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Chief Jenkerson earned a Bachelor of Arts degree, Summa Cum Laude, in Organizational Leadership and Development from St. Louis University, with minors in psychology and biology.

Experience and his numerous fortes, have landed Chief Jenkerson on a number of committees including the Mayor's Strategic Planning Committee for Mass Casualty Incidents, Continuing Review for the Washington University School of Medicine Human Studies Board, Standards and Practice review committee member for the Washington University Institutional Biological and Chemical Safety Board, the St. Louis Fire Department Disciplinary Review Board, interdepartment research, development and

procurement committees, St. Louis Fire Department Safety Committee and special operations committees under the St. Louis Area Regional Response System.

Motivated by a quest for knowledge and a desire to use that knowledge and experience to propel our nation's fire service into the future, Chief Jenkerson is a staunch supporter of employee development through education and training, and utilization of technology and innovation to continuously improve the department's level of service and assure that employees perform their work in the safest, most efficient manner.

Fire Chief Dennis M Jenkerson serves on the following community boards as an advising member, The Salvation Army, American Red Cross, St Patrick's Center, Mathews-Dickey Boys and Girls Club, St Louis University School for Professional Studies, St Louis Fire Department Foundation, Heat-Up & Cool Down St. Louis, St Louis Backstoppers.



# **IRISH DIGNITARY**



**SENATOR PAT CASEY** 

Senator Casey is the Guest of Honor from Ireland for the 53rd Metropolitan St. Louis St. Patrick's Day Parade in 2022. He is accompanied by his wife, Sonia.

Senator Casey was elected to Seanad Éireann in April 2020 for the Labour Panel. He is a member of Fianna Fáil. He is a native of Laragh, County Wicklow and served as a TD for Wicklow from 2016 to 2020. He is now based in Glendalough and owns a local hotel. He is a nephew of Bishop Eamonn Casey.

He was Chairman of the Wicklow County Council from 2012 to 2013 and has been active in the GAA.

We welcome Senator Casey and his wife to St. Louis for our Parade and Run.



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# ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE DIRECTOR



# KEVIN LOUIS JOHN UDINA

Kevin was born and raised in St. Louis MO attending St. John the Baptist grade school and High School. In 2003 he graduated from Ranken Technical College Majoring in Industrial Electricity and Electronics.

After College, Kevin went to work for various companies and eventually landed at Terminal Railroad Association of St. Louis as a railroad signalman. He is currently a Railroad Signal Testman in charge of testing vital safety related railroad signal equipment.

Kevin has been involved with the St. Patrick's Day Parade for over 22 years, starting as a Parade Marshall and working his way up through numerous positions.

He has a long history of community involvement including being a member of Missouri -1 Disaster Medical Team-logistics, Brotherhood of Railroad Signalman Local 132 Trustee, Vice President and currently President, Boy Scouts of America Osage District Pack 449 Fundraising Chairman, den leader and currently Cub Master.

Kevin has also been involved in several community events including the St. Louis County Fair and Air Show, St. Louis Mardi Gras, the 2006 Cardinals World Series Parade, St. Louis V.P. Fair and Air show. St. Louis Blues 2019 Stanley Cup Championship parade and numerous Dignitary Motorcades and protective service details.

Kevin has been married to his wife Jennifer for 15 years and together they have 2 amazing sons, Colton 13 & Tucker 8.

Kevin's goal as Parade Director is to assist the Committee in making the parade a successful, community wide event while encouraging and facilitating a high level of youth participation and involvement.





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**JIM CURRAN** 

Jim Curran is currently Senior Vice President of Business Development for Virtus, an Employee Benefits and Risk Management firm. He also serves on the Board of Directors of Meramec Valley Bank. In 2019, Jim was recognized by Small Business Monthly as one of the Top 100 St. Louisans to Know to Succeed in Business.

Jim has worked on the St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee for 13 years. He served as Chairman of Judging/Awards for the past 10 years.

Jim is a descendant of Denis and Sarah McKinley Curran who came to America in 1850, settling first in Chicago and then moved to St. Louis in 1860. Jim has a gorgeous wife named Lisa, three great kids McKinley, Ellie and Finnian and a boxer named Marta.

