



# Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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June 27, 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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School Office	763-5837
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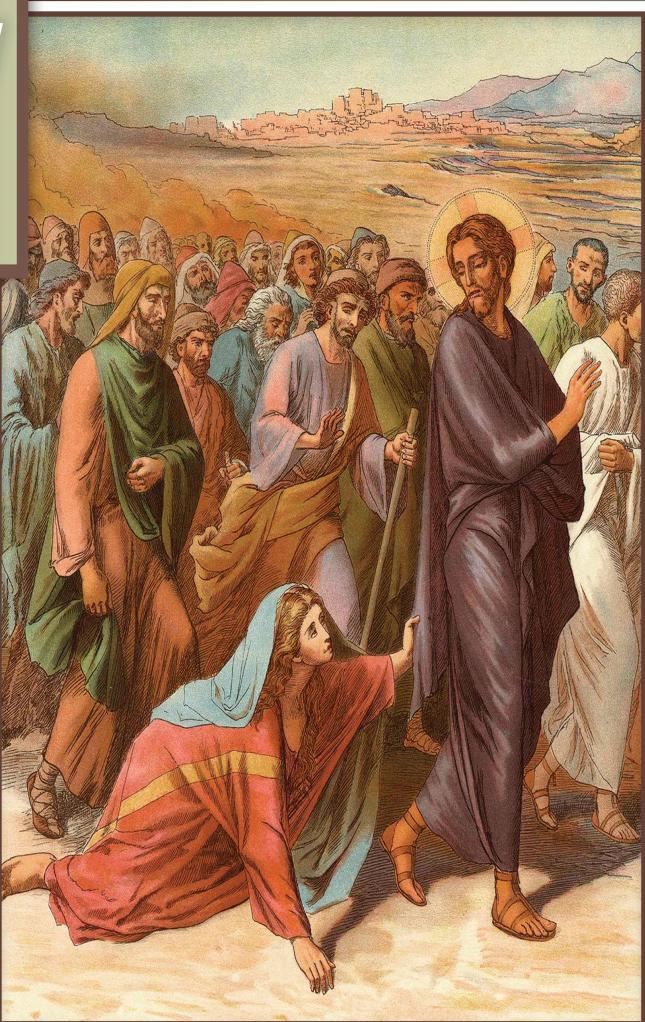
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Robin Fisher	Fr. Sean McCaffery

June 27  
2021

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME



*Jesus said to the woman,  
"Daughter, your faith has saved you.  
Go in peace and be cured of your affliction."*

Mark 5:34

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

As Independence Day draws near, we think of the men and women of the military who serve with courage and competence, some far from home. How does the Church accompany them? In 1939, Pope Pius XII created an independent jurisdiction of the Catholic Church called the “Military Vicariate.” In 1985 Pope John Paul II created the “Archdiocese for Military Services, USA.” Spanning the globe and serving nearly one and a half million Roman Catholics, more than one thousand priests minister in hospitals, on military bases of all the armed forces, on ships at sea, and on the battlefield. The AMS does not ordain priests, but accepts priests on loan from religious orders and dioceses.

In 1824 a Jesuit priest named Adam Marshall enlisted in the Navy and died at sea in 1825. He was assigned as a “schoolmaster,” but he sought out and ministered to Catholic sailors. Twenty years later, President Polk was worried that the war with Mexico was seen as anti-Catholic, so he recruited two Jesuit priests to serve in the army as chaplains. At the time of the Civil War, only about ten percent of Americans were Catholic. Military policies forced Catholic soldiers to attend Protestant services. The Church protested this rule, and many priests volunteered to become chaplains. Their witness and the courage of the “Nuns of the Battlefield” (several orders of sisters who assisted Civil War victims) helped temper prejudice against Catholics and pave the way for the life and ministry of this vigorous and unique archdiocese.

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## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

The St. Regis Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program is scheduled to begin in September. The RCIA program is not just for people who are new to the faith, it can benefit all. You would not only be growing in your knowledge but would also be able to provide encouragement to the people new to the faith. So if you know of anyone that may be interested in becoming Catholic or just interested in learning what it is the Catholic Church believes and teaches, have them contact me. You can also give me their contact info and I will contact them. If you are Catholic and your spouse is not, talk to them and see if they would be willing to take the classes. They can decide after that whether they would like to become Catholic or not. Contact Ora Reyes at 816-668-5680, if you are interested or have questions.

## ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In today’s second reading, St. Paul teaches the community at Corinth about a spirituality of giving. He urges them to give and helps them understand that through their generosity, they will in turn be recipients of a spiritual abundance. They will receive from those who are the beneficiaries of their own giving a reciprocal gift that amounts to an equality of giving that deepens their relationship with Christ Jesus. A good reflection this week would be to think of the ways your own life has been enriched by your generosity. How might you have reaped a spiritual abundance through your own generous behavior?

