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CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH MISSION STATEMENT

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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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 4 year old - 8th grade

SCHOOL OFFICE

816-232-8486

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

www.cathedralsj.org

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

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.

SISTERS IN JESUS THE LORD

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.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - November 21, 2021

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, November 22

Dn 1:1-6, 8-20...Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56...Lk 21:1-4

8:30 AM Mass - Helen Joyce +

Tuesday, November 23

Dn 2:32-45...Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61...Lk 21:5-11

6:15 AM Mass - Special Intention

8:00 AM All School Mass - In Thanksgiving

Wednesday, November 24

Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28...Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65,

66. 67...Lk 21:12-19

6:00 PM Mass – Driston Binak (living)

Thursday, November 25 - Thanksgiving Day

Dn 6:12-28...Dn 3:68, 69, 70-71, 72, 73, 74...Lk 21:20-28

9:00 AM Mass – In Thanksgiving

Friday, November 26

Dn 7:2-14...Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81...Lk 21:29-33

8:00 AM Mass - Special Intention

Saturday, November 27

Dn 7:15-27...Dn 3:782, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87...Lk 21:34-36

8:00 AM Mass - Special Intention 4:00 PM Mass – JJ Pawlowski +

Sunday, November 28

Jer 33:14-16...1 Thes 3:12-4:2...Ps 25: 4-5, 8-9, 10, 14...

Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

8:30 AM Mass - Joan Knapp + (live streamed)

11:30 AM Mass - People of the Parish

Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of:

- Gary Nadolski, our former parishioner and brother of Jim Nadolski
- Four Simano, brother of Sleen and Anta

Please pray for Gary and Four and their families.

Don't forget: Help us make Thanksgiving special for our Food Pantry families by contributing to our Thanksgiving Food Drive. Please leave your items at the exits of the church this weekend or bring your donation items to the Parish Office, Monday-Wednesday of next week. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

If you have not yet responded to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, "To equip the holy ones for the work of ministry, in building up the body of Christ," please reflect upon the importance of your support to ministries and outreach that rely upon the charity of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. The challenge is immediate and far-reaching, but the solution is within our reach! Please consider the following options when deciding upon the best way to support the ACA this year: + Donate a one-time gift; + Donate on-line by going to the diocesan website, www.kcsjcatholic.org; + Make a pledge with payments over 10 months: + Contribute a gift of appreciated stocks or securities. Whatever you decide, your gift will be greatly appreciated and make a difference in the lives of others.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

Offertory Aged, Sick & Poor Week 1 \$32,746.00 \$1,007.00 Week 2 \$ 9,879.50 \$ 524.00 Totals \$42,625.50 \$1,531.00

This Coming Week's Activities

Monday, November 22

8:00 AM School Convocation - Church

8:00-8:20 AM Confessions - Church 8:30 AM Mass - Church

9:00 AM-1:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement 6:30 PM Cantor Rehearsal - Church

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal - Church

Tuesday, November 23

6:15 AM Mass - Church 7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church

8:00 AM All School Thanksgiving Mass - Church 9:00 AM-3:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 11:00 AM-9:PM Ravenous Ravens at Panda Express 7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only) 7:00 PM Legion of Mary - St. Anne's Room

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

Wednesday, November 24

School closed for Thanksgiving Break

9:00 AM-Noon Crafting Group - Rectory Basement 9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement 5:00-6:30 PM Basketball Practice (Smith) - Gym

6:00 PM Mass - Church

Thursday, November 25 - Thanksgiving Day

Parish Office, School, and St. Gianna's ECC closed

8:20-8:50 AM Confessions - Church 9:00 AM Mass - Church

7:00 PM Rosary (live streamed only)

Friday, November 26

Parish Office, School, St. Gianna's ECC, and Food Pantry closed

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church 8:00 AM Mass - Church

Saturday, November 27

7:20-7:50 AM Confessions - Church 8:00 AM Mass - Church 2:30-3:50 PM Confessions - Church 3:30 PM Rosary - Church 4:00 PM Mass - Church

Sunday, November 28

No School of Religion and No RCIA session today

7:50-8:20 AM Confessions - Church 8:00 AM Rosary - Church

8:30 AM Mass (also live streamed)

