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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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SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious education for public school students
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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.

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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.

Fourth Sunday of Lent – March 10, 2024

This Week's Mass Intentions at Cathedral

Monday, March 11

Is 65:17-21...Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b...Jn 4:43-54

8:30 AM Mass – Carol Unger +

Tuesday, March 12

Ez 47:1-9, 12...Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9...Jn 5:1-16

6:15 AM Mass – Father's Special Intention

Wednesday, March 13

Is 49:8-15...Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18...Jn 5:17-30

6:00 PM Mass at St. Mary Church

Thursday, March 14

Ex 32:7-14...Ps 1-6:19-20, 21-22, 23...Jn 4:31-47

8:00 AM Mass – Robert Boudreau +

Friday, March 15

Wis 22:1a, 12-22...Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23...

Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

8:00 AM Mass – Deceased Members of King and Kneib Families

Saturday, March 16

Jer 11:18-20...Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12...Jn 7:40-53

8:00 AM Mass – Benefactors, Prayer Partners, Family, and Friends of Sisters in Jesus the Lord

4:00 PM Mass – Charline Kessler +

Sunday, March 17

Jer 31:31-34...Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 14-15...Heb 5:7-9...Jn 12:20-33

8:30 AM Mass – Greg Knapp and Joan Knapp +

11:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

Please consider spending extra time with the Lord this Lent through Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. As you know, Adoration is held on weekdays that school is in session. It will be held this week, **Monday - Friday**. Please check this week's activities calendar (in second column of this bulletin) for the hours of Adoration each day. We encourage you to sign up for an hour at <https://signup.com/go/LPVzjYN>, or on the form in our daily chapel.

Ladies of the Parish: It's not too late to turn in your \$10 Altar Society Dues. You may put your dues in an envelope and place it in the collection basket, or forward it to the Parish Office. Thank you!

This weekend, we will take up the **Catholic Relief Services Collection**. This collection makes grants to six Catholic agencies that provide relief and support for struggling communities and work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters, both here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

Next week, we will take up a collection for **Easter Flowers**. These funds will be used to decorate the church for the Blessed Easter Season.

We thank all who have given so far to the **Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)**. As of March 1st, 98 of our parish families have helped us reach 87% of our diocesan goal. For those who are still prayerfully considering gifting or pledging to this year's ACA campaign "Giving in Love," consider the times when you might have needed the help of another, and you received it. The Catholic Church in Northwest Missouri provides this type of help and relies on your sacrificial giving to make it happen. You may send your gift/pledge directly to the Diocesan office, or forward it to our Parish Office and we will mail it for you.

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, March 11 (Adoration 9 AM-12:45 PM)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Chur

8:00 AM School Convocation - Church

8:30 AM Mass – Church

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

12:15 PM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

7:00 PM Legion of Mary – St. Anne's Room

Tuesday, March 12 (Adoration 8 AM – 3 PM)

6:15 AM Mass – Church

5:40 PM Confessions – Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

6:00 PM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

Wednesday March 13 (Adoration 8 AM-6 PM)

8:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

9:00 AM-12 noon Crafting Group Meeting – Rectory Basement

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

5:20-5:50 PM Confessions at St. Mary Church

6:00 PM Mass at St. Mary Church

After Mass Potluck Dinner/Lenten Program-St. Mary

6:30 PM Advisory School Board - Msgr. Dierkes Rm

7:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, March 14 (Adoration 9 AM-1 PM)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM Mass – Church

8:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

1:00 PM Meatball Prep – School Kitchen

5:00-7:30 PM Basketball Practice (Meierhoffer) – Gym

6:00 PM Women's Welcome Retreat Follow-up - RH

7:00-8:30 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Church

Friday, March 15 (Adoration 9 AM-3 PM)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM All School Mass – Church

