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Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 8:30 & 11:30AM

### WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30AM — Monday

6:15AM — Tuesday

6:00PM — Wednesday

8:00AM — Thursday, Friday,  
Saturday

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1/2 hour before all Masses  
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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
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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](mailto: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](mailto:true.francis@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

## First Sunday of Lent – February 26, 2023

### This Week's Mass Intentions

#### Monday, February 27

*Lv 19:1-2, 11-18...Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15...Mt 25:31-46*

8:30 AM Mass – Emily Lee +

#### Tuesday, February 28

*Is 55:10-11...Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19...Mt 6:7-15*

6:15 AM Mass - No special intention

#### Wednesday, March 1

*Jon 3:1-10...Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19...Lk 11:29-32*

Mass at 6:00 PM at St. Mary Church (not Cathedral)

#### Thursday, March 2

*Est C: 12, 14-16, 23-25...Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cd, 7c-8...Mt 7:7-12*

8:00 AM Mass – Greg Spafford +

#### Friday, March 3

*Ez 18:21-28...Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 507a, 7bc-8, 5:20-26*

8:00 AM Mass – Sam Cerniglia +

#### Saturday, March 4

*Dt 26:16-19...Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8...Mt 5:43*

8:00 AM Mass – Bryan Boudreau +

4:00 PM Mass – J J Pawlowski +

#### Sunday, March 5

*Gn 12:1-4a...Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22...Mt 17:1-9*

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – Kathy McCauley +

We welcome our students who will attend the 11:30 am Mass this Sunday for their **Rite of Welcome**. These children will make their First Holy Communion in April.

Beginning **Wednesday, March 1, St. Mary Church** (1606 N. 2<sup>nd</sup> St. in St. Joseph) will have **6:00 pm Mass** followed by a **Potluck & Program** during Lent. **Dr. Ed Kammerer** will present the first program. Please bring a covered dish to share. All are invited to attend.

Ladies, if you forgot your **St. Anne's Altar Society Dues** last weekend, it's not too late! All ladies of the parish (over 18 years old) are considered a member of the **St. Anne's Altar Society**. Annual dues are only \$5. Please drop your envelope in the collection basket or mail to/bring it by the Parish Office.

Please sign-up for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** online at <https://signup.com/go/yeSjCoj> or in the daily chapel behind the altar. On the Wednesdays of Lent, Adoration will end at 5 pm so adorers will have time to attend 6 pm Mass, potluck dinner, and program at St. Mary Church.

Our second collection at this weekend's Masses are for the **Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund**. The **CCEAF** helps families to overcome immediate crisis and puts them on the path to the dignity of self-reliance. Please consider donating to this annual appeal. Any amount helps! Together, we can meet their need! To learn more, visit the following website:

<https://catholiccharities-ksj.org/cceaf>

### This Coming Week's Activities

#### Monday, February 27 (Adoration 9 am – 1 pm)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:30 AM Mass – Church

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

4:30 PM Basketball Practice (Winkelbauer) - Gym

6:30-7:30 PM Basketball Practice (Meierhoffer) – Gym

7:00 PM Legion of Mary – St. Anne's Room

#### Tuesday, February 28 (Adoration 8 am – 3 pm)

6:15 AM Mass - Church

7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

#### Wednesday, March 1 (Adoration 9 am – 5 pm)

9:00 AM-12 noon Crafting Group-Rectory Basement (weather permitting)

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

6:00 PM Mass at St. Mary's with potluck dinner/program

7:00 PM Rosary – live stream only

#### Thursday, March 2 (Adoration 9 am – 1 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

5:00-6:30 PM Volleyball - (Libel) – Gym

6:00-7:30 PM Kindergarten Round-Up – Ruggle Hall

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Choir Loft

#### Friday, March 3 (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

12:30 PM Stations of the Cross – Church

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross - Church

#### Saturday, March 4

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

7:30-8:00 AM Morning Prayer - Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