After Mass Coffee, Milk, and Donuts - Ruggle Hall

10:50-11:20 AM Confessions - Church

11:30 AM Mass

7:00 PM Rosary - (live streamed only)

Church Directory: There's still time to schedule your appointment for your photo. Please sign up at the table in the west vestibule after Masses this weekend, contact the Parish Office this week on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday, or go online Monday-Wednesday of this week to ucdir.com, click on the login square, use church code: mo165 and password: photos, and choose date/time. Dates available: Nov. 26-27 and Dec. 2-4. The photographer will take pictures and you will view your proofs electronically immediately following your photo session. If you get your picture taken, you will receive a free 8x10 photo (sent postage paid to your home), and a complimentary church directory. If you will not be available on any of the photography dates, please submit a photo of yourself (or you with your family) to the Parish Office so it can be included in the directory.

Father Hansen's message . . . A couple of weeks ago, I updated you on some generous gifts we were given at the Cathedral parish and school. Since then, I had lunch with some friends who informed me of a special tax benefit available this year for gifts to charities (like Cathedral parish and school/ECC, St. Mary's, and the Annual Catholic Appeal).

The CARES Act, signed into law in March 2020, made several important alterations to the tax code as it pertains to charitable contributions. Of note, the new laws raised the allowable deduction on cash donations to qualifying non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations (like a Catholic school or parish potentially) from 60% of AGI to 100% of AGI. Put simply, a cash donation of \$100 to your Church or another qualifying organization results in a dollar-for-dollar deduction of \$100 against your AGI for 2021. Incentives go beyond just cash contributions. Gifting of appreciated securities (for example, stocks in your portfolio that are sitting at a large gain position), rather than cash, can provide additional benefits. Donating a security with an unrealized capital gain allows you to not only take a 30% deduction against AGI based on the fair market value of the security, but also allows you to avoid paying capital gains tax on the appreciation of that security since you had owned it.

The sharing of time, talent, and treasure are essential for the gifts to keep multiplying on the hill tops of Cathedral and St. Mary's, and in the Diocese.

Christ is really present in our tabernacles and, during Adoration during the school day and he is really present when you pray with your families and with others. He is really present when the children are taught with the love of God, and even when we do our ordinary work well for the love of God!

Sharing our talent in teams with projects around the campuses builds community and gets work done with the talents shared with the participants. Watch for continuation of Operation Beautification and the Grounds Committee soon. Sharing treasures multiply in that they are spent with the love of God in mind, especially in the works of Mercy that are made possible... God is never outdone in multiplying... Please consider studying this CARES Act benefit to giving this year or consult your tax accountant!

As we approach Thanksgiving, I want to express my thanks to each of you for sharing your time with God, your talents, and for sharing your treasures with Cathedral of St. Joseph and St. Mary's and all their ministries! I want to also thank those who have given to the Annual Catholic Appeal already (I will get my donation set up this coming week)! Happy Thanksgiving!

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to be at the check-in table when parishioners come to Ruggle Hall for their photo appointments. If you can help for a few hours during any of these times, please contact the **Parish Office**, 232-7763:

Eri Nov 26, 2-8-30 PM: Sat Nov 27, 10-30 am 5:00 pm:

Fri., Nov. 26, 2-8:30 PM; Sat., Nov. 27, 10:30 am-5:00 pm; Thurs., Dec. 2, 2-8:30 pm; Fri., Dec. 3, 2-8:30 pm; Sat., Dec. 4, 10:30 am-5:00 pm.

Cathedral Cash: Since next week is a short school week, we will not be taking orders next week. Any received by Tuesday will be held until the following week. However, we will be selling Cathedral Cash after the weekend Masses on Nov. 27-28. If you have any questions, contact Melanie Francis at cathedralcash@cathedralsj.org or 816-351-8870.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to help clean the church on Wed., Dec 1st, at 6:30 pm. We also will be decorating for Christmas in the church: Dec. 7 at 6 pm; Dec. 14 at 6 pm; on Dec. 17, 8th graders will help bring statues to daily chapel; Dec. 20 at 9 am, the Knights of Columbus will put up the crib; Dec. 23 at 9 am will be the final day of decorating. Much help from talented and not so talented alike is needed to make our beloved church look more beautiful for Christmas. Older students, men and ladies welcomed. Please consider helping. If you have questions, call or text Chris Den Ouden at 816-294-7435.