Civic responsibility runs in Jim's blood and he has served many nonprofit organizations in St. Louis including Immaculate Conception Catholic Church-Dardenne (VP of Finance Council), STAGES St. Louis (Board of Trustees), St. Louis Wheelchair Athletic Association (Board Member) and Junior Achievement of Greater St. Louis (Board Member)

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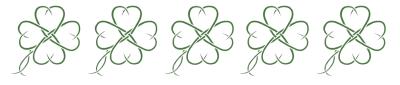
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1990 JOHN G. WALSH — President, St. Louis Convention & Visitors Commission

1991 JACK BUCK — Sports Director KMOX/CBS Radio

1992 MARTIN L. DUGGAN — Host and Producer of Donnybrook

1993 BLANCHE M. TOUHILL — Chancellor of University of Missouri-St. Louis

1994 JOSEPH B. MCGLYNN, JR. — Consul for the Republic of Ireland

1995 HELEN AND DR. PATRICK GANNON — St. Louis Irish Arts

1996 MOST REV. JUSTIN RIGALI — Archbishop of St. Louis

1997 REV. MR. ROBERT A. BROOKS — Chairman, Brooks Fiber Properties

1998 WILLIAM BARNABY FAHERTY, S.J. — Jesuit Priest - Professor, Author

1999 DICK FORD — KTVI Fox 2 Anchor

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2010 MOST REVEREND ROBERT J. CARLSON — Archbishop of St. Louis

2011 CHARLES P. GALLAGHER, SR. — Chairman, United Fruit & Produce

2012 ROBERT F. O'LOUGHLIN. — Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Lodging Hospitality Mgmt.

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2017 JOHN SAUNDERS - President and Chief Executive Officer, FleishmanHillard

2018 STEPHEN J. CONWAY - St. Louis City Assessor

2019 KEVIN SHORT - Chief Executive Office, Clayton Capital Partners

# 2022 Parade Lineup

Parade line up subject to change.



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| A | Kirkwood HOGS                             |
|---|---|
| В | Mobile Fun Patrol                         |
| C | 399th Army Band-Fort Leonard Wood         |
| D | STL Marine Recruiting station Color Guard |
| E | Special Service Pace Car                  |
| F | Point Cars -1822/1824                     |
| G | Escort Cars                               |
| Н | Parade Founder Banner                     |
| I | Parade Founders Car                       |
| J | Parade Committee Banner                   |

