



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Emmanuel Lopez, Parochial Vicar

March 3, 2024

Come Home to Communion

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 3:00PM

Sunday: 8:30AM, 10:30AM &
5:00PM In Spanish

Daily Mass

Tuesday - Friday: 8:30AM

Confessions

Sat: 2:00PM & *Wed:* 6:00PM

& *by appointment*

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday: 6:00-7:00PM

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8AM-3PM

Parish Office	(816) 761-1608
Emergencies	761-1608
School Office	763-5837
Religious Education	761-1608
FAX	966-1350

Parish Staff

Fr. Emmanuel Lopez	Ext. 302
Deacon Ken Albers	
Deacon Richard Gross	
Robin Fisher, Principal	Ext. 312
Diane Banks, Music Ministry	Ext. 303
Roger Cashman, Maintenance	Ext. 307
Luke Donahue, DRE & Faith Formation	Ext. 306
Esmeralda Lopez, Hispanic Ministry	Ext. 303
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Parish Council

Deacon Ken Albers	Geri Haile
Mike Apprill	Fr. Emmanuel Lopez
Abraham Benavides	Frankline Musongwe
Glen Ernstmann	Deanna Perry
Robin Fisher	Randy Seever
Grace Givens	John Wood



FEED YOUR FAITH

How can someone be a great evangelist without saying a word? Find out tomorrow night, March 4, at **Feed Your Faith**, when we look at the contributions of Michelangelo, The Artist, in our **Pivotal Players** series. Join us for dinner together at 5:30 p.m., and stay to learn more about a master sculpture, painter, whose creative artistry gives us a glimpse of the power and glory of God

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us for Stations of the Cross this **Friday, March 8, at 4:30pm** in the Church. This is a great way to journey with Jesus during the season of Lent.



CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION

Next week our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad.

NAME TAG SUNDAY

This weekend, **March 2 & 3** the Social Service Ministry Council will host "Name Tag Sunday." To help parishioners with fellowship. Mass attendees will be asked to wear name tags. Refreshments will be served after all the Masses. Please stop and meet the Social Service Ministry Council members after Mass and learn about their ministry. If your group/council would like to volunteer please call the Parish Office, 816-761-1608.

**Parish Support
February 12-18, 2024**

<u>Contribution Income</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$ 3,693
Plate	\$ 1,197
Online Giving	\$ 1,920
Total	\$ 6,810

THOUGHTS FROM FR. EMMANUEL

Friends,
I am glad to introduce to you our New Business Manager, Eric Stice!

Eric Stice is the founding director of Barrister Property Management, a distinguished asset management firm specializing in college-aged rooming houses.

With over 18 years of experience in asset and financial operations management, Eric has dedicated the past 8 years to leading and expanding Barrister Property Management. Following the pandemic, Eric and his family seized an unexpected opportunity and relocated to Kansas City to support his wife's career.

Proud father to two boys, Noah (13) and Eli (11), and husband to Kristi for 17 years, Eric is deeply involved in his family's life. Currently, his sons attend St. John Lande. Driven by a desire for a more meaningful balance, Eric feels drawn to contribute to St. Regis ministries. With his wealth of experience in property management and development, Eric looks forward to making a meaningful impact on this new endeavor.



Please help me to welcome Eric to St. Regis and pray for all our staff that we may continue serving you with love and proficiency.

In Christ,
Fr Emmanuel Lopez

EASTER BAG DONATIONS

Once again, we are asking for your help for our friends at The Village at Carroll Park Care Facility in Grandview, MO. We need donations of individually wrapped Easter candy and snacks, jelly beans, travel size toiletries (shampoo, lotion, etc.), pocket combs, pens, note cards, playing cards, small note pads, Post-It notes, individual size packets of Kleenex, etc. to put together bags in time for Easter. We will also gladly accept cash donations to purchase needed items. (Please take the cash donations to the Parish Office). Place all other donations in the baskets by **Sunday, March 17**. Thank you!

