



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

April 10, 2022

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

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Religious Education	761-1608
FAX	966-1350

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Palm Sunday

of the Passion of the Lord



April 10, 2022

“Blessed is the king who comes
in the name of the Lord.”

Luke 19:38

PLEASE NOTE

The Parish Office and the Academy will be closed on Good Friday, **April 15th** and Easter Monday, **April, 18th**. Happy Easter.

FEED YOUR FAITH

Tomorrow night, **April 11th**, will be our last on-line on-ly meeting of **Feed Your Faith**. Beginning next Monday, April 18th we will go back to a dual format of eating dinner together in the Parish Hall at 5:45pm **AND** joining with the others on-line at 6:15 p.m. for prayers, followed by *Session 10* of **Bible Timeline - Conquest and Judges, Part II - Joshua**. Join us either in person to share a meal with our parish family, or join us on-line as we "*feed our faith*" together.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

At our evening service on Good Friday, we will take up the annual collection for the Holy Land. This collection helps support the Catholic Christian community in the land where Jesus lived and continue the important work of the Church.

EASTER CELEBRATION

Come join us on Easter **Sunday, April 17th**, at St. Regis by the football field starting at 3pm we will have games, food sale, fellowship, an Easter egg hunt and Talent Show. If you have a talent and would like to participate contact Esmeralda Lopez in the Parish Office.



ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

We now enter a week in our liturgical year that is like no other — Holy Week. The complete name for this Sunday's liturgy is "Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion." Let us do our best to live this week closely connected to our Lord whose passionate love for us knows no bounds — culminating in His death on the cross and His triumph over death — all for us.

Where will you place yourself this week? Keeping your distance from all the pain and suffering Christ endured? Or close by, staying near to Him like Simon did? It is when we go near to Christ that we can be transformed by Him. It is by embracing the crosses in our lives, stewarding them well rather than trying to run from them, that we become His true disciples.

Ahora entramos en una semana en nuestro año litúrgico que no se parece a ninguna otra: la Semana Santa. El nombre completo de la liturgia de este domingo es "Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor". Hagamos todo lo posible para vivir esta semana estrechamente conectados con nuestro Señor, cuyo amor apasionado por nosotros no conoce límites, culminando en Su muerte en la cruz y Su triunfo sobre la muerte, todo por nosotros.

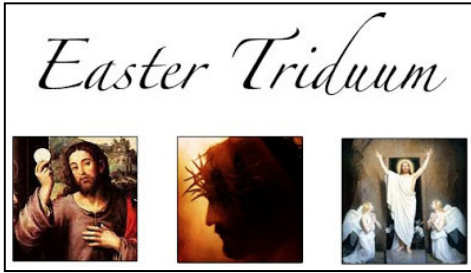
¿Dónde te colocarás esta semana? ¿Mantener su distancia de todo el dolor y el sufrimiento que Cristo soportó? ¿O cerca, quedándose cerca de Él como lo hizo Simón? Es cuando nos acercamos a Cristo que podemos ser transformados por Él. Es al abrazar las cruces en nuestras vidas, administrándolas bien en lugar de tratar de huir de ellas, que nos convertimos en Sus verdaderos discípulos.

THANK YOU

We would like to convey our sincere appreciation for everyone's efforts to honor Fran at her funeral Mass. We would like to thank Fr. McCaffery and Fr. Rocha, the deacons, servers, Pat Hanson, the accompanist, the greeter and the ladies who provided the luncheon. For the many prayers and compassion given to our family, we will forever be grateful. —The Wadle Family

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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



Holy Thursday - April 14

8:30am Morning Prayer

6:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

8:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper/Spanish

10pm-Midnight Adoration

Good Friday - April 15

8:30am Morning Prayer

4:00pm The Way of the Cross

(Living Stations)/Bi-Lingual

6:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

8:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion/Spanish

9:30pm Our Lady of Sorrows Procession

Holy Saturday - April 16

8:30am Morning Prayer & RCIA Rites

8pm Easter Vigil Mass/Bi-Lingual

**No 3:00pm Mass on Holy Saturday

Easter Sunday - April 17

8:30am Mass, 10:30am Mass

& 2pm Spanish Mass

LITURGICAL MINISTER SIGN-UP

The sign-up sheets for Liturgical Ministers for Holy Week can be found on the kiosk in the Gathering Space. If you will be attending any of these services during Holy Week, please check the sign-up sheet to see where you might be able to assist. Thank you for your ministry to the parish.

