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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 816-205-6888.

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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

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- 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.

### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 11, 2024

#### This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, August 12

Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c... Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14... Mt 17:22-27

8:30 AM Mass – Everlie Barnett (living)

Tuesday, August 13

Ez 2:8-3:4... Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131... Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

6:15 AM Mass – Bishop Hubert Hart +

Wednesday, August 14 – Vigil Mass for the Assumption Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22...Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6...Mt 18:15-20 6:00 PM Vigil Mass – All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday, August 15 – 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 1:39-56

8:00 AM Mass – Carl Jenkins + 12 Noon Mass at St. Mary Church

Friday, August 16

Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63...Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6...Mt 19:3-12

8:00 AM Mass - Patty Culver +

Saturday, August 17

Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32...Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19...Mt 19:13-15

8:00 AM Mass – Francis Volz + 4:00 PM Mass – Nathan Bigelow +

Sunday, August 18

Prv 9:1-6...Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15...Eph 5:15-20...

Jn 6:51-58

8:30 AM Mass – Carol Unger + 11:30 AM Mass – Charley Crotty Jr. +

Welcome back to Xavier Schmidt, the Seminarian who spent the summer with us in 2023. He is here at Cathedral through this school year.

"Do not grieve the Holy Spirit." Your faithful response to your vocation gives joy to the heart of God. Perhaps priesthood or consecrated life awaits you. For more information, please contact Fr. Nathan Rueb, 816-756-1850.

Please sign up for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament online at <a href="https://signup.com/go/OHkawVK">https://signup.com/go/OHkawVK</a>, or contact our Parish Office. Adoration is usually on Wednesdays and Thursdays during the summer. We will have Adoration next week on Wednesday, August 14th, but there will not be Adoration on Thursday, August 15th.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Is someone you know interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about our Catholic Faith? Our RCIA Program will begin in late September. For information, please contact Arman Partamian, our RCIA Coordinator, at 816-383-3933 or ajpartamian@yahoo.com.

Next weekend, August 17-18, our second collection will be for the Diocesan Life and Justice Campaign. This program, sponsored by our diocesan Office of Life & Justice, provides an opportunity for us to support local organizations dedicated to defending the dignity of the person and the sanctity of human life. All funding decisions are made by the diocesan Life & Justice Campaign Committee and 100% of all donations are distributed locally. To learn more, to submit an application for a grant, or to make a donation directly to them, visit <a href="https://www.lifeandjusticekcsj.org">www.lifeandjusticekcsj.org</a> or contact the Office of Life & Justice at the Chancery Please prayerfully consider contributing to the parish collection next weekend.

Weekly Offertory Income Monthly Budget Goal \$65,725

Week 1 <u>Offertory</u> \$ 13,278.20 Aged, Sick & Poor \$886.00 This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, August 12 (No Adoration; Gym closed) 7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral

8:30 AM Mass — Cathedral

9:30-11:00 AM
5:00-6:00 PM
7:00 PM
8:00 PM
Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
Preschool Open House-St. Gianna Center
Legion of Mary–St. Anne's Room
Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Tuesday, August 13 (No Adoration; Gym closed)

6:15 AM Mass – Cathedral

6:00 PM Altar Society Mtg-St. Anne's Rm
8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)
Wednesday, August 14 (Adoration 9 am –6 pm; Gym closed)
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

5:20-5:50 PM Confessions

6:00 PM Vigil Mass for the Assumption – Cathedral

8:00 PM Rosary - livestream only

Thursday, August 15 (No Adoration; Parish Office & Gym closed)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Cathedral

8:00 AM Mass for the Assumption – Cathedral 11:20-11:50 PM Confessions – St. Mary Church

12:00 Noon Mass for the Assumption – St. Mary Church 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible) Friday, August 16 (No Adoration; St. Gianna Ctr & Gym closed)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Cathedral 8:00 AM Mass – Cathedral

