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

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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.

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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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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.

The Ascension of the Lord

May 12, 2024

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, May 13

Acts 19:1-8...Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab...Jn 16:29-33

8:30 AM Mass – Deceased Members of the King and Kneib Families

Tuesday, May 14

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26...Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8...Jn 15:9-17

6:15 AM Mass - Special Intention

Wednesday, May 15

Acts 20:28-38...Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab...Jn 17:11b-19.

5:00 PM Mass – Cathedral Graduates

Thursday, May 16

Acts 22:30, 23:6-11...Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11...Jn 17:20-26

8:00 AM Mass – Patty Culver +

Friday, May 17

Acts 25:13b-21...Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab...Jn 21:15-19

8:00 AM All School Mass – Berkemeier and Beery Families +

Saturday, May 18

Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:15...

Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30...Rom 8:22-27...Jn 7:37-39

8:00 AM Mass – Manuel Juarez +

4:00 PM Mass – Charline Kessler +

Sunday, May 19

Acts 2:1-11...Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34...1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or

Gal 5:16-25...Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

8:30 AM Mass – Gregg Knapp +

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Cathedral and St. Mary's Parishes

“And they went out and proclaimed the good news everywhere, while the Lord worked with them.” If you are discerning a vocation to proclaim the Gospel as a priest or consecrated religious, contact: **Fr. Nathan Rueb**, Diocesan Vocation Director, **816-756-1850**.

On **Wednesday, May 15th**, we will not have a **6:00 pm Mass** due to the **5:00 PM Graduation Mass** for our 8th graders.

Additional **volunteers are needed** to lead the Rosary before the **4 pm** or **8:30 am** weekend Masses. If we have enough volunteers, the leaders only need to help once every 4-6 weeks. Please contact the **Parish Office** for more information or to volunteer.

The **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** hours for next week have been adjusted. The times are listed in the second column on this page under “**This Coming Week's Activities**.” Please sign up on the schedule in our Adoration Chapel (area behind our main altar), online at <https://signup.com/go/LPVzjYN> or contact the **Parish Office**.

The summer **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** schedule will begin the week of **May 20th**, with Adoration on only **Wednesdays, 9:00 am-6:00 pm** and on **Thursdays, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm**. Please sign up online at <https://signup.com/go/OHkawVK> or on the schedule in our Adoration Chapel (area behind our main altar).

Next Weekend, **May 18-19**, we will have a collection at our Masses for the “**Tomorrow's Priest Fund**”. This fund is essential to offsetting the cost of seminary education. This is among the largest expenses the Diocese has each year comprising of tuition, room, board and other expenses for each seminarian. Please be as generous as you can.

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, May 13 (Adoration 9:00 am-12:45 pm)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 8:00 AM Consecration of Cathedral Campus
 8:30 AM Mass – Cathedral
 8:30 AM Consecration of St. Gianna Early Childhood Ctr
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 4:30-5:30 PM Volleyball Practice (A. Pfister) - Gym
 7:00 PM Legion of Mary – St. Anne's Room
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Tuesday, May 14 (Adoration 11:00 am-3:00 pm)

6:15 AM Mass – Cathedral
 2:00 PM Kindergarten Promotions–Church/Ruggle Hall
 6:00 PM Altar Society Garden Party – Ruggle Hall
 6:30 PM Graduation Dinner - Gym
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Wednesday, May 15 (Adoration 8:00 am – 3:00 pm)

