

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 3, 2019**

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 4

Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 23, 24 [25]/Mk 5:1-20

8:00 AM Mass – Ethel Murphy +

Tuesday, February 5

*Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32 [cf. 27b]/
Mk 5:21-43*

8:00 AM Mass – Doyle and Gertrude Norris +

Wednesday, February 6

*Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a [cf. 17]/
Mk 6:1-6*

7:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

6:00 PM Mass – John Robertson +

Thursday, February 7

*Heb 12:18-19, 21-24/Ps 48:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 9, 10-11 [cf. 10]/
Mk 6:7-13*

8:00 AM Mass – Ray and Betty Fredlake +

Friday, February 8

Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc [1a]/Mk 6:14-29

8:00 AM Mass – Berkemeier/Beery Families +

Saturday, February 9

Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mk 6:30-34

8:30 AM Mass – Jean Waldron +

4:00 PM Mass – Teresa Carr +

Sunday, February 10

*Is 6:1-2a, 3-8/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 [1c]/I Cor 15:1-11 or
15:3-8, 11/Lk 5:1-11*

8:30 AM Mass – Joe Kerner +

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

The family of Jim Rost wishes to express our gratitude for the many prayers, visits, cards, flowers, donations and kindness during this difficult time of loss. God Bless You!

Jeanne Rost Family, Fr. Bob, Greg and Joni Rost Family, and Carolyn and Bill Gronniger Family

Thank you to Ann and Dennis Gronniger for providing treats to our School of Religion students.

Wed., Feb. 6, is the first Wednesday of the month. Therefore, we will have a **7:00 AM Mass** as well as the **6:00 PM Mass**.

If your schedule allows, an hour in **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**, to pray for our students or your own intentions, would be a great way to grow spiritually. Sign up online at <http://signup.com/go/vaVQXnM> for a date/time or contact **Amy Roetto** at 816-787-0235 or amy_roetto@hotmail.com.

The second collection next weekend, **Feb. 9-10,** will be for the **Msgr. Nowland Endowment Fund**. Cathedral School and Early Childhood Center **thank you** for your generous support of this endowment.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

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

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$17,713.55	\$ 897.00
Week 2	\$ 7,129.40	\$ 50.00
Week 3	\$ 9,517.00	\$ 100.00
Week 4	<u>\$17,226.75</u>	<u>\$ 329.00</u>
Total	\$51,586.70	\$1,376.00

This Coming Week

Monday, February 4

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

5:30 PM Cub Scouts - Gym

6:00-6:50 PM School of Religion – Ruggle Hall

6:30 PM Remove decorations - Church

Tuesday, February 5

5:30-6:30 PM Buildings/Grounds Mtg-Msgr. Dierkes Rm

6:00 PM Altar Society Mtg & Painting Party - RH

7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

Wednesday, February 6

8:30 AM Marketing Committee-Msgr. Dierkes Rm

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

Thursday, February 7

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal - Ruggle Hall

Friday, February 8

Open Door Food Kitchen staffed by Cathedral Parishioners

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

Saturday, February 9

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass

Sunday, February 10 – Anniversary of Solemn Dedication of the Cathedral

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

After Mass Coffee, Milk, & Donuts – Ruggle Hall

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

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass

4:00-6:00 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

7:00-8:30 PM Confirmation – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

Just a reminder: The **Building and Grounds Committee** will meet this **Tues., Feb. 5,** from **5:30-6:30 PM** in the **Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room.**

Help is needed to take down the rest of the Christmas/winter decorations in Church. Please come on **Monday, Feb. 4,** at **6:30 PM.** Your assistance is greatly appreciated!

Thank you to the **Altar Society ladies** who sent desserts for the **Chili Bingo Night!** Our collaboration with the school was a success!

Parishioners, please note: The **front doors of the Church** are kept locked (from the outside) except for Masses and other special events. If you exit through these doors when they are locked, please check that the doors latch completely behind you so the doors cannot be opened from the outside. **Thank you** for your assistance in helping us keep our Church and Ruggle Hall area secure!