K Ancient Order of Hibernian's Color Guard with Irish Flag

L Mayor Tishaura O. Jones
M County Executive Sam Page

N Dignitary Lines 1/2/3O Parade Committee Members

P Deceased Members Banner

Q Irish Counties BannerR Saint Louis Metro Police

S Saint Louis Police Officer's Association 1914 Paddy Wagon

T St. Louis Police Wives' Association

U Saint Louis Fire & EMS UnitsV Saint Louis Firefighters Local 73

W Saint Louis Firefighters Motorcycle Club

X Saint Louis Sheriffs Department

Y Lucky/Race Winners K&K Truck

1 Megan Torno School of Irish Dance

2 Horseless Carriage Club

3 Hudson Hype Bucket Drummers

4 McBride Homes Banner

5 Spike the Builder Balloon

6 Irish Wolf Hounds

7 John Ford Band Highland Pipe Band

8 Missouri Athletic Club

9 Ms. Spirit of Saint Louis

10 Descendants of Nellie Fogarty

| 11 | Born Lucky                              | 49 | Soulard Mardi Gras                         |
|----|---|----|--|
| 12 | Sugar Babies Baton Twirlers/Dancers     | 50 | Soulard Mardi Gras- Blues                  |
| 13 | Moolah Mini Indy Cars                   | 51 | Soulard Mardi Gras- Aquarium               |
| 14 | Small Shamrock Balloons                 | 52 | Green Garter Brigade                       |
| 15 | Gateway Sled Dogs                       | 53 | Miss Saint Louis / Miss Missouri           |
| 16 | Gateway Two Cylinder Club               | 54 | Moolah Motor Patrol                        |
| 17 | Kickham Clan                            | 55 | Moolah Gateway 500                         |
| 18 | St. Louis Gaelic Athletic Club          | 56 | Gateway City Car Club                      |
| 19 | Hoffmann Family of Companies            | 57 | Murphy the Leprechaun Balloon              |
| 20 | Jeep Off-RoadHERS                       | 58 | Gods Green Acre Association                |
| 21 | Great River Fife and Drum               | 59 | Gateway Fire Historical Society            |
| 22 | Annie Malone Children's Home            | 60 | World Famous Lawn Rangers                  |
| 23 | Gateway Lawn Chair                      | 61 | The Clark Academy of Irish Dance           |
| 24 | Schnucks Shopping Cart                  | 62 | Mid-America Teen CERT                      |
| 25 | 105.7 The Point                         | 63 | Gateway AACA                               |
| 26 | Schnucks Soda Trailer                   | 64 | Harris Stowe Honeycombs                    |
| 27 | Descendants of Annie O'Neil             | 65 | St. Louis Jaycees                          |
| 28 | Hi NRG Twirlers/Dancers                 | 66 | Norwhal's                                  |
| 29 | The Clarkson School of Irish Dance      | 67 | O'Reilly Clan                              |
| 30 | Balloon (Irish Flag)                    | 68 | O'Faoláin Academy of Irish Dance           |
| 31 | St. Louis Area Food Bank                | 69 | Jolly Trolly Tours                         |
| 32 | Miss Missouri/Miss America              | 70 | St. Louis CITY SC                          |
| 33 | St. Louis Irish Arts                    | 71 | Fairway Automotive                         |
| 34 | Spotted Rump Ranch                      | 72 | From Heart to Hand                         |
| 35 | Moolah Marching 48                      | 73 | Hazelwood East Spirit Squad                |
| 36 | Notre Dame Club of St. Louis            | 74 | Model T Ford Club                          |
| 37 | National Multiple Sclerosis             | 75 | Moolah Yomo Mini                           |
| 38 | Mystic Knights of the Purple Haze       | 76 | Large Shamrock Balloon                     |
| 39 | Gateway Camaro Club                     | 77 | Miss Spirit of Saint Louis 2022            |
| 40 | Fitzgerald Clan                         | 78 | Parkview Lassies Drum and Bugle Corp       |
| 41 | St. Louis Renaissance Festival          | 79 | United Auto Workers 2250                   |
| 42 | White Mustang Convertible               | 80 | Brittany Woods Middle School Marching Band |
| 43 | Clowning Around                         | 81 | St. Louis Lady Cyclones                    |
| 44 | 42nd Highlanders Sterling Company       | 82 | Songs for Soldiers                         |
| 45 | O'Reilly Clan                           | 83 | America's Birthday Parade                  |
| 46 | Miss Senior Missouri                    | 84 | Kirkwood Harley Owners Group               |
| 47 | Soulard Mardi Gras- Soulard Streetscape | 85 | Waste Management                           |
| 48 | Soulard Mardi Gras- Marquee             |    |  |
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# ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN ST. LOUIS CELEBRATES 53 YEARS OF THE WEARIN' OF THE GREEN

On a blustery March day in 1970 Joseph B. McGlynn, Jr., the founder of the St. Patrick's Day Parade in St. Louis, Mayor Alphonso Cervantes, Patrick Walsh, Irish Consul General - Chicago; and an intrepid band of marchers and floats depicting Irish heritage slogged through green-tinted snow on Olive Street downtown in the first St. Patrick's Day parade of the 20th century. McGlynn and the Notre Dame Club of St. Louis put on that first parade. Now, 53 years later and in the 21st century the tradition also known as the Rite of Spring is the centerpiece of the area's St. Patrick's Day celebrations and is still going strong.

Joe McGlynn, now 88 years young, and St. Louis' Honorary Irish Consul, is still a driving force behind St. Louis' most popular and well-attended parade (in good weather over 350,000 crowd the parade route) but now instead of just the Notre Dame Club of St. Louis, he's aided by a committee of nearly 150 claiming Irish heritage and a marshal corps of over 400 volunteers who actually stage the parade. To that must be added a detail of nearly 120 St. Louis police officers, city officials, official sponsors of the parade, media partners, honorary parade marshals, the Irish government, which provides a representative for nearly every parade and others.

