



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Emmanuel Lopez, Parochial Vicar

May 19, 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

Tuesday - 7:00PM In Spanish

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

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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

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Victim Advocate (816) 392-0011

Parish Council

Deacon Ken Albers Geri Haile

Mike Apprill Fr. Emmanuel Lopez

Abraham Benavides Frankline Musongwe

Glen Ernstmann Deanna Perry

Robin Fisher Randy Seever



Please join us to celebrate
Fr. Lopez's 5th Priesthood Anniversary!
 Friday May 24th, 2024
 Holy Mass at 6:00 pm &
 Dinner at 7:00 pm.
 at St John Francis Regis Church

PETER'S PENCE

Next week we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy see, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

FEED YOUR FAITH

Tomorrow night, May 20, **Feed Your Faith** will watch a 35 minute documentary on Blessed Carlo Acutis, called *I Am With You*, and a 7 minute video, *The Veil Removed*. This short but powerful film shows us the angels that are present at every Mass and Jesus, not the priest, offering His sacrifice to The Father. Join us in the Parish Hall for dinner at 5:30 p.m., prayers to the *Sacred Heart of Jesus* at 6:00 p.m., and these 2 excellent videos at 6:15 p.m.

Next Monday, May 27th, **Feed Your Faith** will not meet in observance of Memorial Day.

Parish Support
May 6-12, 2024

<u>Contribution Income</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$ 7,013
Plate	\$ 1,136
Online Giving	\$ 2,995
Total	\$ 11,144

THOUGHTS FROM FR. EMMANUEL

Friends, it is Pentecost Sunday and precisely the time in which we are sent by Jesus to preach his Gospel, so let us pray and ask for the gifts of the Holy Spirit and let us live according to his inspirations.

- **Wisdom** is both the knowledge of and judgment about “divine things” and the ability to judge and direct human affairs according to divine truth.
- **Understanding** is penetrating insight into the very heart of things, especially those higher truths that are necessary for our eternal salvation—in effect, the ability to “see” God.
- **Counsel** allows a man to be directed by God in matters necessary for his salvation.
- **Fortitude** denotes a firmness of mind in doing good and in avoiding evil, particularly when it is difficult or dangerous to do so, and the confidence to overcome all obstacles, even deadly ones, by virtue of the assurance of everlasting life.
- **Knowledge** is the ability to judge correctly about matters of faith and right action, so as to never wander from the straight path of justice.
- **Piety** is, principally, revering God with filial affection, paying worship and duty to God, paying due duty to all men on account of their relationship to God, and honoring the saints and not contradicting Scripture.
- **Fear of God** is, in this context, “filial” or chaste fear whereby we revere God and avoid separating ourselves from him—as opposed to “servile” fear, whereby we fear punishment.

Also, as we enter the ordinary time let us grow with the help of the Holy Spirit on our own sanctification and that of our family and friends.

Finally, please join me this Friday May 24th at 6:00 pm in a Mass of Thanksgiving to the Lord Jesus for another year as a priest, and dinner after mass.

In Christ,

Fr Emmanuel Lopez

TOMORROW'S PRIESTS COLLECTION

Tomorrow's Priests Collection is this weekend, **May 18 and 19**. The average rate per seminarian per year is nearly \$35,000 for tuition, room and board. Funding seminarian education can only be accomplished with your generosity. Please help us support our seminarians, “Tomorrow's Priests.”

KANSAS CITY MO



St. John Francis Regis
CATHOLIC CHURCH
KANSAS CITY, MO



THE BIBLE
MUSEUM
KC 2024

THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD
FROM JUNE 15-23

GRAND INAUGURATION SATURDAY JUNE 15TH 9:00 AM
HONORED BY THE PRESENCE OF BISHOP
James V. Johnston Jr.

CONFERENCES JUNE 17-21, 2024
07:00pm a 08:00 pm

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

 Monday Rev. Jonathan Davis JUNE 17 (SPANISH)	 Tuesday Rev. Angel Lertius JUNE 18 (SPANISH)	 Wednesday Rev. Thomas Holder JUNE 19 (ENGLISH)	 Thursday Rev. Benjamin Ferron JUNE 20 (SPANISH)	 Friday Sr. Catalina Torres HMSP/JUNE 21 (SPANISH)
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MUSEUM TIMES 09:00 AM - 09:00 PM
8941 JAMES A REED ROAD, KANSAS CITY, MO
INFORMATION: 816 500 2057 or 816 2694033