Cathedral Cash . . . Use **Cathedral Cash** Cards for your Valentine purchases as well as for your everyday grocery, gasoline, gift, and home projects/maintenance needs. Cards can be purchased or ordered after our weekend Masses in the west vestibule, through our School Office, at CathedralCash@cathedralsj.org, or **ScripNow.** **Thank you** for your ongoing support of this School fundraiser!

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A MESSAGE FROM FATHER HANSEN . . .

This Sunday, we celebrate the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time. What a privilege it is to gather with the parish family every Sunday. It is nothing “ordinary”. Sometimes I’ll see Cathedral parishioners at St. Mary’s and sometimes St. Mary’s parishioners here. The Holy Father just gathered with over 700,000 for a Mass with young people in Panama for the closing Mass of World Youth Day. There, at the Mass, he announced the next World Youth Day would be in July of 2022, in Lisbon Portugal! I hope we can take our youth and young people! Here the young Church gathers as a family. Nothing ordinary. Bishop Johnston and the visioning team are in the process of rolling out the Mutually Shared Vision for the Diocese, directing the diocesan family. Let’s keep that in our prayers!

I write this just before beginning my annual silent retreat. During the retreat, I’ll try to make 1-3 good resolutions for the upcoming year. Saints like Teresa of Avila say we could make a resolution every time we pray. We could say every time we go to Confession and every time we go to Mass and commune with the Lord in the Eucharist. You’ll receive this after my retreat is over; please pray for me, that I may follow through on my resolutions from the retreat in a special way this year! I’ll be praying for all of you!

Our **Cathedral Daisies** will be selling **Girl Scout cookies** for \$5/box in the **west vestibule** after Masses next weekend, **Feb. 9-10**. Please help support their fundraiser!

The **Catholic Young Adult Group** (age 22-35) in St. Joseph, *Coram Deo*, is meeting on **Thursday, February 7**, from **6:10-8:00 PM** for pizza and a showing of *The Prince of Egypt* at **Our Lady of Guadalupe** in the **Bartlett Room**.

There will be a **4 Point Pitch Tournament** on **Feb. 10, 2:00-6:00 PM**, at **St. James Church** in their **Church Basement**. \$20 per person. Hot dogs, chips, and beverages will be available. Bring your own partner. Questions? Contact **238-0853**.

World Marriage Day Mass will be celebrated on **Sun., Feb. 10**, at **2:00 PM** at **St. Therese Parish, 7207 NW Hwy 9, Kansas City, MO**. Join **Bishop Johnston** and **Archbishop Naumann** to celebrate and pray for marriages. A reception will follow in **Wooldridge Hall**.

A **Men’s Conference** will be on **Sat., March 23, 7:00 AM-5:00 PM**, at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Church**. Tickets are \$25 at EventBrite.com or \$30 at the door. Questions? Contact **David Hurst** at dhurst032204@yahoo.com or **262-3950**.

Stewardship Makes A Difference . . . Do you think you might be interested in working as a sub in our Food Pantry? Our volunteer hours are **9:00-11:15 AM** on **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday**. Call **Kitty** in the **Parish Office** at **232-7763**. We also are in need of a new or used upright freezer.

CHECK THIS OUT . . . The Good News of Cathedral

- **Congratulations** to and **God’s blessings** on **Nico, Caki, and Mateo Thalasinis** who were baptized on **January 27!**
- **Congratulations** to the following students on being finalists in the School’s Spelling Bee: **Jackson CDeBaca, Landon Gardner, Isabelle Giles, Greyson Heck, Davis Jungbluth, and Ryder Mattox**. **Natalie Burnett** and **Beckett Frisch** were our top spellers. They will advance to the Local Spelling Bee on **February 9!**
- **Congratulations** to the Cathedral alumni on this year’s Bishop LeBlond Courtwarming Royalty: **John Michael Hriso, Brigid Lehman, and Reegan Thomas!**
- **Congratulations** to **Paxton Boyles, Harper Libel, Adan Seiter, Jeffry Ellsworth, and Hannah Carpenter** on receiving the **St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Award!**

