



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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February 4, 2018

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30PM

Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30AM

Daily Mass

Monday: 7:00AM

Tuesday - Friday: 8:30AM

Thursday: 6:15AM

Confessions

Sat: 3:30PM & *Wed:* 6:00PM

& by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday: 6:00-7:00PM

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8AM-4PM

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FEBRUARY 4, 2018 | FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases,
and he drove out many demons. ~Mark 1:34*



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SUPER SUNDAY

Sunday, February 4th is “Super Sunday.” St. Regis will be hosting a variety of activities during and after Sunday Masses including the following:

- *Angels & Saints* crafts for kids: school age kids will make St Valentine crafts and join in other games/activities (after the 10:30 Mass only)
- *St. Blaise, Blesser of Throats* presentation in Mary’s Room (after both masses)
- Coffee & Donuts in the Gathering Space and Mary’s Room (after both Sunday Masses)
- Childcare provided during and after 10:30am Mass for 2 to 4 year olds
- Children’s Liturgy of the Word – during the 10:30am Mass for school age children

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY



This **Sunday, February 4th**, the Boy Scouts will host Hospitality Sunday. Coffee, juice and donuts will be served after the 8:30am and 10:30am Masses. Please plan to share in this time of community fellowship.

PARISH MISSION—FEBRUARY 25-27

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend next month’s parish mission, led by Fr. Brian Frain, a priest from the Jesuit community at Rockhurst University. This 3 day mission will focus on the Sacred Heart of Jesus now in the 21st Century and its impact on our lives. Sessions will be from 7pm – 9pm each evening, beginning with a talk from Fr. Frain, and followed by adoration, time for confession, and benediction at 9pm. Be sure to make this a part of your Lenten plans.

YEAR-END TAX STATEMENTS

In our efforts to cut down on expenses, we will not be mailing the 2017 Year-End Tax Statements. Instead, they are available for you to pick up in the Gathering Space. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you that have faithfully supported St. Regis during the past year. The gifts of your time, talent and treasure are greatly appreciated.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In today’s Gospel we hear of a great number of suffering people who seek the healing touch of Jesus. He could not respond to them all. But the Gospel also reveals Jesus, after praying in solitude, sensing an urgency to proclaim the Good News of his Father’s redemptive love to those who suffer in the nearby villages and towns. Stewards are called to follow in Jesus’ footsteps, to respond to those who suffer with compassion. How are we responding to the suffering in our world? How are we using our gifts to continue the work of Christ’s redemptive healing?

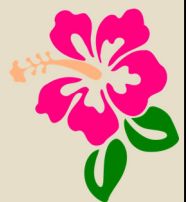
ST. BLAISE PRESENTATION

St. Blaise, blesser of throats and patron saint of Dubrovnik, Croatia. Learn more about this interesting saint and the city he protected. The presentation, by Mary Hunter, will be **February 3 and 4** after all weekend Masses in Mary’s room. The feast of St Blaise is Saturday, February 3.

5TH ANNUAL LUAU AUCTION & DINNER

Please mark your calendars for April

14, 2018. We are in the process of collecting auction items for the event. If you have a NEW auction item you would like to donate there are procurement sheets in the gathering space as well as sponsorship papers. All items need to be turned in by MARCH 9th. We are using a computer system this year and we will NOT except items after the 9th. contact Kelly Lum if you have any questions. klum@regisschool.org.



ALL SMALL GROUPS GATHERING

All current members of small groups and all those interested in exploring the possibility of joining a St. Regis small group are invited to attend this social gathering with just a little business and sharing thrown in. We will meet in the Parish Hall at 7pm on Wednesday, **February 7th**. Some wine and snacks will be provided, but feel free to bring your favorite snack and beverage. Call Glen Ernstmann for more information (816) 204-7267.

MILITIA IMMACULATA

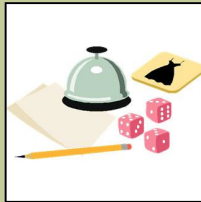
Militia Immaculata will meet on Tuesday, **February 6th** at 9am in the Mary's room. All are welcome. If you have questions please call Theresa Van Pelt at 554-1240 or Glen Ernstmann at 366-0431.

1ST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING

There will be a Parent Meeting for those students who will be preparing for First Communion on **Wednesday, February 7** at 7pm in Mary's Room. The cost of the materials is \$20. If you have any questions please contact Susan Duerr at 761-1608.