LENTEN REFLECTIONS
"Repent and believe in the Gospel"
MARCH 5-8
9:30AM-11 AM
 OR
6PM-7:30PM
TUES. MARCH 5
THURS. MARCH 7

SPECIAL GUEST:
SISTER ESMERALDA URENDA



ST. REGIS
8941 JAMES A REED RD. KANSAS CITY, MO

ANNUAL LENTEN SHRIMP BOIL DINNERS
 Fridays during Lent
 5-7pm in the Parish Hall

Choose from:

- Jumbo Boiled Shrimp - \$12
- Battered Fish Filet - \$12
- 1/2 Shrimp & 1/2 Fish - \$12
- Fish Taco (on corn tortilla) - \$12
- Cheese Pizza (by the slice) \$6
- Family Meal Deal - \$40
 (maximum for immediate families)



Sides include: new potatoes, corn on the cob, coleslaw, roll and hush puppies. Beverages: lemonade, tea, coffee and water. Desserts and soda pop also available for purchase.

LENTEN REFLECTIONS
 Deacons Ken and Richard will be doing Lenten Reflections right after the Wednesday Holy Hour on March 6, 13 & 20 in the Church. Everyone is invited.

St. Regis
Annual Raffle 2024

One of our biggest Fundraisers of the year!

Have you sold YOUR tickets yet?

8 cash prizes:
 One \$1000 prize
 Two \$500 prizes
 & Five \$100 prizes



Drawings will be held after the 10:30am Mass on Sunday, March 17.

You do not need to be present to win.

TRIVIA Night

Hosted by the St. Regis Knights of Columbus Council #13671

Saturday, March 16, 7-10pm
in the St. Regis Parish Hall

Cost is \$15 per person
 Tables of 8 available with reservations

BYOB and Appetizers for your table
 Beer/wine/soda available for donation

For information, or to make reservations by phone or email, you may contact Dave Vorbeck, at 816-935-3562, or dvorbeck2254@att.net or Terry Lynch, at 816-966-1828, or tlynch@kc.rr.com.

MONICA'S MOMS
 Monica's Moms meets this Thursday morning, March 7th at 9:00 a.m. for the Rosary and a support group meeting in St. Joseph's Room at 9:30 a.m. Join us in praying for our family members who have left the Catholic Church. We pray daily for every name written in the book by the front door. We encourage you to add your loved ones names in the Monica's Moms book.



Academy Corner

Luau Tickets

Tickets for the 2024 Luau are on sale now! Physical tickets should be arriving in mailboxes this week. However, you can purchase online now!

Ticket Pricing

Single Ticket: \$65
 Couples Tickets (2): \$110
 Small Table (8): \$380
 Large Table (10): \$450



For all your Luau needs, including purchasing tickets, donating silent auction items, or becoming a sponsor, visit our website at www.regisacademy.org/Luau or scan the QR code above.

2024 Luau Parish Matching Tracker

Goal Reached: \$50,000

March 3rd Update
 We raised \$1,545 last weekend, bringing our total to \$14,645 so far!
 Remember to place your donations in the Regis Strong envelopes found in the gathering space.

DONACIONES DE BOLSAS DE PASCUA

Una vez más, le pedimos su ayuda para nuestros amigos de The Village at Carroll Park Care Facility en Grandview, MO. Necesitamos donaciones de dulces y bocadillos de Pascua envueltos individualmente, gomitas, artículos de tocador de tamaño de viaje (champú, loción, etc.), peines de bolsillo, bolígrafos, tarjetas de notas, naipes, blocs de notas pequeños, notas Post-It, paquetes de Kleenex de tamaño individual, etc. para armar las bolsas a tiempo para la Pascua. También aceptaremos donaciones en efectivo para comprar los artículos necesarios. (Por favor, lleve las donaciones en efectivo a la Oficina Parroquial). Coloque todas las demás donaciones en las canastas antes del **domingo 17 de marzo**. ¡Gracias!



Acompañenos a ver la película de "El Gran Milagro" con tu familia. El domingo 3 de marzo a las 6pm en el salon parroquial. Habra venta de palomitas y pizza.

REFLEXIONES DE CUARESMA

Los diáconos Ken y Richard harán reflexiones de Cuaresma justo después de la Hora Santa del miércoles 6, 13 y 20 de marzo en la Iglesia. Todo el mundo está invitado.

PENSAMIENTOS DEL P. EMMANUEL

Amigos, me complace presentarles a nuestro Gerente de Nuevos Negocios, Eric Stice.

Eric Stice es el director fundador de Barrister Property Management, una distinguida firma de gestión de activos especializada en casas de huéspedes para estudiantes universitarios.

