach out to, she will help you get in touch with the correct person to quickly connect Catholic parishes with vicariate and archdiocesan resources. Cara maintains the Northern Vicariate Contact directory and Flocknotes, and connects with parish staff members to keep the lines of communication open between parishes, the vicariate and Curia offices. Sign up for Flocknotes at https://northernvicariate.flocknote.com/news.



Amy Buehrle, Pastoral Ministry Coordinator 314-792-6512 amybuehrle@archstl.org

Amy supports pastors, parish staff, and faithful of the Northern Vicariate with their pastoral needs in all areas of ministry in the parish. This includes assistance in faith formation, small faithsharing ministry, staff retreats, catechesis, PSR, evangelization, young adult & youth ministry, hospitality ministry, liturgical ministry, and so much more. She will assist you in promoting, fostering, forming, and supporting the spiritual growth & development of your parish ministers and ministries, all with the emphasis on evangelization. Contact Amy to begin a conversation about how she can help you to form faithful parish leaders and more people into a deeper relationship and encounter with Jesus Christ.



Kim Blackford, Social Outreach Coordinator 314-792-6513, kimblackford@archtsl.org

Kim supports parishes in any social outreach and service, including providing ideas and connections for service opportunities, assisting with goal-setting or problem-solving for current programs and ministries, and connecting to other resources for formation on specific social concerns. Kim encourages and helps build collaboration for social outreach ministries, assists with formation on Catholic Social Teaching, and identifies needs in the community to provide "a Catholic presence in each square mile." Kim can assist you with exploring opportunities for repurposing buildings, establishing new ministries, engaging more volunteers and providing training as needed.



Vickie Hahn, Catholic Charities Navigator, Northern Vicariate 314-792-6520 victoriahahn@ccstl.org

Vickie assists the Northern Vicariate with developing a social service outreach plan for each Parish in its territory, educating parish volunteers and personnel, and identifying resources through Catholic Charities of St. Louis, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, and other care providers to address community needs. Such resources include but are not limited to mental health and substance abuse services; pregnancy and parenting supports; foster care and adoption; shelter and affordable housing; senior care; domestic violence consultation; immigration and translation/interpretation services; and concrete assistance (e.g., rent, food, utility, and financial support).



Adrienne Govero, Ed.D., Education Director, Northern Vicariate Office of Catholic Education and Formation 314-792-7338 adriennegovero@archstl.org

Addie is the Education Director from the Office of Catholic Education and Formation (OCEF) is engaged in direct service to pastors and principals administering elementary schools within the Northern Vicariate. She serves as the OCEF point of contact for consultation with pastors and principals within the Vicariate for decision-making and for addressing questions/concerns related to elementary school policies, processes, and procedures. She conducts site visits and attend meetings at each school to build relationships, provide direct service, and ensure a high level of two-way communication. She also collaborates with principals, catechetical leaders, and the Director of Religious Education on matters pertaining to school religious education curriculum and faith formation programs.



Brian Miller, Evangelization Liaison
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Brian serves as the director and the Northern Vicariate's main contact for the Office of Evangelization and Discipleship, which exists to help you move your parish from maintenance to mission. We work with clergy and lay leaders to offer training, events, resources and best practices for developing a missionary mindset and practical skills to equip Catholics for evangelization. We partner with apostolates outside the Archdiocese and we collaborate with other offices and agencies of the Archdiocese to help align programming and content in a missionary mindset.



Mary Weiskopf, Finance Manager, Vicariate Liaison 314-869-9440, ext. 101 mweiskopf@archstl.org

Mary serves as Finance Manager, Vicariate Liaison and is part of the Parish Accounting Services and Support team working directly with the Episcopal Vicar and the parishes of the Northern Vicariate. She is available to all parishes within the Vicariate to answer any questions related to financial policies, procedures and reporting requirements. She also oversees the Shared Accounting Team that serves parishes within the Northern Vicariate. In collaboration with Parish Accounting Services, Mary analyzes and reports on the needs of the Vicariate and promotes the good stewardship of all its resources.



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Javier is **Hispanic Ministry Liaison** to the Northern Vicariate and serves as first point of contact for questions, pastoral issues, guidance, and best practices related to Hispanic ministry.

The Office of Hispanic Ministry provides direct support to parishes with Hispanic Catholics across the archdiocese, exercises its commitment to Evangelization, Pastoral de Conjunto (Communion in Mission), and integration of the Catholic community into the life of the archdiocese.



Djuana Baer, HR Generalist, Human Resources Liaison 314-792-7560 djuanabaer@archstl.org

Djuana Baer serves as the main contact for Human Resources, assisting pastors and parish office managers with issues related to employee recruitment, HR policies and procedures, benefits administration, FMLA, and more.