Over the years a who's who of Irish elected officials has found their way

to St. Louis for the St. Patrick's Day Parade. An honor that no other American city of our size enjoys. The list includes: Prime Minister Jack Lynch, who attended the second parade in 1971; Bertie Ahern, former Prime Minister and Member of Parliament; Erskine Childers, Deputy Prime Minister and Member of Parliament; Marie Geoghegan-Quinn, Minister of the Department of the Taoiseach and Member of Parliament; Ben Briscoe, Lord Mayor of Dublin and Member of Parliament; John Bruton, leader of the Fine Gael Party; John Hume, leader of SDLP, M.P. and M.E.P. in Northern Ireland; Mark Durkan, Deputy First Minister of Northern Ireland; and many more.

The list of Honorary Parade Marshals includes St. Louisans Denny Long, president of Anheuser Busch and Michael Roarty, executive vice president of Anheuser Busch; Most Reverend Edward O'Donnell, auxiliary Bishop of St. Louis; Charles Gallagher, Sr., chairman of United Fruit and Produce; Michael Shanahan, Sr., president of Engineered Systems; Jack Buck, member of the Sportscasters Hall of Fame; Most Reverend Justin Rigali, Archbishop of St. Louis; Patrick Finneran, Jr., vice president and general manager, Boeing Integrated Defense Systems; Charles Drury, Chairman of Drury Development Corporation; Robert O'Loughlin, founder and chairman of Lodging Hospitality Management

Company, John Saunders, president of FleishmanHillard and Kevin Short, CEO of Clayton Capital Partners and other distinguished St. Louisans.

In 1978 the St. Patrick's Day Run in St. Louis was added to parade day and precedes the parade on Saturday morning. The five mile/3K run has since become the largest locally organized run in St. Louis. Over 5,000 runners participated in 2019 Michelob ULTRA St. Patrick's Day Parade Run.

"From the very first run 44 years ago, Anheuser Busch was there supporting our efforts to stage the run as well as the parade," notes McGlynn. "This year, Michelob ULTRA will again sponsor the run."

As the year's passed the parade and its spectator base became too large for Olive Street and it and the run were moved to Market Street where it now steps off at 20th and marching east to Broadway and concludes at Kiener Plaza where the Irish Village and Runners Village are located. When the weather is good, more than 350,000 spectators line the parade

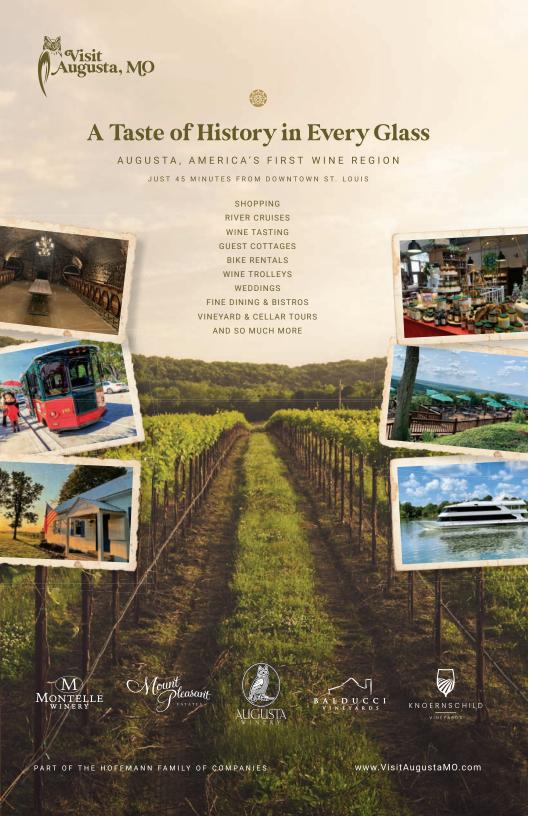
route to watch the elaborate floats, marching bands, marching units, dance groups, animal units, novelty groups, motorized organizations, and large helium-filled cartoon character balloons.

"We're a little like the Pied Piper, hopefully bringing people into downtown to enjoy the post parade activities, such as the Irish Village, BallPark Village and the post-parade party at the Hilton St. Louis at the Ballpark," adds McGlynn.

Despite a halt in the Parades in 2020 and 2021 for the Covid pandemic, the Parade will resume this March 12, 2022 on its route from Union Station to Kiener Plaza.