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

11:30 AM Cover church statues - Church

12:15 PM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

12:30 PM Stations of the Cross - Cathedral

5:30 PM Stations of the Cross - Cathedral

Saturday, March 16 (No Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions

8:00 AM Mass – Church

8:30 AM Meatball Making – School Kitchen

2:30-3:50 PM Confessions – Church

3:30 PM Rosary – Church

4:00 PM Mass – Church

4:00 PM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe

5:00 PM Doors open for Trivia Night - Gym

5:30 PM Mass at St. Mary Church

6:00 PM Trivia Night - Gym

Sunday, March 17 (No Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Rosary – Church

8:30 AM Mass – Church & livestream

After Mass Coffee, Milk, Donuts – Ruggle Hall

10:00-11:00 AM School of Religion – St. Anne's Room

10:00 AM Mass at St. Mary Church

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral

11:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe

11:30 AM Mass – Cathedral

1:00-3:00 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

7:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

"God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through Him." Are you being invited to share the mission of Jesus as a priest, deacon, or in the consecrated life? For information, contact **Fr. Nathan Rueb** at 816-756-1850.

Weekly Offertory Income Monthly Budget Goal \$65,725

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$19,121.95	\$ 1,023.00

Father Hansen's Message . .

This weekend, Bishop Johnston will be at his Cathedral here in St. Joseph for Confirmation of a good number of young people, mostly Freshmen in High School. Please pray for our young people being Confirmed! You may know that Bishop Johnston and the Family Life and Youth Ministry Offices have initiated a new youth initiative called "The Way" which includes, among many other great things, moving Confirmation to 6th grade. You can learn more at: <https://kcsjatholic.org/theway/> and through the resource booklets we have at all the exits of the three parishes. Please take one! Much more information to come...

I highly recommend the middle school youth group led by Beth Lukehart and sending your children to Camp Savio this summer! See the church bulletin for details...

I want to thank the teams that put on the Welcome Retreats the last few weekends. Over time we'll all have a chance to go on these retreats. We've just begun with two at Cathedral!!

Finally, Bishop Johnston asked that copies of the attached flyer be inserted in parish bulletins. Please read carefully. From the flyer: "*DECLINE TO SIGN any petition that lets lobbying groups and the government take away your rights and freedom! Tell family, friends, neighbors, coworkers, and everybody to DECLINE TO SIGN.*"

Please mark your calendar to help with Church Environment on Friday, March 15th at 11:30 am to cover the statues, Thursday, March 21st at 6 pm for Palm Sunday, and Saturday, March 30th at 9 am to decorate for Easter! No prior experience is necessary.

TRIVIA NIGHT: March 16th, 6 PM - Gym doors open at 5 pm. Come enjoy healthy competition and great fun! Bring a team or come by yourself. Cost: \$10/person. Bring your own snacks and drink. Proceeds benefit Cathedral School Technology Fund.

Father Hansen will be a guest on Catholic Radio Network during its pledge drive on Friday, March 22nd, 3:30-5:00 pm. Father will share his vocation story and talk about some things happening "in the Catholic world" and at Cathedral. The show can be heard on 890, 1090, and 1190 am in Kansas City, and on 92.9 FM in the northland. If you would like to make a donation for Catholic Radio during the broadcast, you can call 888-447-2425 or donate online at catholicradio.com.

There will not be Wednesday evening Mass at Cathedral during Lent. However, we are all invited to attend Mass at 6:00 PM at St. Mary Church on March 13th and 20th, followed by a Lenten Potluck Dinner and Program in Brady Hall (in St. Mary's basement). Please come and bring a covered dish to share. Father Fenlon is the scheduled guest speaker on March 13th.

On Wed., March 27th, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish will have a Traditional Seder Ritual at 6 pm in Summers Hall, followed by a buffet dinner. Reservations required by March 21. Contact OLOG's Parish Office, 816-232-2847, for information or to RSVP.