Joyce Jones, Director, Office of Racial Harmony, Vicariate Liaison 314-792-7596 joycejones@archstl.org
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Joyce is the director of the Office of Racial Harmony, now located in the Northern Vicariate Office at 6052 Waterman Blvd, 63112. The mission of the Office of Racial Harmony is to bring an awareness about the sin of racism to the Catholic faithful by providing avenues that, through prayer and with gentleness and respect, facilitate conversations and build relationships across racial boundaries, while keeping the Sacred Heart of Jesus as the focus of all we do so that ultimately God will be glorified. Joyce and her colleagues provide workshops, presentations, and retreats to schools, parishes, and agencies. Joyce also oversees the National Black Catholic Implementation Team and the Archdiocesan African Ministry.



Cynthia Haehnel, Director, Respect Life Apostolate, Vicariate Liaison 314-792-7556 cynthiahaehnel@archstl.org
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Cynthia is the Northern Vicariate's main contact for the Respect Life Apostolate (RLA) of the Archdiocese of St. Louis. RLA provides leadership for all respect life activities within the Catholic community of St. Louis under the direction of the <u>United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB)</u>. Recognizing the Inherent dignity of each human person from conception through natural death, the RLA strives to build a Culture of Life through spiritual support, pastoral care, education and public policy. RLA programs are designed at the diocesan level to serve parishes and the local community, reaching their fullest potential through the collaboration of the pastor and parish respect life coordinator.



Laura Jablonski, Parish Outreach Coordinator,
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Laura is the Northern Vicariate's main contact for the Office of Youth Ministry. The vision of the Office of Youth Ministry is transformative youth outreach in every parish. We serve adult youth leaders serving parish high school and middle school teens through tools, training, formation, and events. Our office offers hiring assistance, new youth leader onboarding, strategic planning, volunteer training, consultation, youth leader annual retreat and frequent gatherings, as well as large scale events for youth leaders to bring parish teens, like the Steubenville STL Mid-America conference high school faith conference and Summit middle school vocations event.



Connecting parish staff with one another and with the Curia

On January 16, 17 and 18 the three Vicariates introduced *Curia Connections*, a quarterly gathering for people who work for parishes in a variety of roles. The same meeting was held at the Cathedral Basilica on January 16 (Northern Vicariate), St. Joseph Imperial on January 17 (Southern Vicariate) and Immaculate Conception Dardenne Prairie on January 18 (Western Vicariate). Those who attended received updates from Curia offices including Human Resources, Communications, Parish Support, Building & Real Estate, the Today and Tomorrow Educational Foundation and the Annual Catholic Appeal. Representatives from each of these offices presented the same information at all three meetings, and Vicariate staff and liaisons introduced themselves and their roles. Every parish received a follow up e-mail containing all of the information that was presented. We look forward to continuing these new connections with gatherings in April (16-18th), July (9-11th) and October (15-17th).

What would be most helpful to you as Parish Staff? What topics and information would YOU like to see at Curia Connections gatherings?

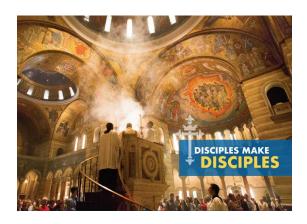
Please contact Cara Koen at carakoen@archstl.org or 314-792-6510 to share your ideas.

A New Pastoral Vision from Archbishop Rozanski

On January 25, the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, <u>Archbishop Mitchell Rozanski</u> released "Disciples Make Disciples," a new pastoral vision for the Archdiocese of St. Louis. It's accompanied by "The Way: A Journey Toward Renewal and Vitality," a new experience that will guide parishes and ministries in formulating a clear vision rooted in evangelization and will assist them in exploring diverse approaches to creating a path for discipleship.

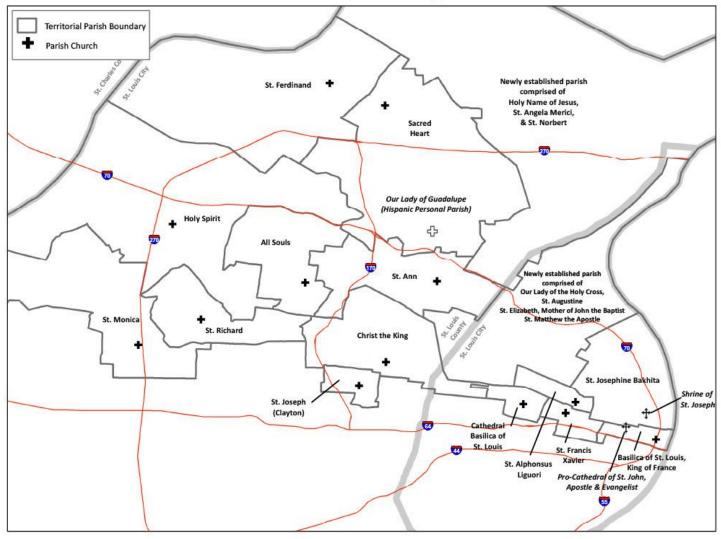
"We certainly have the Gospel message — the Good News of the Lord Jesus — and that brings us life," Archbishop Rozanski said. "What we need to do is share that Good News of life that Jesus comes to give to us. Many of our people are living that each and every day. What 'The Way' will do is help them to articulate how Jesus has transformed their own lives so that they can go about and transform others' lives with that Good News."

To learn more about The Way, visit <u>theway.archstl.org</u> and read the pastoral vision from Archbishop.



