

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 4, 2019**

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, August 5**

*Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [2a]/  
Mt 14:13-21*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Special Intention

**Tuesday, August 6**

*Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 [1a and 9a]/  
2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Dona Kemmer +

**Wednesday, August 7**

*Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26a-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab,  
13-14, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Mt 15:21-28*

**7:00 AM Mass** – No special intention scheduled

**6:00 PM Mass** – Berkemeier and Beery Families +

**Thursday, August 8**

*Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Mt 16:13-23*

**8:00 AM Mass** – John Robertson +

**Friday, August 9**

*Dt 4:32-40/Ps 77:12-13, 14-15, 16 and 21 [12a]/  
Mt 16:24-28*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Larry Schiesl +

**Saturday, August 10**

*2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9 [5]/Jn 12:24-26*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Father Robert Deming +

**4:00 PM Mass** – Augustine Bernard +

**Sunday, August 11**

*Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 [12b]/Heb 11:1-2,  
8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40*

**8:30 AM Mass** – People of the Parish

**11:30 AM Mass** – John Robertson +

*Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of Mary Roetto Verburgt who died this week. Mary is the mother of Tom Roetto.*

All new parish, school, and ECC families are invited to our annual **Welcome Dinner BBQ** on **Thurs., August 8, 5:00-7:00 PM** in the outdoor classroom. Meet new families, learn about our parish, ECC, and school, shop school Spirit Wear, and have your questions answered. Email our **Principal Rebecca Evans** at [revans@cathedralsj.org](mailto:revans@cathedralsj.org) if you have questions.

**Cathedral Cash . . .** The *Cathedral Cash* Team is in need of **volunteers** to help in the following areas: sell the cards after the weekend Masses, place orders weekly with vendors, pick up orders weekly from local vendors, and separate out the cards for the various families who ordered. Please contact Kerri Weaver at [cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org](mailto:cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org) if you are interested in helping with any of these positions. You will be trained in whichever position you choose.

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME**

Monthly Budget Goal \$76,166 (included \$4000 for reserve)

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick &amp; Poor</u>
Week 1	\$11,535.30	\$ 799.00
Week 2	\$ 7,668.66	\$ 115.00
Week 3	\$ 9,194.75	\$ 15.00
Week 4	<u>\$22,497.75</u>	<u>\$ 500.00</u>
Total	\$50,896.46	\$ 1,429.00

**This Coming Week**

**Monday, August 5**

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

**Tuesday, August 6**

No activities scheduled for today

**Wednesday, August 7**

Gym Closed

9:00 AM-12:00 PM Sewing & Craft Group–Rectory Basement

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

7:00-7:30 PM Presentation on Eucharist - Church

**Thursday, August 8**

Gym Closed

5:00-7:00 PM New Families Welcome Dinner BBQ –  
Outdoor Classroom

7:00-7:30 PM Presentation on Eucharist - Church

**Friday, August 9**

Gym Closed

Open Door Food Kitchen staffed by Cathedral Parishioners

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

**Saturday, August 10**

Gym Closed

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass

**Sunday, August 11**

Gym Closed

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

10:45 AM Glory & Praise Choir Rehearsal-Music Rm

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass

12:30-2:00 PM School Ice Cream Social/Final Registration

*Thank you to everyone for making my summer here at the Cathedral enjoyable! I am grateful that I was able to meet you and help out at the parish. Know of my prayers for you. Please keep me in yours as I prepare to receive Holy Orders. Feel free to email me anytime: [benjaminarmentrout@kenrick.edu](mailto:benjaminarmentrout@kenrick.edu). In the Sacred Heart . . . Seminarian Ben Armentrout*

Our gym floors will be waxed beginning **August 7**. Therefore, our **gym** will be **closed** beginning **Wednesday, August 7**, and will reopen on **Monday, August 12**.

Due to the weather, the resealing and striping of the drives/parking areas have been postponed until **Monday and Tuesday, August 12-13**. Therefore, the areas that will be closed are: between the Church and Rectory, the Church and ECC (including ramp), School and ECC, upper level teacher and handicap parking lot behind Church, and in front of the gym. The ECC area will be worked on first so parents can drop off and pick up their children. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Seminarians Jared Samson and Ben Armentrout** will be presenting a **mission** on the **Eucharist** beginning **Wednesday, August 7** and continuing on **August 8**, both nights **7:00-7:30 PM** in the **church**. All parishioners are invited to attend. If you have questions, please contact **Seminarian Jared Samson** at [jsamson@cathedralsj.org](mailto:jsamson@cathedralsj.org).

*If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps 90)*

**Message from Father Hansen:**

I write today from southern Florida where I'm at a workshop with about 24 other clergy. Each day we have two meditations, some Liturgy of the Hours together, a rosary (prayed in the living room, family style), and classes in the morning and afternoon, except two excursion days. Last week I was able to go to NASA on an excursion day, and see a real rocket boost off. No people were on it. However, it was going to the space station with supplies and equipment for research. One company sending items was Goodyear Tire, intended for research in space for better quality rubber for tires! Daily Mass, a day of Recollection, and Holy Hours have been part of the workshop, too; I've been praying for you all! I heard nice comments about prayers for us and that there was a good turnout for blood donations last Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Hall - thank you!