After 53 years, one can safely say that the St. Patrick's Day Parade and Run in St. Louis and their attendant parties and activities have become part of the fabric of the community and much anticipated events for those of Irish heritage and those that are Irish for the day or weekend. It's a "rite" that will be right for St. Louis for another 53 years.





### FORMER GUESTS OF HONOR

- 1970 PATRICK WALSH Irish Consul General Chicago
- 1971 JACK LYNCH, T.D. Prime Minister
- 1972 ERSKINE CHILDERS, T.D. Deputy Prime Minister
- 1973 MICHAEL O'HIGGINS Mayor of Galway
- 1974 MARTIN KEAVENEY Mayor of Sligo
- 1975 RICHARD BURKE, T.D. Minister of Education
- 1976 EDDIE COLLINS, T.D. Mayor of Waterford
- 1977 JERRY COLGAN Mayor of Galway
- 1978 JOSEPH MALONE Director, Irish Tourist Board
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- 1980 MAIRE GEOGHEGAN-QUINN, T.D. Minister of Gaeltacht
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- 1983 PADDY O'TOOLE, T.D. Minister of Fisheries, Forest & Gaeltacht
- 1984 JOHN F. DONNELLAN, T.D. Minister of Posts & Telegraph
- 1985 PAUDIE O'CONNOR Mayor of Killarney
- 1986 MICHAEL NOONAN, T.D. Minister of Industry, Trade & Commerce
- 1987 DAVID KENNEDY Chairman, Aer Lingus
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- 1989 BEN BRISCOE, T.D. Lord Mayor of Dublin
- 1990 HOWARD E. KILROY President & COD, Jefferson Smurfit Group
- 1991 JOHN BRUTON, T.D. Leader of Fine Gael Party
- 1992 MICHAEL J. WOODS, T.D. Minister of the Marine
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- 2012 MARK DALY Member of Irish Senate
- 2013 MARIE-LOUISE O'DONNELL Member of Irish Senate
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- 2016 KEITH FINNEGAN Chief Executive Galway Bay FM Radio
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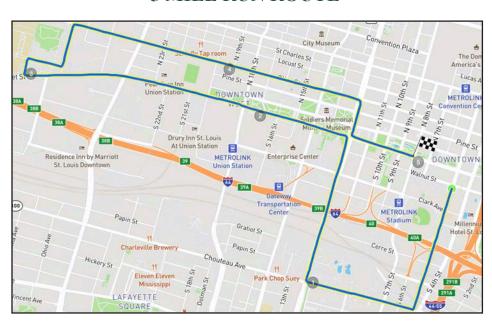
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IN MEMORIAM IN MEMORIAM

# Charles Drury, Sr.

Mr. Drury died in September of 2020 at age 92. He was the Honorary Marshal of our Parade in 2006 and attended parades thereafter enjoying the camaraderie of our dinner and events of the weekend. He continued to sponsor events at the Parade.

He was a member of SLU's Board of Trustees from 1995-2007. He and his wife, Shirley, received honorary degrees from SLU in 2008 in recognition their contributions to SLU and Catholic education throughout Missouri.



Mr. Drury was raised on a farm in Kelso, Missouri in the Bootheel. He and his brothers opened the first Drury hotel in 1973 in Sikeston. The business remains fully family owned and operated.



### William Haines

William "Barricade Bill" Haines proudly served his country and local community organizations for decades. The St. Patricks Day Parade had a special place in Bill's heart. He dedicated over 30 years to this great organization.

Starting days before the Parade, helping set up communications at the Hilton, late nights covering parking meters with bags, street closures, returning equipment days after the parade was completed, he never stopped to wait for a thank you or gratuity in gesture. His common response was "Are we still having fun"? Bill was 75 years young, a semi retired machinist, but still found time to volunteer for at least 13 other organizations.

As a sub mariner veteran his motto was, "Any time, any where, always ready, always there." Bill was a true asset to our organization he helped in all capacities and will be truly missed. If you look up the word "volunteer" his name would be there.... Bill

passed peacefully on August 2, 2021 in his home of natural causes. As a friend he always reminded us all "I'm hear for a good time, not a long time", I wish we had one more day.

Bill was right, we are still having fun....

Rest in peace "Barricade Bill" may your legacy live on in your children and grandchildren.