9:00 AM-12 noon Crafting Group Meeting – Rectory Basement
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 11:20-11:50 AM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 12:00 noon Mass – St. Mary Church
 3:30-4:30 PM 3rd Grade VB Practice (Pritt) - Gym
 4:20-4:50 PM Confessions - Cathedral
 5:00 PM Mass – 8th Grade Graduation Mass
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, May 16 (No Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Cathedral
 8:00 AM Mass – Cathedral
 11:20-11:50 AM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 12:00 noon Mass – St. Mary Church
 12:30 PM Field Day
 5:00-7:30 PM Basketball Practice (Meierhoffer) – Gym
 6:00-7:30 PM Youth Group Meeting – Ruggle Hall
 7:00-8:30 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Church
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Friday, May 17 (No Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church
 8:00 AM All School Mass – Cathedral
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 10:00 AM Talent Show - Gym
 10:00-12:00 noon Diaconate Ordination Rehearsal - Cathedral
 12:00 noon Early Dismissal-Last Day of School
 2:00 PM Preschool Promotions – St. Gianna Center
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Saturday, May 18 (No Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Cathedral
 8:00 AM Mass – Cathedral
 10:00 AM Diaconate Ordination - Cathedral
 2:30-3:50 PM Confessions - Cathedral
 3:30 PM Rosary - Cathedral
 4:00 PM Mass
 After Mass Memorial Day Crosses Sale – West Vestibule
 4:50-5:20 PM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 5:30 PM Mass - St. Mary Church
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Sunday, May 19 (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Cathedral
 8:00 AM Rosary - Cathedral
 8:30 AM Mass - Cathedral and livestream
 After Mass Memorial Day Crosses Sale – West Vestibule
 After Mass Coffee & Donuts – Ruggle Hall
 9:20-9:50 AM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 10:00 AM Mass - St. Mary Church
 10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 11:30 AM Mass - Cathedral
 7:30 PM Rosary – livestream only

Weekly Offertory Income

Monthly Budget Goal \$65,725

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

Week 1 \$ 11,109.77

\$ 628.00

A Note from Mother M. Stella, CJD

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Mother's Day to all mothers! and Happy Feast of Our Lady of Fatima on May 13!

It is a joy to be writing you again from Vladivostok, Russia. Last Saturday, I'm sure many of you got to attend "Behold" in downtown KC, our own Eucharistic revival. That same evening, I participated for the first time in a Russian Orthodox Easter Vigil liturgy! It was from midnight to 3am. This year, Orthodox Christian Easter fell on May 5, almost six weeks after our Easter. Throughout the liturgy, the priests and deacons took turns announcing "Christ is Risen!," to which everyone answered with full voice "Indeed, He is risen!". Thankfully, even this year, our fifty days of Easter overlap with two weeks of their Easter season.

Have you ever been to a liturgy of the Eastern rite? St. Pope John Paul II encouraged us to "breathe with both lungs" (East and West). Here in St. Joseph, there is a little Ukrainian Catholic church where you can get a glimpse of the East. There are also occasional Eastern rite liturgies at Benedictine College.

As we prepare for Pentecost, the coming of the Holy Spirit, next Sunday, here is a beautiful prayer from the Christian East:

*O Heavenly King, the Comforter, the Spirit of Truth,
Who art everywhere and fillest all things;
Treasury of Blessings, and Giver of Life
Come and abide in us, and cleanse us from every impurity,
and save our souls, O Good One.
Let us pray Christ's prayer to His Father for unity among Churches,
"Holy Father, ...that they may be one, even as we are one" (Jn 17:11).
Come, Holy Spirit, come!*

Ladies of the Parish: Don't forget that you are invited to the **Altar Society's Garden Party/Installation of Officers/Bingo/Birthday Celebration for Pat Wells**. The event will be held in Ruggle Hall on **Tues., May 14th**, at **6 pm**. Please rsvp to the **Parish Office** and let us know if you need a ride. Please **bring your favorite salads to share**.

Don't forget: After our weekend Masses on **May 18-19**, the **Altar Society** will be selling their beautifully decorated Memorial Day Crosses in the west vestibule of church. The crosses are \$15 each.

Coram Deo is meeting on **Monday, May 27th for Mondays on the Bluff!** Meet here at our **Cathedral at 6:10 pm** for a walking rosary, followed by **pizza + drinks** at **River Bluff Brewing**. All young adults ages 22-35 are invited to attend. Questions? Contact **Ally Gabler** at allygabler@gmail.com. Follow Coram Deo on Instagram = Slack: [@cocoram_deo_sj](https://www.instagram.com/cocoram_deo_sj) Search "#coramdeo"

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in St. Joseph, has an immediate opening for a full-time parish **Finance/HR Coordinator**. This is a leadership position, responsible for the efficient and effective administration of the financial condition, physical plant and human resources of the parish. Serving as the primary on-site decision maker with matters of significance, this position reports to the Pastor. For a job description and to apply, visit <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/jobs/Details/2410466/Available-Positions/FinanceHR-Coordinator>.