BUNCO

All Ladies of the Parish are invited to play BUNCO on **Friday, February 9th** in the Mary Room. Bunco is a game of chance, easy to learn and a great way to get acquainted with others. We will begin with food at 6:30pm. You are welcome to bring your favorite beverage. Your \$5 fee helps defray the cost of food and prizes. For planning purposes please sign up in the gather space or contact Mary Ernstmann, 366-0431 or mpernstmann@yahoo.com. Plan to join us for an evening of good food and fun!



WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

This Sunday we celebrate *World Day for Consecrated Life*. We recognize and give thanks for those who have consecrated their lives to God and the Church through the vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience. Some join a religious congregation or a secular institute. Others remain single and make profession to God through the local bishop and are known as consecrated virgins. The consecrated life is one way that men and women live out their baptismal commitment as followers of Jesus.

PARISH MARDI GRAS

Come celebrate Mardi Gras in the parish hall on **Tuesday, February 13th**. Join in the fun before Lent begins. This year we will celebrate with a Parish Pot Luck and table games beginning at 6:30pm. Please sign up in the gather space indicating the dish you plan to bring. Sandwiches, paper goods, Kings Cake and Mardi Gras beads provided. BYOB.



HOME BOUND MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in desperate need of ministers to the infirm and home bound people of our parish. If you are interested in participating in this ministry please contact the parish office at 761-1608.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

SAVE THE DATE

April 14, 2018



St. John Francis Regis Catholic School

SILENT AUCTION | DINNER & DANCING | LIVE MUSIC

SCHOOL NEWS

Mission Statement of St. Regis School

We believe that each child is a unique creation of God, and our mission is to educate the whole child through a God-centered curriculum. We strive to create a community in which children grow in Catholicity, academics, service, fine arts, and wellness. Realizing that parents are the primary teachers of their children, we seek to complement and reinforce religious truths and values beginning in the home.

Daring Disciples Deliver

Prayer: Memorare
Apostle: Bartholomew
Christskill: Honesty

The St. Regis STREAM team is looking for coaches to help with our next set of STREAM classes beginning on February 15th. Coaches are asked to teach or train our students in a special skill. (Ex. Cooking, engineering, sewing, dancing, knitting, etc.) This will be a 4 week session. Classes will be held on Thursdays from 11:00am - 12:15pm. For more information, please see our brochure in the common area.

Now Enrolling for the 2018-2019 School Year! Enrollment Packets and Registration Fees are due on Friday, March 30th.

Upcoming Dates:

Thursday, February 8th - State of The School Address, 7:00pm in Church
Saturday, February 10th - Father/Daughter Dance, 5:30pm in Parish Hall
Friday, February 16th - No School; Teacher Professional Development
Monday, February 19th - No School; President's Day

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL LASALLIAN DAYS

We want to serve you! St. Michael the Archangel Catholic High School desires to help you or someone you know is in need! Any parishioners in need of 10-12 students to assist with cleaning, painting, general organizing or yard work on **February 21-22** please contact Jana Burns with St. Michael at 816-763-4800. **Supplies must be provided by parishioner.*

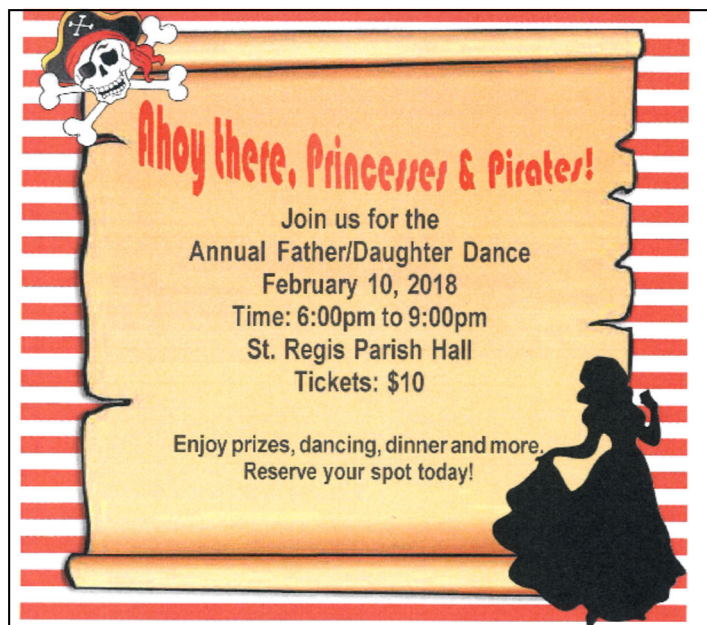
EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER NEEDS

St. Regis Early Childhood Center has a few classroom needs. If you are able to provide these items, please feel free to drop them off at the ECC or with the School Office. Thank you for your continued help and support!