2:30-3:50 PM Confessions – Church

3:30 PM Rosary - Church

4:00 PM Mass – Church

#### Sunday, March 5

7:30-8:00 AM Morning Prayer - Church

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM Rosary - Church

8:30 AM Mass – in Church & live stream

After Mass Coffee and Donuts – Ruggle Hall

10:00-11:00 AM School of Religion – St. Anne's Rm/Music Rm

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Church

4:15-6:15 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room

6:30-8:00 PM Confirmation Session – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

7:00 PM Rosary - live stream only

Our **St. Anne's Altar Society** is hosting a **Lenten Day of Recollection** in **Ruggle Hall** on **Tuesday, March 14<sup>th</sup>**, beginning with Mass at **8:45 am**, and ending at **2 pm**. All ladies from Cathedral and the other parishes in our community are invited to attend. We would love to fill Ruggle Hall with your presence. Sister Judith Sutera is our guest speaker this year. Cost is \$10 for the lunch. RSVP to: **Alrita Wagner**, our Altar Society President, at [recreatesjewelry@gmail.com](mailto:recreatesjewelry@gmail.com) or **816-387-7145**, or to our **Parish Office** at **816-232-7763** or [ecobb@cathedralsj.org](mailto:ecobb@cathedralsj.org).

#### Weekly Offertory Income Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

	Offertory	Aged, Sick & Poor
Week 1	\$16,949.00	\$ 1,311.00
Week 2	\$ 9,766.89	\$ 237.00
Week 3	<u>\$12,330.06</u>	<u>\$ 80.00</u>
Totals	\$39,045.95	\$ 1,628.00

**Don't Forget:** During Lent, Cathedral will have **Stations of the Cross** on **Fridays** at **12:30 pm (instead of noon)** and **5:30 pm**. On **Good Friday**, Stations of the Cross will be at **3:00 PM**.

**Father Armentrout's message:** This past week, we started the season of Lent with the humble reminder that "We are dust, and unto dust we shall return!" During this Lenten season, we embrace the perennial practice of giving alms, more intensive prayer, and fasting! I'd like to take a moment to share a few remarks on the "Friday Abstinence" and the practice of Penance.

Abstinence, which is considered a penance, is the 'holding back' from taking something that would normally give us pleasure. One can abstain from drink, food, and other things that stimulate our senses. Throughout the season of Lent, the Church's universal law requires us to abstain from taking meat on Fridays. This, of course, is an ancient practice, and one that will only be as beneficial for us as we honestly try to engage in the penitential nature of the fast. In fact, if you recall, a few years ago, Pope Francis was rather critical of the practice that happens in some places of elaborate seafood feasts on Fridays during Lent.

I think it is worth recalling that the Friday fast is ultimately intended to be penitential. In fact, throughout the year, we are called to engage in a weekly penance that unites us to the Passion of Jesus. In Lent, the Church specifies a practice that unites the entire Church together. Throughout the year, here are some ideas of penances that the bishops have suggested as suitable penance. You may even wish to embrace one of these to supplement your Friday Abstinence from meat: Abstaining from other food (desserts, sweets, salt, seasoning, etc.), Alcoholic Drink or smoking, making a special effort for family prayer, visits to the Blessed Sacrament, Friday Stations, a prolonged fast from food (taking only 1 meal), helping the poor, sick or lonely, making a special effort to go to Confession and receive the Eucharist at Mass, etc. *I would also encourage our parishioners to take advantage of our Wednesday evenings at St. Mary's (6pm) and Stations of the Cross at Cathedral (12:30pm and 5:30pm).*

The purpose of these practices is to unite us to the Cross of Jesus. Let us seek to unite ourselves to Him throughout this Lent, most especially on Fridays.