Coram Deo is A Eucharistic-centered Catholic group which exists to meet the needs of young adults in the St. Joseph area and to provide opportunities for spiritual growth and fellowship. They will meet on Friday, Dec. 3rd for First Fridays! Meet at Mir House of Prayer at 6:10 pm for Adoration and Reconciliation, followed by Mass at 7 pm. All young adults ages 22-35 are invited to attend. If you have questions, contact Ally Goetz at goetz.ally@gmail.com.

Check out the Good News of Cathedral

- Congratulations to Melanie Lux, Cathedral Class of 08 & LB Class of 12, on her marriage to Tanner Kade on November 11th.
- Congratulations to Brett and Michelle (Seufert) Lemmon, Cathedral Class of 98 and LeBlond Class of 02, on the birth of Katherine Joann on Nov. 16th!
- Thank you to the Sisters of St. Joseph in Independence MO, to the Our Lady of Guadalupe Parishioners, and the Sue Prawitz Family for their Thanksgiving Food donations for our Food Pantry!

School and St. Gianna's ECC News

- The next Ravenous Ravens Night is scheduled for Tuesday, November 23rd. Join us at Panda Express (in the North Shoppes) anytime from 11 am-9 pm for delicious food and to support the Cathedral PTO!
- The All School Thanksgiving Day Mass will be on Tuesday, November 23rd at 8 am.
- Advent Can Wars begin Monday, November 29th!
- We need after school care staff M-F, 3:15-6:00 pm. https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/ 489183/Available-Positions/After-School-Care-Provider---Cathedral-of-St-Joseph
- St. Gianna Early Childhood Center needs Early Childhood Lead Teachers and multiple 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 cover letter, an application, and resume through Indeed.com, Paylocity.com, or through the Diocesan website at kcsjcatholic.org.

Angel Cree

Pick up your Angel Tree Envelope **next weekend**, **November 27**th **and 28**th, and return your cash
donations in the collection basket or to the parish office.
Shoppers will purchase items for our Parish homebound.

Deliveries will be made the week of December 12th.

Please contact the Parish Office with names of any homebound or nursing home residents you would like included.



Dear Parishioners,

Cathedral is now in its 3rd year of **Dynamic Parish!** While many Dynamic Parish/Dynamic Catholic events and resources have turned to online, Cathedral parish and school has continued to benefit greatly from participating in this program. The following are some of the many ways that the parish and school have benefited from this entirely free program:

- Provided student and teacher sacramental workbooks.
- Provided all videos, workbooks for bible studies such as *Turning Point*, meeting now on Sunday mornings.
- Provided books for our Easter and Christmas parishioner gifts and book study guides and journals.
- Provided books for our Summer reading program and many titles for our new Lending Library.
- Provided books for our Angel Tree project for the home bound.
- Access to Dynamic Catholic Special online events, YouTube channel, Feed Your Soul weekly Gospel reflection and daily email reflections.
- Monthly Pastor Coaching on various aspects of Parish life.

Watch for new things happening as we progress through the Dynamic Parish Program.

— Your Dynamic Parish Team

Best Advent Ever!

Sign up now at <u>dynamiccatholic.com</u> to begin receiving daily video email reflections from Matthew Kelly as he walks with you through the wisdom of his new book, *Life is Messy*!

Subscribe to the Dynamic Catholic You Tube channel to receive daily short videos by Matthew Kelly, Allen Hunt, Sarah Swafford, Fr. Mike Schmitz, Jen Fulwiler and many more! Take just a few minutes per day to inspire and renew your faith.



NPM-KC presents:

St. Cecilia Feast Day Mass For Parish Musicians

November 22 at 7:00pm Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception 416 W 12th St, Kansas City, MO

Reception to follow

Bishop James Johnston will celebrate Mass in support of **all parish musicians** in the Arch Diocese of Kansas City, KS, and the Diocese of Kansas City/St Joseph.

No RSVP necessary.

Come join with other parish musicians from the area, mingle and make some new friends.

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