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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

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For Sacramental emergencies please call 816-205-6888.

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Religious education for public school students 4 year old - 8th grade

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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.

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816-689-0837

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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:

- Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
- 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 of Lent - March 12, 2023

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, March 13

2 Kgs 5:1-15ab...Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4...Lk 4:24-30

8:30 AM Mass - Wayne Wyble +

Tuesday, March 14

Dn 3:25, 34-43...Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9...Mt 18:21-35

Mass for Day of Recollection 8:45 AM

Wednesday, March 15

Dt 4:1, 5-9...P 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20...Mt 5:17-19

Mass at 6:00 PM at St. Mary Church (not at Cathedral)

Thursday, March 16

Jer 7:23-28...Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9...Lk 11:14-23

Mass at 8:00 am at St. Mary Church (not at Cathedral)

Friday, March 17

Hos 14:2-10...Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17...

Mk 12:28-34

8:00 AM Mass - Members of Pinzino Family +

Saturday, March 18

Hos 6:1-6... Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21 ab... Lk 18:9-14

8:00 AM

Mass - Todd Roseberry +

4:00 PM

Mass - Patricia Hoffelmeyer +

Sunday, March 19

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a...Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6...Eph 5:8-14...

Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

8:30 AM

Mass - People of the Parish

11:30 AM

Mass - Davis Family +

Don't Forget: During Lent, Cathedral will have Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 12:30 pm and 5:30 pm. On Good Friday, Stations of the Cross will be at 3:00 PM.

Please plan to come on Wed., March 15, to St. Mary Church for Mass at 6 pm, followed by a potluck dinner/program. Deacon Joshua Fultz will speak on "Beloved Sons & Daughters: Understanding Our Identity in Christ". Please bring a covered dish to share and enjoy great fellowship with parishioners from St. Mary Church and Cathedral!

It's not too late to download the Hallow app to use during Lent. Hallow is featuring a challenge to Pray40, to prepare our hearts for Easter in fasting and prayer. If you do not have access to a cell phone, you can use your computer and go to https://www.hallow.com/holyday.

Please sign up after Mass this weekend in the west vestibule for the 24 Hours Adoration and Confession beginning at 9 am on March 17th, and ending at 9 am (with Mass at 8 am) on March 18th. This event is sponsored by the diocesan Office of Divine Worship as part of the 24 Hours for the Lord initiative. We're hoping that two people will sign up for each hour of Adoration. You may also sign up at https://signup.com/go/ovGPaiO.

Next weekend, our second collection will be for the Catholic Relief Services. Funds collected provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

> Weekly Offertory Income Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

\$ 17,215.12 Week 1

\$ 515.00

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, March 13 (School closed; no Adoration)

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church

8:30 AM Mass - Church

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Church Basement 7:00 PM Legion of Mary - St. Anne's Room

Tuesday, March 14 (School closed; no Adoration)

8:45 AM Mass for Day of Recollection - Church

9:30 AM-2:00 PM

Day of Recollection - Ruggle Hall

7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

Wednesday, March 15 (School closed; no Adoration)

9:00 AM-12 noon

Crafting Group-Rectory Basement

(weather permitting)

9:30-11:00 AM

Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

6:00 PM Mass at St. Mary's with potluck dinner/program

7:00 PM Rosary - live stream only Thursday, March 16 (School closed; no Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions at St. Mary Church

8:00 AM

Mass at St. Mary Church, not Cathedral

7:00 PM

Cathedral Choir Rehearsal - Ruggle Hall

Friday, March 17 (School closed; no Adoration)