Spare Clothing (3months-24months)
Fitted crib sheets
Small spare blankets
Board Books
Electronic/noise making toys (6month-24month)
Large pegged puzzles
Dress up clothes
Spare Diapers/pull ups
Magnetic Tiles
Small Legos

THANK YOU

A huge thank you goes out to our Knights of Columbus for all their hard work on Saturday, January 20, to beautify the Convent!



Father— any positive role model figure in the little girls life.

To order tickets contact Nicole Sanders at nicole.sanders86@yahoo.com or text 816-500-0393.



CATHOLIC BOOK CLUB

Do you have a New Year's Resolution to read more inspiring and life-changing books? Come join our Catholic Book Club once, twice or several times this New Year and fulfill that resolution! Come join us as we read our first selection for 2018. We will begin with the book *The Power of Silence: Against the Dictatorship of Noise* by Cardinal Robert Sarah with Nicholas Diat. Our Catholic Book Club will meet in Mary's Room on **Thursday, February 8 at 7:15 p.m.** All are welcome! Call Ann at 816-529-3148 with any questions or if you would like to purchase a book - \$11 each.

THANK YOU

My thanks to everyone for their prayers, emails and phone calls after my fall last week.

—Larry Hayden

LEGACY BRICK PAVERS

Orders for brick pavers for our Legacy Garden have been extended until the **end of February**. The brick pavers will be engraved with your customized message recognizing a deceased love one, your family, or other appropriate person(s) or church group. The pavers will be installed on the ground in the open space to the right of the Church and School entrances. For more information contact Bill Massop 816-225-5083 or Jerry Cook 816-679-9175.

CHILDREN'S ENVELOPE DONATION UPDATE

Just before Christmas a donation was made from the children's envelope collection to Uplift Organization Inc. A quote from their thank you letter: "We at Uplift would like to thank you for the generous donation of \$250 on 12/21/17. We are honored to see this thoughtful gift to benefit the homeless in our community." A big Thank You to our children for making this gift possible. Your envelope message says it all: "I feel good when I thank God." Keep up the good work.



MOM'S LENTEN RETREAT

The Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist would like to treat moms to a Lenten retreat day. Please join us at St. Michael the Archangel high school on **Saturday, Feb 24th**, from 9:30am-3:30pm. The retreat will include Mass, Adoration, Confession, talks, small group discussions, and beautiful music. Cost is \$15, lunch included. To register visit the "Events" tab at www.smacatholic.org. For more information call Katie Lucas at 816-763-4800 or email Sr. Miriam at srmiriam@smacatholic.org.

GENDER MATTERS

Please join Andrew Comiskey and friends as we discover together the compassion and clarity of Jesus towards persons facing gender and sexual identity issues. Saturday, **February 10th** from 9am-4pm at Christ Church Anglican, 5500 W. 91st, Overland park Ks. 66207. Cost is \$20 per person. To register go to desertstream.org/events.

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, Jenifer Valenti, at 816-812-2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, 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 Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816-392-0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, Jean Kraus, Rose Solo, David Berg, Fran Wadle, Eleanor Cutler, Rose Marie Larson, Dean & Mary Starr, Veronica Maschek, Gene Helling, Aidan Jones, Kathy Ness, Joanne Whitehurse, Rob & Sandy Smith, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Virgie Nelson, Mary O'Donnell, Ed Batcheler, Bud Seeger, Rita Jackson, Adelia Spann, Larry Brosch, Dalton Peavler, Donald Miller, Donald Smith, Sara Davis, Walt Ridenour, Dorothy Linn, Nolan Tritschler, Meghan Sauls, Kay Nash, Virginia Esser, Jack Gress, Joanne Mattingly, Jerry Schroeder, Loretta Monnig, Kim Slifer, Bessie Burton, Scott Livingston, Kim Slifer, Dave Kopek, Kevin Ford, Brandon Clark, John Biegel, Elizabeth Williams, Mandy Reimer, Alyce Panik, Connie King, Margie Strobl, Dolores Dick, Judy Wertz, Kathy Morehouse, Amy Jesaitis and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Patricia Duncan, aunt of Julie Bird

