

**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
June 23, 2019**

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 24

*Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14-15 [14]/Acts 13:22-26/
Lk 1:57-66, 80*

8:00 AM Mass – Rudolph Siskey +

Tuesday, June 25

Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/Mt 7:6, 12-14

8:00 AM Mass – T.W. O’Meara and Family +

Wednesday, June 26

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Mt 7:15-20

6:00 PM Mass – Kias Bernard +

Thursday, June 27

*Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a,
4b-5 [1b]/Mt 7:21-29*

8:00 AM Mass – John Robertson +

Friday, June 28

Ez 34:11-16/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Rom 5:5b-11/Lk 15:3-7

8:00 AM Mass – Connelly Family

Saturday, June 29

*Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [5]/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/
Mt 16:13-19*

8:00 AM Mass – Adele Hepburn +

4:00 PM Mass – Bob Sanders +

Sunday, June 30

*1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [cf. 5a]/
Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62*

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – Irene Hainline +

Mark your calendars for **Vacation Bible School, July 15-18, 6:00-8:00 PM** in **Ruggle Hall**. This year, our series is from **Growing Up Catholic “Earthkeepers”**, teaching children about **Pope Francis’** encyclical: **On Care For Our Common Home**. If interested, contact **Kitty** in the Parish Office at kspafford@cathedralsj.org or contact **Michelle Wolfe** at mwolfe1@missouriwestern.edu.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is on Wednesdays, **8 AM-6 PM** (or a little before as Mass begins at 6). Please sign up at <http://signup.com/go/vaVQXnM> for any hours you would like. You also may contact **Amy Roetto, 816-787-0235**.

Volunteers Needed in June – Prior to renovating the old cancer center into the new St. Gianna EDC, we need to remove construction debris from inside of the building. The work is mostly shoveling, wheelbarrowing, and carrying material from the building to dumpsters. Some mechanical demolition and rigging work also will be needed, along with other miscellaneous tasks. This would be a great service project for college students who are home for the summer, and an opportunity for all to get involved with the ECC (now EDC) project. Please contact **John Modlin** at **816-261-8481** or johnmodlin@sbcglobal.net to volunteer and let us know your availability (specific days, skills, etc.). **Thank you!**

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

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

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$ 9,925.45	\$ 833.00
Week 2	\$ 7,325.05	\$ 131.00
Week 3	<u>\$ 9,800.50</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
Total	\$27,051.00	\$ 964.00

This Coming Week

Monday, June 24

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

Tuesday, June 25

8:00 AM-12:00 noon School Office Open

Wednesday, June 26

9:00 AM-12:00 PM Sewing & Craft Group–Rectory Basement
Lower Parking Lot Closed – Food Pantry Closed

Thursday, June 27

Lower Parking Lot Closed

9:00 AM Parish Staff Meeting–Msgr. Dierkes Mtg rm

6:00 PM Cathedral Choir Dinner/Rehearsal – RH

Friday, June 28

Lower Parking Lot Closed – Food Pantry Closed

6:30-9:00 PM *Ladies Night Out* – St. Anne’s Room

Saturday, June 29

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass

After Mass Town Hall Meeting – Ruggle Hall

Sunday, June 30

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

After Mass Coffee, Milk, Donuts – Ruggle Hall

Town Hall Meeting – Ruggle Hall

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass

After Mass Town Hall Meeting – Ruggle Hall

Beacon on the Hill Fundraising Campaign Town Hall Meetings, Sat., June 29, and Sun., June 30 -- Join fellow parishioners in **Ruggle Hall** after each Mass to ask questions and to hear the latest on the **St. Gianna Early Childhood Education & Development Center (EDC)** and other **Phase I** campaign projects.

Our **lower parking lot** (south of the Rectory) will be closed **June 26-28** while the lot surface is sealed and restriped. Please note the **Food Pantry** will be closed **Wednesday** and **Friday**.

We are still in need of some strong 7th or 8th graders or high school students to help move classroom furniture during the summer. This is a great way to earn service hours. If you can help us any days this summer, please contact the **Parish Office** at tteschner@cathedralsj.org or **232-7763**.

All women of the parish are invited to **Ladies Night Out** on **Friday, June 28, 6:30-9:00 PM**, in **St. Anne’s Room**. Join us for a good movie, great fellowship, and yummy snacks! Please bring \$2 for refreshments.

Don’t Forget: The **Pitching for Priests Softball Game** will be on held on **Fri., July 5, 7:00 PM**, at the **Community America Ballpark (1800 Village West Pkwy in KC, KS)**. If interested in going as a group and tailgating with us, contact **Kitty Spafford** in the **Parish Office**. Tickets and more information are available at PitchingforPriests.com.

Stewardship Makes a Difference . . . Thank you to the anonymous donor that provided a copier to the **Food Pantry** in memory of **Roseanne Muehlbach**.

"Blessed be God Most High, who delivered your foes into your hand." (Gn 14:20a)

Message from Seminarian, Jared Sampson . . . It's hard for me to trust in God. I constantly need reminders to trust in Him more and more. Here is one of these reminders in the form of a story that I recently heard.

