



# Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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[www.stregischurch.com](http://www.stregischurch.com)  
Fr. Emmanuel Lopez, Parochial Vicar

June 2, 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

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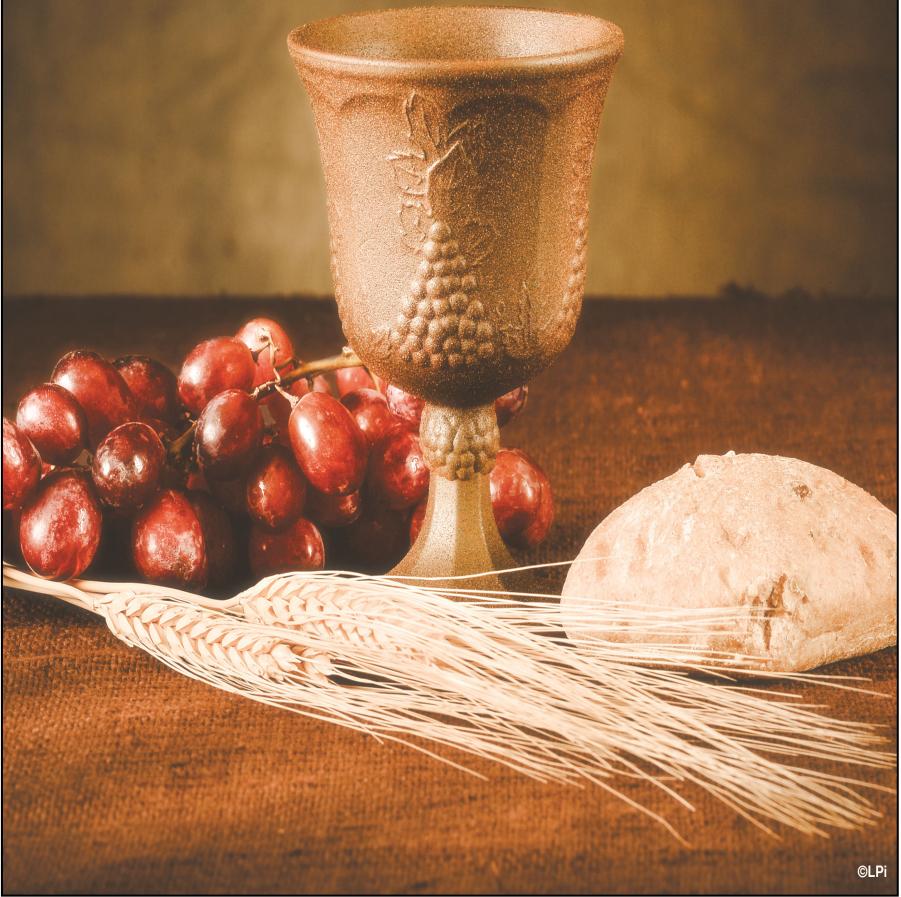
Glen Ernstmann Deanna Perry

Robin Fisher Randy Seever

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

TAKE IT; THIS IS  
MY BODY.

— MARK 14:22 —



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## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Father's Day is **Sunday, June, 16th**. We will honor and remember all of our fathers at the Masses the weekend of June 15/16. Please be sure to include your living and deceased father in our special Father's Day display by printing their name on the Father's Day envelope in your June packet. You can make a contribution in their name and place your envelope in the regular collection at Masses or bring it to the Parish Office. We ask that all envelopes are returned no later than **Wednesday, June 12**. Let us keep our fathers in prayer.

## FEED YOUR FAITH

Feed Your Faith will not meet tomorrow night, June 3, or June 10, because the Parish Hall is needed for construction of the **Bible Museum**. Take advantage of this incredible experience, which opens on St. Regis Day, June 15th, right here in our St. Regis Parish Hall! Bring your family and friends. Also, pray for all the talented and generous people of St. Regis who work tirelessly to build this for us every year.

## WE NEED YOUR HELP!

You can help make our St. Regis Day on **June 15th** a success by providing a small cake or cupcakes for our cake walk. You can bring a small cake or cupcakes to the Parish Office on Friday, June 14th. Thanks for your contributions. See you at St. Regis Day!