# James Martin Michael Hanifan

The head coach of the Cardinals for six seasons, from 1980 to 1985, the bulk of Hanifan's 30 seasons coaching in the NFL came as an offensive line coach, where he earned praise as perhaps the greatest coach at that position in the league's history.

Hanifan was hired as the Cardinals offensive line coach in 1973. His offensive line in 1975 allowed only eight quarterback sacks for the season, tying the NFL record at the time for a 14-game season. When he was the offensive line coach for the



Washington Redskins in 1991, they allowed only nine sacks in 16 games

Hanifan earned Super Bowl rings with the Redskins in 1991 and with the Rams in 1999. He worked for the Rams from 1997 through 2003. After his coaching career he spent several years working as an analyst on the Rams radio broadcasts.

Hanifan was married for almost 58 years to Marianna,

"Coach" never missed the St. Patrick's Day Parade and enjoyed walking through the crowd shaking hands. As the unofficial host of the Hostility Suite, he would entertain the Members with story after story. He will be sorely missed.

IN MEMORIAM IN MEMORIAM



# Joseph Michael ("Mick") Mc-Donough

O3.16.1940 - 01.08.2022

Parade Committee Member Mick McDonough passed away in January. He spent decades working as a valued member of our Committee, chairing the Judging Sub-Committee for many years. Mick was a proud member of the United States Marine Corps Regiment, 4th Marine Division, USMCR and was honorably discharged in 1969 after beginning

his service in October, 1963. He later retired from Southwestern Bell/AT&T after nearly 30 years there.

In addition to volunteering with the Parade Committee, Mick donated his time to FOCUS Marines Foundation, the USO, Toys for Tots, and the Ancient Order of Hibernians, among other groups.

Mick was predeceased by his beloved wife Eileen, and survived by his two children and six grandchildren. Mick was a friend to many. He saw the good in everyone and everything, and will be remembered for his generosity, kindness, patience, optimism and faith.



**Julie Ross** 

April 21, 1964 - February 20, 2022

Last month, the Parade Committee lost one of its best and brightest leaders, Julie Ross, who continued to work on the line-up for this year's parade even while battling a sudden and terminal illness, ever-mindful that our Show, the Parade, Must Go On. We miss her terribly.

Julie came to the Parade Committee as our representative for vendor JOTS / Republic Services, providing personalized and expert assistance as

we planned our Run and Parade routes. Soon thereafter, she jumped into the Committee with both feet, quickly seeking more responsibility and greater ways to get involved. At all times, though, Julie remained effervescent, witty, and kind, always willing to step up and take on more responsibility. Her organizational skills were unparalleled, and her commitment to the Committee and the many friends she made here was inspiring.

Julie is survived by her husband Richard, her beautiful daughters Courtney and Kaitlyn, her son Lane Chadden, and her soon-to-be son-in-law John Courter.

### **Chris Wolf**

In March of last year, Chris Wolf was there, as he was each year, to help make the St. Patrick's Day Parade Run go - in that case the Covid-limited event in Forest Park.

In June we were called to say goodby to him. It was a shock to all who worked with him on this committee. Chris had previously been treated for pre-cancerous cells in his esophagus and appeared to be doing well. Then, in May, he experienced a persistent coughing condition which, as it turns



out, was the manifestation of a rapid onset of esophageal cancer which took his life in just weeks.

We lost a great friend. Nearly thirty years ago Chris was recruited by one of his colleagues at A.G. Edwards (later Wells Fargo) to serve as a volunteer in securing the course for the Run. That was a fortuitous moment for our committee. Chris stayed for years thereafter and, for the last twenty years, headed up security for the Run. Due to his dedication and diligence, in excess of two hundred thousand runners have safely traversed the 5-mile course on downtown streets without incident. Even more importantly, Chris was always a positive influence in every phase of our activities. He valued the work of this committee so much that he designed a jersey of his beloved St. Louis Blues in green with the number 5 on the back, representing the 5-mile course for the Run. Chris was also a man of faith



who sadly left behind his wife, Carrie, and daughters Naomi and Noelle in addition to his parents, Del and Doris Wolf, and his sister, Becky Mehrkens. We celebrated Chris's life in June with a last hurrah and we remember him this weekend as we set out on the events that he loved so well.

# IN MEMORIAM

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