



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

April 11, 2021

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

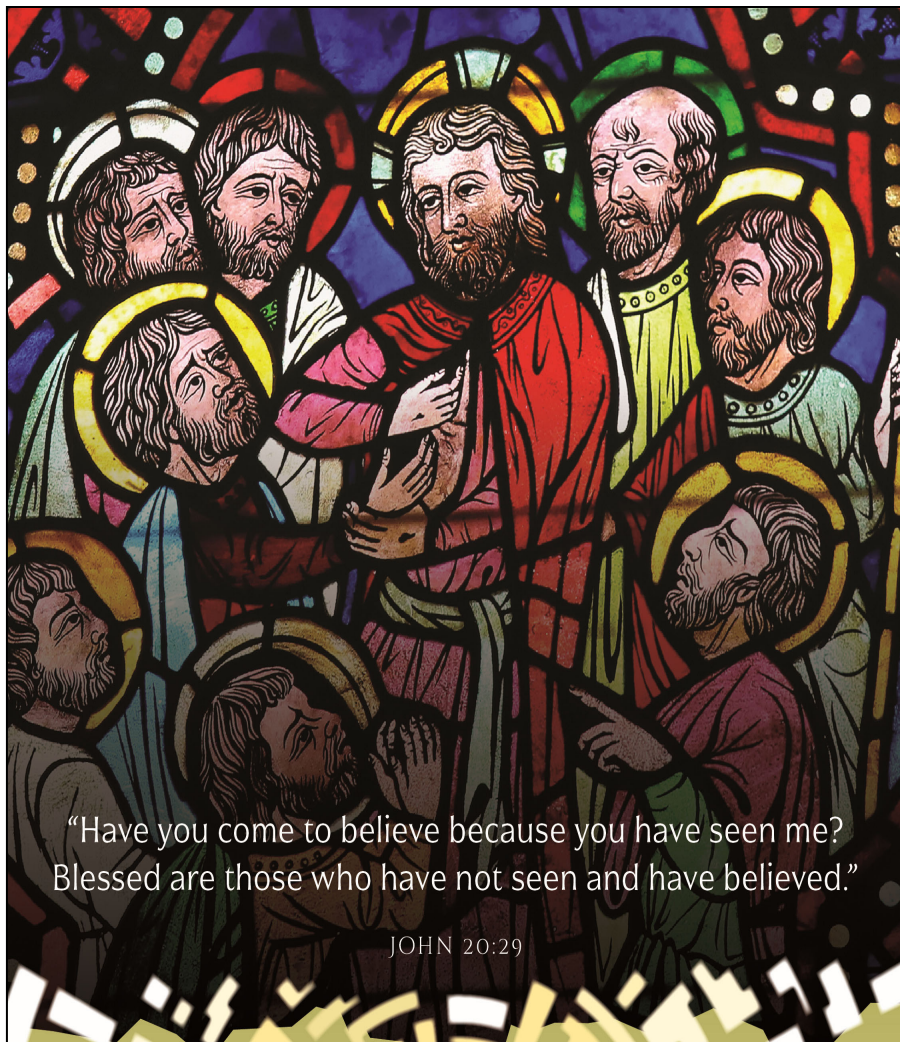
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“Have you come to believe because you have seen me?
Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed.”

JOHN 20:29

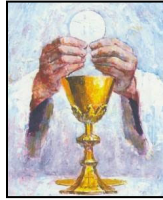
SECOND
SUNDAY OF
EASTER
(OR OF DIVINE MERCY)

APRIL 11, 2021

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FIRST COMMUNION

We will celebrate First Communion with our students who have been preparing on **Sunday, April 18th** at a special Mass starting at 1pm. All are invited.



YOUTH GROUP

Our Next Youth Group will be on **April 18th** from 5-6:30pm! Weather permitting, we will be on the Football Field playing outdoor games! Come join us for some fun and fresh air! Contact Adrianna Limon at alimon@regisacademy.org with any questions!

JOIN LADIES AUXILIARY

New guidelines encourage us to invite all women 17 and older who are practicing Catholics. There is opportunity for fellowship and service as we support St. Regis and local needs. Next meeting is **April 11** after the 8:30am Mass.