Come celebrate

St. Regis Day

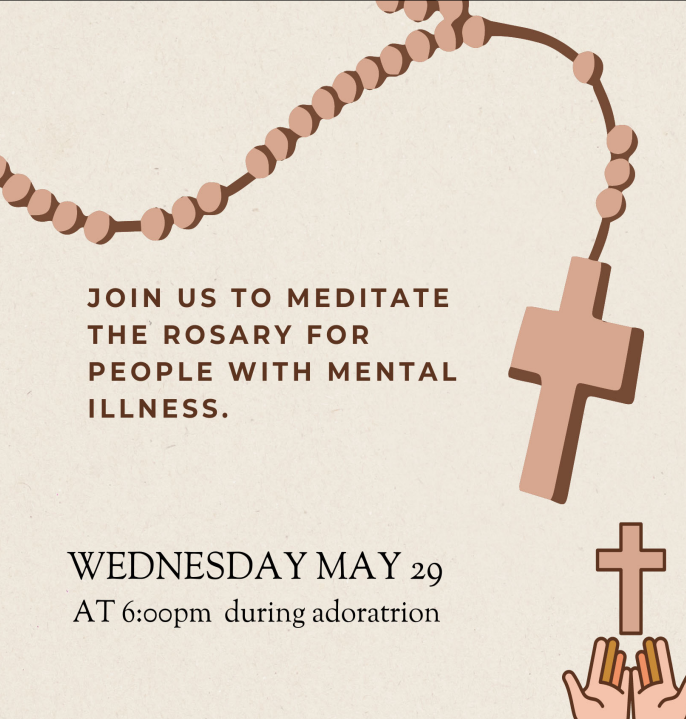
Saturday, June 15, 8:30am-11:30am

Food, Music, Games
Bingo, Cake Walk and More!

- Bishop James Johnston will bless the Bible Museum at 9am
- Knights of Columbus will serve brunch at 9:30am
- Games & Other Activities begin at 10am

We are accepting donations of styrofoam plates, napkins, plastic utensils, cups, medium bottles of syrup, breakfast casseroles, etc. Call the Parish Office if you can donate any of these items, 816-761-1608.

We are also looking for volunteers to work the day of the event. Please call the Parish Office to volunteer.



JOIN US TO MEDITATE
THE ROSARY FOR
PEOPLE WITH MENTAL
ILLNESS.

WEDNESDAY MAY 29
AT 6:00pm during adoration

SWING FOR ST. MICHAEL!



GUARDIAN GOLF CLASSIC
ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2024 | WINTERSTONE GOLF COURSE
8:30 A.M. SHOTGUN START

CONTESTS | GIVEAWAYS | FOOD & BEVERAGES | RAFFLE PRIZES

TEAMS & SPONSORSHIPS
\$1,000 GUARDIAN SPONSOR | \$700 FOURSOME | \$500 & \$250 HOLE SPONSOR
ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Proceeds benefit the athletics and activities at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic High School

Presented by
THE CONNIE AND GARY
HACCERTY FAMILY



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St. Regis
ACADEMY Catholic Liberal Arts Education

Academy Corner

Another year in the books!

Thank you to all who helped make it a success!



OBOLO DE SAN PEDRO

La próxima semana retomaremos la Colecta del Óbolo de San Pedro para apoyar a la Iglesia Universal y el trabajo de la Santa Sede, incluida la ayuda al Papa Francisco para llevar a cabo sus obras de caridad. Estas obras benefician a nuestros hermanos y hermanas en los márgenes de la sociedad, incluidas las víctimas de la guerra, la opresión y los desastres. Por favor, sean generosos. Para obtener más información, visite www.obolodisanietro.va/en.html.

Únase a nosotros para celebrar
15 Aniversario del Sacerdocio del P. López!
Viernes 24 de mayo de 2024
Santa Misa a las 6:00 pm &
Cena a las 7:00 horas.
en la iglesia de San Juan Francisco Regis

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA CON CONFESIONES

Únase a nosotros para la Adoración y las Confesiones
todos los miércoles de 6 a 7p.m.

COLECCION DE LOS SACERDOTES DEL MANANA

La Colecta de Sacerdotes de mañana es este fin de semana, 18 y 19 de mayo. La tarifa promedio por seminarista por año es de casi \$35,000 para matrícula, alojamiento y comida. Financiar la educación de los seminaristas solo se puede lograr con su generosidad. Por favor, ayúdenos a apoyar a nuestros seminaristas, "Los sacerdotes del mañana".

PENSAMIENTOS DEL P. EMMANUEL

Amigos, es domingo de Pentecostés y precisamente el tiempo en el que somos enviados por Jesús a predicar su Evangelio, así que oremos y pidamos los dones del Espíritu Santo y vivamos según sus inspiraciones.

