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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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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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SCHOOL OFFICE

816-232-8486
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www.cathedralsj.org

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

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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
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.

SISTERS IN JESUS THE LORD

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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.

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 2-3, 2024

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, November 4
Phil 2:1-4...Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3...Lk 14:12-14
 8:30 AM Mass – Deceased Members of King and Kneib Families

Tuesday, November 5
Phil 2:5-11...Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30c, 31-32...Lk 14:15-24
 6:15 AM Mass – Father Michael Rice +

Wednesday, November 6
Phil 2:12-18...Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14...Lk 14:25-33
 6:00 PM Mass – Berkemeier and Beery Families +

Thursday, November 7
Phil 3:3-8a...Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7...Lk 15:1-10
 8:00 AM Mass – Deceased Members of Hunt and Fuchs Family

Friday, November 8
Phil 3:17-4:1...Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5...Lk 16:1-8
 8:00 AM Mass – Charlene Schnabel +

Saturday, November 9
Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12...Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9...1Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17...Jn 2:13-22
 8:00 AM Mass - Yusteta Manas +
 4:00 PM Mass - Deacon Steve Welsh +

Sunday, November 10
1 Kgs 17:10-16...Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10...Heb 9:24-28...Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
 8:30 AM Mass – People of Cathedral and St. Mary Parishes
 11:30 AM Mass – Ruth Biller Athay, Mark Athay, Chuck Athay, Fr. Andy Biller SVD, Mary (Biller) Searcy, and Jerry Searcy +

What do you want Me to do for you?" Could your answer be the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life? If you have questions, please contact **Fr. Nathan Rueb, 816-756-1850**.

This **Sunday afternoon, November 3rd**, our Cathedral will host students (and a few adults) from St. Francis Xavier, St. James, St. Patrick, and our own parish, as they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep these individuals in your prayers for the Gifts of the Holy Spirit to be strengthened within them so they can become better witnesses to Christ in the world.

Please sign up for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** online at <https://signup.com/go/wRfJHpe>, on the paper sheet in the Adoration Chapel (area behind the altar), or contact our **Parish Office**.

We will not have Adoration on Monday of this week since the School will not have classes, but the staff will have a Professional Development Day. St. Gianna Center will also be closed.

Cemetery Sunday prayer services will be held on **Sun., Nov. 3rd**, at 2 pm at **Mount Olivet Cemetery** in St. Joseph. For those who plan to participate in the prayer service, a **plenary indulgence** for the **Souls in Purgatory** can be granted if all of the requirements are met: Go to confession at least once within 20 days, receive Eucharistic Communion, Pray for the Pope's intentions (one Our Father and one Hail Mary); Pray the Eternal Rest Requiem.

Thank you to the 28 parish families who have made their gift/pledge already to the **2024-2025 Annual Catholic Appeal**. With your generous gifts, we have reached 34% of our parish goal of \$28,803. We hope to have 100% participation in this Appeal.

Weekly Offertory Income - Monthly Budget Goal \$65,725		
	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$14,237.10	\$1,005.00
Week 2	\$10,959.25	\$ 325.00
Week 3	\$16,138.60	\$ 280.00
Week 4	<u>\$ 9,639.12</u>	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
Total	\$50,974.07	\$ 1,610.00

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, November 4 (School and St. Gianna Center closed; No Adoration)
 7:50-8:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 8:30 AM Mass – Cathedral
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 4:00-5:00 PM Book Club – St. Anne's Room
 4:30-5:30 PM BB Practice (Meierhoffer) - Gym
 5:30-6:30 PM VB Practice (A. Pfister) – Gym
 7:00 PM Legion of Mary – St. Anne's Room
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Tuesday, November 5 (Adoration 8 am – 3 pm)
 6:15 PM Mass – Cathedral
 5:00-7:00 PM BB Practice (Pitts) - Gym
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Wednesday, November 6 (Adoration 8 am – 6 pm)
 9:00 AM-12 Noon Crafting Group Meeting – Rectory Basement
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

Thursday, November 7 (Adoration 9 am – 1 pm)
 7:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 8:00 AM Mass - Cathedral
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Friday, November 8 (Adoration 9 am-3 pm)
 Open Door Food Kitchen staffed by Cathedral Parishioners
 7:20-7:50 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 8:00 AM All School Mass – Cathedral
 9:00 AM School Picture Retakes – Ruggle Hall
 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement
 11:20-11:50 AM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 12:00 PM (noon) Mass – St. Mary Church
 5:20-5:50 PM Confessions - Cathedral
 6:00 PM Mass - Cathedral
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Saturday, November 9 (No Adoration)
 7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Cathedral
 8:00 AM Mass – Cathedral
 2:30-3:50 PM Confessions - Cathedral
 3:20-3:50 PM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 3:30 PM Rosary - Cathedral
 4:00 PM Mass – Cathedral
 4:00 PM Mass – St. Mary Church
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only (when possible)