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions - Church

8:00 AM

Mass - Church 24 Hours Adoration & Confessions - Church

9:00 AM-Sat., 9 AM 9:30 & 10:30 AM

Set up and decorate for St. Joseph Day Dinner

9:30-11:00 AM

Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

12:30 PM

Stations of the Cross - Church

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5:30 PM Saturday, March 18

7:20-7:50 AM

Confessions - Church Morning Prayer - Church

7:30-8:00 AM 8:00 AM

Mass - Church

9:00 AM

24 Hours Adoration/Confessions ends - Church

9:00 AM-8:00 PM

Help before/during/after St. Joseph Day Dinner

2:15 PM

Blessing of St. Joseph Day Table - Gym Confessions - Church

2:30-3:50 PM 3:30 PM

Rosary - Church

4:00 PM

Mass - Church

4:00-7:00 PM

St. Joseph Day Dinner/Table - Gym

7:30-8:00 AM 7:50-8:20 AM

Sunday, March 19

Morning Prayer - Church

Confessions - Church

8:00 AM

Rosary - Church

8:30 AM

Mass - in Church & live stream Coffee and Donuts - Ruggle Hall

After Mass 10:00-11:00 AM

School of Religion - St. Anne's Rm/Music Rm

10:45 AM

Glory & Praise Choir Rehearsal - Church

10:50-11:20 AM

Confessions - Church

11:30 AM

Mass - Church

4:15-6:15 PM

RCIA - Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room

7:00 PM 7:00 PM

Rosary - live stream only Men's Welcome Retreat Mtg-St. Anne's Rm

The Knights of Columbus Council #5067 is hosting their annual Fish Fry on Fridays during Lent, 4:30-7:00 PM at their Council Hall, 1205 N. 49th Terrace. Price is \$15 for adults; \$6 for ages 12 and younger.

Our school will be closed March 13-17 for Spring Break. We will not have our regular Adoration that week. However, we will have the 24 Hours of Adoration and Confession on March 17th, 9 am until after 8 am Mass on March 18th. Also, no Cathedral Cash cards will be ordered. The only cards that will be available are those that are already in the inventory. Call Melanie, 816-351-8870, regarding Cathedral Cash cards.

Message from Dominic CDeBaca: Cathedral's Food Pantry has become a crucial, reliable source for those in need in our area. Due to the pandemic, several pantries in the area closed permanently, including the pantry of our sister parish, St. Mary's. We have absorbed those pantries' clients and, other factors including inflation, unprecedented unemployment, utility costs, ,etc., have led Second Harvest to report that we have become the second largest food pantry (by volume) in Buchanan County. We receive food supplies from the USDA monthly via Second Harvest, as well as weekly donations from Little Caesars, Target, Panera, Starbucks, St. Mary's, Our Lady of Guadalupe, and our parishioners, school, and St. Gianna's Center, just to name a few. With the limited monetary donations we receive, we purchase laundry detergent, bar soap, shampoo and container supplies to supplement our food stuffs. We are open 3 days a week for only 90 minutes each, yet we serve an average of 1700 individuals a month, including 500-600 children. We are staffed by about 10 volunteers per day for an average of 240 hours per month. Because we are a Partner Agency with Second Harvest, we are obligated to adhere to all food safety guidelines, submit to inspection, and report our client data and frequency. We work constantly with several outlets in the Second Harvest network including the House of Bread (SFX), the Open Door Food Kitchen, the Crossing Nutrition Center, and we communicate with referrals to AFL-CIO, Catholic Charities, the YWCA and United Way.

Whatever ministry we participate in through our Catholic church, whether it be liturgical in the Mass itself, or through community teaching and outreach, we enact ourselves as the tools of Christ in order to praise Him and give Him glory. It is by the Lord's grace that we are given the opportunity and the ability to use our life and our bodies to do His work here on earth in order to lift up our brothers and sisters. When our volunteers gather to open the food pantry in the mornings, we always begin with a prayer. This prayer asks that the Lord blesses both those that donate to our pantry and those that receive its benefits, and that we are shown Jesus embodied in those that come to our door, and that they may see Christ in us.

Both in the Old and New Testament, the Bible clearly reminds the more fortunate of His children to help the poor and hungry: Proverbs 22:9 "The kindly man will be blessed, for he gives of his sustenance to the poor."

Matthew 25:35 "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me,"

Feeding God's children is a constant theme in the Bible, from the bounty of the garden of Eden, manna from heaven in the desert, the loaves and fishes, to the Last Supper. God knows we will be hungry by our very nature and is continually feeding us physically, emotionally, and spiritually. When we take the Eucharist at Mass, we commune with the Lord asking that His flesh become ours, nourishing our mind, our heart, and especially our soul, with all the grace and wisdom He can bestow upon us. We have many in our community that are in a constant state of hunger. This physical hunger affects the mind, heart, and soul as well. How difficult is it for a child to focus their mind on schoolwork when they haven't had breakfast or a decent dinner the night before? How can someone properly face their workday when they are hungry, cold, or need soap to bathe? How can a parent focus on the happiness of their children and family when putting food on the table is a daily struggle? How difficult it must be for someone to resist the temptation to steal food or steal something to sell for food when they haven't eaten in days!

At a recent diocesan retreat for parish staff that I attended, we were reminded that in all our ministries, we should imitate our relationship with the Eucharist. During the Liturgy of the Eucharist, the priest obtains the bread and wine and sets the altar. Then he asks for the Lord's blessing as he performs the Consecration. Next, he separates and metes out the body and blood for all people present and lastly, he distributes Communion. Likewise, yet in a much simpler fashion, our pantry obtains the food and supplies, then we pray and ask it to be blessed by the Lord. Then we separate it accordingly and distribute the food to those in need. Each of these 4 steps is important and necessary to execute God's will. In whatever ministry you are called to, remember to take what is given, pray that it be blessed by the Lord, divide it in order to spread God's gift(s), and give it out freely and unselfishly; never expecting anything more in return than the Lord's reward.