TRUSTED SERVANTS

Please come to the informational meeting of a possible new group beginning at St. Regis: Trusted Servants. This is an organization that coordinates all service ministries of the Parish. Come check it out on Wednesday, **April 27 at 10:00 a.m.** in Mary's Room."

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Do you want to have a more active role supporting our worship of God? We are looking for more members for our Worship Council which leads the planning and preparation for the Mass and supports the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Altar Servers, Greeters, Musicians and Art & Environment team members.

If you served in any Liturgical Ministries at Our Lady of Lourdes we welcome you to serve here at St. Regis. Please contact the Parish Office to formally register with the parish, if you haven't already done so, indicating on the registration form in which Liturgical Ministry you are interested in serving. You can also talk with a Worship Council member after any weekend Mass for more information

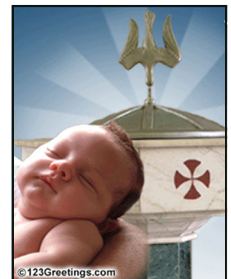
EASTER FLOWER OFFERING

Please help us beautify the Church for Easter by making a contribution for Easter flowers in memory of a deceased loved one or in honor of your family. Please use the designated envelope in your April packet. You may place your contribution in the regular collection anytime during the month of April. Thank you for your generosity.



BAPTISM

Welcome to the newest member born to new life in Christ through the Holy Waters of Baptism. **Sin-achi Eliana Abunna** daughter of Fabian and Chioma who was baptized last weekend. May she be blessed throughout her life and be guided by the Holy Spirit.



9TH ANNUAL LUAU UPDATE

We are 30 days away from our 9th Annual Luau on Saturday, April 30th. We cannot wait to be back together for and in-person event this year! This year's event will be held at St. Michael the Archangel High School starting at 5:30pm. We hope to see everyone there! Tickets can be purchased in our Parish or Academy Offices, at weekend Masses or online at: <https://regisacademy.ticket.qtego.net/tickets/list>

I thank you for the recognition for Peggy and Harold Hanson, and the beautiful legacy they have created here at St. Regis Academy as committed Parishioners and School supporters, All Soar with the Eagles Scholarship contributions will be offered in their names. We are blessed to be able to honor these two wonderful individuals in this small way for the years of dedication and service to our community. Donations in their honor can be made at: <https://qtego.net/m/donate.php>

Our auction will be available online through the Qtego platform. We want to make it fun and easy for everyone to participate in bidding on some of our amazing items! You may register to bid at no cost and need not be present to participate. If you are unable to attend the event, or if you are ready to begin scouting out some of our auction items, please register online at: <https://qtego.net/qmlink/regisacademy/register>

Preparations to make this the best event ever are still underway! We are adding new auction items to our site daily. Be sure to check back regularly!

If you would like to support the auction by purchasing an item for us to include in an auction basket, please consider our Amazon Wish List. https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/218YIOOFB12EA?ref=wl_share

We thank everyone for all of your help and support with this annual community event and look forward to seeing you soon!

ST. REGIS ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL
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NOW ENROLLING!

Enrollment is now open for the upcoming 2022-2023 school year!

St. Regis Academy is a Christ-centered educational institution focused on providing opportunities for students to grow in virtue, by pursuing spiritual, emotional, and academic excellence. Our Academy is open to enrollment from PK-8th Grade!