THANK YOU

We are grateful to all those who give so generously of their time and talents to make our celebrations during Holy Week and Easter Sunday so beautiful. There are so many details that go into these days and we couldn't do it without all the help. A special thanks to Diane Banks and all the musicians and choir members who contributed to our prayerful and inspiring liturgies - to Germaine Fleming, Karen Meyers, Mary Hunter, Tina Barrera, Bertha Banlomon, Carol Surber and Alisha Jimenez for overseeing the decorating of the church and all those who helped on Holy Saturday - to Ora Reyes for coordinating the reception after Easter Vigil - and to all the Liturgical Ministers who assisted with the Masses and Prayer Services during Holy Week. We are blessed to have so many wonderful parishioners.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Jesus is Mercy itself. He was born into time to save us from sin. And to ensure His Mercy was always available to us, He gave us the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our Gospel, Jesus encounters the apostles after the resurrection and says, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Jesus gave us the gift of this sacrament because He wants to help us reach eternal life. He knows we cannot do it without His merciful love, and a resolve to do better and to follow Him more faithfully.

Today, may we recall the precious gift God has given to us through His Son — Mercy itself. May we never forget that, with a contrite heart and a resolution to do better, God is always willing to forgive.

Source: Catholic Stewardship Consultants

Jesús es la misericordia misma. Nació en el tiempo para salvarnos del pecado. Y para asegurarnos de que Su Misericordia estuviera siempre a nuestra disposición, Él nos dio el sacramento de la reconciliación. En nuestro Evangelio, Jesús se encuentra con los apóstoles después de la resurrección y dice: "Recibe el Espíritu Santo. Cuyos pecados perdonas son perdonados, y cuyos pecados conservas son conservados." Jesús nos dio el don de esta Santa Cena porque Quiere ayudarnos a alcanzar la vida eterna. Él sabe que no podemos hacerlo sin Su amor misericordioso, y la determinación de hacerlo mejor y de seguirlo más fielmente.

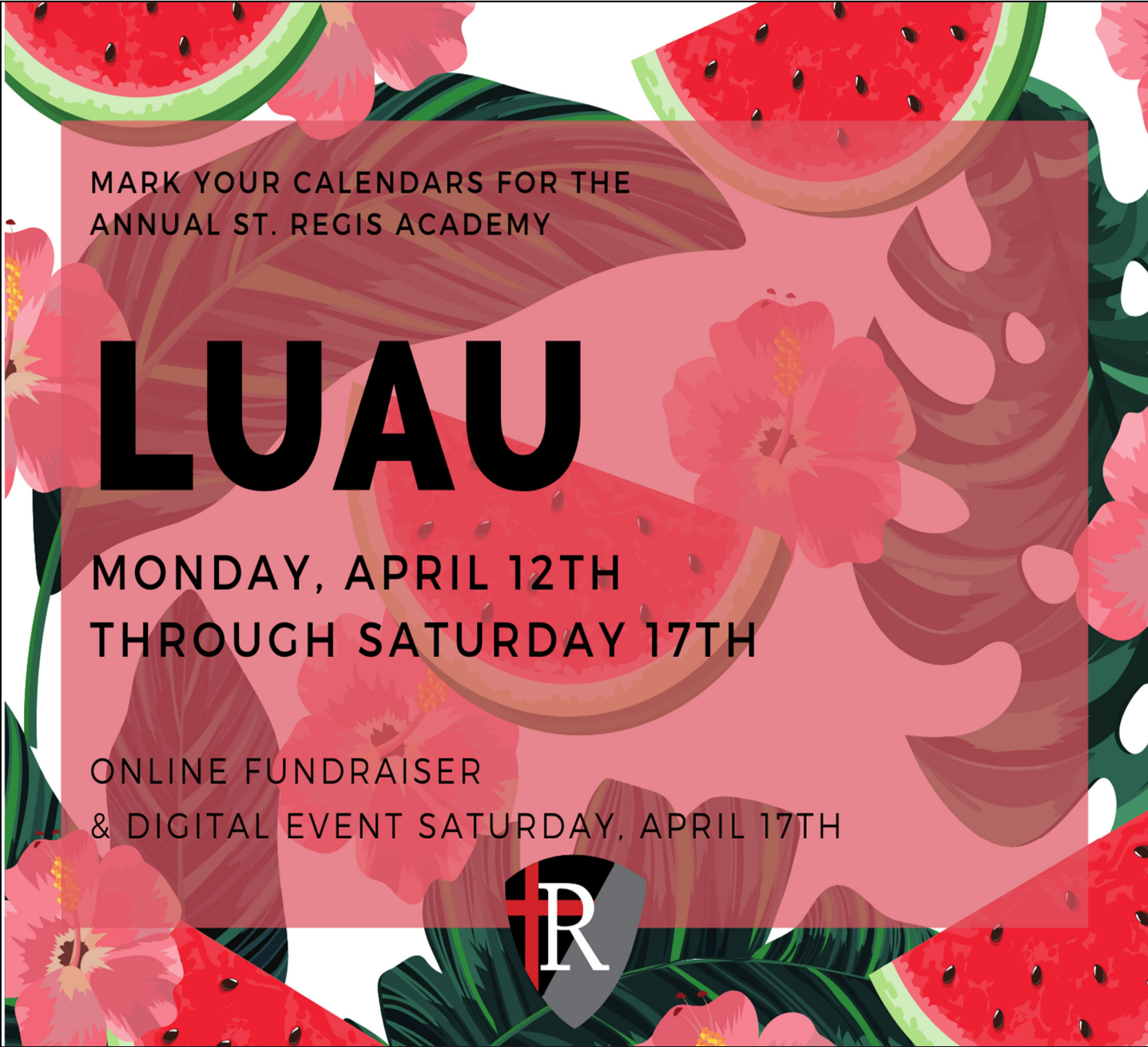
Hoy, recordemos el precioso don que Dios nos ha dado a través de Su Hijo — Misericordia misma. Que nunca olvidemos que, con un corazón contrito y una resolución para hacerlo mejor, Dios siempre está dispuesto a perdonar.