As a Northern Vicariate staff we are making intentional time during our weekly meetings to read and discuss together this new vision, having conversations and wrestling with questions so that we can authentically accompany parishes in developing a Catholic imagination for evangelization.

Northern Vicariate - Deanery 1



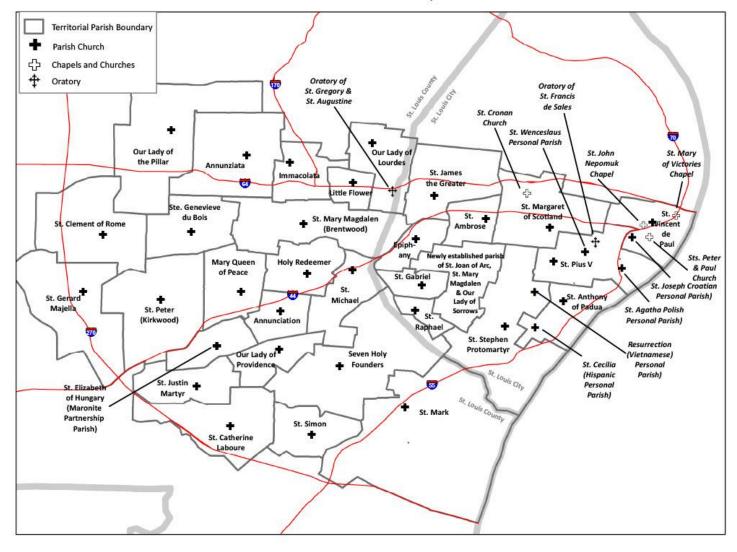
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The parishes of the City of St. Louis generally north of I-64 and the parishes of St. Louis County generally north of Delmar Blvd. Dean: Very Reverend Monsignor Michael Turek, V.F., michaelturek@archstl.org 314-721-8737

Parishes & Other Worship Sites:

- All Souls (Overland)
- Basilica of St. Louis, King of France
- Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis
- Christ the King (University City)
- Holy Name of Jesus/St. Angela Merici/St. Norbert
- Holy Spirit (Maryland Heights)
- St. Josephine Bakhita Parish (St. Louis)
 Churches: Most Holy Trinity/St. Nicholas/
 Sts. Teresa & Bridget
- Our Lady of Guadalupe (Ferguson)
- Our Lady of the Holy Cross/St. Augustine/ St. Matthew/St. Elizabeth (St. Louis)

- Sacred Heart (Florissant)
- St. Alphonsus Liguori (Rock) (St. Louis)
- St. Ann (Normandy)
- St. Ferdinand (Florissant)
- St. Francis Xavier (College Church) (St. Louis)
- St. Joseph (Clayton)
- St. Monica (Creve Coeur)
- St. Richard (Creve Coeur)
- Pro-Cathedral of St. John, Apostle & Evangelist
- Shrine of St. Joseph



Deanery 2

The parishes of the City of St. Louis generally south of I-64 and the parishes of St. Louis County generally south of Delmar Blvd. Dean: Very Reverend Craig Holway, V.F., craigholway@archstl.org 314-962-2311

Parishes & Other Worship Sites:

- Annunciation (Webster Groves)
- Annunziata, Church of the (Ladue)
- Epiphany of Our Lord (St. Louis)
- Holy Redeemer (Webster Groves)
- Immacolata (Richmond Heights)
- Little Flower (Richmond Heights)
- Mary, Queen of Peace (Webster Groves)
- Oratory of St. Francis de Sales
- Oratory of Sts. Gregory and Augustine
- Our Lady of Lourdes (University City) •
- Our Lady of Providence (Crestwood) •
- Our Lady of Sorrows/St. Joan of Arc/St. Mary Magdalen
- Our Lady of the Pillar (St. Louis)

- Resurrection of Our Lord (St. Louis)
- Seven Holy Founders (Affton)
- St. Agatha (St. Louis)
- St. Ambrose (St. Louis)
- St. Anthony of Padua (St. Louis)
- St. Catherine Laboure (Sappington)
- St. Cecilia (St. Louis)
- St. Clement of Rome (Des Peres)
- St. Cronan Church (St. Louis)
- St. Elizabeth of Hungary (Crestwood)
- St. Gabriel the Archangel (St. Louis)
- St. Gerard Majella (Kirkwood)
- St. James the Greater (St. Louis)
- St. Joseph-Croatian (St. Louis)
- St. Justin Martyr (Sunset Hills)
- St. Margaret of Scotland (St. Louis)

- St. Mark (Lemay)
- St. Mary Magdalen (Brentwood)
- St. Michael the Archangel (Shrewsbury)
- St. Peter (Kirkwood)
- St. Pius V (St. Louis)
- St. Raphael the Archangel (St. Louis)
- St. Simon the Apostle (Green Park)
- St. Stephen Protomartyr (St. Louis)
- St. Vincent de Paul (St. Louis)
- St. Wenceslaus (St. Louis)
- Ste. Genevieve du Bois (Warson Woods)
- Sts. Peter and Paul Church (St. Louis)

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