Con más de 18 años de experiencia en la gestión de activos y operaciones financieras, Eric ha dedicado los últimos 8 años a liderar y expandir Barrister Property Management. Después de la pandemia, Eric y su familia aprovecharon una oportunidad inesperada y se mudaron a Kansas City para apoyar la carrera de su esposa.

Orgulloso padre de dos niños, Noah (13) y Eli (11), y esposo de Kristi durante 17 años, Eric está profundamente involucrado en la vida de su familia. Actualmente, sus hijos asisten a St. John Lalande. Impulsado por el deseo de un equilibrio más significativo, Eric se siente atraído a contribuir a los ministerios de St. Regis. Con su gran experiencia en administración y desarrollo de propiedades, Eric espera tener un impacto significativo en este nuevo esfuerzo.



Por favor, ayúdenme a darle la bienvenida a Eric a St. Regis y oren por todo nuestro personal para que podamos continuar sirviéndoles con amor y competencia.

En Cristo,

P. Emmanuel López

COLECTA DE CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

La próxima semana nuestra parroquia se hará cargo de la Colecta de Catholic Relief Services. Los fondos de esta colecta proporcionan alimentos a los hambrientos, apoyan a los refugiados desplazados y llevan el amor y la misericordia de Cristo a las personas vulnerables aquí y en el extranjero.

St. Regis Sorteo Anual 2024

Uno de nuestros mayores
iRecaudaciones de fondos del año!

¿Ya vendiste TUS entradas?

8 premios en efectivo:
Un premio de \$1000
Dos premios de \$500
y cinco premios de \$100



Los sorteos se llevarán a cabo después de la Misa a las 10:30 a.m. el domingo 17 de marzo.

No es necesario estar presente para ganar.

CAMARONES DE CUARESMA

Viernes durante la Cuaresma
5-7pm en el Salón Parroquial

Escoja entre:

- Camarones hervidos gigantes - \$ 12
- Filete de pescado - \$ 12
- 1/2 Camarones y 1/2 Pescado - \$12
- Taco de pescado (en tortilla de maíz) - \$12
- Pizza de queso (por rebanada) \$6
- Oferta de comida familiar - \$40 (máximo para familiares directos)

Los acompañamientos incluyen: papas, mazorcas de maíz, ensalada de col, panecillos. Bebidas: limonada, té, café y agua. Los postres y los refrescos también están disponibles para su compra.

STACIONES DE LA CROSS

Únase a nosotros para el Vía Crucis este **viernes, 8 de marzo, a las 4:30 p.m.** en la Iglesia. Esta es una excelente manera de viajar con Jesús durante la temporada de Cuaresma.



MENTAL HEALTH TIP

Experiment with a new recipe, write a poem, paint or try a Pinterest project. Creative expression and overall well-being are linked.



Month 7: We are in the home stretch! I now weigh about 3 pounds and I can use four of my senses-seeing, hearing, tasting and touching. My eyelids can now open and close and I can look around and respond to light. I also have a grip that is strong enough to support my body weight with one hand.

“I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. So choose life in order that you may live...” Deut. 30:15-20

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Wednesday, March 13th, is our St Regis Day to Pray at the 40 Days for Life site 4840 College Blvd.; Overland Park, KS 66211. We will be covering the hours from 7 am until 1 pm. You're invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil on the public sidewalk outside the Center for Women's Health abortion facility. You may bring a chair if you wish, and parking **IS** permitted adjacent to the prayer site at this time. Please sign up for the time you are available on the sign-up sheet at the feet of the St Michael statue. Contact Mary Ernstmann with any questions. 816.392.3684 thank you.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
WITH CONFESSIONS**

Join us for Adoration and Confessions
every Wednesday 6:00-7:00pm.

