

Welcome to Cathedral of St. Joseph

519 No. 10th St., St. Joseph, Missouri 64501

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH MISSION STATEMENT

Cathedral of St. Joseph is dedicated to exceptional life-long faith formation through a Catholic community rich in tradition, fellowship and service to all.
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Website:

www.cathedralsj.org

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
816-205-6888.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

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

SCHOOL OFFICE

816-232-8486

7:30AM-3:30PM - Monday-Friday

www.cathedralsj.org

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

816-233-9794

6:00AM-6:00PM — Monday-Friday

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.

SISTERS IN JESUS THE LORD

816-689-0837

When changing mailing or email addresses,
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@ombudsmancksj.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.

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 13, 2023

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, August 14

Dt 10:12-22...Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20...Mt 17:22-27

8:30 AM Mass – Carl Jenkins +

Tuesday, August 15 (The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab...Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16...1 Cor 15:20-27...

Lk 1:39-55

8:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

6:00 PM Mass – Sam Cerniglia +

Wednesday, August 16

Dt 34:1-12...Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17...Mt 18:15-20

6:00 PM Mass – Janie Simon +

Thursday, August 17

Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17...Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6...Mt 18:21—19:1

8:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

Friday August 18

Jos 24:1-13...Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24...Mt 19:3-12

8:00 AM Mass – Kathryn Wingert +

Saturday, August 19

Jos 24:14-29...Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11...Mt 19:13-15

8:00 AM Mass – The Employees of the Evans Family Business

4:00 PM Mass – Sam Cerniglia +

Sunday, August 20

Is 56:1, 6-7...Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8...Rom 11:13, 15, 29-32...

Mt 15:21-28

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – Matt Woodrow +

Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of:

- *Shirl Eteeyan, the mother of Julie Love Smith*
- *Dolores Reynozo, the aunt of Chris Den Ouden*

Please pray for Shirl, Dolores, and their families.

Please sign up at <https://signup.com/go/yeSjCoj> or on the sheet in the daily chapel for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on **Wed., 8 am-6 pm; Thurs., after 8 am Mass-4 pm.** Please note: Effective August 21st, we will change back to the schedule we use during the school year: **Monday 9 am-1 pm; Tuesday 8 am-3 pm; Wednesday 8 am-6 pm; Thursday 9 am-1 pm; Friday 9 am-3 pm.** Sign up at <https://signup.com/go/LPVzjYN> or on the sheet in the daily chapel. For assistance, email: adoration@cathedralsj.org or contact the Parish Office at 816-232-7763.

On August 15th, we will celebrate the **Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.** This is a **Holy Day of Obligation.** On Tuesday, Cathedral will have an **8 am Mass**, and will have a **6 pm Mass.** St. Mary's Church will have a **noon Mass.** Both parish offices will be closed on the Feast Day.

Do you know someone who is interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about our Catholic Faith? Our **RCIA Program** will begin in late **September.** For more information, please contact **Arman Partamian**, our **RCIA Coordinator**, at **816-383-3933** or ajpartamian@yahoo.com, or contact the **Parish Office** at **816-232-7763.**

The **Annual Life & Justice Campaign Parish Collection** will be next weekend, **August 20-21.** This Campaign supports local organizations dedicated to defending the dignity of the person and the sanctity of human life. To learn more, you may visit www.lifeandjusticeckcsj.org.

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, August 14 (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:30 AM Mass - Church

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

3:45-5:30 PM Volleyball Practice (Libel) - Gym

7:00 PM Legion of Mary –Ruggle Hall

Tuesday, August 15 (No Adoration)

Parish Office Closed for Feast Day; School Closed for Staff Retreat

8:00 AM Mass – Church

3:45-5:30 PM Volleyball Practice (Libel) - Gym

5:20-5:50 PM Confessions - Church

6:00 PM Mass - Church

Wednesday, August 16 (Adoration 9 AM-6 PM)

First Day of School

9:00 AM-12 noon Crafting Group - Rectory Basement

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

12:00 PM Early School Dismissal

3:45-5:30 PM Volleyball (Libel) - Gym

7:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, August 17 (Adoration 9 AM-4 PM)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

3:45-5:30 PM Volleyball (Libel) - Gym

5:30 PM Finance Committee-Msgr. Dierkes Room

Friday, August 18 (No Adoration)

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, August 19 (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, August 20 (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:30 AM Mass – Church & livestream

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Church

11:30 AM Mass – Church

7:00 PM Women's Welcome Committee Mtg-St. Anne's

7:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

The **Altar Society** will have a **Pop-Up Beer Bread Sale** after our Masses this weekend! Please stop by their table in the **West Vestibule** to purchase some delicious bread the Altar Society members baked for you! The cost is \$10/loaf.

Confirmation Prep Sessions are being planned for our **high school freshmen** and any other teens who have not yet received the Sacrament. The first session will be on **Sunday, September 24th, 6:30-8:00 pm.** There will be a **short parent meeting** at the beginning of the first session. An overview of the sessions and the calendar of meeting dates will be distributed.

The next **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat** is scheduled in **Kansas City** on **Oct. 13-15.** This retreat is a safe place to renew, rebuild, and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Please contact **Teresa Donnell**, rvkcmo@gmail.com or **816-679-4973.**

| Weekly Offertory Income | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00 | |
| <u>Offertory</u> | <u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u> |
| Week 1 \$ 16,195.75 | \$1,018.05 |

Message from Deacon Joshua Fultz . . .