Bernard Martin

Liturgical Roles

February 10 & 11

Lectors

- 4:30pm Marvin Chaney & Francis Brenner
- 8:30am Betty Roder & Paul Roder
- 10:30am Susan Duerr & Ann Garrison

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:30pm Gretchen Maschger, Larry Hayden, Alex Pope
Charlene Helling, Jim Filley, Marvin Chaney
Bernadette Brenner & Francis Brenner
- 8:30am Sherry Falke, Robert Falke, Pat Hanson
Betty Roder, Paul Roder, Sue Nichols
Kathleen Robb & Sue Quanty Smith
- 10:30am John Reyes, Sr., Virginia Reyes, John Reyes, Jr.
Tino Camacho, Regina Ozbun, Mary Kimbrell
Diane Pacheco & Teresa Mahnke

Servers

- 4:30pm David Maschger & Jackson Price
- 8:30am Noah Villegas & Ava Villegas
- 10:30am Sophia Pacheco & Mitchell Lickteig

Greeters

- 4:30pm Larry Hayden & Barbara Wilkins
- 8:30am Pamela Singleton & Mary Walker
- 10:30am Ken Glasbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

Breaking Open the Word

- 8:30am Ann Julo

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 5

- 7:00am †Rev. Norman Rotert

Tuesday, February 6

- †Rev. John Wandless

Wednesday, February 7

- †Gene Livingston by Ed & Mary Hood

Thursday, February 8

- 6:15am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
- 8:30am †Rev. John Wandless

Friday, February 9

- †Rev. John Wandless

Saturday, February 10

- 4:30pm †Clarita Bryant by Carolyn Koetting

Sunday, February 11

- 8:30am †Mary Pat Lambert by the Cotter Family
- 10:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
George	Harding Jr	67	2/5	1975
Naomi M.	Kaiser	69	2/5	1983
Thomas M.	O'Donnell	71	2/5	1998
Judith	Ford	77	2/5	2015
Earl	Gibson	62	2/6	1973
Thomas G.	Anderson	74	2/6	1973
Lois	Carr	48	2/6	1984
Elmer	Whitehurse	59	2/6	1988
Ronnie	Coleman	56	2/6	2009
Irma Eva	Schmittling	92	2/7	2004
Gerald	Hilkemeyer	53	2/8	1975
Leonard	Gross	82	2/8	1981
Lorraine A.	Blanton	69	2/8	1990
Anna	Blessing	80	2/8	2008
Abigail	Hanway	5	2/8	2014
Shirley	Theiss	74	2/8	2015
William	Ganley	67	2/9	1971
Larry D.	Benton	36	2/9	1971
Glenn Alfred	Streb	79	2/9	1994
Crystal	Drummond	2 Days	2/9	1995
John Joseph	Giamalva	73	2/9	1999
Andrew	Catagrone	80	2/9	2009
Karen	Trusler	37	2/10	2005
James B.	Coffman	45	2/11	1984
Hildred	Vogel	77	2/11	1986
Walter V.	Lander	60	2/11	1989
Betty Jean	Weedin	70	2/11	2013
Velda Kay	Clark	74	2/11	2017

Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

I'm 6 months old now. I just opened my eyes. Before today they were sealed shut for protection. I wonder what you look like. I can hear sounds too!!! It's GREAT to have someone praying for me. Please remember to pray daily for your Spiritual Adopted Baby and the baby's mother and father.



Schedule of Events

Sunday, February 4

Hospitality Sunday

8:30am Mass

9:30am St. Blaise Presentation

10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy

11:30am Angels & Saints

11:30am St. Blaise Presentation

Monday, February 5

7:00am Mass

7:00pm RCIA

Tuesday, February 6

8:30am Mass

9:00am Immaculata Militia

7:00pm Rosary

7:00pm Stewardship Council

7:00pm Financial Peace University

Wednesday, February 7

8:30am Mass

6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions

6:00pm English as Second Language

7:00pm School of Religion

7:00pm Knights of Columbus

7:00pm 1st Communion Parent Meeting

Thursday, February 8

6:15am Mass

8:30am Mass

9:00am Scripture Sharing

7:00pm Boy Scouts

7:00pm School Council

7:15pm Book Club

Friday, February 9

8:30am Mass

Saturday, February 10

3:30pm Confessions

4:30pm Mass

5:30pm Father/Daughter Dance

Sunday, February 11

8:30am Mass

10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy

5:00pm Confirmation Meeting

BULLETIN DEADLINE

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

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 4, 2018

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