Fuente: Consultores católicos de mayordomía

BAPTISM

Welcome to the newest member born to new life in Christ through the Holy Waters of Baptism. **Waylon John Collins**, son of Kasey and Jill who was baptized last week ago. May he be blessed throughout his life and be guided by the Holy Spirit.





MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE
ANNUAL ST. REGIS ACADEMY

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MONDAY, APRIL 12TH
THROUGH SATURDAY 17TH

ONLINE FUNDRAISER
& DIGITAL EVENT SATURDAY, APRIL 17TH



IT'S TIME TO PLAY WITH FIRE

Are you ready to make the sparks fly on **Friday, April 30th** at Swope Memorial Golf Course? Get set for one of the best days of the year raising funds to support the FIRE Foundation! We'll tee off at 9 am and all golfers will enjoy breakfast, on-course beverages and a BBQ lunch. This year is FIRE's 25th anniversary and we're revving up to raise \$100,000. Proceeds will support inclusive Catholic education at 14 area schools. *Will you join us as a tournament sponsor?* Visit [FIREfoundation.org](https://firefoundation.org) for details.

LADIES AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP

The Ladies Auxiliary of Knights of Columbus Council 13671 of St. Regis Parish is offering a Scholarship in the amount of \$350.00 to an individual who is or will be attending Middle School at St. Regis Academy for the 2021-2022 school year. The application deadline is **April 15th, 2021**. To obtain an application, please send email to Sherry Falke or call to request form. Slfal-ke6966@gmail.com or 816-916-7089

SCHOOL NEWS

Vision

By the Grace of God, St. Regis Academy seeks to be a locally recognized leader in graduating young men and women who are spiritually and academically prepared for a lifetime of discipleship.

Mission

St. Regis Academy in partnership with parents, as the primary educators of their children, seeks to provide a Catholic Classical Liberal Arts Education centered on Christ. We seek to cultivate an environment that fosters a student's natural desire for Truth, Beauty, and Goodness. St. Regis Academy prepares students to think critically, reason logically, articulate clearly, and engage others persuasively. Our enrollment includes racial, ethnic, and economic diversity within the Body of Christ, providing a wealth of opportunity for students to grow in virtue by pursuing spiritual, emotional, and academic excellence.



St. Regis Academy & ECC has immediate openings in our preschool program! Our program strives to provide a safe, loving, and nurturing environment for our students to learn and grow! Contact Preschool Coordinator, Chelsea Wilton, for more information and a Virtual Tour! **phone:** 816-763-5837 **email:** cwilton@regisecc.org

ROSARY RALLY

Please join us for the April Holy Rosary Rally in Honor of Our Blessed Mother and Our Lady of Fatima—which will be held on **Sunday April 18th** (one week after Divine Mercy Sunday) from 3:00 pm to 4:15 pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 3333 Broadway Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64111. We will pray the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious mysteries of the Holy Rosary followed by Benediction and the opportunity for attendees to enroll in the Brown Scapular. For driving instructions or future dates for the Kansas City monthly Holy Rosary rallies, please visit www.rosaryrallieskc.org

