



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

March 4, 2018

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30PM

Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30AM

Daily Mass

Monday: 7:00AM

Tuesday - Friday: 8:30AM

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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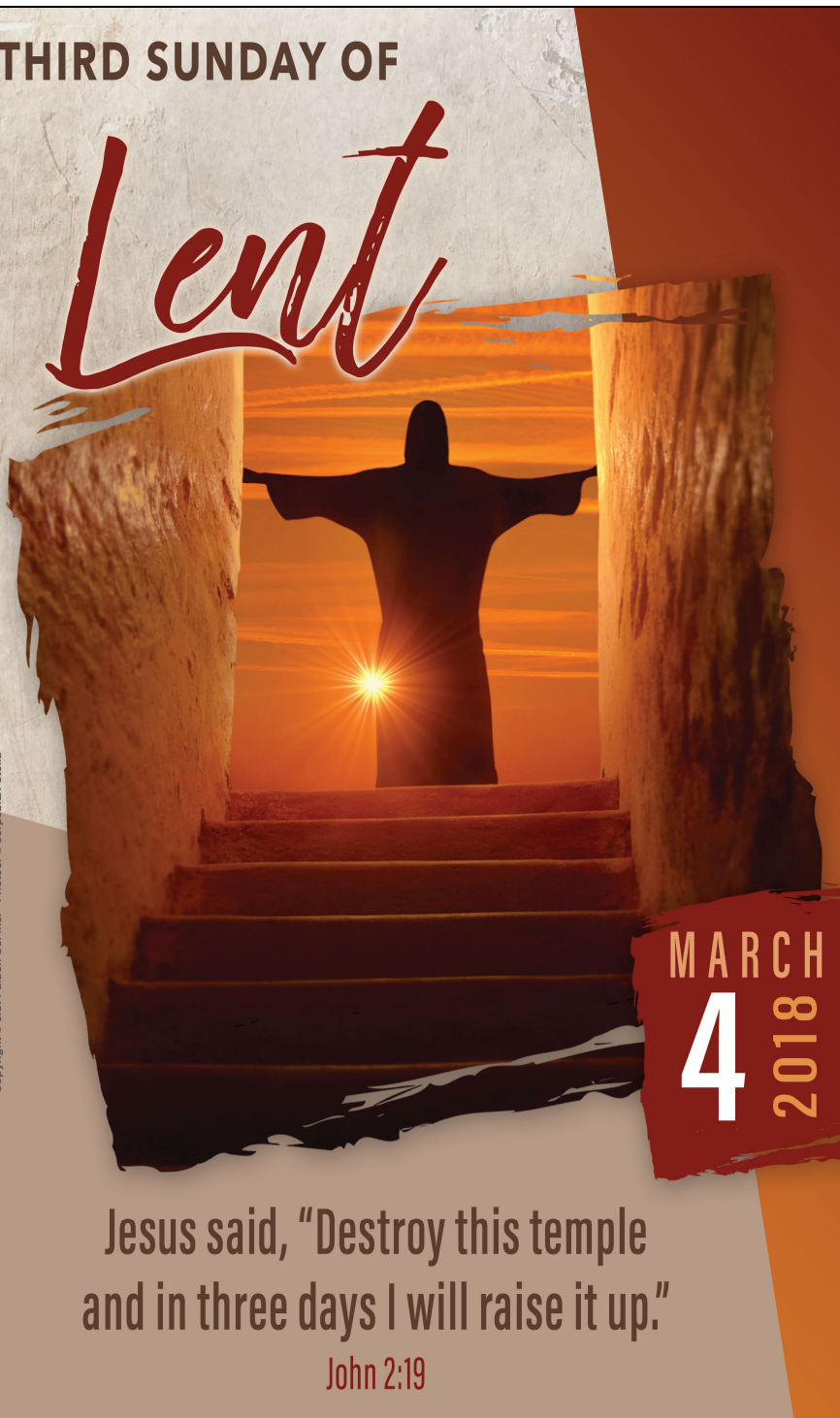
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THIRD SUNDAY OF

Lent

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Jesus said, "Destroy this temple
and in three days I will raise it up."

