

Anniversary of the Solemn Dedication of the Cathedral February 10, 2019

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 11

*Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c [31b]/
Mk 6:53-56*

8:00 AM Mass – Kias Bernard +

Tuesday, February 12

Gn 2:20-2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Mk 7:1-13

8:00 AM Mass – Arthur and Helen Roseler +

Wednesday, February 13

*Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 [1a]/
Mk 7:14-23*

6:00 PM Mass – Kias Bernard +

Thursday, February 14

Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 7:24-30

8:00 AM Mass – John Robertson +

Friday, February 15

Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [1a]/Mk 7:31-37

8:00 AM Mass – Basil Hoehn +

Saturday, February 16

Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 [1]/Mk 8:1-10

8:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

4:00 PM Mass – Maria Bernard +

Sunday, February 17

*Jer 17:5-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6 [40:5a]/1 Cor 15:12, 16-20/
Lk 6:17, 20-26*

8:30 AM Mass – Kias Bernard +

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

The family of John Robertson would like to thank the people of Cathedral for their prayers and many kindnesses. A special thanks to Father Hansen, the Ladies of the Altar Society, and the children of Cathedral School. May God continue to bless you.

Carolyn Robertson, JL, Maggie, Sally, Emily, and Sam

All ladies of the Parish are invited to the **Altar Society's Day of Recollection** on **Thurs., March 14, 9:00 AM-2:00 PM**, at the **St. Francis Parish Center**. **Father Hansen** will be the guest speaker. More information will be available soon!

Sign up online for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** at <http://signup.com/go/vaVOXnM> or contact **Amy Roetto** at **816-787-0235** or amy_roetto@hotmail.com.

Cathedral School and ECC will be closed on **Friday, Feb. 15** for a Professional Staff Development Day. There will be an **8:00 AM Mass** on **Friday**, but it will not be an All School Mass. The **All School Mass** will be on **Thursday, Feb. 14**.

The **second collection** next weekend, **Feb. 16-17**, will be for the **Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund**. With these funds, **Catholic Charities** can help those who are less fortunate meet their immediate needs and ultimately regain a sense of stability. Once the immediate crisis is resolved, Catholic Charities works with families on their personal pathway out of poverty – helping sustain them until they are self-sufficient and thriving. Please be generous.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$76,166 (included \$4000 for reserve)

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

Week 1 \$11,089.19

\$ 775.00

This Coming Week

Monday, February 11

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

5:30-6:30 PM Finance Committee–Msgr. Dierkes Rm

6:00-6:50 PM School of Religion – Ruggle Hall

6:30 PM Pastoral Council – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

6:30 PM Cub Scouts - Gym

Tuesday, February 12

4:30 PM ECC Board Mtg – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

6:00-7:00 PM Daisies – Ruggle Hall

7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

Wednesday, February 13

7:30-9:00 AM Prospective Families Coffee/Donuts Mtg and Open House – St. Anne's Room

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

5:00 PM School Advisory Board – Msgr. Dierkes Rm

5:00 PM Ravenous Ravens Night – Geneo's Pizza

6:00 PM ECC Staff Mtg – ECC Bldg.

Thursday, February 14 – Valentine's Day

8:00 AM All School Mass

9:30 AM Parish Staff Mtg – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

2:00 PM School Valentine's Day Parties begin

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal - Ruggle Hall

Friday, February 15

No School or ECC – Professional Staff Development Day

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

Saturday, February 16

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass

Sunday, February 17

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

After Mass Coffee, Milk, & Donuts – Ruggle Hall

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass – Rite of Welcome

4:00-6:00 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

7:00-8:30 PM Confirmation – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

This weekend we celebrate the **Solemn Dedication of the Cathedral**. There are actually two ceremonies for dedicating a church. The normal dedication for our Cathedral was celebrated in 1871, when it was built. The Solemn Dedication (formerly called Consecration) can only be celebrated when the debt on the church is paid off. Because of an oversight, neither our Cathedral nor the Cathedral in Kansas City was consecrated when they were eligible in the late 1800s. This oversight was discovered in the 1970s, and both Cathedrals were "Solemnly Dedicated" in 1975. Our anniversary date is **February 9**, and we celebrate this on the closest Sunday.

The Catholic young adult group for St. Joseph, *Coram Deo*, is meeting on **Mon., Feb. 18**, for "**Mondays on the Bluff**"! All young adults age 22-35 are invited to attend. Meet at **River Bluff Brewing** at **6:00 PM** for pizza and drinks.

On Wednesday evenings during Lent, **March 13-April 10**, **St. Mary Church** will have a **Mass, pot luck dinner**, and a **program**. All are invited to attend. More information available soon!

For my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples. (Isa 56:1, 6-7)

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER HANSEN . . . The incorrupt heart of the patron Saint of parish priests, St. John Vianney (feast is August 4th), is coming to the Cathedral of St. Joseph. Bishop Johnston was asked by the Knights of Columbus if he'd be interested in the relic coming to the Diocese, and it "happened" to be the Solemnity of St. Joseph (March 19th) that the heart would be here. He graciously asked if it could be here; we are so fortunate. More details to come but the tentative schedule is:

- Mass at 8:00 AM – receive the relic
- Veneration throughout the day (we may have Rosaries or Chaplets during the day)
- Vespers at 5:30 PM (and a gathering for priests afterwards in the rectory)
- Confession available throughout the day
- Closing at 8:00 PM (blessing upon the people with the relic and procession out)

I was in Ars, France last summer on the Rome Experience (where we hope Jared and Garrett can go this summer), and had Mass for the work of the Vocation Office on the 12th anniversary of my ordination to the priesthood (June 3rd) in front of St. John Vianney's body. I was encouraged, though, to go to the special chapel where his incorrupt heart usually is kept. It was "out on tour" (in Europe). Now, the heart of this great Saint is coming to us! St. John Vianney, pray for us!!!!