MEATLOAF MONDAY & FOOD COLLECTION

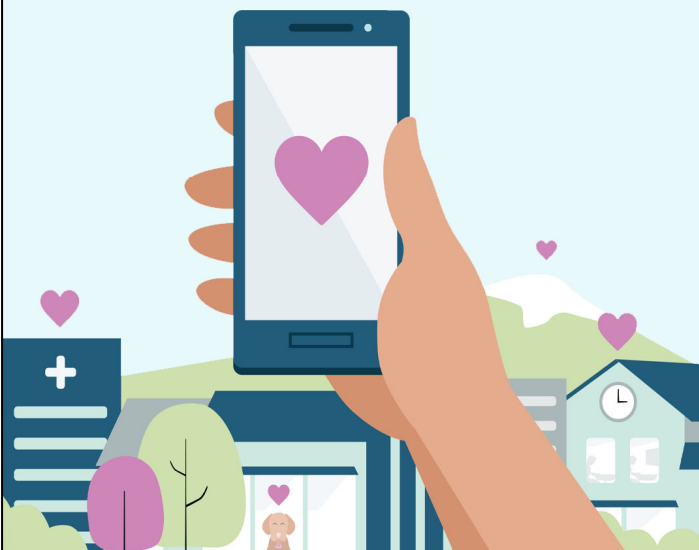
Our commitment to serve St. James Soup Kitchen is next **Monday, April 19th**. Sign-up sheets are available in the Gathering Space. Please bring your sliced, wrapped and frozen meatloaf with you to Mass next weekend, **April 17th and 18th** and place it in one of the coolers provided. If you cannot bring 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. Your donated food items are greatly appreciated. Thanks for your continued support of these ministries.



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St. Regis
ACADEMY *Catholic Classical Education*

Open House

Thursday, April 15th
5-7 PM
Call to schedule a private tour:
816.763.5837



LIFT UP—KANSAS CITY
Catholic Charities KCSJ recently opened its first Food Pantry, “Lift Up—Kansas City” at our temporary site in St. Catherine of Siena Parish. The Pantry is available to anyone in our diocese and includes an online shopping portal for clients to choose groceries. Our plan is to have mobile outreach deliver food and emergency services across the diocese. We continue to seek capital support in the form of a building, shelving, box trucks, vans & forklifts and also search for a permanent home to serve the southern portion of our diocese and a location in our northern counties. If you have knowledge of or access to any of these items, please let us know. For more information, contact Jessica Gant at 816-882-4781 or jgant@ccharities.com. To volunteer, contact Linda Hopkins at 659-8205 or lhopkins@ccharities.com.

The Art and Environment Committee is grateful to those who made donations to the flower fund for the Easter season.
Please remember their friends and relatives in prayer.

Ruth Rodriguez –in memory of Deceased Family & Friends of the Sonderman & Rodriguez Families
James & Louise Kuchinski –in memory of Aletha & Morris Manley; Lola & Jim Martin; Dan Kuchinski
Marilyn Beck –in memory of Walter Beck
Manuel Botello
Kelly Metz –in memory of Herman, Helen & Carl Metz
Pamela Singleton –in memory of Jack Howard & in honor of Mary Howard
Steve & Debbie Ramm –Jeremy Ramm
Julie Schneider –in memory of Max & Betty Schneider
Steven & Melissa Koop
Jim & Pat Filley –in memory of Mary Katherine Filley-Coleman
Otto & Joanne Hill –in memory of Mary Gordon, Mamie Hill & Laurie Bomar
Bill & Gay Heydon –Bill & Loretta Heydon; Joe & Wilma Ryan
John & Virginia Reyes –in memory of the Reyes, Mejia, Florez & Munoz Families
Theresa Van Pelt –in memory of Ken Van Pelt; Frank & Daisy Sadecki; Kenneth & Bernice Van Pelt
Teresa King –in memory of the Wallendorf, Schmitz, King & Meiner Families

—to be continued next week

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Beginning Experience is offering a healing weekend **April 30 – May 2, 2021** at Savior Pastoral Center in Kansas City Kansas. This invitation is open to men and women of all ages who have suffered the loss of a spouse through death, divorce, or separation. It is a time to heal and a time to begin anew. Reservations are required. For more information visit: www.beginningexperiencekc.org email: register.bekc@gmail.com or contact Laura 308-530-1873