John 2:19

RECONCILIATION SERVICES

Make plan now to celebrate the Sacrament of Confession during the season of Lent. All of us are encouraged to join in this sacrament of God's forgiveness in preparation for Easter. The St. Matthew/St. Regis Reconciliation Service will be on **Wednesday, March 21, at 6:30pm at St. Matthew the Apostle Church.**

Other area services:

St. Sabina - Tuesday, March 13 - 7pm

Our Lady of Lourdes - Monday, March 19 - 6pm

St. Catherine of Siena - Tuesday, March 20 - 7pm

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

If your parish does not celebrate the Mass for the First Scrutiny for catechumens, you may hear the Gospel story of Jesus' cleansing of the Temple, a familiar story. The prophets Jeremiah, Zechariah and Malachi prophesied that when the Kingdom of God was at hand, the Temple would be cleansed of all activities unworthy of an encounter with God. Christians are often referred to as "Temples of the Lord." As stewards of a "Holy Temple" God has entrusted to each one of us, what are we doing to be cleansed of activities unworthy of an encounter with the Lord? This week, reflect on one thing you can do to cleanse the Temple God has given you so that it becomes a more inviting home for Christ Jesus.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

This **Sunday, March 4th**, the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary 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.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please join us for Stations of the Cross this **Friday, March 9th, at 7pm** in the Church. This is a great way to journey with Jesus during the season of Lent.



SAVE THE DATE

April 14, 2018

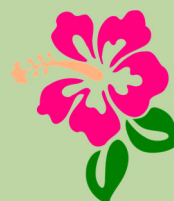


St. John Francis Regis Catholic School

SILENT AUCTION | DINNER & DANCING | LIVE MUSIC

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.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **March and April** has been emailed out to Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers and Greeters. A hard copy of the schedule is available on the table in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions about the schedule, please call Colleen in the Parish Office. If you have a conflict with a particular weekend you are scheduled for a ministry, we ask that you please find a substitute. Thank you for serving our parish through these ministries.

Annual Lenten Shrimp Boil Dinners

Every Friday during Lent-February 16, 23
& March 2, 9, 16 & 23 ~ 5-7pm in the Parish Hall

Choose from:

- Jumbo Boiled Shrimp - \$10
- Battered Fish Filet - \$10
- 1/2 Shrimp & 1/2 Fish - \$10
- Cheese Pizza (by the slice) \$5
- Family Meal Deal - \$40
(Maximum for Families)

Sides include:

- New Potatoes
- Corn on Cob
- Coleslaw
- Roll

Beverages:

- Lemonade
- Tea
- Coffee
- Water

Live Music each Week!
Scrumptious Desserts & Soda Pop
also available for purchase.



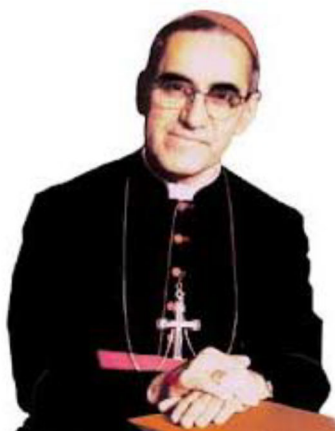
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC, and **help Jesus in disguise**. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

LITURGICAL WORKSHOP

The Diocese will be hosting a liturgical workshop for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on **Saturday, March 24th**, from 8:30am-12:30pm at the Chancery/The Catholic Center, 20 W. 9th St., Kansas City, MO 64105. If you are interested in going to the training please call the Parish Office to register, 761-1608.

BLESSED OSCAR ROMERO EVENT



On **Thursday, March 8 at 7pm** you are invited to an evening with Fr. Fredis Sandoval at St. Sabina Church, 700 Trevis Ave., Belton, MO. Fr. Fredis will speak about the situation in El Salvador, his work with the Concetacion Romero, and about the reopening of the case of the assassination of Blessed Oscar Romero.

Fr. Fredis will speak in Spanish, but there will be an interpreter for those the speak English

DONATIONS FOR EASTER BAGS

Social Service Ministry will be making Easter Bags (Ziploc bags) for the residents of the Village at Carol Park Care Center (Grandview MO). We could use your donations of individually wrapped Easter candy and snacks, jelly beans, small plastic eggs, travel size toiletries (lotion, etc.), combs, pens, note cards, playing cards, etc. The residents really enjoyed getting these bags in the past and we would like to continue to delight them. Please place your donations in the big baskets marked "Easter Bag Donations" in the Gathering Space. **We will take donations through Palm Sunday, March 25th.** Thank you for your continued support of this annual Parish ministry.



