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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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As announced

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Please contact the Parish Office one year  
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Please contact the Parish Office if you are  
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We welcome you to the Cathedral of St.  
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### SISTERS IN JESUS THE LORD

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When changing mailing or email addresses,  
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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](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.

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 22, 2023

### This Week's Mass Intentions

#### Monday, January 23

*Heb 9:15, 24-28... Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3 d-4, -5-6... Mk 3:22-30*  
 8:30 AM Mass – Living Members of St. Anne's Altar Society  
 6:00 PM Mass - No special intention scheduled

#### Tuesday, January 24

*Heb 10:1-10... Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 708a, 10, 11... MK 3:31-35*  
 6:15 AM Mass – Holy Apostles Seminary

#### Wednesday, January 25

*Acts 22:3-3-16 or Acts 9:1-22... Ps 117: 1bc, 2... Mk 16:15-18*  
 6:00 PM Mass – Michael and Genevieve Conway +

#### Thursday, January 26

*2 Tm 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5... 12... Ps 132:1-2, 3=5, 11, 12, 13-14... Mk 4:21-25*

8:00 AM Mass – Greg Spafford +

#### Friday, January 27

*Heb 10:32-39... Ps 37\_3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40... Mk 4:26-34*  
 8:00 AM Mass – Mary Ann Hurst +

#### Saturday, January 28

*Heb 11:1-2, 8-19... Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75... Mk 4:35-41*  
 8:00 AM Mass – Charles and Rhonda Schumann +

4:00 PM Mass – JJ Pawlowski +

#### Sunday, January 29

*Zep 2:3, 3:12-13... Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10... 1 Cor 1:26-31... Mt 5:1-12a*  
 8:30 AM Mass – Gregg Knapp +  
 11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

If you haven't done so already, please sign up for **FORMED** at [formed.org/signup](http://formed.org/signup). **FORMED** is a Catholic online site which contains videos about our faith, Bible Studies, and numerous other resources for our parish and families. Every parishioner who has an email can enjoy this site, free of charge, through your computer, cell phone, Smart TV, ROKU, Apple TV, Fire TV, and Chromecast.

*Thank you to my parish family for all the expressions of kindness and thoughtfulness. The prayers, Mass intentions for Greg, food, and support meant so much.*

*Sincerely, Kitty Spafford and Family.*

As part of the **National Eucharistic Revival**, the Vatican's **International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles** will be on display in our Cathedral's gym on **Mon., Jan. 23, 3-9 pm**, with a **Eucharistic Miracles presentation** at **7-8 pm**. The presentation takes audiences through the scriptural basis of the Real Presence, and presents examples of various manifestations typically experienced during a Eucharistic Miracle. Scientific data associated with the study of a few of the miracles is also presented. The presentation includes modern Eucharistic Miracles to assure the audience that this is an ongoing phenomenon. Come browse this free Vatican Exhibit highlighting 1,800 years of Miracles. All are welcome – please invite your families, neighbors, and friends!

Sign up for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** in the daily chapel in church or online at <https://signup.com/go/yeSjCojl>.

### This Coming Week's Activities

#### Monday, January 23 (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  
 3:00-9:00 PM Vatican International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles on display - Gym  
 Mass - Church  
 6:00 PM Eucharistic Miracles Presentation - Gym  
 7:00 PM Legion of Mary – St. Anne's Room

#### Tuesday, January 24 (Adoration 8 am – 3 pm)

6:15 AM Mass – Church  
 1:00 PM Grades 4-8 Spelling Bee  
 3:30-5:00 PM Basketball Practice (Smith) - Gym  
 5:00-6:30 PM Basketball Practice (Meierhoffer) - Gym  
 6:30-8:00 PM Basketball Practice (Meierhoffer) – Gym