## Parish Support

**May 13-19, 2024**

Contribution Income	Amount
Weekly Offertory	\$ 4,076
Plate	\$ 1,353
Online Giving	\$ 3,230
Total	\$ 8,659

## THOUGHTS FROM FR. EMMANUEL

Friends,

This weekend we celebrate the great Solemnity of Corpus Christi. This Feast originated around 1261, when Jacques Pantaleon, formerly archdeacon of Liege, became pope as Urban IV. In 1264 he ordered the whole church to observe the feast. Urban's order was confirmed by Pope Clement V at the Council of Vienne in 1311–12. By the mid-14th century, the festival was generally accepted, and in the 15th century it became, in effect, one of the principal feasts of the church.

### Eucharistic Adoration:

The importance of Eucharistic Adoration is shown in the fact that the Church has a ritual that regulates it: the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. This is an extension of the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament which occurs in every Mass: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb." Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament flows from the sacrifice of the Mass and serves to deepen our hunger for Communion with Christ and the rest of the Church. The Rite concludes with the ordained minister blessing the faithful with the Blessed Sacrament.

Holy hours are the Roman Catholic devotional tradition of spending an hour in Eucharistic Adoration in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. The bishops have created a variety of holy hours that focus our prayer to Jesus Christ on peace, life, vocations, and other topics that are at the heart of the life of the Church and the world. Recent popes have urged Catholics to take up the ancient practice of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

Please choose an hour to be with the Lord in adoration in our small chapel and help us to reach out the goal of **Perpetual Adoration** in St Regis.

In Christ,

Fr. Emmanuel Lopez

## PETER'S PENCE

Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! Our contributions will join those from our brothers and sisters worldwide to help Pope Francis in his ministry to the Universal Church, including relief to people in need and support for the Holy see. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give. Visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

**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 Lemus  
JUNE 18 (SPANISH)

**Wednesday**  
Rev. Thomas Holder  
JUNE 19 (ENGLISH)

**Thursday**  
Rev. Benjamin Fenlon  
JUNE 20 (SPANISH)

**Friday**  
Sr. Catalina Torres  
HMSP/JUNE 21 (SPANISH)

**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.

**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 HAGGERTY FAMILY

TO REGISTER  
SCAN THE QR CODE  
OR VISIT  
SMACATHOLIC.ORG

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

As we journey through life, we can sometimes lose sight of the dreams we carried when we first met. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience will give you the tools and time to reconnect with the hopes for your future and the fairy tale love you still have for each other. It is a gift that will last all the days of your lives. For information or to apply for an experience visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org). Upcoming dates in Kansas City are **June 14-16** and **November 15-17, 2024**.

### FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART

A Prayer Vigil for the Feast of the Sacred Heart will be celebrated on **Thursday, June 6** at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 10901 Johnson Drive, Shawnee, KS at 7pm. The Prayer Vigil will include Vespers, Act of Reparation, Litany of the Sacred Heart and Chaplet of the Sacred Heart. Please call To Martin at 913-486-5133 with questions.

**LAND RIGHT ON TARGET**

**PARACHUTE WITH THE ANGELS**  
St. Catherine Laboure

**JUNE 10-14  
6-8 PM  
FOR GRADES K-6TH  
FOR GRADES K-6TH  
GOD IS YOUR PILOT  
DURING FUN-FILLED  
DAYS OF CATHOLIC  
KIDZ CAMP**

**EARN YOUR WINGS**

**Soar Through the Skies as God's Angel trooper**  
Discover the inspiring story how God used an angel to be His messenger.  
Learn of the special gift Mary gave to Catherine; a vision of the Miraculous Medal and the promise of grace and protection to those who believed.  
Chute Snacks, Cloud Crafts, Runway Games, Faith Flight Lessons, Target Bible and much more!

**The flight plan is 5 evenings from 6-8pm each night.**  
On Wednesday evening, camp will begin with Mass and then campers will fly off to their stations. Friday's schedule is also modified to accommodate Adoration and a closing ceremony.  
Parents are encouraged to join their campers for Adoration and the closing ceremony from 7-8pm.