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: Our Father

Apostle: Judas

Christskill: Forgiveness

Now Enrolling:

We are currently enrolling for the 2018-2019 School year! Enrollment applications are available in the school office. The \$50 Early Registration Discount ends on April 3rd.

Easter Candy Wanted:

During the week of March 5th - March 9th St. Regis PTO will be collecting individually wrapped candy. Donations can be given to the School or Parish Office.

Upcoming Dates:

Tuesday, March 6th - Kansas City Sports Dress Down for \$5 donation for Luau.

Wednesday, March 7th - Open House 6:00pm

Wednesday, March 7th - Spirit Wednesday

Thursday, March 8th - All School Mass & Awards Assembly

Thursday, March 8th - Luau Meeting 7:00pm

Friday, March 9th - Friday, March 16th - Spring Break; No School

Tuesday, March 20th - Luau Meeting 7:00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions are a way to remember our deceased loved ones or a special need of someone in our life. Each Mass has a designated intention. If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, please call or stop by the Parish Office during regular hours. A donation of \$10 is suggested for each Mass. Mass intentions can be said for weekday or weekend Masses. If you would like a specific date, it is best to reserve early.

OPEN HOUSE



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 6-7PM **SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE**

- ◇ Infants - 8th Grade
- ◇ Meet our highly qualified staff
- ◇ Tour our school campus
- ◇ Visit technology equipped classrooms & lab
- ◇ Receive 2018-2019 enrollment information

LADIES AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP

The Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus Council 13671 of St Regis Parish is offering an undergraduate studies scholarship in the amount of \$250.00 to an individual who is a child, grandchild, niece, nephew or wife to our council membership, in good standing.

This Scholarship will be awarded in its entirety to the institution selected by the awardee, after proof of successful enrollment in good standing is provided to the Scholarship Committee, not limited to Catholic institutions of higher learning. Likewise this award is not limited to a four year curriculum. For example the scholarship could apply to a trade school or a 2 year associates program.

This Scholarship can be applied freshman through senior year.

Scholarship winners are selected on the basis of Catholic citizenship, community service and financial need. The application **deadline is March 31st**. To obtain an application, please send an e-mail to Mary Ernstmann or call to request the form. mpernstmann@yahoo.com or 916-366-0431



ST. JOSEPH TABLE

Sunday, March 18th from 11:45am-3pm, Coronation of Our Lady Parish, 13000 Bennington Ave., Grandview, MO is having their annual St. Joseph Table. A Spaghetti Dinner will be served. Italian cookies, Cannoli's, Italian bread, and a beautiful selection of homemade cakes, breads, cupcakes, cookies, rolls, candy and more will be available for purchase. Proceeds go toward purchasing food for the poor.

YOUNG ADULT CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Mark your calendar for **March 24, 2018**. GIVEN KC is an opportunity for women aged 18-35 from any stage of life - single, engaged, married or consecrated - to learn more about the feminine genius, how the church needs your unique gifts as a woman and to meet other women striving to live out authentic femininity. Visit www.givenkc.org for more information and to register.



Please join us for the 5th Annual Pitching for Priests Softball game on **Friday, July 6th at 7pm** at Community America Ballpark (T-Bones Stadium). Last year we had 2,200 people attend the game. This year our goal is 4,500. Let's support our Priests with the largest attendance yet!

Early Bird Special ending Friday March 9th! Save \$2 per ticket. Call the parish office, 761-1608 for the link to order tickets. For group discounts call 630-1090.

Please listen to Catholic Radio Network. They proudly sponsor the Pitching for Priests game. If you are looking for more to do this Lent please tune-in to your local stations 890, 1090, 1190AM

DIVORCED. CATHOLIC. NOW WHAT?

Please join us for this free seminar on **March 21st, 7-9pm** at Our Lady of the Presentation Parish, 130 NW Murray Rd., Lee's Summit, MO. The seminar addresses the many common issues divorced Catholics face and discover how our Catholic faith stands ready to offer support, healing, and new life. Learn about the complete *Journey of Hope* program to be offered in parishes throughout the dioceses in the coming year. If you are a divorced Catholic or have a loved one facing this difficulty, you won't want to miss this event! For more information call 714-2373.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION UPDATE

Thank you for praying for me. I am 7 months old now. I am growing every day. I'm between 14 and 17 inches long and weigh about 4 ½ pounds. I move around a lot but it's getting crowded in here! Sometimes I even get the hiccups!! Please continue to pray for me and my Mom and Dad.



Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.

