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Hours:

Monday -
8:15AM-2:00PM
Tuesday, Thursday -
9:00AM-2:00PM
Wednesday, Friday -
9:00AM-1:00PM

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

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After the 8:30AM Mass on Sunday in the
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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
going to be hospitalized.

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We welcome you to the Cathedral of St.
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or complete parish registration form at
www.cathedralsj.org under the contact tab.

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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
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.

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 27, 2022

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, February 28

1 Pt 1:3-9...Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10c...Mk 10:17-27

8:30 AM Mass – All living members of the St. Anne's Altar Society

Tuesday, March 1

1 Pt 1:10-16...Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4...Mk 10:28-31

6:15 AM Mass – Father Donald Sturm +

Ash Wednesday, March 2

Jl 2:12-18...Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17...2 Cor 5:20-6:2...

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

8:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

6:00 PM Mass – Four (Paul) Simiuo +

Thursday, March 3

Dt 30:15-20...Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6...Lk 9:22-25

8:00 AM Mass – Billy Green Jr. +

Friday, March 4

Is 58:1-9a...Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19...Mt 9:14-15

8:00 AM Mass – Pope Francis (living)

Saturday, March 5

Is 58:9b-14...Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6...Lk 5:27-32

8:00 AM Mass - Kias Bernard +

4:00 PM Mass - JJ Pawlowski +

Sunday, March 6

Dt 26:4-10...Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15...Rom 10:8-13...

Lk 4:1-13

8:30 AM Mass – Fritz Gall + (also live streamed)

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

If you forgot to bring **diapers** this weekend to help the **Catholic Charities Office** in **St. Joseph**, you may bring them to our **Parish Office** this week. All sizes are needed, but especially **sizes 3, 4, 5, and 6**. Please help us reach out to show our support for the families in our community.

Volunteers are needed to help **decorate the Church** for Lent on **Monday, February 28th, 9-11 am**, and to help **clean the church** on **Friday, March 4th, 9-11 am**. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated. If you have questions, please contact **Chris Den Ouden** at **816-294-7435**.

Cathedral will have an **8:00 am** and **6:00 pm** Mass with distribution of Ashes on **March 2nd (Ash Wednesday)**. Cathedral will **not** have a **6 pm** Mass on **Wednesdays** during Lent beginning **March 9th**. However, our parishioners are invited to join **St. Mary's Parish** in prayer and fellowship on **Wednesday evenings** beginning **March 9th**. **St Mary Church** (1606 N. 2nd Street) will have Mass at **6:05 pm**, followed by a potluck dinner and a presentation on various faith topics. **Dr. Ed Kammerer** will be the presenter on **March 9th**. Please come and bring a covered dish to share.

We sincerely **thank** our parishioners who have joined together as one family and pledged/made a gift of \$37,174 which is 97% toward our goal of \$38,500 for the **2022 Annual Catholic Appeal**. If you have not yet made your commitment, please prayerfully consider doing so.

Mon., February 28 – (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confession

8:30 AM Mass - Church

9:00-11:00 AM Decorate Church for Lent

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

12:50 PM Bell Choirs begin rehearsals

6:30 PM Deanery Choir Rehearsal - Church

Tuesday, March 1 (Adoration 8:00 am – 3:00 pm)

6:15 AM Mass – Church

6:30 PM Altar Society Wine Glass Party – Ruggle Hall

7:00 PM Legion of Mary – Msgr. Dierkes Rm

7:00-8:00 PM Boy Scouts – Gym

7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only)

Wednesday, March 2 (Adoration 9:00 am – 6:00 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM All School Mass & Distribution of Ashes

9:00 AM-Noon Crafting Group – Rectory Basement

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

5:20-5:50 PM Confessions - Church

6:00 PM Mass & Distribution of Ashes – Church

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Church

Thursday, March 3 (Adoration 9:00 am – 1:00 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions

8:00 AM Mass – Church

7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only)

Friday, March 4 (Adoration 11:00 am-3:00 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

9:00-11:00 AM Clean Church

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

12:00 PM Stations of the Cross – Church

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross - Church

Saturday, March 5

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – 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 6

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Rosary – Church

8:30 AM Mass - Church

After Mass Coffee/Milk/Donuts – Ruggle Hall

9:45-11:00 AM School of Religion–St. Anne's/Music Rm

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Church

11:30 AM Mass - Church

2:00 PM Rite of Election - Church

7:00 PM Rosary – (live streamed only)

During Lent, **Stations of the Cross** will be on **Fridays** at **noon** and **5:30 pm**. On **Good Friday**, **Stations** will be at **3 pm**.

Best Lent Ever 2.0 – Still **BEST LENT EVER** – Just Even Better. Join this free daily Lenten experience with **Matthew Kelly**. This year for the first time ever, Dynamic Parish is offering you **TWO** options for **BEST LENT EVER**. Every day, you will receive two short, practical, and inspiring videos in your inbox, each representing a pathway leading toward a better version of you and a closer relationship with God. Why did they double up? Well, the world has changed. You've changed; and in order to offer a truly transformative experience, they developed two pathways designed specifically to meet you where you are, no matter where you are in your spiritual journey. Sign up now through Dynamic Catholic's website: <https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent.htm>

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$19,097.80	\$ 869.50
Week 2	\$11,470.21	\$ 247.00
Week 3	<u>\$10,208.91</u>	<u>\$ 115.00</u>
Total	\$40,776.92	\$1,231.50

Father Armentrout's Message . . . Lent is quickly approaching!