- **La sabiduría** es tanto el conocimiento como el juicio sobre las "cosas divinas" y la capacidad de juzgar y dirigir los asuntos humanos de acuerdo con la verdad divina.
- **La comprensión** es penetrar en el corazón mismo de las cosas, especialmente en aquellas verdades más elevadas que son necesarias para nuestra salvación eterna, en efecto, la capacidad de "ver" a Dios.
- **El consejo** permite que un hombre sea dirigido por Dios en asuntos necesarios para su salvación.
- **La fortaleza** denota firmeza de mente para hacer el bien y evitar el mal, particularmente cuando es difícil o peligroso hacerlo, y la confianza para vencer todos los obstáculos, incluso los mortales, en virtud de la seguridad de la vida eterna.
- **El conocimiento** es la capacidad de juzgar correctamente sobre asuntos de fe y acción correcta, para nunca desviarse del camino recto de la justicia.
- **La piedad** es, principalmente, reverenciar a Dios con afecto filial, rendir culto y deber a Dios, rendir el debido deber a todos los hombres a causa de su relación con Dios, y honrar a los santos y no contradecir las Escrituras.
- **El temor de Dios** es, en este contexto, un temor "filial" o casto por el cual reverenciamos a Dios y evitamos separarnos de él, en oposición al temor "servil", por el cual tememos el castigo.

Además, al entrar en el tiempo ordinario, crezcamos con la ayuda del Espíritu Santo en nuestra propia santificación y en la de nuestra familia y amigos.

Finalmente, por favor acompañenme este viernes 24 de mayo a las 6:00 pm en una Misa de Acción de Gracias al Señor Jesús por otro año como sacerdote, y cena después de la misa.

En Cristo,

P. Emmanuel López



Ven a celebrar

Día de St. Regis

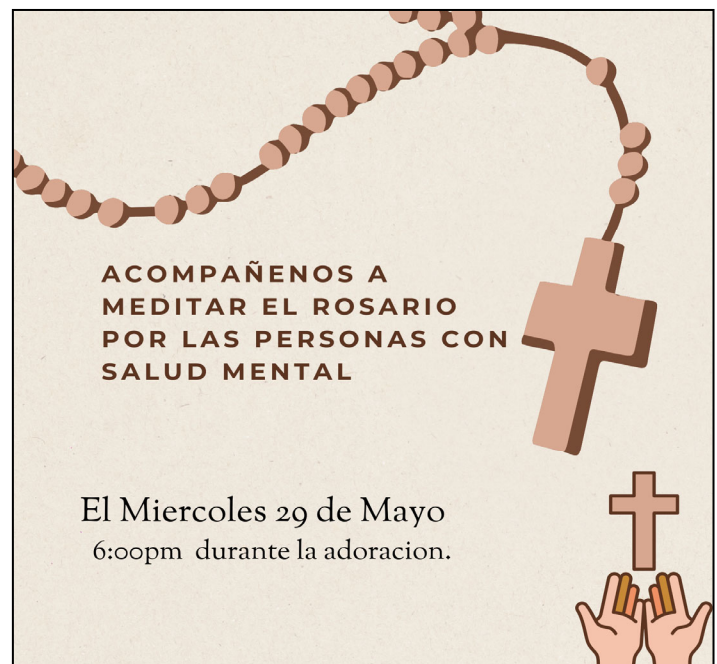
Sábado, 15 de junio, 8:30am-11:30am

Comida, Música, Juegos
¡Bingo, Cake Walk y más!

- El Obispo James Johnston bendecirá el Museo de la Biblia a las 9 de la mañana
- Caballeros de Colón servirá desayuno a las 9:30 a.m
- Los juegos y otras actividades comienzan a las 10 a.m.

Estamos aceptando donaciones de platos desechable, servilletas, utensilios de plástico, vasos, botellas medianas miel, cazuelas de desayuno, etc. Llame a la Oficina Parroquial si puede donar alguno de estos artículos, 816-761-1608.

También estamos buscando voluntarios para trabajar el día del evento. Por favor, llame a la Oficina Parroquial para ser voluntario.



ACOMPÁÑENOS A
MEDITAR EL ROSARIO
POR LAS PERSONAS CON
SALUD MENTAL

El Miércoles 29 de Mayo
6:00pm durante la adoración.



Más información en la página siguiente

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EL MUSEO DE LA BIBLIA KC 2024

LA SANTA MADRE DE DIOS
DEL 15 AL 23 DE JUNIO

GRAN INAUGURACIÓN SÁBADO 15-09:00 AM
CONTAREMOS CON LA PRESENCIA DEL OBISPO
James V. Johnston Jr

CONFERENCIAS DEL 17 AL 21 DE JUNIO
07:00pm a 08:00 pm

PONENTES

Lunes
Pbro. Jonathan Davis
17 DE JUNIO

Martes
Pbro. Angel Lemus
18 DE JUNIO

Miércoles
Pbro. Thomas Holder
19 DE JUNIO (EN INGLÉS)

Jueves
Pbro. Benjamin Fenlon
20 DE JUNIO

Viernes
Hna. Catalina Torres
HMSP/21 DE JUNIO

MUSEO ABIERTO DE 09:00 AM A 09:00 PM
8941 JAMES A REED ROAD, KANSAS CITY, MO
INFORMES A LOS TELEFONOS: 816 500 2057 o 816 2694033

MENTAL HEALTH TIP

Has something been bothering you? Let it all out...on paper. Writing about upsetting experience reduce symptoms of depression

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.

