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Website:

www.cathedralsj.org

Hours:

Monday -

8:15AM-2:00PM

Tuesday, Thursday -

9:00AM-2:00PM

Wednesday, Friday -

9:00AM-1:00PM

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.

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious education for public school students
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SCHOOL OFFICE

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7:30AM-3:30PM - Monday-Friday

www.cathedralsj.org

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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
or complete parish registration form at
www.cathedralsj.org under the contact tab.

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816-689-0837

**When changing mailing or email
addresses, phone number, or leaving the
parish, 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.

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 23, 2022

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, January 24

2 Sm 5:1-7, 10... Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26... Mk 3: 22-30

8:30 AM Mass at Cathedral – Joe Mazur +

Tuesday, January 25

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22... Ps 117:1bc, 2... Mk 16:15-18

No Mass at Cathedral – will be noon Mass at St. Mary's Church

Wednesday, January 26

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1... Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10... Mk 4:1-20

No Mass at Cathedral – will be noon Mass at St. Mary's Church and will be 7 PM Mass at MWSU Newman Center

Thursday, January 27

2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29... Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14...

Mk 4:21-25

8:00 AM Mass at Cathedral – Mary Ann Hurst +

No noon Mass at St. Mary's Church

Friday, January 28

2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17... Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7,

10-11... Mk 4:26-34

8:00 AM Mass at Cathedral -- Mary Ann Reinert +

Saturday, January 29

2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17... Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17... Mk 4:35-41

8:00 AM Mass - Father Donald Sturm +

4:00 PM Mass George Riley +

Sunday, January 30

Jer 1:4-5, 17-19... Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17...

1 Cor 12:31, 13:13... Lk 4:21-30

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – Matt Woodrow +

You are invited to join **Bishop Johnston** for the **1st Annual St. John Vianney Luncheon** on **Thurs., Feb. 17, 11:30-1:00 pm** at the **Hotel Kansas City, 1228 Baltimore Ave in KC., MO.** Come and support the Seminarians of the Diocese of KC-St. Joseph as they study for their priestly vocations. This event will celebrate the vocation and all the work that is needed to ensure that we have priests for generations to come. Your support will help the Diocese provide resources needed to support these young men on this special and important journey. Table sponsorship is \$1,000. To purchase a table or to donate, register at www.ksjatholic.org or **Katie Lucas, 816-714-2382.**

Thank you to the 97 families who have made a donation/pledge so far to the **Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal.** We have reached \$35,954 (93%) of the \$38,500 goal. It is not too late to make a one-time gift or pledge to the 2022 ACA. All gifts to ACA serve as the primary means to fund more than 30 ministries. Directed through Diocesan Offices, these ministries assist our parishes with vital services that are integral to their daily operation. The Diocesan Stewardship and Development Office will be sending tax letters to the donors in the diocese who made generous gifts to the ACA for the 2021 year. These will be mailed out no later than **Monday, January 31st.**

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$20,955.00	\$ 692.00
Week 2	\$12,754.09	\$ 577.00
Week 3	<u>\$ 9,065.25</u>	<u>\$ 135.00</u>
Total	\$42,774.34	\$ 1,404.00

This Coming Week's Activities

Mon., Jan. 24 (Adoration 9:00 am-12:45 pm)

7:50-8:20 AM Confession

8:30 AM Mass – Church

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

5:30-6:30 PM Basketball Practice (Judah) – Gym

Tuesday, January 25 (Adoration 8:00 am – 3:00 pm)

11:00 AM-11:00 PM Ravenous Ravens – 54th Street Grill

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

7:00-8:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only)

Wednesday, January 26 (Adoration 8:00 am – 5:00 pm)

9:00 AM-Noon Crafting Group – Rectory Basement

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

Thursday, January 27 (Adoration 9:00 am – 1:00 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions

8:00 AM Mass – Church

4:30-9:00 PM Catholic Schools BB Tourney - Gym

7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only)

Friday, January 28 (Adoration 9:00 am-3:00 pm)

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM All School Mass – Church

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

4:30-9:00 PM Catholic Schools BB Tourney - Gym

Saturday, January 29

7:30 am-9:00 PM Catholic Schools BB Tourney - Gym

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM All School Mass – Church

2:30-3:50 PM Confessions – Church

3:30 PM Rosary - Church

4:00 PM Mass – Church

6:00/6:30 PM Young Couples Potluck/Trivia Night – RH

Sunday, January 30

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Church

8:00 AM Rosary - Church

8:30 AM Mass – Church

After Mass Coffee/Milk/Donuts – Ruggle Hall

9:45-11:00 AM School of Religion–St. Anne's/Music Rm

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Church

11:30 AM Mass - Church

4:30-6:30 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

7:00 PM Rosary – (live streamed only)

There are a few changes in the daily Mass schedule next week:

Monday – Mass at Cathedral at 8:30 am; **Tuesday** – No Mass

at Cathedral (there will be noon Mass at St. Mary's);

Wednesday – No Mass at Cathedral (there will be noon Mass

at St. Mary's and a 7 pm Mass at the Missouri Western Newman

Center, 4518 Mitchell Ave (across street from the MWSU main

entrance); **Thursday** – 8 am Mass at Cathedral but no Mass at

St. Mary's; **Friday** – 8 am All School Mass at Cathedral.

"Couples with a view" is hosting a **Trivia Night** for young couples on **Jan. 29th** in **Ruggle Hall.** If you ever made a mixtape, burnt a CD, or downloaded a song onto your iPod, this Trivia Night is for you. This will be a potluck event so bring a dish to share and beverage to drink. \$20/couple entry. Doors open at **6 pm**, questions start at **6:30 pm.** Make your team ahead of time (up to 5 couples per team) or get matched with a team when you arrive.