One day a 28 year old French Jew named Alphonse Ratisbonne was making fun of Catholicism to some Italian Catholics on a trip to Rome. His friend, Baron, challenged him test the Catholic Faith by wearing a miraculous medal and saying a prayer called the *Memorare* every day. Alphonse said that the medal and prayers couldn't help him, but certainly couldn't hurt him, so he agreed to the challenge. Baron got all his friends and family to pray for the conversion of Alphonse. Among those Baron asked for prayers was the seriously ill Count Laferronnays, who offered his life to God for the conversion of Alphonse and prayed over 20 *Memorares*. Then, on the same day, he suffered a heart attack, received the last sacraments, and died.

The next day, Alphonse entered the Basilica of St. Andrea delle Fratte and saw a vision of Mary. Baron, shocked to find him kneeling in the Church, helped him to his feet. Alphonse immediately asked to receive the sacraments and proceeded to become a Jesuit priest dedicating his life to the conversion of other Jews. He founded an organization called the Congregation of Sion for the purpose of converting Jews to Catholicism.

Mary appeared to Alphonse on January 20, 1842. This apparition is called Our Lady of the Miracle, and captivates many people throughout the world.

This story inspires me to ask for the grace of conversion for St. Joseph. How many people in our beloved city do not know the truth of our Catholic Faith? In my time in Rome, I will be able to visit the place where Mary appeared to Alphonse and pray for this. I know that I am also in need of a deeper conversion and trust in God. I am praying a *Memorare* every day for your intentions. I challenge you to wear a blessed Miraculous Medal and say a *Memorare* every day for the conversion of someone. The religious store, Blessings of St. Joseph, has the medals or you can ask a priest if he has an extra.

Peace of Christ,
Jared Samson

The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known, that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

MIR House of Prayer needs your help and has the following hours of **Eucharistic Adoration** open in its **Chapel of the Holy Rosary**: **midnight-1 am Thursday; 8 am Sunday; noon-1 pm Sunday; 3 pm Thursday; 10 pm Saturday.** Please contact **Lisa Puett, 279-4414.**

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

- **Congratulations** and Many Blessings to **Mana James Alfrey** and his parents, **Daniel and Centenary Alfrey.** Mana was baptized here at Cathedral on **Sat., June 15!**
- **Congratulations** to the Cathedral Ravens who were named members of the News-Press Spring Sports Honor Teams: Golf-**Hank Lierz** and **Mitch Robinson** and Baseball-**Frankie Gall!**

Our School and ECC News

- The **School Office** is open in **June on Tuesdays only** from **8:00 AM-12:00 noon.**

The Catholic young adult group for St. Joseph (ages 22-35), **Coram Deo**, is meeting on **Wednesday, June 26, for Wednesdays with the Word!** Please meet at **St. Rose of Lima Parish in Savannah at 6:10 PM.** Please eat beforehand. They hope to see you there! Questions? Contact **Ally Goetz** at agoetz@olog.org.

This **Sunday, June 23, 10:30 AM-1:30 PM, St. Francis Xavier Knights of Columbus Council 15126** will host their 6th annual **Southern Fried Chicken Dinner** in their **Parish Center.** Menu includes Fried Chicken, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Dinner Rolls, Cookies, and Beverage. \$10/adult; \$5 for child 6-10 (under 5 free); \$25 family. Drive-thru takeout available. Tickets will be available at the door.

The **Knights of Columbus Council 6244, in Savannah,** will be hosting a breakfast at **St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall** on **Sat., June 29, 7:30 AM-10:30 AM,** to raise funds for the youth of St. Rose to attend a Catholic Conference in Springfield, MO. Free will donations accepted.

Basketball Camp at Cathedral – Sat., July 13, in Cathedral Gym: Holy Trinity Basketball Academy is where faith and basketball come together to help shape Catholic Athletes in their faith and their sport. **Roger Smith,** Cathedral Parishioner, St. Joseph resident, and former college basketball coach, has taken his experience as a national championship coach and a strong Catholic father of three to form a new kind of camp that focuses on relating basketball fundamentals to the fundamentals of our Catholic faith. The camp will have two sessions: **9:00-10:30 AM** is open to **girls and boys in Grades 3-6,** and **10:30 AM-12:00 noon** will be open to **boys and girls in grades 7-12.** Due to space constraints, the camp will be limited to the first 30 kids that register for each session. The camp will be **FREE** of charge. To register, call **Roger Smith** at **(405) 823-0507** or email rhs3307@gmail.com.

"Holy Trinity Basketball Academy – Changing the world one fundamental at a time."

First Annual **Eucharistic Adoration Conference** will be on **Sat., Sept. 14, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM,** at **Coronation of Our Lady Parish, Grandview.** Cost is \$10 (lunch provided). Sponsored by the **Office of Divine Worship.** Sessions include: Eucharistic Miracles, Fruits of Eucharistic Adoration, What the Saints Say, Eucharistic Adoration and Healing, Starting and Maintaining Parish Eucharistic Adoration. Space limited. Register online [https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/weblink.aspx?name=E331061&id=83.](https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/weblink.aspx?name=E331061&id=83)