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CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH MISSION STATEMENT

*Cathedral of St. Joseph is dedicated to exceptional life-long faith formation through a Catholic community rich in tradition, fellowship and service to all.
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Website:

www.cathedralsj.org

Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday -
8:30AM-3:00PM
Wednesday, Friday -
8:30AM-1:00PM

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday: 8:30 & 11:30AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:00AM — Monday-Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday,
Saturday
7:00AM — 1st Wednesday of
the month
6:00PM — Wednesdays.

HOLY DAY MASSES

As announced.

CONFESSION

1/2 hour before all Masses
and on Saturdays beginning
at 2:30PM

SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

For Sacramental emergencies please call
816-205-6888.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious education for students
4 years old through 8th grade.

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EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

816-233-9794
6:00AM-6:00PM — Monday-Friday

COFFEE & DONUTS

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
going to be hospitalized.

NEWCOMERS

We welcome you to the Cathedral of St.
Joseph. You may register at the Parish Office
Mon., Tues., Thurs. 8:30AM-3:00PM and
Wed. & Fri. 8:30AM-1:00PM

When changing address or leaving the parish, please advise the Parish Office.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating 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)
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 Victim Advocate Kathleen Chastain at 816-392-0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 9, 2020**

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 10

2 Cor 9:6-10...Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9...Jn 12:24-26...

Cf. Jn 12:26

8:00 AM Mass – Michael Conway and Family

Tuesday, August 11

Phil 3:8-14...Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11...Mt 19:27-29

6:15 AM Mass – John Robertson +

Wednesday, August 12

Ez 9:1-7; 10:28-22...Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6...Mt 18:15-20

6:00 PM Mass - Berkemeier and Beery Families +

(Mass also live-streamed)

Thursday, August 13

Ez 12:1-12...Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62...Mt 18:21—19:1

8:00 AM Mass – No intention scheduled

Friday, August 14

Wis 3:1-9 or 1 Jn 3:14-18...Ps 116:10-11, 12-13,

16ac-17...Jn 15:12-16

8:00 AM Mass – In Thanksgiving

(Mass also live-streamed)

Saturday, August 15 – Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Rev 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab...Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16...

1 Cor 15:20-27...Lk 1:39-56

9:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

4:00 PM Mass – Carl Jenkins +

Sunday, August 16

Is 56:1, 6-7...Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8...Rom 11:13-15, 29-32...

Cf Mat 4:23...Mat 15:21-28

8:30 AM Mass – Gina and Bill Cunningham +

(Mass also live-streamed)

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

Did you pick up a copy of **Rediscovering Jesus** by **Matthew Kelly**? Are you getting the awesome video reflections? If you aren't, it is not too late. Go to **Dynamic Catholic's website** to sign up. It's also not too late to sign up for the Zoom or in-person study groups being formed! Stop on the stairs landing in the west vestibule of church and sign up at the table for your online or in-person group, or contact **Kitty** at the **Parish Office** or **Jeanne Modlin** at **262-3697**.

Don't forget that you can place orders anytime and have your e-cards within minutes at www.shopwithscrip.com.

At next weekend's Masses (**August 15-16**), we will collect for the **Diocesan Life and Justice Campaign**. This program is co-sponsored by the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph Human Rights and Respect Life Offices through which our faithful have the opportunity to support local organizations dedicated to defending the dignity of the person and the sanctity of human life.

At the Masses on **August 22-23**, we will take up a collection for the **South Side Flood Victims**. The monies collected will be forwarded to the **Catholic Charities Office** in **St. Joseph** and used specifically for the flood victims.

This Coming Week

Parish Office Hrs: M, T, Th 9:00 AM-2:00 PM

W, F, 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

Monday, August 10

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

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

5:30 PM Finance Committee

6:30 PM Pastoral Council

Tuesday, August 11

6:15 AM Mass – Church

7:00 PM Rosary (livestreamed)

Wednesday, August 12

9:00 AM-6:00 PM Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

(in Church and live-streamed)

9:00 AM-12 noon Sewing Group – Rectory Basement

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

5:20-5:50 PM Confessions – Church

6:00 PM Mass – Church (also live-streamed)

6:30 PM Cleaning of Church

Thursday, August 13

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Mass - Church

7:00 PM Rosary (livestreamed)

Friday, August 14

Cathedral parishioners cook/serve at Open Door Food Kitchen

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church (also live-streamed)

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

Saturday, August 15

8:20-8:50 AM Confessions – Church

9:00 AM Mass – Church

2:30-3:50 PM Confessions - Church

3:30 PM Rosary - Church

4:00 PM Mass – Church

7:00 PM Rosary (live-streamed)

Sunday, August 16

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM Rosary

8:30 AM Mass – Church (also live-streamed)

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions - Church

11:30 AM Mass – Church

To view live-streaming events at Cathedral, go to Cathedral's website:

<https://www.cathedralsj.org>,

look under "Mass Times" and choose "Click Here". You will be taken to Cathedral's Facebook page, OR go directly to Cathedral's FB page:

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/CathedralStJoseph/videos/>

Please note: Since the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (August 15) is on Saturday this year, it is not a Holy Day of Obligation.

Reminder: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is being held in our Cathedral, **9:00 AM-6:00 PM**, on **Wednesdays**. Dates and times for the rest of **August** and **September** are available at <http://signup.com/go/vaVOXnM>. If you do not have internet access or have questions, please contact **Amy Roetto** at amy_roetto@hotmail.com or **816-787-0235**.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

Week 1 \$13,883.00

\$ 1,093.00

Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation. (Ps 85:9)

Deacon Joshua Fultz's message . . . As an advertising and creative director, social media is a part of my daily job. I not only create it, but I also watch trends and look for new ways to reach out to the communities that use our services. Lately, the trends in social media have become much darker than in years past. The latest trend seems to be one of blind hatred and division. You might think it would all be in just one or two areas, like politics and the current pandemic, but I'm seeing it go even farther, by blindly attacking history, while at the same time repeating it.