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

Father Armentrout's message . . . We all have people that we look up to greatly! People that can make us laugh, inspire us with a few words, or whose company we enjoy. One of the beautiful aspects of our Catholic Faith is our belief in the Resurrection from the Dead - and similarly the communion of the Saints. This means for us that we can have relationships with those who have gone before us.

One person, who I have constantly referred to in my Homilies and bulletins since my arrival here in July is St. Thomas Aquinas (whose feast day is this Friday). In fact, his thoughts were so inspirational during my formation as a priest that I would imagine there is not a single homily that I have given from our pulpits that I couldn't point back to how St. Thomas influenced my thought in one way or another. St. Thomas' most influential work was his *Summa Theologia* - which contains his synthesis of Scientific, Philosophical, and Theological thought. But my favorite work by St. Thomas Aquinas would have to be his commentary on the Gospel of John! With great insight, he pierces into the most allegorical and symbolic of the 4 Gospels! Through patient study of his work, I started to understand how various elements of the Catholic Faith are all related. Most importantly, while I was a student, he taught me the lesson that all of my studies are personal. The purpose of study is not to appear more intelligent, to merely find a job, nor to attain a degree, but to have a personal encounter with our Lord. St. John mentions in the prologue that "The word became flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and *truth*." (John 1). In all of St. Thomas' works, it is abundantly clear that the object or purpose of his studies is to understand this *Truth* who became flesh. I give thanks to God for giving me a great teacher, father, and friend in St. Thomas.

It is my sincere hope that all our parishioners - both at St. Mary's and the Cathedral - would foster a genuine love for Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, and some other Saint. My advice this weekend would be to take a brief stock of our devotion to the Saints. We could ask ourselves these questions - Do I have a favorite Saint? What do I love about this Saint? What lessons have they taught me? How do they give me joy? And do I enjoy their company? If devotion to the Saints is new to you, I would encourage you to perhaps look up the Patron Saint of your occupation, your leisure activities, or some other interest. Consider reading a book by them or about them. And ask them each day to guide you closer to our Lord Jesus Christ. Just as our relationships with one another can foster virtue, so to can our relationships with the Saints (*See Prov 27:17*).

In the Sacred Heart, Fr. Armentrout

Volunteers are still needed to sell *Cathedral Cash* after the **11:30 am Mass**. If you can help, please contact **Melanie Francis** at **816-351-8870** or cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org.

Are you passionate about NFP? Do you like to help others? Have you ever considered teaching NFP? The **FertilityCare Center of Kansas City** is pleased to announce a **Creighton Model FertilityCare Practitioner Education Program** beginning **March 5th**. Be a part of this exciting event and join their team! Classes will be held in **Independence, MO**. Information and the application materials can be found on their website at www.fertilitycarekc.com under **FertilityCare Practitioner Training**.

Coram Deo is meeting on **Sat., Jan. 29th** for Scripture Saturdays! Join them at **St. Rose of Lima Parish** for **4 pm Reconciliation, 5 pm Mass**, with a **Scripture study** and dinner to follow. Young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend Questions? Contact **Ally Goetz** at goetz.ally@gmail.com.

Catholic Key Magazine contains the stories of those living out the Gospel in our diocese and is delivered to more than 60,000 homes, every other month, for FREE! However, advertising covers less than 50% of the cost to publish the magazine which is now mailed six times each year. Would you prayerfully consider a donation so the Diocesan Communications Team can continue to bring Catholic Key magazine to every Catholic household and Catholic school family in our diocese? If every person who receives *Catholic Key* magazine donates just \$1, then the Diocesan Office of Communications can cover the printing and mailing costs - and increase the number of issues they produce each year! If you would prefer to read it online, it is available at CatholicKey.org. You may also make a donation on their website by clicking on "Donate".

Check out the Good News of Cathedral

- **Thank you to Bill Francis and Arman Partamian** for their informative and pertinent presentations last week on End-of-Life Concerns.
- **Thank you to Karen and Jim Landers** for their donation of snacks for the School of Religion!

School News

- **Don't forget: Ravenous Ravens Event at 54th Street Grill, 11 am-11 pm on Tuesday Jan. 25, for dine-in & express to go orders only.** Please come and support Cathedral PTO activities For **dine-in**, put the school code **22012509** on your receipt and place it in the designated box on the host stand. For **pick-up**, tell the hostess giving you your food to place the receipt in the designated box for you.
- You are cordially invited to **Cathedral's Mardi Gras fundraiser on Fri., Feb. 25th**, at the **Knights of Columbus Hall, 1205 N. 49th Terrace in St. Joseph.** Cocktails **5:30 pm**; dinner **7 pm**; auction **8 pm**. Purchase tickets by **Jan. 25** at cathedralstjoseph.ticket.qtego.net. Cost \$50/ticket.
- Our School still needs **after school care staff M-F, 3:15-6:00 pm**. For information, contact the **School Office** or <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/489183/Available-Positions/After-School-Care-Provider---Cathedral-of-St-Joseph>
- **Gianna Early Childhood Center** needs **Early Childhood Lead Teachers** and **Early Childhood Aides** (to work with any of the age groups). For more information, contact **Lisa Puett** at **816- 233-9794**, or **Preston Rinne** at **816-232-7763**. Please submit a cover letter, an application, and resume through **Indeed.com, Paylocity.com**, or through the Diocesan website at kesj catholic.org.

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