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MEATLOAF MONDAY & FOOD COLLECTION

Our commitment to serve St. James Soup Kitchen is next **Monday, April 18th** Sign-up sheets are available in the Gathering Space. Please bring your sliced, wrapped and frozen meatloaf with you to Mass next weekend, **April 16th and 17th** and place it in one of the coolers provided. If you cannot bring your meatloaf to Mass call Anne Roberts at 358-5616 or the Parish Office, 761-1608 to make arrangements.

Next weekend is also our monthly food collection. Your canned goods and other non-perishable food donations help keep the food pantry stocked. We are in need of crackers, jelly, pancake mix, syrup, Chicken and Tuna Helper. Your donated food items are greatly appreciated. Thanks for your continued support of these ministries.



SAFE ENVIRONMENT

All volunteers working with minors or vulnerable adults are required to:

- Complete an application (if new in ministry)
- Attend a Protecting God's Children workshop
- Submit to a background check
- read the online Policy on ethics and Integrity in Ministry

For additional information, contact **Maeghan Miller**, Parish Safe Environment coordinator at mmiller@regischurch.org or 761-1608 ext 302

AMBIENTE SEGURO

Todos los voluntarios que trabajan con menores o adultos vulnerables son requeridos para:

- Complete una solicitud (si nuevo en el ministerio)
- Asistir a un Dios Protector taller infantil
- Someterse a una verificación de antecedentes
- read the online Policy on ethics and Integrity in Ministry

Para información adicional, contactar a **Maeghan Miller**, Parroquia Coordinadora de Ambiente Seguro en Mmiller@regischurch.org o 761-1608 extensión 302

CELEBRACION DE PASCUA

Únase a nosotros el **domingo de Pascua, 17 de abril**, en St. Regis junto al campo de fútbol a partir de las 3 p.m., tendremos juegos, venta de alimentos, compañerismo, una búsqueda de huevos de Pascua y talent show. Si tienes talento y te gustaría participar contacta a Esmeralda López en la Oficina Parroquial.



VOLUNTARIOS NECESARIOS

Necesitamos voluntarios para lavar la ropa de cama. Si puede ayudar, llame a Marcey Reilly al 816 -914-9368 y deje un mensaje.

ROSARY FOR PEACE

Únase a nosotros en el rezo del Rosario **POR LA PAZ EN EL MUNDO** todos los martes por la noche a las 6:30 pm en la Capilla



FLORES DE PASCUA

Por favor, ayúdanos a embellecer la Iglesia para la Pascua haciendo una contribución para las flores de Pascua en memoria de un ser querido fallecido o en honor a tu familia. Utilice el sobre designado en su paquete de abril. Puede colocar su contribución en la colección regular en cualquier momento durante el mes de abril. Gracias por su generosidad.



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.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE WEEKEND

Beginning Experience Weekend for persons who are separated, divorced or widowed. This program helps men and women work through the grief process associated with the end of a marriage and move into the future with new hope. **April 29-May 1**, Savior Pastoral Center. For more information: beginningexperiencekc.org or call Maria at 913-314-9844.

Please Remember In Your Prayers: David Berg, Dennis Wadle, Rose Marie Larson, Aidan Jones, Joanne Whitehorse, Denise Kopek, Margie Strobl, Dolores Dick, McCartney Weist, Siggie Koop, Teresa Foster, Joseph Gregory, Margaret Kelly, Gregory Richard, Phil Hoffman, Bob Hoffman, John Hoffman, Mary Hunter, Teefey Family, Hanger Family, Daniel & Jeneth Hunter, John Stadler, Genevieve Thieme, Pat Filley, Bill Massop, Milton Bryant, Carole McCaffery, Teresa King, JR Lillig, Michael Wertz, John Minton, Ben Rosenblum, Georgiana Smith, Mary Jo Reid, Jim Holst, Tony Reyes, Mary Lynch, Rosie Murphy, Kay Nash, Vickie Young, Lou & Terrie Ramsey, Jim Filley, Bobby Washington 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, Jason Webb, & Troy Fraser