Our School and ECC News

- We welcome **Ms. Jocelyn Winter** as **Director of Cathedral Early Childhood Center**. Ms. Winter is from Harrisonville, MO, and a recent graduate of Northwest Missouri State University where she earned a BA in Elementary Education and minored in Early Childhood Education.
- **New Family Coffee and Donuts Meeting & Open House:** Invite your friends and family members, who may be interested in Cathedral School, to an informative “coffee and donuts” meeting in **St. Anne’s Rm/RH** on **Feb. 13, 7:30-9:00 AM** (date changed from Feb. 7). We will give tours, have tuition information, and answer any questions.
- Have you heard of the “**Consider Catholic**” campaign, an initiative by all the **Catholic Schools** in St. Joseph to increase enrollment in and awareness of local Catholic education? Visit online at stjosephcatholicschools.com today, encourage friends and family to tour one of our schools, and follow us on Facebook. Interested in donating to the cause? Please contact **Kristi Bailey Rasmussen**, at **390-7572** or kristirasmussen38@gmail.com to donate.
- All are invited to the next **Ravenous Ravens Night** on **Wed., Feb. 13**, beginning at **5:00 PM**, at **Geneo’s Pizza and Pub, 809 Francis Street**.
- **Cathedral School’s Kindergarten Round-Up** will be on **Wed., Feb. 20, 6:00-7:30 PM**, in **Ruggie Hall**. Come meet our teacher, visit the classroom, and have questions answered by our Principal! Help spread the word!

Our **Lady of Guadalupe Altar Society** will host their annual **women’s retreat** on **Sat., Feb. 16**, in their **Marian Hall**. **Father Barlett** will be the speaker. Continental breakfast will be at **8:30 AM** with retreat **9:00 AM-12:00 noon**. All ladies of the Deanery are invited to attend. Please RSVP by **Feb. 13** to **OLOG Parish Office** at **232-2847**.

If you missed our **God Is! Day of Renewal**, the next opportunity will be held at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Church** on **Sat., Feb. 23, 8:45 AM-3:30 PM**. Doors open at **8:30 AM**, with a continental breakfast. This retreat is a requirement for “First Sacrament” parents. At least one parent must attend. Lunch is provided. A “free will offering” can be made to help defray food costs. Preregistration is important! Please contact **Ally Goetz** or **Tina Dotson** in the **OLOG Parish Office** at **232-2847**.

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St. Anne's Altar Society Business Meeting

November 6, 2018, at 6:00 PM in Ruggle Hall

President Chris Den Ouden brought the meeting to order and opened the meeting with the prayer, the Memorare. There were 18 ladies in attendance. A light dinner of pizza and salad was provided.

Business Items:

- The minutes were approved without any changes.
- Thank you notes from Guest Night were shared.
- Special thanks to Janet Schiesl's daughter for providing the picture of St. Rose Philippine Duchesne for St. Anne's Room. There is room for more saints, such as St. Scholastica. **Teachers are encouraged to bring their students and to teach them about these important women in our Church.**
- Chris Den Ouden needed a volunteer to print off info about each saint and to have them available in St. Anne's Room. Mary Burgess volunteered and provided this information to Chris.
- Joyce Weight provided the treasurer's report.
- Thank you to Paula Bokay & Chris DenOuden for working at the Dessert Walk during Cathedral Hill Day. Thank you to all who provided desserts. The event earned \$214 in proceeds for the Altar Society.
- There are usually three funeral teams which serve as one of the Altar Society's important ministries. **Co-Chairs are now needed for Funeral Team #2. Volunteers are also needed to help serve and or prepare a dish for luncheons. Please contact Chris DenOuden for more information or to volunteer to help.**
- Business meetings are held three times during the course of the year. All ladies of the parish are always invited and are encouraged to come and share their gifts. **The next business meeting is scheduled for Tues., Feb. 5, beginning at 6:00 PM in conjunction with a painting party led by Melissa Pfister. Thanks, Melissa!**

Guest Speaker-A warm welcome was given to Mr. Jeff Sullivan, the principal at Bishop LeBlond School, who was the featured speaker for this meeting. Mr. Sullivan thanked the ladies for their ongoing support of Bishop LeBlond High School and Catholic education in St. Joseph. He also asked for their continued prayers.