Fish Fry Friday is at the Knights of Columbus Council 5607 Hall, 1205 N. 49th Terrace on Friday, March 15th and 22nd, 4:30-7:00 PM. Adults \$15, Children \$6 (age 12 and younger). Enjoy catfish dinner with sides. Mac and Cheese for kids. Drive-thru available. Proceeds go towards churches and community organizations. If you have questions, contact 816-232-0321.

Coram Deo is meeting on Thursday, March 14! Meet at the Mir House of Prayer at 6:10pm for Adoration, followed by an evening of cocktails and board games at Mokaska Coffee! Then join us on Saturday, March 16, for *Scripture Saturdays!* Join us for a home-cooked meal at the Gabler home followed by a Scripture study using Dr. Scott Hahn's *Genesis to Jesus* program. All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. We hope to see you there! Questions? Please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com. Follow *Coram Deo* on Instagram + Slack:

Rachel's Vineyard Weekend Retreats offer a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release, and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal, and healing. For information on the next available retreats on April 5-7, July 19-21, or Oct. 18-20, go to www.rachelsvineyard.org or contact Teresa O'Donnell, rvkcmo@gmail.com or 816-679-4973.

The Good News of Cathedral

- **Congratulations to Monica and Brian Francis**, Cathedral Class of 94 & LB Class of 98, on the birth of **Benicio "Beni" DeWayne Nam Francis**, in February!
- **Congratulations to Hailey**, LB Class of 12, and **Drew Curtis**, Cathedral Class of 07 & LB Class of on the birth of **Scarlett 1Mae Curtis** on February 27!
- **Congratulations to Austin Dawkins**, Cathedral Class of 09 & LB Class of 13, on his marriage to **Rylan McClurg** on March 1.
- **Congratulations to Tom Smith**, who is being recognized with a **Silver Beaver Award** by the **National Scout Court of Honor** on behalf of the local **Pony Express Council**. This national award will be given to Tom for his outstanding exceptional service to a local area scout council for over 40 years, and is the highest award a council can bestow. Tom will receive the award on **March 23** at the **Restoration Church, 117 Francis Street**, with a reception at **5:30 pm**, followed by the awards ceremony at **7 pm**. Cost \$30. For reservation, contact the **Pony Express Council**.

Cathedral & St. Gianna Early Childhood Center News

- **Ravenous Ravens Event: Visit Hazel's Coffee on Tuesday, March 12th**, for a midday boost. Remember to refer to the **Cathedral Fundraiser**, and a portion of the earnings will be donated back to our PTO! Additionally, enjoy the special Cathedral Signature Drink, the "**Reenergized Raven**", and \$1 from each sale will be contributed to our cause! This fundraiser is good at both the **Frederick Ave Location (11 am-6 pm)**, and the **Downtown Location, (11:00 am-3 pm)**. Stop by and support Cathedral!
- **Mardi Gras Post-Event Survey: Thank you** to everyone who attended the **Mardi Gras Fundraiser on Feb. 10th**! We had a fantastic evening with you raising funds for the children and teachers at Cathedral School! In order to have an even more successful event in the future, we are doing a survey to see where we can improve. Even if you were unable to attend, there are some areas where you may be able to provide helpful insight. Please go online at <https://forms.gle/nbYjs2i2PSva4b3n6> to share your opinion.
- **Cathedral's 5-8 Grade Youth Group** is growing, and we want YOU to join us! All 5-8 grade students welcome - invite a friend! The group meets on the **1st and 3rd Thursdays in Ruggle Hall at 6 pm**. Our next meeting is this coming **Thursday, March 21st**. Join us as we answer the question, "Who is Jesus?" To all 5th – 8th graders: Mark your calendars for **June 10-15** and join the youth group at **Camp Savio!** Thank you to those parishioners who have made a donation to help make the June summer camp accessible to all students who wish to attend. The cost per camper is approximately \$450, and we have a goal for all students to be able to attend for free or close to it. If you would like to help us meet our goal, please forward any donation or sponsorship to our **Parish Office**, and mark it "Camp Savio." For questions, contact **Beth Lukehart** at 816-244-6859.