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

8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Saturday, August 17 (No Adoration; Gym closed)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Cathedral 8:00 AM Mass - Cathedral 2:30-3:50 PM Confessions - Cathedral 3:30 PM Rosary - Cathedral 4:00 PM Mass - Cathedral

4:50-5:20 PM Confessions – St. Mary Church

5:30 PM Mass - St. Mary Church

8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible) Sunday, August 18 (No Adoration; No Coffee/Milk/Donuts;

Gym closed)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Cathedral 8:00 AM Rosary - Cathedral

8:30 AM Mass - Cathedral (also livestream)
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

8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which is a Holy Day of Obligation. This day celebrates the Assumption of Mary into heaven, body and soul, signifying her purity and her close relationship with God. At Cathedral, we will celebrate the Vigil of the Assumption on Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, with a 6:00 pm Mass. On Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, we will celebrate an 8:00 am Mass, St, Mary Church will celebrate a 12:00 noon Mass on Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>.

Deacon Joshua Fultz will be livestreaming the Rosary every night through the Cathedral of St. Joseph Facebook Page. The time has changed to 8:00 PM. If, for some reason, he will not be able to pray the Rosary on a certain date, he will post a message on the Facebook Page.

## ST ANNE ALTAR SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

# JULY —— AUGUST —- SEPTEMBER

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#### **GREETINGS LADIES!**

Hope all have been staying cool!

It's hard to believe how fast summer is moving. July has been a month of preparation for our 2024-2025 Altar Society Meetings and Events. On June 12th, the newly elected officers met to put together a working calendar for 2024-2025.

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

Our Contact Tree will be updating our upcoming meetings and events by phone, text or email.

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There will be postings of our upcoming meetings and events in our weekly parish bulletins, quarterly newsletters, and bulletin board posters.

Our first Altar Society meeting for 2024-2025 is
Tuesday, August 13, 2024, in St. Anne's Room at 6:00pm.
Kent McEnaney will be updating us on Academy's new school year. We will be collecting donations for Conception's Future Priest Campaign
(Altar Society will match donations)
Check out "What's Happening this Year!"
50/50 - Door Prizes and Awesome Fellowship

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Cathedral Hill Day, Saturday, September 21, 2024, 5:00-8:00pm Altar Society will host the "Cakewalk" with proceeds going to the Altar Society.

Baked goods can be dropped off after Noon till event in Gym Vestibule. Alrita Wagner 816-387-7145 recreatesjewelry@gmail.com

#### A Message from Deacon Joshua Fultz

"The Land Without Sunday"

Recently I read an excerpt from the 1955 book "Around the Year with the Trapp Family," by Maria Von Trapp. That's right, the same Maria from "The Sound of Music." This particular essay was titled "The Land Without Sunday." In this essay Maria describes what Sundays were like right before World War II and how they were celebrated, but the piece that most caught my attention was the story that Maria tells about their neighbor's visit to Russia one year before the war began.

"Instead of a Sunday," Baron K. told us, "the Russians have a day off. This happens at certain intervals which vary in different parts of the country. First, they had a five-day week, with the sixth day off, then they had a nine-day work period, with the tenth day off; then again it was an eight-day week. What a difference between a day off and a Sunday! The people work in shifts. While one group enjoys its day off, the others continue to work in the factories or on the farms or in the stores, which are always open. As a result, the over-all impression throughout the country was that of incessant work, work, work. The atmosphere was one of constant rush and drive."

This one hits a little close to home. Here they are talking about Communist Russia, but they could almost be talking about the U.S.A. of today. I say almost, because I recognize not every Sunday is about work, but it isn't necessarily about worshiping God either. I am just as guilty as the next person, using Sunday to catch up on yard work or freelance projects.

As a country we have embraced the idea of a day of worship with a "day off." If we aren't careful, we trade the worshiping at the altar of Sacrifice for worshiping at the altar of whatever idol we embrace. Sure, we give God our 1-hour obligation, but then we're tempted to sacrifice the rest of our day to anything but prayer.