Know of my prayers for you this Lent!  
Fr. Armentrout

NB: this year, St. Patrick's day falls on a Friday. The Bishop has given us a dispensation from required abstinence on that day **under the condition** that we still embrace a suitable penance. The dispensation from meat does not mean that we should drink as much as possible and eat piles of corned beef, but we may enjoy some as long as we still embrace another penance that particular day.

**Don't Forget:** The Knights of Columbus Council #5067 is hosting their annual **Fish Fry on Fridays during Lent, 4:30-7:00 PM** at their **Council Hall, 1205 N. 49<sup>th</sup> Terrace**. The last Friday dinner will be on **March 31**. Menu includes fried catfish, cheesy potatoes, coleslaw, rolls, tea and water. Drive-thru available. Price is \$15 for adults; \$6 for ages 12 and younger. Come for a yummy dinner and great fellowship!

**Coram Deo** will meet on **Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, for First Fridays!** Meet at the **Mir House of Prayer at 6:10 pm for Adoration + Reconciliation**, followed by **Mass at 7 pm**. Also, join them on **March 10-12** for a retreat at **Conception Abbey!** Cost is \$125/person or \$160/couple which includes two-night lodging and four meals. All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. Please contact **Ally Gabler** at [allygabler@gmail.com](mailto:allygabler@gmail.com).

Cathedral will host **24 Hours Adoration and Confession** beginning at **9 am on March 17<sup>th</sup>**, and ending at **9 am (with Mass at 8 am) on March 18<sup>th</sup>**. This event is sponsored by the Diocesan Office of Divine Worship as part of the 24 Hours for the Lord Initiative. Online sign-ups for Adoration available at <https://signup.com/go/ovGPaiO>. We're hoping that two people (instead of just one) will sign up for each hour of Adoration.

The Knights of Columbus in Savannah will be sponsoring two **Friday Fish Fry Dinners at Saint Rose of Lima Parish (707 S. Hall Ave, Savannah)** during Lent this year. These dinners are scheduled for **March 10<sup>th</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup>**. They will be serving Fried Fish, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Cheesy Potatoes, and Dessert. Food will be served from **5:00pm - 7:00pm** in the **St. Rose Parish Hall**. There will be both Dine In and Drive Thru options available. All are welcome to join them for a tasty meal and fellowship!

#### **St. Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA) News**

- Catholic Education is more than just an excellent educational experience, it's also a formation of a child and it should never be considered as a financial struggle. If you know of someone who might be interested in making the change to Catholic Education, tell them about **MOScholars**, a tuition assistance program through the State of Missouri and currently benefit over 50 students in our Academy!
- Want to stay connected to Academy news and all the campuses? Check out [www.stjoecatholicacademy.com](http://www.stjoecatholicacademy.com).

Have you or a loved one experienced an abortion? **Rachel's Vineyard Retreat on April 14-16, 2023**, to find deep healing. This weekend retreat is for women and men who have participated in an abortion, for grandparents, siblings, and medical personnel. Call **Teresa O'Donnell** at **816-679-4973**, email her at [rvkcmo@gmail.com](mailto:rvkcmo@gmail.com), or check out the website [www.rachelsvineyard.org](http://www.rachelsvineyard.org). Requests are confidential.

**It's not too late:** Please consider making use of the **Hallow app** this Lent. The app has been provided by a generous donation, much like **FORMED**. As with **FORMED**, when you download the Hallow app from the QR code, you will need to select the Cathedral of St. Joseph as your parish to access the app and its paid material. Hallow is featuring a challenge to **Pray40**, to prepare our hearts for Easter in fasting and prayer. If you have any questions or need assistance with setting up the app, please contact the parish office. If you do not have access to the Hallow app on a cell phone, you can go through your computer at:

<https://www.hallow.com/holyday>

Once you enter in *Cathedral of St. Joseph*, you will be able to sign up using your email address.





# KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

March 2nd 6:00-7:30 p.m.  
Ruggle Hall

Kindergarten 2023/24

Parents & Students

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