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Website:
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Hours:

Monday -
8:00AM-2:00PM
Tuesday - Friday -
9:00AM-2:00PM

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday: 8:30 & 11:30AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30AM — Monday
6:15AM — Tuesday
6:00PM — Wednesday
8:00AM — Thursday, Friday,
Saturday

CONFESSION

1/2 hour before all Masses
and on Saturdays beginning at
2:30PM

HOLY DAY MASSES

As announced

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

For Sacramental emergencies please call
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SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious education for public school students
4 year old - 8th grade

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COFFEE & DONUTS

After the 8:30AM Mass on Sunday in the
lower level of church.

BAPTISM

Please make arrangements in advance by
calling the Parish Office.

WEDDING

Please contact the Parish Office one year
before the wedding date.

HOSPITAL VISITATION

Please contact the Parish Office if you are
hospitalized.

NEWCOMERS

We welcome you to the Cathedral of St.
Joseph. You may register at the Parish Office
or complete parish registration form at
www.cathedralsj.org under the contact tab.

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816-689-0837

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phone number, or leaving the parish,
please notify the Parish Office.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, 816-812-2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee, or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Whitney True-Francis, the Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816-392-0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – September 10, 2023

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, September 11

Col 1:24—2:3...Ps 62:6-7, 9...Lk 6:6-11

8:30 AM Mass – Hepburn Family +

Tuesday, September 12

Col 2:6-15...Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11...Lk 6:12-19

6:15 AM Mass – Frank and Josephine Bono +

Wednesday, September 13

Col 3:1-11...Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab...Lk 6:20-26

6:00 PM Mass – Living and Deceased Staff and Members of Holy Rosary Credit Union

Thursday, September 14

Nm 21:4b-9...Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38...

Phil 2:6-11...Jn 3:13-17

8:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

Friday, September 15

1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14...Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11...

Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

8:00 AM Mass – Berkemeier/Beery Families +

Saturday, September 16

1 Tm 1:15-17...Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7...Lk 6:43-49

8:00 AM Mass – Sam Cerniglia +

4:00 PM Mass – Marguerite Huber and Francis Huber +

Sunday, September 17

Sir 27:30—28:7...Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12...

Rom 14:7-9...Mt 18:21-35

8:30 AM Mass – Greg Knapp and Joan Knapp +

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish +

Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of Jack Curtin, the uncle of Dan Grable. Please pray for Jack and his family.

See the “Coming Week’s Activities” in the 2nd column on this page for the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament schedule. Sign up at <https://signup.com/go/LPVzjYN> or sign-up on the sheet in our daily chapel. Email adoration@cathedralsj.org or call the Parish Office at 816-232-7763 for assistance.

Our RCIA Program will begin on Sunday, September 24th, 1:00 PM in Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room (in Rectory). After the first week, the meeting time may change to 4:15 PM. For more information, please contact Arman Partamian, our RCIA Coordinator, at ajpartamian@yahoo.com or 816-383-3933 or call the Parish Office at 816-232-7763.

The first Confirmation Prep Session for high school freshmen and any other teens who have not yet received the Sacrament will be on Sunday, Sept. 24th, 6:30-8:00 pm. There will be a short parent meeting at the beginning of this session to give an overview of the classes and meeting dates.

Our second collection next weekend, Sept. 16-17, is to support the Church in Latin America. Help strengthen families, fund Catholic education, and foster priestly and religious vocations by giving to the Collection next weekend.