Liturgical Roles

April 16 & 17

Lectors

- 8:00pm Volunteers
- 8:30am Dianne Schmidt & Ken Stewart
- 10:30am Virginia Reyes & Ora Reyes

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 8:00pm Volunteers
- 8:30am Mike Murtha, Regina Ozbun, Kathleen Robb
Sue Quanty Smith
- 10:30am Don Wolff, Kathy Wolff, Marcia Collins
Ron Des Combes

Servers

- 8:00pm Volunteers
- 8:30am Miguel Martinez & Ryan Holst
- 10:30am Glen Ernstmann & Mike Berigan

Greeters

- 8:00pm Volunteers
- 8:30am Rick Kraus & Jane Marzano
- 10:30am Claudia Winter & Elaine Allee

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 12

†Julian Alvarez by Jerry Crowley

Wednesday, April 13

For the Intentions of the Kern Family
by the Haile Family

Thursday, April 14

†Jack Mitchell by Bill & Karen Massop

Friday, April 15

No Mass

Saturday, April 16

8:00pm For the Intentions of Pascal Banlomon

Sunday, April 17

- 8:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
- 10:30am For the Intentions of Pascal Banlomon
- 2:00pm †Paula Lopez Gonzalez by Family

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

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
Ruby Lee	Streb	79	4/10	1999
Jamie Jo	Martin	15	4/12	1989
Mary A.	Arnold	78	4/12	1992
Connie	Inlow	80	4/12	2019
Ardella	Winkler	78	4/13	1969
George P.	Guastella	54	4/13	1972
Reuben	Rowland	75	4/13	1993
Maxine Bennett	Howland	62	4/13	2009
Robert	Grant	66	4/13	2010
William Patrick	Cronley	55	4/17	1988
Josephine	Schram	80	4/14	1992
Francis Mary	Frederica	76	4/17	2000
Billy Ray	Linn	68	4/14	2002
Albert Vincent	Schmidt	94	4/14	2003
Joanne	Alexander	79	4/14	2006
Mary Jo	Sulzen	43	4/15	1976
Stephen Earl	Hayes	53	4/16	1996
Brian	Sedlock	12	4/16	2000

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.

PLEASE NOTE

Due to a drop in COVID-19 cases in the Kansas City area we will no longer offer face masks and bottled water.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Month 8: Now I am just gaining weight and I am probably starting to make my mother uncomfortable with my size. In a short time, I will be born.

On behalf of mom and me, thank you for your prayers for the past eight months. They have given her the grace she needed to make the right choices.



“The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law; but thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not in vain in the Lord.” Cor. 15:56-58

Schedule of Events

Sunday, April 10 - Palm Sunday

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 12:00pm Spanish Retreat
- 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
- 6:00pm Youth Group Spanish

Monday, April 11

- 7:00pm Spanish Retreat
- 7:00pm Social Service Ministry Council

Tuesday, April 12

- 8:30am Mass
- 6:30pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Spanish Retreat
- 7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way

Wednesday, April 13

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:00am Spanish Bible Class
- 6:00pm Adoration & Confessions
- 7:00pm Spanish Retreat
- 7:00pm School of Religion
- 7:00pm Knights of Columbus

Thursday, April 14 - Holy Thursday

- 8:30am Morning Prayer
- 11:00am Living Stations/School
- 12:15pm School Dismissed
- 6:30pm Mass
- 8:30pm Mass/Spanish
- 10:00pm Adoration

Friday, April 15 - Good Friday

- 8:30am Morning Prayer
- 4:00pm Living Stations
- 6:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion
- 8:00pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion/Spanish
- 9:30pm Procession
- Parish Office Closed
- No School

Saturday, April 16 - Holy Saturday

- 8:00am Retreat
- 8:30am Morning Prayer & RCIA Rites
- 12:00pm Spanish Retreat
- 8:00pm Mass/Bi-Lingual
- **NO 3PM Mass
- Food Collection

Sunday, April 17 - Easter Sunday

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 2:00pm Mass/Spanish
- 6:00pm Youth Group/Spanish
- Food Collection

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