Sunday, November 10 (No Adoration)
 7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Cathedral
 8:00 AM Rosary - Cathedral
 8:30 AM Mass – Cathedral (also livestreamed)
 After Mass Coffee/Milk/Donuts – Ruggle Hall
 9:20-9:50 AM Confessions – St. Mary Church
 9:45-10:45 AM Catechism Classes – St. Anne's Room
 10:00 AM Mass - St. Mary Church
 10:50-11:20 AM Confessions – Cathedral
 11:30 AM Mass - Cathedral
 8:00 PM Rosary – livestream only

Bishop James V. Johnston has set November 2nd, the **Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed**, as a **Day of Prayer and Fasting for the Sanctity of Life**. Even after Nov. 2nd, please **join the Bishop and all people across the diocese to pray and fast for the protection of the unborn and the safeguard of current health standards for women**.

November Prayer Intentions

Pope Francis: Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.

Bishop Johnston: Let us pray for peace in the Holy Land.

A Message from Father Stephen Hansen . . .

We continue our journey in the largest section of Ordinary Time - the time after Easter Season and before Advent – the time which concludes on November 24th, the Solemnity of Christ the King.

This upcoming week we have the opportunity to vote in the United States. Might I remind you of Bishop Johnston's letter on the importance of Voting NO on Amendment 3: <https://kcsjatholic.org/2024/09/bishop-johnston-addresses-extreme-consequences-of-amendment-3-english-and-espanol/>.

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) also has a resource for voting on this issue. You can visit that here: <https://www.usccb.org/sjp/forming-consciences-faithful-citizenship>.

There is a good article referring to the Bishops approval on the issue of abortion as “preeminent priority” here: <https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/256025/us-bishops-approve-voting-guide-that-calls-abortion-preeminent-priority>.

Finally, there a nice video from Archbishop William E. Lori, Vice President of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops: <https://www.usccb.org/catholic-current/forming-consciences-faithful-citizenship>.

You may check your email from the Parish Office with the Bulletin attached and click one of the links above there. I'm sorry if you're not on the email list, you're welcome to request to be on it through Terri at: tteschner@cathedralsj.org.

Don't forget to order *Cathedral Cash* gift cards for your holiday shopping and gifts! For **Thanksgiving**, place your order before **9 am on Tuesday, Nov. 19th**, to get cards delivered on **Thursday, Nov. 21st**. No order will be placed the week of **Nov. 25th** due to the holiday. For **Christmas**, place your order before **9 am on Tuesday, Dec. 17th**, to get cards delivered on **Thursday, Dec. 19th**. The next order after the Christmas holidays will be on **Tuesday, Jan. 7th**. **Thank you** for supporting **Cathedral School**!

Coram Deo is a Eucharistic-centered Catholic group which exists to meet the needs of young adults (ages 22-35) in the St. Joseph area and to provide opportunities for spiritual growth and fellowship. To learn more about their events, please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com.

Mr. and Mrs. Christmas Dinner and Dance Party will be held on **Sat., Dec. 7th**, in the **St. Francis Parish Center**. The event starts at **6 pm**; dinner at **7 pm**, followed by music. Member couples \$20; guest couples \$50. Please **RSVP** by **November 25th** to **816-390-3725** or tmseiter@hotmail.com.

Springtime Pilgrimage to Italy! A very special Lenten experience during the Jubilee Year, including **Assisi, Loreto, Lanciano, San Giovanni, Montecassino, and Rome (Mar 25-Apr 2)**. It is a trip you will treasure for the rest of your life! Extension to Medjugorje available. For more info, contact **Mark Wyble** at **816-233-8427** or religiousramblers@gmail.com.

Rachel's Vineyard 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. Contact www.rachelsvineyard.org or **Teresa O'Donnell** at **816-679-4973** for dates.

The **Marillac Center Retreat and Spirituality Center** in **Leavenworth** will offer “**The Introduction to Centering Prayer**” by **Sr. Mary Pat Johnson, SCL of the Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth**. Centering Prayer is a way to be drawn into the loving Presence, deep within us, beyond our thoughts and emotions. A free-will gift is accepted. Please **RSVP** by **Friday, Nov. 8th** at **913-758-9714** or kcullen@scls.org.

The **2025 Prayer Breakfast** will be on **January 29th** at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish**. **Bishop James V. Johnston Jr. and Lamar Hunt, Jr.** are the featured speakers, and sponsorships and tickets are available now! Get more information at www.stjoecatholicacademy.com.