DIOCESAN NEWS

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating 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); Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and 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, at 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, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816-392-0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Dennis Wadle, Aidan Jones, Joanne Whitehurse, Denise Kopek, Dolores Dick, McCartney Weist, Teresa Foster, Joseph Gregory, Margaret Kelly, Gregory Richard, Phil Hoffman, John Hoffman, Teefey Family, Hanger Family, Daniel & Jeneth Hunter, John Stadler, Genevieve Thieme, Pat Filley, JR Lillig, John Minton, Ben Rosenblum, Georgiana Smith, Mary Jill Reid, Rosie Murphy, Vickie Young, Lou & Terrie Ramsey, Bobby Washington, Andres Foncha, Tom Fournier, Jim Rouchka, Ken Stewart, Stephanie Eads, Robert Harvey, Rick Martin, Julie Boisen, Kathy Gross, Marek Family, Hodge Family, Sylvia Mooney, Jerry Crowley, Jane Marzano, Kenny Thornton, Michael Sheehan, Nathan Livingston, Mike & Pat Gallagher, Tammy Fayard, Jennifer Buddemeyer & family, Dianne Greene, Phoebe Reiting, Sean Pinkerton, Jerry Anselmo, Jack Deuschle, Mary Hunter, Martha Aquino, John Reyes, Sr., Lupita Sharkey, Yair Arvizu, Ann Kliem, Jane Fournier, John Weaver and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Greg Metoyer

Please Pray for our parishioners' family members serving in the military: Tyler Griggs, Buck Roberts, Cathy Roberts & Troy Fraser

Liturgical Roles

March 9 & 10

Lectors

- 3:00pm Tom Sack & Patty Sack
- 8:30am Rick Janet & Emelda Obi
- 10:30am Connie Wood & John Wood

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 3:00pm Marvin Chaney & Jim Filley
- 8:30am Maxine Rodriguez & Sue Quanty Smith
- 10:30am Don Wolff & Kathy Wolff

Servers

- 3:00pm Riley Winder
- 8:30am Sam Loulos
- 10:30am Rita Godoy, Jose Godoy, Cesar Zarate
Edward Pacheco & Betty Banlomon

Greeters

- 3:00pm Mary Ann Warren & Don Wolff
- 8:30am Joan Sack & Carrie Stribling
- 10:30am Julie Schmidt & Elaine Allee

Mass Coordinator

- 3:00pm Jake Smith
- 8:30am Mary Ernstmann
- 10:30am Dennis Reilly

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 5

- 8:30am †Deacon Mike Dennis by John & Connie Wood
- 7:00pm †Dorothy Hays by Don Arth

Wednesday, March 6

- †Kathy Hughey by John & Connie Wood

Thursday, March 7

- †James & Catherine Kelly

Friday, March 8

- †Dorothy Hays by Don Arth

Saturday, March 9

- 3:00pm For the Intentions of Pat Filley
by Sam & Jennifer Hampton

Sunday, March 10

- 8:30am †Adolf & Margaret Brungardt
- 10:30am †Dick & Mary Ann Melchior
- 5:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

Sunday, March 3--Name Tag Sunday

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary
- 10:30am Mass
- 11:30am All Council Meeting
- 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
- 6:00pm Movie Night/Sp

Monday, March 4

- 5:30pm Feed You Faith
- 6:30pm Bible Class/Sp
- 7:00pm Bible Class/Eng
- 7:00pm Stewardship Council

Tuesday, March 5

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Spiritual Exercises
- 9:30am Militia Immaculata
- 6:00pm Bible Class/Eng
- 6:00pm Faith Formation Meeting
- 6:30pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Neo. Way
- 7:00pm Mass/Spanish
- 7:30pm Bible Class/Sp

Wednesday, March 6

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Spiritual Exercises
- 6:00pm Adoration/Confessions
- 6:00pm Religious Ed. & Parent Bible Study
- 4:00pm STREAMposium
- 7:00pm Bible Study/Sp

Thursday, March 7 - No School

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Spiritual Exercises
- 9:30am Scripture Sharing
- 9:30am Monica's Mom
- 6:00pm Bible Class/Sp
- 6:00pm Bible Class/Eng
- 6:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00pm RCIA
- 6:00pm Confirmation/Sp

Friday, March 8 - No School

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Spiritual Exercises
- 4:30pm Stations of the Cross/Eng
- 5:00pm Shrimp Boil
- 6:00pm Bible Class/Sp
- 6:00pm Choir Rehearsal/Sp
- 7:00pm Stations of the Cross/Sp

Saturday, March 9

- 6:15am That Man Is You
- 2:00pm Confessions
- 3:00pm Mass

Sunday, March 10

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 5:00pm Mass/Sp

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BULLETIN DEADLINE

The deadline to put announcements in the bulletin is 8am on Tuesday prior to the following Sunday. Send announcements to cmelchior@regischurch.org