#### Wednesday, January 25 (Adoration 8 am – 6 pm)

9:00 AM-12 noon Crafting Group-Rectory Basement (weather permitting)  
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement  
 4:00-5:00 PM Volleyball Practice (Phillips) - Gym  
 5:20-5:50 PM Confessions – Church  
 5:30-6:30 PM 5<sup>th</sup> Grade BB Practice (Eiberger) – Gym  
 5:30-6:00 PM Vespers - Church  
 6:00 PM Mass – Church  
 6:30 PM Welcome Retreat Mtg – St. Anne's Room  
 7:00 PM Rosary – live stream only

#### Thursday, January 26 (Adoration 9 am – 1 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church  
 8:00 AM Mass – Church  
 4:00-5:30 PM Volleyball Practice (Libel) - Gym  
 6:00 PM Catholic Classic Tournament – Gym  
 7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Ruggle Hall

#### Friday, January 27 (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  
 6:00 PM Catholic Classic Tournament – Gym

#### Saturday, January 28

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church  
 7:30-8:00 AM Morning Prayer - Church  
 8:00 AM Mass – Church  
 8:45 AM-4:00 PM God Is! Day of Renewal – Ruggle Hall  
 2:30-3:50 PM Confessions – Church  
 3:30 PM Rosary - Church  
 4:00 PM Mass – Church

#### Sunday, January 29

7:30-8:00 AM Morning Prayer - Church  
 7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church  
 8:00 AM Rosary - church  
 8:30 AM Mass – Church (also live streamed)  
 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  
 11:30 AM Mass – Church  
 3:00-4:00 PM Volleyball Practice (Prawitz) - Gym  
 4:15-6:15 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room  
 7:00 PM Rosary - live stream only

Our **Cathedral Pictorial Directories** come with an app for your cell phone that includes the directory's pictures and roster information. If you haven't received an email from **Universal Church Directory** about the app or if you need assistance in setting it up on your phone, please contact **Elenore Cobb** in the **Parish Office** at **816-232-7763** or [ecobb@cathedralsj.org](mailto:ecobb@cathedralsj.org).

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

Week	Offertory	Aged, Sick & Poor
Week 1	\$35,581.01	\$ 285.00
Week 2	\$24,901.09	\$1,190.25
Week 3	\$11,800.74	\$ 150.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$72,282.84</b>	<b>\$1,625.25</b>



### Father Armentrout's message . . .

Every year on January 25<sup>th</sup>, the Church celebrates the Conversion of St. Paul. This feast day stands as an important reminder, at least for me, of the power of prayer and God's grace. A man who thought he was justly persecuting the nascent Church, through the promptings of God's grace, came to realize that he was persecuting the same God in whom he believed. His whole life, it seems, could be redefined by this one instance - his meeting with Jesus on the Road to Damascus. One could imagine that his encounter with the person of Christ motivated his beautiful writings on grace and justification in the letters to the Romans and Galatians! It certainly inspired the advice he would give to young bishops in the letters to Timothy and Titus. In this encounter, he learned that all of his gifts, his zeal, his energies had been falsely directed - and this is something that Jesus would purify within him - so that he could become a great instrument of conversion in the life of the Church! Let us ask St. Paul to pray for all of us, that we might grow in our zeal to spread the *Truth of our Faith* - that is the person of Jesus Christ!

If you would like to jog your memory on the conversion of St. Paul, consider reading: Acts 9 or Acts 22! Also, consider looking up Caravaggio's painting of the conversion of St. Paul if you would like an image to pray with while you reflect on the passages. Feel free to join us for Mass on Wednesday night to celebrate this great feast day.

In the Sacred Heart of Jesus,  
Fr. Armentrout

**God Is! Day of Renewal:** Sat., Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>, 8:45 am-4 pm, in **Ruggie Hall**. *God Is!* Is an awesome day of spiritual renewal for adult family members, friends, Godparents, or sponsors of our First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation Candidates. There will be informative talks, inspirational personal witness, sacramental renewal, prayer, Eucharistic Adoration, and Mass. At least one parent of those receiving first sacraments is expected to attend if they have not already attended one previously. Contact the **Parish Office**, 816-232-7763 or [ecobb@cathedralsj.org](mailto:ecobb@cathedralsj.org) to RSVP by **Mon., Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>**.