The Good News of Cathedral

- **Many Blessings** to **Piper Stauss** who was baptized on **Oct. 26th**!
- **Congratulations** to **Louie Guardado**, Cathedral Class of 10, on his marriage to **Olivia Rae Myers**, our Cathedral music teacher, on **Oct. 19!**
- **Congratulations** to **Meredith & Christian Koelliker**, Cathedral Class of 06 & LB Class of 10, on the birth of **Harbor Cecilia Koelliker**, on **Oct. 1!**
- **Congratulations** to **Shaelea Rae & Bryson Merrick**, Cathedral Class of 04 & LB Class of 08, on the birth of **Kolcyn Cohen Dean Merrick**, on **Oct. 24!**

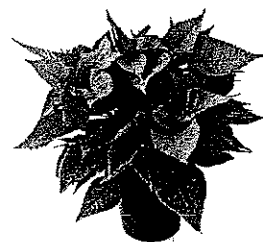
Cathedral School and St. Gianna Center News

- **Cathedral PTO** will sponsor a **Ravenous Ravens Day** on **Sat., November 9th** at the **Aspen Leaf/Rocky Mountain Chocolate Factory** from **11 am – 9 pm** at **3715 Frederick Ave.** 15% of all sales will go to the Cathedral PTO for school events and necessities!
- **Cathedral School** is launching a fundraiser through **Nov. 21st** for their **8th Graders Legacy Project**. The students will be taking orders for **Texas Roadhouse** rolls with honey cinnamon butter (\$8/dozen) or rolls with appetizer card (\$12/dozen). Pick-up date (TBA) will be during the week before Thanksgiving. Payment to be made via Venmo to **Lindsay Phillips (@jw6383)** or cash/check to Cathedral School or submit order and payment online to: <https://docs.google.com/forms/u/2/d/e/1FAIpQLSdK5lFwYtPHx fPQN2 fYg8c3z7NRST CbYr-4mQS8M2oJ8RXA/viewform>.
- **Cathedral School:** We have a position opening for a part-time **Bus Driver**. This position is an ‘as needed’ opportunity to drive for field trips and school activities. For information or application, go to <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/2664202/Available-Positions/VanBus-Driver>
- **Cathedral School:** A **volunteer** is needed to help our staff member with the **After School Care Program**. Duties may include assisting students with homework, reading to students, playing cards/board games, and/or telling stories. Help is needed **3:30-6:00 PM, Monday-Friday** (but hours may be shorter since students often get picked up before 6:00). Also, if more adults volunteer, they may not be needed every day. If interested in helping, contact the **School Office** at **(816) 232-8486**.
- **Bishop LeBlond High School:** What is better than a night at the races? **A Night of Golden Stars!** Save the date for the annual auction on **Nov. 16th** and get ready to bet on **LeBlond**. Sponsorships available. Call **816-279-1629** or visit <https://bishopleblond.org/>.

IT'S POINSETTIA TIME!

During the past several years, our school families have sold poinsettias both as a service project for the Cathedral Parish and to benefit the Children's Fund at Cathedral School. Proceeds are used to ensure that all children may participate in study trips and other special activities. The Christmas season is growing near, and it is a perfect time to share in the gift of giving!

Where can you purchase them?



You can find order forms in the church bulletin or at the back of the church or at the following link.

<https://forms.gle/zuhf2DJVwLfk9G5q6>

You may also contact the school office 816.232.8486 or email llujan@cathedralsj.org.

How much do they cost?

Poinsettias are \$13.00 each and available in red, white, jingle bell/speckled. **The deadline for orders is 8am Wednesday, Nov. 13th** (please send CASH or CHECK to school office 518 N. 11th St Saint Joseph, MO 64501) and the poinsettias will be available for pickup at dismissal on Tuesday, Nov. 26th. Memorial poinsettias will be delivered to the Church for Christmas services.

Thank you for your generous support.

Mr. Kent McEnaney, Principal

Cathedral Poinsettia Orders due by Sam Wednesday, November 13, 2024

Ordered by: _____ Orders/Money may be turned in the following ways:

Phone Number: _____ * to the school office

School Family Name: _____ * mailed to school: 518 N. 11th St., St. Joseph, MO 64501

Section A - Poinsettia purchased by your family, friends, neighbors, etc.

***These need to be picked up at dismissal time when you pick up your child on November 26th.**

Name	Address	Phone Number	Red \$13.00	White \$13.00	Jingle Bell/ Speckled \$13.00	Totals	Amount Due
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
6.							
7.							
8.							
9.							
10.							
Totals							

Section B - Poinsettias purchased In Memory of (delivered to Cathedral Church)

<u>In Memory of/Given By</u>	<u>Red</u> \$13.00	<u>White</u> \$13.00	<u>Jingle Bell/ Speckled</u> \$13.00	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					
Totals					

ORDER TOTALS *Payment must accompany order form

<u>Section</u>	<u>Red</u>	<u>White</u>	<u>Jingle Bell/ Speckled</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>
A				
B				
Totals				

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