BURIAL PLOT FOR SALE

One burial plot in the St. Joseph Garden of Mount Olivet Cemetery in Raytown for sale for \$1650. Price includes 'Perpetual Care' and is priced well below the cemetery's current value of \$2150 and includes the transfer fee for services provided by the cemetery to legally deed the property to the buyer. 816-309-2846

MEMORIAL WREATH SALE

Knight of Columbus, Council #4962, will hold its annual Memorial Wreath sale on **May 22nd though May 27 (Memorial Day)** at 5101 Blue Ridge Cutoff, Raytown, MO. Sale hours: Wednesday-Friday 9am-5pm, Saturday 8am-5pm, Sunday 9am-3pm & Memorial Day 8am-1pm.



Please Remember In Your Prayers: Aidan Jones, Joanne Whitehorse, 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, JR Lillig, John Minton, Ben Rosenblum, Georgiana Smith, Mary Jill Reid, Rosie Murphy, Vickie Young, Lou & Terrie Ramsey, Bobby Washington, Andres Foncha, Tom Fournier, 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, Jerry Anselmo, Jack Deuschle, Mary Hunter, Martha Aquino, John Reyes, Sr., Lupita Sharkey, Yair Arvizu, Christopher Rivera, Julie Schneider and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

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

Liturgical Roles

May 25 & 26

Lectors

- 3:00pm Tom Sack & Patty Sack
- 8:30am Dave Vorbeck & Pat Hanson
- 10:30am Terry Colombatto & Elizabeth Divis

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 3:00pm Dorothy Quinn & Jim Filley
- 8:30am Dave Vorbeck & Pat Hanson
- 10:30am Ora Reyes & Prisca Tizimbune

Servers

- 3:00pm Ava Rose & Jonathan Rose
- 8:30am Miguel Martinez
- 10:30am Cesar Zarate, Betty Banlomon, Kia Townsend
Jared Villalobos & Yami Villalobos

Greeters

- 3:00pm Marvin Chaney & Manuel Botello
- 8:30am Maxine Rodriguez & Sue Quanty Smith
- 10:30am Dennis Reilly & Alfred DeSouza

Mass Coordinator

- 3:00pm Becky Smith
- 8:30am Connie Wood
- 10:30am Beth Divis

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, May 21

- 8:30am †Bishop Joseph Hart by Fr. Jim Hart
- 7:00pm †Porlasalmas del purgatorio by Maria Candia

Wednesday, May 22

- †Dennis Wadle by Family

Thursday, May 23

- For the Intentions of the Surber Family

Friday, May 24

- †Bishop Joseph Hart by Fr. Jim Hart

Saturday, May 25

- 3:00pm †Alyce Panek by Jim Filley

Sunday, May 26

- 8:30am †Jim & Coletta Merrigan by Family
- 10:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
- 5:00pm †Rodolfo Reyes by Family

Schedule of Events

Sunday, May 19

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 10:30am Women's Retreat/Eng
- 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
- Food Collection

Monday, May 20

- Soup Kitchen
- 5:30pm Feed Your Faith
- 6:30pm Bible Class/Sp
- 7:00pm Bible Class/Eng
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal/Sp

Tuesday, May 21

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Faith Enrichment
- 6:00pm Bible Class/Eng
- 6:30pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Mass/Spanish
- 7:00pm Neo. Way
- 7:30pm Bible Class/Sp

Wednesday, May 22

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Church Cleaning
- 6:00pm Adoration/Confessions
- 6:00pm Religious Ed. & Parent Bible Study
- 7:00pm Bible Study/Sp
- 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Officers

Thursday, May 23

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Scripture Sharing
- 6:00pm Bible Study/Sp
- 6:00pm Bible Study/Eng
- 6:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00pm RCIA
- 6:00pm Confirmation/Sp

Friday, May 24

- 8:30am Mass
- 6:00pm Bible Study/Sp
- 6:00pm Mass/Fr. Lopez Anniversary
- 7:00pm Dinner/Fr. Lopez Anniversary

Saturday, May 25

- 2:00pm Confessions
- 3:00pm Mass

Sunday, May 26

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

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