En la segunda lectura de hoy, San Pablo enseña a la comunidad de Corinto sobre la espiritualidad de dar. Él los insta a dar y les ayuda a entender que, por medio de su generosidad, a su vez serán receptores de una abundancia espiritual. Recibirán de aquellos que son los beneficiarios de su donación un don recíproco que equivale a una igualdad de dar que profundiza su relación con Cristo Jesús. Una buena reflexión esta semana sería pensar en las formas en las que su propia vida se ha enriquecido por su generosidad. ¿Cómo podría usted haber cosechado una abundancia espiritual a través de su propio comportamiento generoso?

## CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

Thank you for your generosity to last week’s collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC spread the Gospel message and connect millions of people with Christ, here in the United States and around the world. If you missed the collection, it’s not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections), and click on the “How to Give” link on the left.

## LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **July and August** 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.

# EXPOSITION OF SACRED RELICS

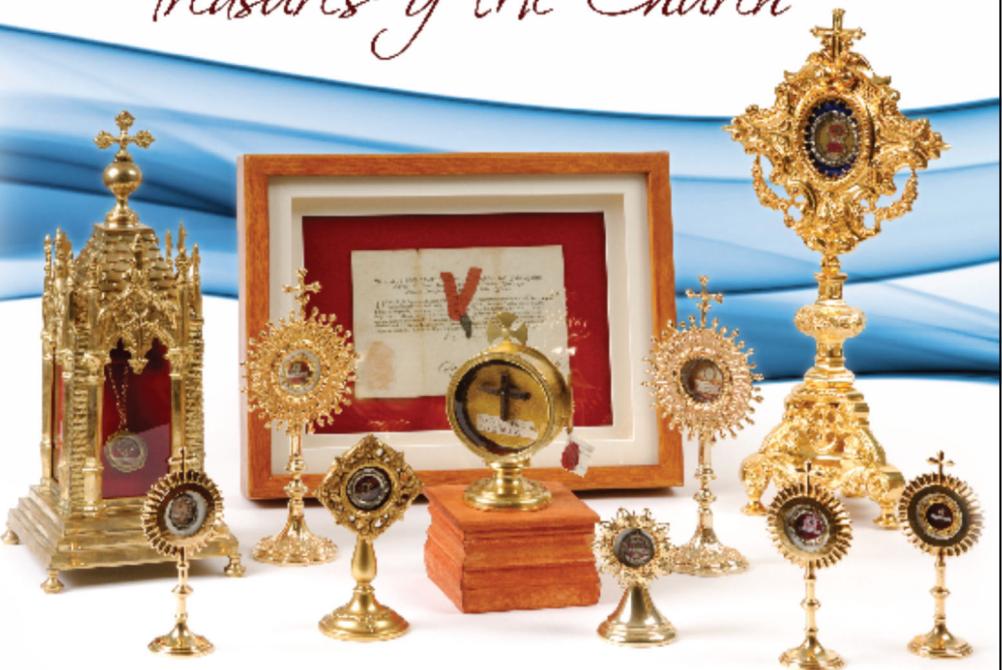
*Treasures of the Church*

**St. John Francis Regis Parish**

welcomes you to a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics. Over 150 relics will be shown, some as old as 2,000 years.

Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. John the Baptist, St. Mary Magdalene, St. Maria Goretti, St. Thérèse of Lisieux, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska.

There will also be a fragment of the Veil that belonged to Our Lady and some of the largest remaining pieces of the Wood of the True Cross in the world.



presented by Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross

HELD IN THE CHURCH ON

**MONDAY JULY 26 AT 6:30 PM**

See [www.treasuresofthechurch.com](http://www.treasuresofthechurch.com) for more information

## SACRED RELICS OF THE SAINTS: TREASURES OF THE CHURCH

St. John Francis Regis Parish presents a teaching and exposition of Sacred Relics on Monday July 26 at 6:30 pm. Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross will be here with an extraordinary Vatican collection of over 150 relics, some as old as 2000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the “Little Flower”), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. There will also be a portion of the Veil of Our Lady and one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. Throughout history, many healings have been worked in the presence of relics; and thousands have occurred through this ministry. Do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members, which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession.

### EUCARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

### ON VACATION?

When you are out of town, Mass times can be found on the following website: <http://www.masstimes.org>. Just enter the town or city where you are going. It gives you the names of the nearby churches, their Mass times and website information if available.

**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.

**NOW ENROLLING**

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](mailto:cwilton@regisecc.org)

**SENIOR CARE SERVICES**

Catholic Charities KCSJ's Senior Care Services provide a menu of supportive services for older adults (55+, low income) in neighborhoods where underserved seniors reside. The program provides a comprehensive, client-centered continuum, designed to meet a senior's varying needs. This allows seniors to live a healthy, self-sustaining life in their own home and community. Services may include meal preparation for special diets, cleaning, laundry, shopping, reading, trash disposal, and resource education. Home-based service participation begins with an initial conversation with either the individual or referral source. To inquire about Senior Care Services, contact us at 816-221-4377 or [assistance@charities.com](mailto:assistance@charities.com).