In my last Bulletin article, I wrote about the Collaborative Steering Committee. I particularly wrote about Becky Evans and her husband Michael being on Committee. Additional members from Cathedral are Todd Meierhoffer, Tom Roetto, Melissa Aleman, Kristi Bailey, Pat Modlin, and Jeff Sullivan. Additionally, from St. Mary's, there is Caroline Castor. I'm very grateful to them all for their dedication to the education of our children and the children in St. Joseph and even areas surrounding us! Please pray for the committee, the consultant, and all their work! Please watch the Bulletin for listening sessions with the Steering Committee both here and at St. Mary's!

Today would be the Memorial of St. John Vianney! You may recall it was his incorrupt heart that visited the Cathedral of St. Joseph on the Solemnity of St. Joseph this year. I began the summer with the seminarians in Ars, France, where the remaining incorrupt body of St. John Vianney rests. I want to thank Fr. Becker, Fr. Kriski, Deacon Josh, the seminarians, the parish staff and the many volunteers that have "kept things going" while I've been gone. After this workshop, which ends Friday, I'll have a reunion with the siblings and their families on Saturday in Racine, WI, on Sunday I'll baptize a niece's son in the parish I was baptized in, and I'll return Tuesday!

Are you divorced? What the Church teaches about divorce is very misunderstood. The 16 session weekly series, "*Journey of Hope*", offers clarification about church teaching, and brings real help and guidance for Catholics who are going through intense pain, sorrow, suffering and life adjustment. The "*Journey of Hope*" begins at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish** on **August 27** (men's group) and **August 28** (women's group), **6:30 PM**. \$40 registration. Call **Kathy** at **OLOG, 232-2847**, for more information and/or to sign up.

**Stewardship Makes a Difference . . . Thank you** for the outpouring support of the *Soles for Christ* program. We collected 92 pairs of shoes and 27 pairs of socks. God Bless you.

**CHECK THIS OUT. . . The Good News of Cathedral**

- **Congratulations to Tommy Weidmaier**, Cathedral Class of 07, on his marriage to **Megan Sanders** in Bellevue WA on **June 29!**
- **Congratulations to Patrick and Sara Rich Lile**, Cathedral Class of 01 & LB Class of 05, on the birth of their son, **Weston Dean Lile**, on **July 27!**
- **Congratulations** to our Ravens (past and present) who had roles in the recent production of "*Elf the Musical Jr at the Missouri Theatre*". **Lincoln Darnell, Skylar Kline, Calvin Kress, and Henry Kress!**

**Our School and ECC News**

- Our school **uniform exchange** will be held on **Aug. 8-12**. The uniform exchange is a great way to donate your gently used uniforms and save money on purchasing new ones. We typically receive a variety of sizes.
- The **School Ice Cream Social and Final Registration** will be on **Sunday, August 11, 12:30-2:00 PM**.
- The first day of school will be **Thursday, August 15**. Since this is a **Holy Day of Obligation**, we will have our first **All School Mass** that morning at **8:00 AM**.
- In order to plan for the future of our **St. Joseph Catholic Schools**, we want to gather input on key questions and hear from you. Please plan to attend one of these a round-table listening sessions: At **Cathedral** – Aug. 24 after 4:00 PM Mass or Aug. 25 after 8:30 AM Mass; at **St. Francis Xavier** – Aug. 21, 7:00-8:00 PM; at **St. Patrick** – Aug. 31 after 4:00 PM Mass or Sept. 1 after 11:00 AM Mass; at **St. Mary** – after 10:30 AM Mass; at **OLOG** – Sept. 3, 6:00-7:00 PM or Sept. 15 after 11:00 AM Mass; at **St. James** – Sept. 7 after 4:30 PM Mass or Sept. 8 after 9:00 AM Mass; **St. Rose** – Sept. 29, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM.
- Join us for the first **Early Childhood and Development Center St. Gianna Beretta Molla Golf 4-Person Golf Scramble Tournament** on **Sat., Sept. 28**, at **Fairview Golf Course**. Shotgun start is at **8:30 AM**. If you are planning on playing, want to become a sponsor, or have a few items to donate for the goodie bags, please email **Ryan Lawson** at **[Ryan.Lawson@goproserv.com](mailto:Ryan.Lawson@goproserv.com)**. Cost is \$80 per player or \$320 per team. Send registration form (including shirt size) with payment by **August 16** to **Ryan Lawson, 2201 Ashland Ave., St. Joseph, MO 64506**. Make checks payable to **Cathedral ECC**. All profits will benefit the new **EDC Center**.

**Seven Dolores Catholic Church – Hurlingen Picnic Reunion** – Join them for their **Backyard Cookout and Family Fun** on **Sat., Aug. 17**, at **5:00 PM** (serving until **7:30 PM**). Picnic Style Dinner for \$10 (children 6 and under \$5). Adult ticket includes 4 tickets to pay any game. Menu: hamburger or two chili dogs, baked beans, chips, desserts, ice tea and water.

The Catholic young adult group for St. Joseph, **Coram Deo**, is meeting on **Thurs., August 8** to go mini-golfing at **Joe Town Mini Golf!** Meet at **Our Lady of Guadalupe** at **6:10 PM** for Adoration and food. Please bring a few bucks in cash to help pay for the food. All young adults ages 22-35 are invited to attend. Questions? Contact **Ally Goetz** at **[agoetz@olog.org](mailto:agoetz@olog.org)**.