Our Food Pantry is in a constant state of gratitude to our parishioners and all our Cathedral family for your continued support which empowers us to make a difference to so many of those in need. We also find ourselves in a permanent state of appeal. Your contribution to the Aged, Sick, and Poor collection and your spontaneous donations are always a tremendous help, but the need continues to grow. I'd like to give a very special thanks to those people that have donated their time, money, food, clothing, vehicles and fuel, bags and containers, etc. We wouldn't be able to make this difference without you. St. Vincent de Paul, Patron Saint of volunteers, pray for us!

We will not have a 6:15 AM Mass this Tuesday, March 14th.

Bishop Johnston has granted a dispensation from the obligation to abstain from meat next **Friday** for **St. Patrick's Day, on the condition** that we still embrace a suitable penance. Please consider giving something else up next Friday if you plan to enjoy corned beef!

In preparation for the St. Joseph Day Dinner and Table on March 18th, many helpers are needed: On Friday, March 17th, at 9:30 am, please help transport items from the cafeteria to the gym and set up tables/chairs; decorate tables at 10:30 am. Volunteers also needed on March 18th any time beginning at 9 am, to help before, during, and after the event. Many positions available. If not able to help, please bring a dessert or goodie for the Table. Contact Alrita Wagner at 816-387-7145.

Coram Deo will meet on Mon., March 20th for Mondays on the Bluff! Meet here at our Cathedral at 6:10 pm for a walking Rosary to River Bluff Brewing, where they will enjoy food, drinks, and fellowship! All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. Questions? Please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com.

Cathedral School and St. Gianna Center News

Our School's Father's Day Mass will be at 8 am (not 8:30 am) on Monday, March 20th. All fathers, grandfathers, and father figures in our children's lives are invited to attend this All School Mass.

St. Joseph Catholic Academy (SJCA) News

- Do you or someone you know qualify to be a Missouri Scholar? It could save you tuition costs at a St. Joseph Catholic Academy campus! Begin the process at: https://www.stjoecatholicacademy.com/moscholars.
- The 3rd-8th grade students are invited to sign up for Track! We have amazing coaches who are ready and excited to have your child(ren) join the team. Practice began last Monday at 5:45 PM in Cathedral's gym since couldn't have it at Bishop LeBlond's track due to the rain. It's not too late to join: https://forms.gle/ww87TodbetqmZt3A6.
- Spring break for K-8 is March 13-17; LB's Spring Break is March 13-15. SJCA offices will be open through phone or email and by appointment.

Have you or a loved one experienced an abortion? Contact Teresa O'Donnell, 816-679-4973, about Rachel's Vineyard Retreat scheduled for April 14-16, 2023.

.....Pillar of families

You are Invited

St Joseph Day Dinner and Table

Saturday, March 18th 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

Carry out available



The St. Anne Altar Society presents to you our sixth annual:

Easter Lily Sale

Easter Lilies are now available to purchase! These plants can be purchased to take home, given as a gift, or as a memorial in honor of a loved one to be displayed in Church. If purchased for your home, you can even *plant* your lily! Directions for planting will be provided with your lily.

The lilies will have 4-6 beautiful blooms, and are in a 6" pot with a festive foil covering. The cost is \$15 per plant.

Please fill out the order form on the back side. You may put the <u>order form along with payment</u> in the collection at Mass, take it to the parish office, or even send it to the school with a student. Orders are due by Sunday, March 19, 2023.

Pick-up will be after Masses on the weekend of Palm Sunday, April 1-2. Please specify on your order form which Mass you prefer to pick up your plant.

HAPPY EASTER! ~ ST. ANNE ALTAR SOCIETY

Please fill out the form below and place the FORM AND PAYMENT in the collection by Sunday, March 19. If you'd like to place an order over the phone, please call Kerri Weaver at 816-387-1767. *Please make checks out to "Altar Society". Thank you!

Section A: Home Purchase

<u>Name</u>	Phone Number	Quantity	Preferred Mass Pick-up Time (April 1-2)	<u>Total</u> <u>Cost (\$15 each)</u>

Section B: Memorial Purchase

(To be purchased in honor of a deceased loved one; will be used to decorate the Church for Easter)

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<u>Your Name</u>	Phone Number	Quantity	<u>In honor of:</u>	Total Cost: (\$15 Each)
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