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, David Berg, Fran & Dennis Wadle, Rose Marie Larson, Dean Starr, Gene Helling, Aidan Jones, Kathy Ness, Joanne Whitehorse, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Adelia Spann, Jack Gress, Denise Kopek, Margie Strobl, Dolores Dick, Kathy Morehouse, McCartney Weist, Larry Hayden, Ray McMichael, Dennis Reilly, Homer Radford, Siggie Koop, Teresa Foster, Joseph Gregory, Margaret Kelly, Bob Harvey, Jackie Jackson, Ardith Fetterolf, Maria Rose Brown, Lois Beres, Phil Hoffman, Kristen Brown, Larry Fournier, Ethel Felder, Coletta Merrigan, Buddemeyer Family, Pat Romero, Janet Helms, Mary Hunter, Chris & Sarah Teehey, Babette Lathrop, Shelly Clemons, Pauline Umbenhowe, Bob Slusher, Genevieve Thieme, Pat Filley, Bill Massop, Maximo Rivera, Dallas Schilizer, Lupita Sharkey, Larry & Brenda Grant, Wendy McKellar, Diane Greene, Jerry Stanford, Milton Bryant, Kale Van Pelt, Rose Brown, Bridget Kopek, Mike Reilly, Susan England, Brian Pattee, Suzy Hanger, Jennifer Allee, Carole McCaffery, Jan Hillyer, Georgine Hartigan, Bob Hoffman, Maria Brown, Anna Barber, Anita Hampton, Bill Esser, Tina Banks, Leonard & Yvonne Duerr, Teresa King, JR Lillig, Ralph Ford, Deanna Hodson, Michael Wertz, Gary Walker, Jack Lankford, Carol Christian, John Minton, Terry Block, Jim Filley, Susanna Wernsman May, Marcey Reilly, Rosemary Shoemaker, Terri Steenson, Ben Rosenblum, Patricia Haselhorst and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Joann Davis, sister-in-law of Joan Sack

Liturgical Roles

April 17 & 18

Lectors

3:00pm Marvin Chaney & Melissa Wiehn
8:30am Sue Nichols & Katie Radford
10:30am Terry Colombatto & Elizabeth Divis

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

3:00pm Jim Filley, Marvin Chaney, Melissa Wiehn
Charlene Helling
8:30am Sherry Falke, Susan Duerr, Jacob Duerr
Ron Des Combes
10:30am Marcia Collins, Don Wolff, Kathy Wolff
Elaine Allee

Servers

3:00pm Allison Wiehn & Jackson Price
8:30am Ryan Holst & Clara Stribling
10:30am Madison Hallam & Ronnie Hallam

Greeters

3:00pm Jerry Crowley & Jack Hanes
8:30am Rick Kraus & Sue Quanty Smith
10:30am Richard Rademacher & Tony Reyes

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 13

†John Walker by John & Betty Hernandez

Wednesday, April 14

†Bert McNamara by Bob & Rose Brown

Thursday, April 15

For the Intentions of the Surber Family

Friday, April 16

†Melvin Spreitzer by Bob & Rose Brown

Saturday, April 17

3:00pm †Jim Brands by Bill & Karen Massop

Sunday, April 18

8:30am †Bob Sack by Joan Sack
10:30am †John Walker by Ruth Cugyen
5:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

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	
Jamie Jo	Martin	15	4/12	1989
Mary A.	Arnold	78	4/12	1992
Connie	Inlow	80	4/12	2019
Ardella	Winkgler	78	4/13	1969
George P.	Guastella	54	4/13	1972
Reuben	Rowland	75	4/13	1993
Maxine	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
Janis	Gormly	83	4/17	2020
Patricia	Mullen	39	4/17	1977
Mary Evelyn	Lewis	85	4/17	1984
Frank J. Jr	Spurgeon	70	4/17	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.

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 the Victim Advocate at 816-392-0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Schedule of Events

Sunday, April 11

8:30am Mass
 10:30am Mass
 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
 5:00pm Confirmation Meeting

Monday, April 12

7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way
 7:00pm Social Service Ministry Council
 Luau/Online

Tuesday, April 13

8:30am Mass
 6:00pm Spanish Prayer Workshop
 6:30pm Rosary
 7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way
 Luau/Online

Wednesday, April 14

8:30am Mass
 6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
 7:00pm Praise Team Practice
 7:00pm Spanish Bible Study
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus
 Luau/Online

Thursday, April 15

8:30am Mass
 9:00am Scripture Study
 5:00pm St. Regis Academy Open House
 7:00pm Boy Scouts
 7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way
 Luau/Online

Friday, April 16

8:30am Mass
 7:00pm Worship Council
 Luau/Online

Saturday, April 17

2:00pm Confessions
 3:00pm Mass
 Food Collection
 Luau/Online

Sunday, April 18

8:30am Mass
 10:30am Mass
 1:00pm 1st Communion Mass
 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
 Food Collection

2nd Sunday of Easter

April 11, 2021

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