Our **Food Pantry** is experiencing a shortage in **clean empty water bottles** which we recycle to disperse shampoo to our clients (no larger than 1 liter). We also need **clean, plastic containers** which we use for laundry detergent (16-32oz), as well as our ongoing need for **plastic grocery bags**. These items can be left in the **pantry collection boxes** at the **church exits** or dropped off at the **Parish Office**. We thank you for your continued support!

**Cathedral Cash:** Orders for physical cards placed by **Tuesdays** by **9:00 am** will be ready by **Thursday afternoon**. If we have volunteers to help sell after Mass, you can purchase Cathedral Cash cards in the west vestibule. You also can leave your order form in the school or parish office **Monday – Friday**. Anyone interested in helping once a month after a weekend Mass for 15 mins, please call/text **Melanie Francis** at **816-351-8870** or [cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org](mailto:cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org).

**Coram Deo** is meeting on **Sat., Jan. 28**, for **Scripture Saturdays!** Join them at **St. Rose of Lima Parish** for **4 pm** Reconciliation, **5 pm** Mass, with a Scripture study and dinner to follow. Young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. If you have questions, you may contact **Ally Gabler** at [allygabler@gmail.com](mailto:allygabler@gmail.com).

There will be a **Loss of a Spouse Seminar** on **Sun. Jan. 29, 2 pm**, at **Brookdale Church**, 203 S. 31<sup>st</sup> St, St. Joseph. Contact **816-279-0983** for more information.

There will be a **Pilgrimage to Greece "In the Footsteps of St. Paul"** on **July 14-24**. **Fr. Tom Ludwig** will be the Spiritual Director. See the Church bulletin boards for more information. Register online at [www.pilgrimages.com/frludwig](http://www.pilgrimages.com/frludwig).

### Check out the Good News of Cathedral . . .

- **Many blessings to Olympia and Eleanor Reynolds** who were baptized on **January 8<sup>th</sup>**!
- **Cathedral School & St. Gianna Center News**
- Don't forget to purchase your tickets for **Cathedral School's Mardi Gras** on **Sat., Feb. 11<sup>th</sup>**, at the **K of C Hall** at **1205 N. 49<sup>th</sup> Terr.** Cocktail Hour at **5:30 pm**, dinner at **7 pm**, and live auction at **8 pm**. Purchase tickets online at: <https://cathedralstjoseph.ticket.gtego.net/>

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

- Don't Forget: Catholic Schools Winter Classic Basketball Tournament is **Jan. 26-28**.
- Catholic Schools Week will be **January 29 – February 4**.
- **Community Prayer Breakfast** - See where our areas of strength are and how donors can make an impact. Register: <https://www.stjoecatholicacademy.com/getinvolved>  
If any individual parishioner or family is interested in learning more about sponsorships, please reach out to **Ann Lachowitz**: [annl@stjoecatholicacademy.com](mailto:annl@stjoecatholicacademy.com).

**Bishop Johnston** will bless seeds at the **Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception** in **K.C.** on **Sat., Feb. 4**, at **10 am** **Mass**. Bring seeds or send with someone ahead of time.

**Cursillo Weekend** for men is planned for **Feb. 23-26**, and for women on **March 2-5**. Both will be held at the **Sisters of St. Francis Retreat Center** in **Independence, MO**. Cursillo is a lay movement of the Catholic Church which enables Catholics to deepen their relationship with Christ; grow in their understanding and appreciation for the Catholic faith; share their faith with family, friends, and others; and sustain a much deeper faith life for the rest of their lives. To learn more, visit [Cursillo.net](http://Cursillo.net). For questions or to register for a weekend, contact **Judy Newkirk**, 816-806-1997 or [jknewkirk65@gmail.com](mailto:jknewkirk65@gmail.com) or **James Newkirk**, 816-807-7700 or [james@ultreya.biz](mailto:james@ultreya.biz).

Have you or a loved one experienced an abortion? Come to the **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).





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