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, September 11 (Adoration 9 AM – 12:45 PM)

7:50-8:20 AM

Confessions – Church

8:00-8:15 AM

School Convocation - Church

8:30 AM

Mass – Church

9:30-11:00 AM

Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

3:45-5:30 PM

Volleyball Practice (Libel) - Gym

5:30-6:30 PM

Volleyball Practice (Roetto) - Gym

7:00 PM

Bldgs & Grounds Committee Mtg - Msgr. Rm

Tuesday, September 12 (Adoration 8 AM–3 PM)

6:15 AM

Mass – Church

3:45-5:30 PM

Volleyball Practice (Libel) – Gym

Wednesday, September 13 (Adoration 8 AM-6 PM)

9:00 AM-12 noon

Crafting Group – Rectory Basement

9:30-11:00 AM

Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

3:45-5:30 PM

Volleyball (Libel) – Gym

5:20-5:50 PM

Confessions – Church

5:30-6:30 PM

Volleyball Practice (Pfister) - Gym

6:00 PM

Mass – Church

6:30 PM

Advisory School Board-Msgr. Dierkes Rm

7:00 PM

Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, September 14 (Adoration 9 AM-1 PM)

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions – Church

8:00 AM

Mass – Church

3:45-5:30 PM

Volleyball (Libel) – Gym

7:00 PM

Cathedral Choir Rehearsal - Church

Friday, September 15 (Adoration 9 AM–3 PM)

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions – Church

8:00 AM

All School Mass – Church

9:30-11:00 AM

Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

3:45-5:30 PM

Volleyball (Libel) – Gym

Saturday, September 16 (No Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions

8:00 AM

Mass – Church

2:30-3:30 PM

Confessions – Church

3:30 PM

Rosary – Church

4:00 PM

Mass – Church

Sunday, September 17 (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM

Confessions – Church

8:00 AM

Rosary – Church

8:30 AM

Mass – Church & livestream

After Mass

Coffee and Donuts

10:50-11:20 AM

Confessions – Church

11:30 AM

Mass – Church

7:00 PM

Rosary – livestream only

For those who use contribution envelopes for your tithing, please pick up your new box this weekend from the table in the west vestibule.

Come One, Come All! Please join the Legion of Mary members this Sunday as they host a Pancake Breakfast in Ruggle Hall. The Knights of Columbus will serve this delicious breakfast between the Masses, so come between 9:30 am and 11:00 am.

We will enjoy coffee, milk, and donuts again after the 8:30 am Mass beginning next Sunday, Sept. 17th. If you have a little time to help set up before or clean up after, please contact Stacy and Rick Gerhardt at stacygerhardt@yahoo.com or contact the Parish Office at 816-232-7763. Your help would be greatly appreciated!

Weekly Offertory Income

Monthly Budget Goal \$65,725

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

Week 1 \$13,395.77

\$ 830.50

Message from Mother M. Stella, CJD . . .

Some of you may be wondering where entrance, offertory and communion antiphons come from! For each Sunday, feast and solemnity of the year, there is a text chosen by the Church, especially for that day and liturgical season, usually from scripture, meant to be sung with psalm verses during the priest's entrance at the beginning of Mass, during the offertory procession, and while the faithful are receiving Holy Communion.

These texts are called "propers", meaning that they are specific to that day. The music for these texts for each Sunday, feast and solemnity is in the Graduale Romanum (Roman Gradual). Why have you probably not sung these at Mass before? Well, no standard edition has been published in English with music for the United States. The Latin texts set to Gregorian chant are easily available, but it has taken many years for composers to write collections of the propers in English. Twenty-two years ago when I became music director at a parish, I was only aware of one published book of propers in English, *By Flowing Waters*. Currently, there are more than twenty published collections of the propers in English, online and in print, and more are being written all the time. Some missalettes are even including music with the propers so the congregation can sing them.

It is exciting that we have the opportunity now to become familiar with these antiphons, chosen for each Sunday! I will write more soon about these propers, and about the ordinary of the Mass, too, which we also sing each Sunday. Keep in mind St. Augustine's famous words that "he who sings prays twice," for as we sing the words, they become part of us, enter more deeply into our souls, and conform us to Christ.

Calling all singers! Has anyone ever told you that you have a good voice? Would you like to be part of making our liturgies at Cathedral more and more beautiful? The Cathedral Choir sings at some of the **8:30 am Sunday Masses**. Rehearsals are most **Thursday evenings, 7 pm**, in the church choir loft. Please call **816-500-6345** with any questions!