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 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, Denise Kopek, Kevin Ford, Brandon Clark, John Biegel, Elizabeth Williams, Mandy Reimer, Alyce Panik, Connie King, Margie Strobl, Dolores Dick, Kathy Morehouse, Amy Jesaitis, Ben Rosenblum, Silvia Vasquez, Michael Muntzell, McCartney Weist, Larry Hayden and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Liturgical Roles

March 10 & 11

Lectors

4:30pm Mark Siedlik & Melissa Wiehn
8:30am Sherry Falke & Robert Falke
10:30am Virginia Reyes & Ora Reyes

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30pm Gretchen Maschger, Alex Pope, Dorothy Quinn
Melissa Wiehn, Tom Smith, Francis Brenner
Barbara Schroeder & Jerry Schroeder
8:30am Harold Hanson, Pat Hanson, Cathy Albers
Robert Falke, Sherry Falke, Anna Barber
Dennis Wadle & Dave Vorbeck
10:30am Tino Camacho, Kathy Wolff, Don Wolff
Elaine Allee, Marcia Collins, Regina Ozbun
Prisca Tizimbune & Theresa Van Pelt

Servers

4:30pm Clara Stribling & Ysabella Rogers
8:30am Evan Burdick & Jessica Loulos
10:30am Katherine Banlomon & Yuleth Villalobos

Greeters

4:30pm Larry Hayden, Marvin Chaney & Kathy Chaney
8:30am Pamela Singleton & Maxine Rodriguez
10:30am Ken Glassbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

Breaking Open the Word

4:30pm Alex Pope

Mass Intentions**Monday, March 5**

7:00am †Rev. Chuck Jones

Tuesday, March 6

For the Intentions of Silvia Vasquez
by Annette Rosser

Wednesday, March 7

†Ursaline Mayer & the Intentions of
Duane Mayer by Parish Family

Thursday, March 8

†Mike Ruhl by Theresa Van Pelt

Friday, March 9

†Rev. Robert Stewart

Saturday, March 10

4:30pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

Sunday, March 11

8:30am †Peggy Hanson by Family
10:30am †Michael McDonald by the Kuestersteffen Family

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
Jennie	Cariddi	90	3/5	2001
William	Dibias	91	3/5	2007
Mary	Armbruster	49	3/5	2008
John	Pearson	91	3/5	2009
James Jay	Tarwater		3/6	1978
Jeanette	Reale	61	3/6	1979
Tileen J.	Allegrì	88	3/6	1988
Mathew J.	Longiaru	49	3/7	1969
Ella Mae	Harper	76	3/7	1988
Lois	Varriano		3/7	1990
Thomas Earl	Jones	57	3/7	2003
Charles	Curley	82	3/8	1995
Marvin A.	Hoerner	73	3/8	1996
Wesley	Spencer	77	3/8	2000
Alfred	Caponetto	71	3/9	1990
Elizabeth Marie	Williams	69	3/9	1998
Eleanor	O'Connor	87	3/9	2001
Virginia	Eschbaugh	80	3/9	2003
Charlotte	McLaughlin	94	3/10	1997
Anthony	Bradley	55	3/11	1972
Joan	Vandergriff	47	3/11	1977
Sandra C.	Brunson	45	3/11	1986
David E.	Wiley	71	3/11	2003
Margaret	Hanson	86	3/11	2015

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.

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.

Schedule of Events

Sunday, March 4

Super Sunday

8:30am Mass

9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary

10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy

1:30pm Coping with Life Alone

5:00pm Confirmation Meeting

Monday, March 5

7:00am Mass

7:00pm RCIA

Tuesday, March 6

8:30am Mass

9:00am Immaculata Militia

6:30pm Discover Christ

7:00pm Rosary

7:00pm Financial Peace University

7:00pm Stewardship Council

Wednesday, March 7

8:30am Mass

6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions

6:00pm English as Second Language

6:00pm School Open House

7:00pm School of Religion

Thursday, March 8

8:30am Mass

9:00am Scripture Sharing

7:00pm Boy Scouts

7:00pm Luau Meeting

Friday, March 9

8:30am Mass

5:00pm Shrimp Boil

7:00pm Stations of the Cross

No School

Saturday, March 10

3:30pm Confessions

4:30pm Mass

Sunday, March 11

8:30am Mass

10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy

1:30pm Coping w/Life Alone

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

3rd Sunday of Lent

March 4, 2018

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