As you are probably aware, during the Lenten season, we are encouraged to embrace three practices in imitation of our Lord! We are encouraged to participate in fasting, almsgiving, and prayer. But before giving a few thoughts or ideas on these three elements of Lent, I'd like to spend a moment to explain the importance of the ritual on Ash Wednesday! On Ash Wednesday, we are reminded of death by the sprinkling of ashes. We recall that we will assuredly experience death. Doesn't it strike you as odd that we recall the tragedy of death and sin? Since Christ has died, why would we as Christians set aside time to focus on sin and death - it's already been defeated. The purpose of this odd focus is to help us better appreciate the remedy when we see it! Think of the last time you went to a doctor. If a doctor just gave everyone a Z-Pac or a shot of penicillin for every ill, that would be a horrible practice of medicine! You want the doctor to focus on sickness, so that, the proper remedy can be applied. This analogy is rather fitting for our spiritual lives. *During Lent, we take a step back to acknowledge our sinfulness so that we might better appreciate the remedy that Christ, the Divine Physician, can offer our wounded humanity through the Resurrection.* So here in Lent, we embrace fasting, almsgiving, and prayer. These three practices help us 'look outside ourselves'. Fasting (penance) gives us something to offer up as a spiritual sacrifice. Almsgiving helps us physically give to those in need. And we embrace prayer to grow in our relationship with God. I would encourage you this Lent to take a momentary pause. Take stock of your life with a good examination of conscience. Ask our Lord in prayer what remedy might be most suitable to help you grow in grace and virtue. What part of your life needs to be transformed by the Resurrection? Embrace some small form of fasting/ penance to help overcome a predominant fault. It doesn't have to be big or showy. It could be something as simple as waking up at the first sound of the alarm or giving up sprinkling salt on food at the table. What ways can we give of ourselves - do I participate in Almsgiving? Also, embrace some additional prayer during this season of Lent. I would encourage a few offerings at the Cathedral and St. Mary's parishes. On Tuesday morning at the Cathedral, there is a 6:15am Mass! Feel free to come to the early Mass and ask our Lord for the grace to sanctify your workday. On Wednesday nights at St. Mary's parish, there will be a 6:05 pm Mass (starting Wed March 9th) followed by a potluck dinner and a presentation on some topic of the faith. Also, check our parish schedules for participation in the Stations of the Cross. I hope that some of these ideas might be helpful! Know of my prayers for a fruitful Lent.

Cathedral's Altar Society, with the ladies of **St. Francis Xavier** and **St. Mary's Altar Society**, is hosting a "Day of Recollection" on **Tues., March 22, 9 am-2 pm**, in the **St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall**. **Sister Noreen Walter** will give a two session presentation on "Lent: A Rest Stop for the Soul." Register by **March 8th** with **\$10** to ensure we have a HyVee box lunch for you. Call our **Parish Office**, or call **Alrita Wagner** at **816-387-7145**.

Volunteers are still needed to sell **Cathedral Cash** and trash bags in the west vestibule after the **11:30 am Mass** on **Sundays**. Even helping just once per month or every other month would be extremely helpful. Contact **Melanie Francis**, cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org or **816-351-8870**.

Coram Deo will meet on **Friday, March 4th** for **First Fridays!** Meet at the **Mir House of Prayer** at **6:10 pm** for **Adoration + Reconciliation**, followed by **Mass** at **7 pm**. All young adults ages 22-35 are invited to attend. If you have questions, please contact **Ally Goetz** at goetz.ally@gmail.com.

The **Knights of Columbus Council #5067** in **St. Joseph** will host their annual **Fish Fry** on **Fridays** during **Lent**, **5:00-7:30 pm**, beginning on **March 4th** and will run through **April 8** at their **Council Hall, 1205 N. 49th Terrace**. Menu includes fried catfish, mac & cheese, cheesy potatoes, coleslaw, rolls, tea, and water. Drive-thru available. Prices: \$12 for adults, \$6 for children ages 12 and younger.

Bishop LeBlond Trivia Night will be held on **Sat., March 12**. Doors open at **6 pm**; trivia begins at **6:30 pm**. **\$25 per person** (come as a **single player** or **team of 1**). Purchase tickets online at www.bishoplebond.com or that night.

Check out the Good News of Cathedral

- **Congratulations to Mary Beth and Justin Boyles**, Cathedral Class of 05 and LB Class of 09, on the birth of their daughter, **Reagan Aeryn Boyles**, on **Feb. 20!**

Cathedral School and St. Gianna's ECC News

- **Cathedral 8th grade class** in sponsoring a **4 Person Golf Scramble** on **Sat., April 23**, at **Fairview Golf Course**. Please sign up to play, be a sponsor, or have items to donate to the goodie bags and support our 8th graders in their efforts to raise funds for their **Legacy Project** and **Mystery Trip**. Deadline to sign up is **March 23rd**. Please contact **Grant Bachali** at grant.bachali@newspressnow.com or **816-294-0614**.
- **St. Gianna Early Childhood Center** has an opening for an **Office Assistant**. For more information or to apply, please contact **Preston Rinne** or **Fr. Hansen** in the Parish Office, **Nancy Sample** in ECC, or **Catherine Neumayr** in the School.
- **Gianna Early Childhood Center** still needs **Early Childhood Lead Teachers** and **Early Childhood Aides** (to work with any of the age groups). For more information, contact **Nancy Sample** at **816-233-9794**, or **Preston Rinne, Business Manager**, at **816-232-7763**. Please submit a cover letter, an application, and resume through **Indeed.com**, **Paylocity.com**, or through the Diocesan website at kcsjatholic.org.

Bishop LeBlond's "Ora et Labora" Campus Ministry is selling magnets to raise funds to build a mini Sacred Heart Prayer Grotto on LB's campus. The magnets are \$5 each and they can be purchased in the **LeBlond School Office**.

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