Cathedral Cash will be sold in the west vestibule after our weekend Masses if we have a volunteer available to help. You also may turn in orders by **9 am** on **Tuesdays** to the **School or Parish Offices** or contact **Melanie Francis** at cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org or **816-351-8870**. If you would like to help after any of the Masses, contact Melanie.

Additional **Rosary leaders** are needed especially for the **4 pm Saturday Masses**. Please contact the **Parish Office** at **816-232-7763** if you would be willing to help. If we have several Rosary leaders, one will only need to lead the Rosary one Mass per month (or every few weeks, based on your availability).

Mir House of Prayer needs adorers: **Saturdays, 4 am, 1 pm, and 10 pm** and on **Mondays, 8 pm**. If you can help as a regular adorer or could be a sub, contact **Lisa Puett** at **816-279-4414**.

The **St. Serra of St. Joseph**, a Lay Apostolate, has begun a **Vocation Support Raffle**. The proceeds will support seminarians, priests, and consecrated religious in the Kansas City-St. Joseph Diocese. 1st Prize is \$5,000; 2nd prize is \$500; 3rd prize is \$250. Only 150 tickets will be sold. Raffle tickets cost \$100 each, and will be available after the Masses next weekend, **September 16-17**. The drawing will be held on **December 13th**. You need not be present to win. For more information, please contact **Wilma Jenkins, 816-364-6351**, or **Mary Riley, 816-232-5548** or mrileykldt@gmail.com.

The **Coram Deo** group will meet on **Thursday, September 14th**! Meet at the **Mir House of Prayer** at **6:10 pm** for **Adoration**, followed by **Parties on the Parkway!** All young adults, ages 22-35, are invited to attend. Please contact **Ally Gabler** at allygabler@gmail.com if you have any questions.

The Good News of Cathedral

- **Many blessings to Shirley Madison**, who made her **Profession of Faith, First Communion**, and received the **Sacrament of Confirmation** on **August 13th**!

Cathedral School News

- The trash bags will be ready for pick-up in the parking lot on **Sept. 14th** from **11 am-5 pm**! If you didn't order trash bags during the fundraiser, they are still available throughout the year from the school and parish **Monday – Friday**, during regular office hours, and occasionally after weekend Masses when there is someone available to help in the west vestibule. The trash bags come in three sizes and are \$12 per roll.



St Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA)

- This year's Diocesan theme is "Joyfully Catholic"! We hope to bring that joy to you through posts on social media, websites, and in bulletins! [@SJCA_home](https://twitter.com/SJCA_home) [#WatchUsGrow](https://www.facebook.com/WatchUsGrow)
- All campuses in the Academy have coordinated calendars for the year. Stay in the loop by following us on Facebook or check out the information on our website at www.stjoecatholicacademy.com.
- Want to help a student receive a Catholic education? It's as easy as paying taxes! **MOScholars** and **Bright Futures Fund** will put your tax dollars to work for a child in need! Find out how! Go to brightfuturesfund.org.

Life Day is an interfaith, no-cost annual event in St. Joseph to celebrate and defend all ages and stages of human life. There are 3 ways to be involved: walk, prayer chain, and rally. The public is invited to participate in these events on **October 1st**. More details will be provided soon!

St. Gianna Early Childhood Center has job openings for full-time lead teachers and instructors and full-time and part-time aides. Contact **Amie Herrin** or **Nancy Sample** at **816-233-9794** or email **Amie** at the **St. Gianna Center** at aherrin@cathedralsj.org.

HILL DAY 2023

Saturday, September 23 - 5:00pm-9:00pm

JOIN US AFTER 4:00PM MASS FOR...

Special Features:

- Live Music by the Gold Can Collective
- Balloon artist Paul Flury
- Altar Society Cake Walk
- 8th grade face painting
- Cupcake decorating



Food:

- Hurlinger fried chicken, burgers, hotdogs, sides
- Water, beer



Unlimited games wristband for \$12 in advance,
\$15 at the door which includes:

- Gaga Ball
- Snack Cake Walk
- Pop Ring Toss
- and more!



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to be used towards special features, food, and
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