Calendar/Activity Items:

- **Please take one of the booklets to check out the Altar Society activities. Chris also provided volunteer sign-up sheets for anyone who is interested.**
- A \$100 donation was made to the Conception Seminarian fundraising event that will be held at Our Lady of Guadalupe in November.
- The annual Sewing and Craft Bazaar will be coordinated by Janet Schiesl and will be held in the vestibule after the Thanksgiving weekend Masses. Thank you to Lee Stock and Sandy Stock for donating quilts and tea towels. Thank you to Helen King & Joni Rost for their photo sales of the Cathedral at Christmas. Thank you to Basil and Marietta Hoehn for donating the Madonnas. Thank you to Chris DenOuden for donating floral arrangements. **Because of the inclement weather the Bazaar was also extended to the following weekend in December.**

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- A Day of Hope will be held on Dec. 8 at Copeland Baptist Church. Local Altar Society organizations and ladies' groups are asked to donate money or female personal hygiene products. Kitty Spafford will coordinate this effort.
- The Altar Society will host the annual Community Chorus receptions after their concerts on Dec. 16 & 17. The refreshments will be provided by the Community Chorus, but volunteers are needed to set up, serve, and clean up. Free admittance to the concert will be provided to the reception volunteers.
- The Arts and Environment Committee chaired by Chris DenOuden will need volunteers to help put up and take down the Christmas decorations.
- The Birthright Tea will be moved from December to January 10, 2019, to tie in with the March for Life. Fr. Hansen will be the featured speaker. Thank you to Paula Bokay, Mary Ann Didde, and to all who helped coordinate and assist at this special event.
- The Cathedral School staff and the Altar Society will jointly sponsor a Chili Supper and Bingo fundraiser on Sat., Jan. 26, following the 4:00 PM Mass. The ladies of the Altar Society will provide the desserts for this events and the proceeds will be shared by the Altar Society and the school technology fund.
- The Cathedral School annual Mardi Gras Dinner and Auction will be March 2, 2019. **A volunteer is still needed to make or purchase a \$50 gift for the donation on behalf of the Altar Society.**
- In early March the Altar Society will sponsor an Easter Lily sale for memorials and for church decorations. Thank you to Kerri Weaver for coordinating this fundraiser.
- All ladies are invited to the Day of Recollection, which will be held on March 14, 2019 and in conjunction with the ladies of St. Francis Xavier Parish. Fr. Hansen will be the speaker.
- The St. Joseph's Day Table and Dinner will be held on March 19, 2019.
- The Altar Society Garden Party will be held on April 30, 2019. New officers will be inducted as part of this event. Thank you to Evelyn Wyble for chairing this annual event.
- The Cathedral Garage/Rummage Sale will be held in May, 2019. Thank you to Michael & Angela Flowers and Kitty Spafford for Co-Chairing this fundraiser. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for the use of their building again.

New Business Items:

- Seminarian Jared Samson has requested assistance in providing snacks for the Confirmation classes. There are currently 20 Confirmation candidates. **Please contact Chris DenOuden if you are interested in providing snacks.**
- Kitty Spafford thanks those who have already provided snacks for the 24 students in the Cathedral School of Religion classes. There is continued need for more snack donations.

Membership is the key to our future. All ladies of the parish 18 years of age and older are automatically members of the Altar Society. Chris encouraged those present to reach out and to welcome all ladies of the parish to become involved and to use their talents, especially to young mothers who could bridge the Cathedral PTO with the Altar Society.

President Chris Den Ouden closed the meeting by leading all in prayer with the Prayer to St. Anne. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Mary Burgess, Secretary