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### OUTPACE POVERTY

WALK/FUN RUN  
FAMILY FESTIVAL

This past year has looked quite a bit different for many social and fundraising events. Catholic Charities KCSJ's Outpace Poverty is no exception. The decision was recently made to move OPP to the fall. We encourage you to save the date and plan to help *Outpace Poverty* on **September 18, 2021** when we host a 5K Walk/Fun Run and Family Festival that benefits our work in addressing poverty. We will be back at the beautiful Theis Park and there will also be a virtual opportunity again as well. More information and registration will be available in the coming months. Contact Brooke Hilst, Major Gifts Manager, with questions at 816-659-8274 or [bhilst@ccharities.com](mailto:bhilst@ccharities.com).





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**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 Whitehurst, 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, Siggy Koop, Teresa Foster, Joseph Gregory, Margaret Kelly, Gregory Richard, 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 Teeffey, Babette Lathrop, Shelly Clemons, Pauline Umbenhower, 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, Jim Filley, Susanna Wernsman May, Marcey Reilly, Rosemary Shoemaker, Terri Steenson, Ben Rosenblum, Patricia Haselhorst, Sandra Gale, Paul & Donna Petersen, Danny Hermon, Lynda Walker, Sam Soulis, Pat Gallagher, Mike Gallagher, Richard Rademacher, Steve Temple and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

## Liturgical Roles July 3 & 4

### Lectors

- 3:00pm Jim Filley & Alex Pope
- 8:30am Pat Hanson & Rick Janet
- 10:30am Ora Reyes & Theresa Van Pelt

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 3:00pm Alex Pope, Tom Smith, Dorothy Quinn Gretchen Maschger
- 8:30am Regina Ozburn, Sue Nichols, Kathleen Robb Maxine Rodriguez
- 10:30am Gwen Hull, Debbie Lickteig, Mary Kimbrell Teresa Mahnke

### Servers

- 3:00pm Jayla Tolson & Allison Wiehn
- 8:30am Jessica Loulos & Clara Stribling
- 10:30am Betty Banlomon & Katherine Banlomon

### Greeters

- 3:00pm Marvin Chaney & Manuel Botello
- 8:30am Rick Kraus & Sue Quantz Smith
- 10:30am Mary Lou Glasbrenner & Ken Glasbrenner

## Mass Intentions

### Tuesday, June 29

†Lucile Edmonds by Jim & Pat Filley

### Wednesday, June 30

†George Beres by Lois Beres

### Thursday, July 1

†Al DeMarea by Anna DeMarea

### Friday, July 2

†Loretta Schmitz by Teresa King

### Saturday, July 3

3:00pm †Jerry Schroeder

### Sunday, July 4

- 8:30am †Terry Block by George & Teri Weiter
- 10:30am †Duane & Josephine Bollenbach by Katherine Camacho
- 5:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

**IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS**

Name		Age	Date of Death
Dorothea	Dobel	78	6/27 1968
George	Kersten	60	6/27 1972
Dorothy	Snodgrass	81	6/27 2006
Gwendolyn	Jones	93	6/27 2012
Lucien	Adams	83	6/28 1982
Cleadius	Shepard	61	6/29 1982
John Edmond	Lamb	75	6/29 1986
Martin	Steinmetz	37	6/30 1979
Paul	Monteil	87	6/30 2016
Gladys	O'Shea	83	7/1 1982
Henry	Burasco	81	7/1 1983
Dudley G.	Schmidt	75	7/1 1999
Jennie	Martinez	91	7/1 2000
Gertrude E.	Schwalje	72	7/2 1994
Alta M.	Doubrava	91	7/2 1998
Margaret	Skinner	67	7/2 1999
Stanley W.	Curry	69	7/3 1987
John G.	Yardrick	78	7/3 1990

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](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 the Victim Advocate at 816-392-0011 or [victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

**Schedule of Events****Sunday, June 27**

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 5:00pm Mass/Spanish

**Monday, June 28**

- 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class

**Tuesday, June 29**

- 8:30am Mass
- 6:30pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class
- 7:00pm Praise Team Practice

**Wednesday, June 30**

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:00am Spanish Bible Class
- 6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
- 6:00pm Spanish Bible Class/Teens
- 7:00pm Spanish Bible Study
- 7:30pm Spanish Bible Class/Young Adults

**Thursday, July 1**

- 8:30am Mass
- 7:00pm Boy Scouts
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class

**Friday, July 2**

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:00am Spanish Bible Class
- 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class

**Saturday, July 3**

- 2:00pm Confessions
- 3:00pm Mass

**Sunday, July 4**

## Independence Day

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary
- 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)

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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