As they celebrate their 150th Jubilee, the **Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration** invite single women, ages 18-40, who are considering religious life, to visit for a week-long **Monastic Experience** on **June 1-6**, at their monastery in **Clyde, Missouri**. Experience the daily rhythm of their life where you can join them in singing the divine office, attend daily Mass, spend time in personal prayer and open your heart to God's call by learning about discernment and prayer. There is no cost to attend. For more details, go to www.benedictinesisters.org. To register, contact **Sr. Maria Victoria**, (660) 944-2221 ext. 127, or email vocation@benedictinesisters.org.

Strong families are built on strong marriages. A **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience** will give you the tools and time to reconnect with each other and make a good marriage great. It also will give you important skills to pass down to the next generation. It is a gift that will last all the days of your lives. The upcoming weekend dates in **Kansas City** are **June 14-16** and **Nov. 15-17**. For information or to apply for an experience, visit www.wmme.org or call **816-286-4557**.

Cathedral School News

- **Cathedral's Youth Group** is open to all **5th-8th grade students**. Their next meeting will be this **Thursday, May 16th**. Would you like to make a donation to help the youth meet the expenses of attending **Camp Savio** this June? If you have questions, please contact **Beth Lukehart** at **816-244-6859**.

St. Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA)

- On **May 13th**, each **SJCA campus** will be **consecrated to Jesus Christ through Mary**. By consecrating our campuses, we are putting ourselves in Mary's hands, for her to intercede on our behalf. As you know, the mission at SJCA is "cultivating exceptional scholars to know, love, and serve Jesus Christ." Therefore, we are asking for Mary's blessing at each of our campuses to move closer to Jesus. The SJCA students have prayed a novena each day leading up to the consecration. On **May 13th**, each campus will pray a decade of the Rosary and place Blessed Miraculous Medals around their campus grounds. Parents and parishioners are invited to join us! The schedule is: **Cathedral 8:00 am**, **St. Gianna Center 8:30 am**; **St. James 8:40 am** (after Mass); **LeBlond 8:50 am**; and **St. Francis 8:50 am** (after SFX Mass).
- Make plans to join us on **Thurs., June 6th for SJCA Night at the St. Joseph Mustangs!** Tickets are \$8 each and are available through our school's office. A portion of advanced ticket sales goes to support Catholic education in our community! Our State qualifying teams and individuals will be honored, plus Academy students will sing the National Anthem. There will even be a **Celebrity First Pitch!**

On **Saturday, May 18th**, at **10 am**, our Cathedral will host the **Ordination of Ethan Osborn** to the **Transitional Diaconate**. All are invited to invited. You can read more about Ethan in the **Catholic Key** magazine at catholickey.org.

On **Saturday, May 25**, **Deacon Samuel Horan** will be ordained a **priest** in the **Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Kansas City**. All are invited to the ordination at **10:00 am**. You can read about Deacon Sam's journey to his vocation in the **Catholic Key** magazine.

Rachel's Vineyard Weekend Retreats "heal the pain of abortion, one weekend at a time". Next retreat is **July 12-14**. Contact **Teresa O'Donnell** at rvkcmo@gmail.com or **816-679-4973**, or find more information online at www.rachelsvineyard.org.



It's summertime!

We are starting our summer children's food drive to help families with children who are not getting school meals. Please bring your donations to the weekend Masses on May 18th and 19th.

We can use:

Peanut butter, jelly, crackers, cereal, ravioli, SpaghettiOs, Jello, pudding, fruit cups, fruit drinks, sports drinks, pancake mix, pop tarts, cookies, and other children's snacks.

THANK YOU!



St Anne's Altar Society

Hosting our End of the Year

FUN FUNDRAISER!

Friday, May 31, 2024 @6:00pm

Wyble's Double Diamond Acres Barn

20951 NE Hwy 169

St. Joseph, MO 64505

Enjoy Evelyn Wyble and Jami Wells'

Chuckwagon Style Dinner

And our featured Movie

Walk, Ride, Rodeo

Amberley Snyder's courageous comeback
after a horrific auto accident.

Reservations \$25

Call or stop by the Parish Office as soon as possible,
as there is limited space. If you need transportation, please let office
know as you are making your reservation.

Taking reservations till Friday, May 24, 2024.

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