Recently Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez pointed to the statue of St. Damien and declared it a symbol of white supremacy. Last month a statue of St. Junipero Serra was also pulled down as part of a protest, accusing him along with others, of being agents of racism. Just a brief look into history would show anyone that both of these men were far from racist. So why are they being attacked? The answer is blind hatred, acting out of pure emotion without any rational thought. Many of these "protestors" believe in their heart of hearts they are bringing justice to people who have long suffered at the hands of systemic racism. Yet, in their ignorance of history, they are only spreading the wildfire of hate and division with their destructive acts. I say many because, in these groups, there are individuals who merely seek to cause havoc. Their sole purpose is to steal, kill, and destroy. Does that sound familiar? It is precisely the way Jesus describes Satan, the father of lies. He comes to steal, kill, and destroy.

Don't be tempted to think that this is all on the coasts and doesn't affect us locally; that is a lie. Division and hatred are alive and well in the mid-west. From the "masks vs. no masks" fight to the "Novus Ordo vs. Latin Mass," division is in our community, and it creeps its way into our hearts. The problem with division is that it blurs the reality that there is room for all of us. God does not love only some of us; he loves ALL of us. We must make room for others in our hearts and not act out of a place of hatred. Are there things we need to change in our country, our city, our homes? YES. We are all sinners, and there are things we need to change, but striking out in hatred does not create change. If we want to create change, we must be vigilant about the messages we send out into the world. We also have to go to the extra effort to know precisely what values the groups we support represent. If we blindly support a message, we may unknowingly support hatred in disguise. It's up to us to meet hate with love, but not our love, the love of Christ.

Hatred stirs up disputes, but love covers all offenses. - Proverbs 10:12

Volunteers needed to help clean the church at **6:30 PM** on **Wed., August 12**. Please meet in the west vestibule.

During this **Tax Free Weekend**, the **School of Religion** needs colored construction paper, pens, colored pencils, scissors, glue, pocket folders and notebook paper. **Thanks** for your generosity!

St. Patrick Church is taking pre-orders for **cheese enchiladas** (\$20/dozen) and **tamales** (\$25/dozen). Orders are to be picked up (drive-thru in rectory's driveway at **1813 S. 12th St, St. Joseph**) on **Sat., Sept. 5 3:00-6:00 PM** and **Sun., Sept. 6, 12:00-2:00 PM**. Order by **Sun., Aug. 16** to **Lisa Rocha, (816) 262-0674**, or **Sandra Becerra-Ortega, (816) 261-3140**.

The Catholic young adult group of St. Joseph (age 22-35), **Coram Deo**, is meeting on **Thursday, August 13** at **St. Rose of Lima** for **6:00 PM Mass**. Following Mass, they will enjoy pizza before heading to **Joe Town Mini Golf**. Please bring \$10 for mini golf as well as a few bucks in cash to help defray the cost of food or **Venmo@Fr-Barlett**. Have questions? Please contact **Ally Goetz** at agoetz@olog.org.

2nd Annual "In His Real Presence" Eucharistic Congress on **Fri., Sept. 11th & Sat., Sept 12th** at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish**. **Friday Family Night** is free but registration needed. **Saturday Early-Bird Registration** is \$10 before **Aug. 15** and (\$15 after) - includes lunch. T-shirts optional for \$15-17. Register: **Office of Divine Worship, 20 W. 9th St., KC, MO 64105** or <https://kcsjatholic.org/Eucharistic-Congress/>.

Stewardship makes a difference... Do you enjoy working with children? Do you want to pass on our faith? **School of Religion** has a couple of openings. You can make a difference in a child's spiritual life. We meet one evening a week for an hour. We will begin the **Monday after Labor Day** in **Ruggle Hall**. Call **Kitty** in the **Parish Office** at **232-7763** for more details.

Check It Out...The Good News of Cathedral

- **Congratulations to Kyle Curtis**, Cathedral Class of 05 & LB Class of 09, on his marriage to **Kendra Mikuls** on **August 1!**
- **Congratulations to Katherine Guyer** and **Nick Seufert**, Cathedral Class of 96 & LB Class of 00, on the birth of **Patrick Joseph Charles Seufert** on **July 24!**
- **Congratulations to Haneen Hilwy Guhde**, Cathedral Class of 03 & LB Class of 07, who became a US naturalized citizen on **July 29!** **Haneen** is originally from Israel and was one of our Cathedral exchange students.
- **Congratulations to Courtney (CDeBaca) Eiberger** (Cathedral Class of 01 and LB Class of 05) and **Philip Eiberger** (LB Class of 05) on the birth of **Teresa Rae CDeBaca Eiberger** on **August 3!**
- **Congratulations to Sarah and Josh Weaver**, Cathedral Class of 03 and LB Class of 07, on the birth of **George Taylor Weaver** on **August 4!**

SCHOOL NEWS

- Classes are scheduled to begin on **Tuesday, August 25**. Information regarding the school reopening has been emailed to the school families. If you have questions, please contact **Mrs. Gerre Martin**, at **232-8486**.
- The Diocese has requested that no school meetings and group gatherings be held in the foreseeable future. Therefore, we will not be able to have the New Families Welcome Dinner and Orientation. The Principal is looking at having the School Final Registration and school supply drop-off on **Aug 20 (11 am-7 pm)** and **Aug 21 (11 am-4 pm)**. School will use sign-up genius for those days. More information to follow.

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