This week we celebrated the feast of Saint Lawrence, deacon and martyr. Lawrence was a favorite saint of mine long before I became a deacon. I have always admired his love for the poor and his outright refusal to bow to the powerful who were oppressing him. When Valerian offered him a way out of the death of a martyr, Saint Lawrence chose to walk the path of Christ. He chose to give away the material goods of the church to the poor even though it meant his certain execution.

I often think about Lawrence's courage in the face of a mortal death and the assurance of life eternal promised in his baptism. Legend has it that even as they were grilling him over the fire, he had the strength to look at his enemy and say, "flip me over, I'm done cooking on this side!" OK, so I might like him for his wittiness too, but his example gives us something very important to examine in our own lives. Do we have this kind of faith in the promises of Christ? In the storms of life are we willing to reach out like Peter and say "Lord, help me!" Or does our faith stop at the church door? The world is a stormy place. It's good to have a friend who can help us not drown.

During the month of July, Cathedral's Food Pantry served 561 households during our 12 days of operation, including 1128 adults and 724 children. 1852 patrons were helped by our generous parishioners and other supporters, and over 240 hours of volunteer help. Thank you for your continued assistance! Dominic CDeBaca

The Serra Apostolate for Vocations will be meeting on **Wednesday, August 16th**, following the 6 pm Mass at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish**. All are welcome to attend.

Don't forget there is a **Catholic Charities Collection Box** in the **West Vestibule** for any used eyeglasses you may like to donate. The glasses will be given to the Lions Club to help with their work in our community!

Coram Deo is meeting on **Sat., August 19th** for **Scripture Saturdays!** At **6:10 pm**, there will be dinner and Scripture study using **Dr. Scott Hahn's Genesis to Jesus** program. Please see Coram Deo's Slack page or email **Ally Gabler** for the event's address. All young adults, ages 22-35, are invited to attend. If you have any questions, contact **Ally Gabler** at allygabler@gmail.com.

Pilgrimage to Wisconsin Oct 16-20. Highlights include the National Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe; Holy Hill; the Shrine of Our Lady of Champion (site of the only church-approved Marian apparition in the U.S.); the Cathedral of St. Mary, the Immaculate Conception (where Archbishop Fulton Sheen served as an altar boy, was ordained to the Priesthood, and is now entombed); plus the beauty of Wisconsin's landscape and fall colors. For more information, contact **Mark Wyble** at **816-233-8427** or religiousramblers@gmail.com.

MOScholars and Bright Futures Fund

It's not too late to reserve your tax credit for the funding of the Bright Futures Fund and our MOScholars scholarship recipients. Go to: https://www.brightfuturesfund.org/moscholars_taxcredits.html. Remember to select "Bright Futures Fund" as your organization of choice. For assistance, contact our parish office at **(816) 232-7763**, St. Mary's office at **(816) 279-1154**, or the Academy office at **(816) 210-4758!** Without your reservations, children right here in St. Joseph will miss out on a Catholic Liberal Arts education!

The Good News Of Cathedral

- **Many blessings to Jake and Kristen Supple Burks**, Cathedral Class of 06 and LB Class of 10, on the birth of **Clifford Jacob Burks**, on **July 28th!**
- **Many blessings to Marie and Stephen Justin**, Cathedral Class of 03 and LB Class of 07, on the birth of **Dominic Jude Justin** on **July 29th!**
- **Congratulations to Andrew Gerhardt** on his marriage to **Jessie Brown** on **August 5th!**

SJCA, School, and St. Gianna ECC News

- All **School Families** are invited to the **Ice Cream Social** this **Sunday, August 13th**, after **11:30 am Mass**. Come drop off school supplies, check out the uniform closet, and pick up the fundraiser packets! Please note that **Trash Bag Sales** begin on **August 13th!**
- **St. Gianna ECC** will have a **Preschool Open House** on **Tuesday, August 15th**, at **5 PM**. Come and meet the teacher, see your child's classroom, and drop off supplies.
- **First Day of School** for SJCA campuses is **Aug. 16th**. We will have an early dismissal at noon.
- All current, past, future parents, supporters, and alumni are invited to the **Bishop LeBlond's kick-off dinner and LB Hall of Fame induction ceremony** on **Sat., Aug. 19th**, at the **Knights of Columbus Hall #5067, 1205 N. 49th Terr.** Doors open **5:30 pm**. Email your rsvp to grant.bachali@newspressnow.com or to kristybachali@yahoo.com. \$30 fee includes dinner, drinks, and fellowship, or become a **Booster Club** member. Send payment to **Bishop LeBlond High School**. Send check payable to **Bishop LeBlond Booster Club** to **Bishop LeBlond High School**.
- Check out the all-school **Academy Calendar** at www.stjoecatholicacademy.com. Interested in becoming involved? Look for opportunities on each campus website or look at the SJCA alumni page!

St. Gianna Early Childhood Center

Please help us spread the word that we have job openings for full-time lead teachers/instructors and full-time and part-time aides. For more information about the positions, please contact **Amie Herrin** at aherrin@cathedralsj.org, or call her or **Nancy Sample** at **816-233-9794** or read the position descriptions on the diocesan website at <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/All/b181f77f-0432-453f-b229-869d786bb46c/Available-Positions> (look for St. Joseph Catholic Academy).

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