The **Daughters of Isabella** will hold their monthly business meeting on **Tuesday, Feb. 12**. The meeting will begin at **12:30 PM** and will be held at the **St. Francis Parish Center**.

Knights of Columbus Council #571, 4520 Mitchell Ave., will hold an **Admission Degree Ceremony** on **Sun., March 10**, at **1:00 PM**, for men interested in joining. Shortly afterward, those new members and other current 1st Degree members can advance to the 3rd Degree. All Catholic men over age 18 are invited to join this Catholic, fraternal service organization. As a member, you will grow in your faith, serve your parish, form friendships with brother Knights that can last a lifetime and have exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family. Council 571 has been serving parishes throughout St. Joseph since 1901. Contact: **Leo Stock, 248-4713**, or **Mark Wyble, 233-8427**.

For those who are jobless today, **Catholic Charities Employment Services** offers a menu of services/activities including: one-on-one coaching, basic job skills workshops, resume building, assisted job search, financial literacy, case management, customer service training, retention services, emergency assistance for job related activities such as job interviews or transportation to/from work, interviewing techniques, networking opportunities, Seniors at Work job training and placement for adults age 55 and older. Contact **Kathy Ficcadenti**, Director of Workforce Development, **816-659-8269** or kficcadenti@ccharities.com if you are able to assist with any of these Catholic Charities programs.

Stewardship Makes A Difference . . .

St. Joseph's Day is right around the corner. Mark your calendar and save **Tuesday, March 19** for faith, food and fun. Watch the bulletin for volunteer opportunities.

CHECK THIS OUT . . . The Good News of Cathedral

- **Thank you** to the following who helped take down and store the winter decorations: **Ann & Dennis Gronniger, Phil Merrigan, Nazaria Crail, Linda Gerhardt, Joyce Weight, and John Modlin.**
- **Thank you** to **Sally Hoehn** for providing treats to the School of Religion students.
- **Congratulations** to **Natalie Burnett**, the recipient of the Bishop LeBlond Principal's Scholarship. **Natalie** qualified for this scholarship by earning the top score on the Explorer test.
- **Congratulations** to these students who participated in the our school Geography Bee: **Cole McEnaney, Jarrett Lujan, Samuel Page, Chris Romo-Onate, Sam Schoeberl, Henry Rizzo, Anna Wise, Rudy Daise, Jackson Sigrist, and Alisa Hadsall!**
- **Congratulations** to our **Math Counts** team for earning 1st place at the annual competition: **Landon Gardener, Sam Schoeberl, Remi Zoubek, and Cali Hatcher. Thank you** to their team leader, **Tom Smith!**

Our School and ECC News

- Our prayers for a new **Early Childhood Center** building have been answered! The old Mosaic Cancer Center will become our new ECC building sometime in the future. More on this announcement soon!
- All are invited to the next **Ravenous Ravens Night** on **Wed., Feb. 13**, beginning at **5:00 PM**, at **Geneo's Pizza and Pub, 809 Francis Street**. Join us for tasty Italian and enjoy a night out of the kitchen!
- Encourage your friends and family members, who may be interested in learning more about **Cathedral School**, to join us for **coffee and donuts** on **Wed., Feb. 13, 7:30-9:00 AM** in **St. Anne's Room (in Ruggle Hall)**.
- **Cathedral School's Kindergarten Round-Up** will be on **Wed., Feb. 20, 6:00-7:30 PM**, in **Ruggle Hall**. Come meet our Teacher, visit the classroom, and have questions answered by our Principal! Help spread the word!
- You are cordially invited to **Cathedral School's annual Mardi Gras** fundraiser for an evening of fun, bidding, cocktails, food, and dancing. This festive event is **Sat., March 2**, at **Bishop LeBlond High School**, with cocktail hour beginning at **5:00 PM**. Sponsorships are available or tickets are only \$40/person to attend. To buy tickets, sponsorships, or bid on online silent auction items, go to cathedralmardigras.ticket.qtego.net.
- **Cathedral Cash** cards can be purchased or ordered after our weekend Masses in the west vestibule, through our School Office, at CathedralCash@cathedralsj.org, or **ScripNow**.

Our **Lady of Guadalupe Altar Society** will host their annual **women's retreat** on **Sat., Feb. 16**, in their **Marian Hall**. **Father Barlett** will be the speaker. Continental breakfast will be at **8:30 AM** with retreat **9:00 AM-12:00 noon**. All ladies of the Deanery are invited to attend. Please RSVP by **Feb. 13** to **OLOG Parish Office** at **232-2847**.

A **Men's Conference** will be held on **Sat., March 23, 7:00 AM-5:00 PM**, at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Church**. Tickets are \$25 at EventBrite.com or \$30 at the door. Contact **David Hurst** at dhurst032204@yahoo.com or **262-3950**.