DECLINE

TO

Sign



Don't sign your rights and freedom away by signing an abortion initiative petition that would alter Missouri's Constitution!

Don't let lobbying groups and out-of-state special interests inject abortion politics where it doesn't belong and where it isn't wanted.

This petition goes too far for Missouri!

This extreme initiative petition could:

- **Legalize abortion as a method of birth control** and abortion after a baby can survive outside the womb.
- Allow unlicensed abortion clinics in your neighborhood – even near schools and churches.
- Give power to judges and **the government to force Missouri taxpayers to fund abortions.**
- Permit governmental intrusion in health care decisions made by parents with their children.

Don't be fooled! Signature collectors might tell you that it's for "women's health" or "reproductive rights" or "to restore Roe" —or that it's "pro-life" or "pro-choice" —or say ***anything*** to get you to sign. ***Don't believe them!***

DECLINE TO SIGN any petition that lets lobbying groups and the government take away your rights and freedom! Tell family, friends, neighbors, coworkers and everybody to ***DECLINE TO SIGN.***

The future of Missouri is counting on you!

For more information on ***Decline to Sign***, contact Missouri Stands with Women at mostandswithwomen.org



**Missouri Stands
with Women**



GRAB A COFFEE FOR A CAUSE!

Ravenous Ravens Event
at Hazel's Coffee!

MARCH 12, 2024

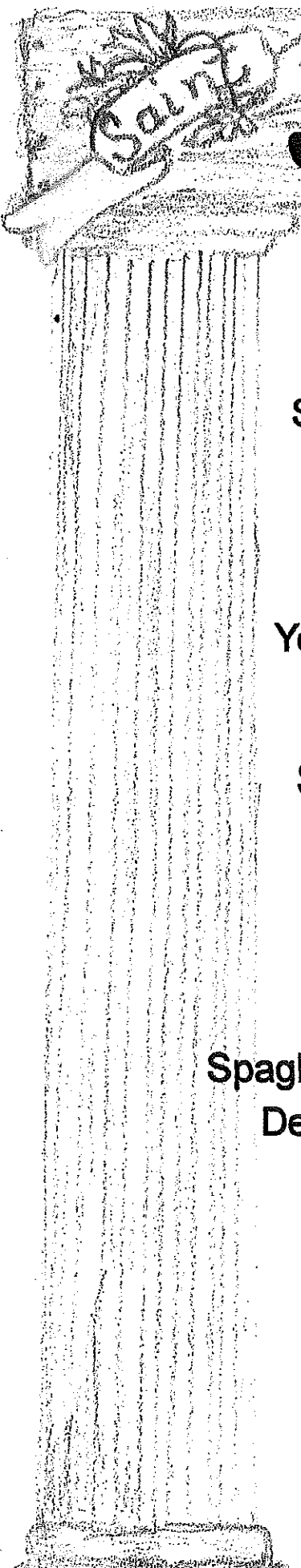
BOTH LOCATIONS!

FREDERICK AVE: 11AM-6PM

DOWNTOWN: 11AM-3PM

How to participate:

- Visit Hazel's on 3/12 after 11 am.
- Place your order, making sure to mention the Cathedral Fundraiser
AND
- Order the special Cathedral Signature Drink, the Reenergized Raven!



JOSEPH

.....*Pillar of families*

**Begin Your Day Celebrating
St Joseph's Feast Day - March 19, 2024
at our
All School Mass 8:00am**

**You are Invited to Continue this Feast Day
at our**

**St Joseph Day Dinner and Table
Tuesday, March 19th
4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Cathedral Auditorium**

Menu:

**Spaghetti/Meatballs, Breadsticks, Salad and Drink
Desserts and goodies for purchase from the
St Joseph Table**

**Free will offering benefiting our
Cathedral Food Pantry**

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