I know, I know, there are reasons. There are always reasons. It doesn't negate the fact that it's up to us to make a choice. Will we choose to enter into the celebration of Sunday, or will we choose to just have a day off? I invite all of you to read the essay and see what Sundays used to be like for the Trapp family. You can use the link below or visit the Cathedral of St. Joseph Facebook page.

https://instituteofcatholicculture.net/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/The-Land-Without-Sunday-essay.pdf

Our first Altar Society meeting for 2024-2025 is this Tuesday, August 13th, in St. Anne's Room at 6:00 PM. Kent McEnaney will be updating us on the Academy's new school year. The Altar Society also will be collecting monetary donations for Conception Abbey's Future Priest Campaign (our Altar Society will match any donations). Come to the meeting and check out "What's Happening this Year!", and enjoy a 50/50 drawing, door prizes, and awesome fellowship!

Our Cathedral team still needs more volunteers to help at the Open Door Food Kitchen. Cathedral members prepare and serve a meal on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of every month, 8:00 am-1:00 pm. Please call our Parish Office if you are available to help!

Coram Deo is a Eucharistic-centered Catholic group which exists to meet the needs of young adults in the St. Joseph area and to provide opportunities for spiritual growth and fellowship. Coram Deo is meeting on Monday, August 26th, for Mondays on the Bluff! Meet here at the Cathedral at 6:10 pm for a rosary, followed by pizza + drinks at River Bluff Brewing. All young adults, ages 22-35, are invited to attend. They hope to see you there! If you have any questions, please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com. Follow Coram Deo on Instagram = Slack: @cocram\_deo\_sj Search "#coramdeo"

Conception Abbey now offers silent retreats. The "Encountering Christ" retreat is a Benedictine-style weekend retreat of silence for those looking to go deep in their relationship with our Lord, learn from the tradition of the Catholic Church, and respond to the call to holiness. Their weekend silent retreats focus on Mass, praying the Divine Office with the monks of Conception Abbey, time of adoration before the Eucharist, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The monks themselves give the four conferences as they instruct you and encourage you to pray with Sacred Scripture and make it a part of your daily life. Enjoy the vast and beautiful grounds of the Abbey in the hills of Northwest Missouri. Cost is \$250 per person. Sign up for a restful and prayerful weekend away by visiting us online at <a href="mailto:conceptionabbey.org/guests">conceptionabbey.org/guests</a>. They look forward to welcoming you as their guest and facilitating an encounter with Christ!

#### Good News of Cathedral . . .

 Congratulations to Megan and Chris Crawford, Cathedral Class of 09 & LB Class of 13, on the birth of Beckham Blaise Crawford, on August 2<sup>nd</sup>!

#### Cathedral School/St. Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA) News

- The annual Ice Cream Social for all Cathedral school families will be on Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 12:30-1:30 pm in the outdoor classroom. Students also can meet their teacher(s), see their classroom, and drop off their school supplies.
- The first day of School will be Wed., August 21<sup>st</sup>, with school in session 7:50 am-12:30 pm (carly dismissal).
- If you, or someone you know (please spread the word!) would be interested in becoming a substitute teacher for Cathedral and/or one of the other Academy schools, please apply online at <a href="https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Apply/122175">https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Apply/122175</a>
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- Want more information about the MOScholars tax credit program and the Bright Futures Fund? The State of Missouri allows you to divert up to half of what you owe to an education fund. Reserve your tax credits and put the money you would pay the government, in state income tax, to work for something good. For more information about this opportunity and to sign up, please visit the website <a href="https://www.brightfuturesfund.org/">https://www.brightfuturesfund.org/</a>. You may also contact Christy Gruenbaum, Development Director for MOScholars, at 816-714-2338.

St. Francis Xavier Church, in St. Joseph, is seeking a full-time secretary/receptionist. To apply or for more information, please contact their Parish Office, 816-232-8449 or <a href="mailto:rwhite@sfxstjoe.com">rwhite@sfxstjoe.com</a>.

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