**Admission \$15/camper and a max household cost of \$45**

**Students from all faith backgrounds are welcome and encouraged to attend!**

**AT ST. BRIDGET CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
2103 Lexington Road  
Pleasant Hill, MO 64080  
816.540.4563

**Registration Link**  
<https://stbridgetph.weconnect.com/vacation-bible-school>  
click "REGISTER NOW!"  
Registration closes on May 26

**Contact Us**  
Betsy Bentzen 660-441-2164

**QR Code**

KANSAS CITY MO

**St. John Francis Regis  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
KANSAS CITY, MO**

**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**

<b>Lunes</b> Pbro. Jonathan Davis 17 DE JUNIO	<b>Martes</b> Pbro. Angel Lemus 18 DE JUNIO	<b>Miércoles</b> Pbro. Thomas Holder 19 DE JUNIO (EN INGLÉS)	<b>Jueves</b> Pbro. Benjamin Fenlon 20 DE JUNIO	<b>Viernes</b> 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

**St. Regis ACADEMY** Catholic Liberal Arts Education

**Academy Corner**

**¡Estamos inscribiendo para el año escolar 2024-2025!**

**Academy Corner photos:**

- Students in school uniforms in a classroom setting.
- Students in school uniforms standing outdoors.
- Students in a classroom setting.
- Students in a classroom setting.

**Si está interesado o para obtener más información, visite nuestro sitio web en [www.regisacademy.org](http://www.regisacademy.org) o llame 816-763-5837**

## PENSAMIENTOS DEL P. EMMANUEL

### Amigos

Este fin de semana celebramos la gran solemnidad del Corpus Christi. Esta fiesta se originó alrededor de 1261, cuando Jacques Pantaléon, ex archidiácono de Lieja, se convirtió en papa como Urbano IV. En 1264 ordenó a toda la iglesia que observara la fiesta. La orden de Urbano fue confirmada por el papa Clemente V en el Concilio de Vienne en 1311-12. A mediados del siglo XIV, la fiesta era generalmente aceptada, y en el siglo XV se convirtió, de hecho, en una de las principales fiestas de la iglesia.

### Adoración Eucarística:

La importancia de la Adoración Eucarística se muestra en el hecho de que la Iglesia tiene un ritual que la regula: el Rito de Exposición y Bendición Eucarística. Esta es una extensión de la adoración del Santísimo Sacramento que ocurre en cada Misa: "He aquí el Cordero de Dios, he aquí el que quita los pecados del mundo. Bienaventurados los llamados a la cena del Cordero". La exposición del Santísimo Sacramento fluye del sacrificio de la Misa y sirve para profundizar nuestra hambre de comunión con Cristo y el resto de la Iglesia. El rito concluye con el ministro ordenado bendiciendo a los fieles con el Santísimo Sacramento.

Las horas santas son la tradición devocional católica romana de pasar una hora en adoración eucarística en presencia del Santísimo Sacramento. Los obispos han creado una variedad de horas santas que enfocan nuestra oración a Jesucristo en la paz, la vida, las vocaciones y otros temas que están en el corazón de la vida de la Iglesia y del mundo. Papas recientes han instado a los católicos a retomar la antigua práctica de la oración ante el Santísimo Sacramento.

Por favor, elija una hora para estar con el Señor en adoración en nuestra pequeña capilla y ayúdenos a alcanzar la meta de la **Adoración Perpetua** en St Regis.

En Cristo,

P. Emmanuel López

## ¡NECESITAMOS TU AYUDA!

Usted puede ayudar a que nuestro Día de San Regis el **15 de junio** sea un éxito proporcionando un pequeño pastel o cupcakes para nuestra caminata de pasteles. Puede traer un pequeño pastel o cupcakes a la Oficina Parroquial el viernes 14 de junio. Gracias por sus contribuciones. ¡Nos vemos el dia de San Regis!

**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.

## DIA DEL PADRE

El Día del Padre es el **domingo 16 de junio**. Honraremos y recordaremos a todos nuestros padres en las Misas el fin de semana del 15 y 16 de junio. Asegúrese de incluir a su padre vivo y fallecido en nuestra exhibición especial del Día del Padre imprimiendo su nombre en el sobre del Día del Padre en su paquete de junio. Puede hacer una contribución en su nombre y colocar su sobre en la colecta regular en las Misas o llevarlo a la Oficina Parroquial. Pedimos que todos los sobres se devuelvan a más tardar el **miércoles 12 de junio**. Mantengamos a nuestros padres en oración.

## ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA CON CONFESIONES

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



Kansas City Weekend June 21-23  
800.470.2230  
Register Now  
[HELPOURMARRIAGE.ORG](http://HELPOURMARRIAGE.ORG)

We looked like the perfect couple ...  
*but the reality of our marriage was very different*

"A Retrouvaille Weekend Retreat was exactly what we needed to get our marriage back on track. We learned to communicate in ways that were deeper than we ever had shared before. We knew we had a lot of work to do. But we knew our marriage was worth it."

### MENTAL HEALTH TIP

**"What lies before us and what lies behind us are small matters compared to what lies within us. And when you bring what is within out into the world, miracles happen."** - Henry David Thoreau. Practice mindfulness by staying "in the present." Try these tips.

### 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](mailto: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](mailto:true.francis@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

**TAKE ME YOUR FAMILY OUT TO THE BALLGAME!**

**PITCHING FOR PRIESTS**

**CATHOLIC RADIO NETWORK**

### PITCHING FOR PRIESTS 2024

**Friday, June 21, 2024 - Legends Field in KCK**  
On field events start at 6:15 pm - First pitch at 7:00pm

**THIS YEARS EVENT IS FREE!!!** A Free Will offering to benefit seminarians will be accepted at the ballpark or you can donate right now using the QR code.

We ask for your donations, but we also want you to register to see who will have more fans! Missouri or Kansas?



NEW THIS YEAR...MORE OPEN GATES AND FASTER ENTRANCE TO THE BALLPARK WITH EXPEDITED SECURITY CHECKS!

4:00 pm - Tailgating in the parking lot  
6:00 pm - Stadium gates open  
6:15 pm - Home Run Derby  
6:30 pm - Kids Run (on the field)  
6:40 pm - Introduction of players and seminarians  
6:45 pm - Opening prayer by bishops  
6:50 pm - National Anthem  
7:00 pm - First Pitch  
9:00 pm - Game Ends



MORE INFO AT [CATHOLICRADIO.COM](http://CATHOLICRADIO.COM)

**Please Remember In Your Prayers:** Aidan Jones, Joanne Whitehurst, 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 Reitinger, 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

## June 8 & 9

**Lectors**

3:00pm Makenzie Hinrichs & Jim Filley  
 8:30am Katie Radford & Dianne Schmidt  
 10:30am Frankline Musongwe & Dennis Reilly

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

3:00pm Melissa Wiehn & Dorothy Quinn  
 8:30am Joan Sack & Dianne Schmidt  
 10:30am Marcia Collins & Gwen Hull

**Servers**

3:00pm Ava Rose & Jonathan Rose  
 8:30am Aaron Palacios  
 10:30am Isaac Minton, Ian Minton, Malyk Musongwe  
                   Makayla Musongwe & Maliya Musongwe

**Greeters**

3:00pm Don Wolff & Marvin Chaney  
 8:30am Ela Wilcznska & Jane Marzano  
 10:30am Richard Rademacher & Julie Schmidt

**Mass Coordinator**

3:00pm Becky Smith  
 8:30am John Wood  
 10:30am Dennis Reilly

# Mass Intentions

**Tuesday, June 4**

8:30am †Gerald Kelly by Family  
 7:00pm †Gelacio Candia Prado by Maria Candia

**Wednesday, June 5**

†Tom & Jan Brungardt by Family

**Thursday, June 6**

†John Kelly by Family

**Friday, June 7**

†Margaret Artman by Family

**Saturday, June 8**

3:00pm †Dennis Wadle by Family

**Sunday, June 9**

8:30am †James & Catherine Kelly by Family  
 10:30am †Bishop Joseph Hart by Fr. Jim Hart  
 5:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

# Schedule of Events

**Sunday, June 2**

8:30am Mass  
 9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary  
 10:30am Mass  
 5:00pm Mass/Spanish

**Monday, June 3**

6:30pm Bible Class/Sp  
 7:00pm Bible Class/Eng  
 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal/Sp

**Tuesday, June 4**

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

**Wednesday, June 5**

8:30am Mass  
 6:00pm Adoration/Confessions  
 7:00pm Bible Study/Sp

**Thursday, June 6**

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

**Friday, June 7**

8:30am Mass  
 6:00pm Bible Study/Sp

**Saturday, June 8**

2:00pm Confessions  
 3:00pm Mass

**Sunday, June 9**

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](mailto:cmelchior@regischurch.org)