



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

August 26, 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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| Religious Education | 761-1608 |
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AUGUST 26, 2018
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



AS FOR ME AND
MY HOUSEHOLD,

*we will serve
the Lord.*

JOSHUA 24:15

THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Do you know of anyone who might be interested in exploring the possibility of becoming Catholic? Maybe you have a friend, family member, co-worker who is not baptized or does not belong to a faith community. This is an excellent opportunity to invite them to explore the truth, beauty and splendor of the Catholic faith. Inquiry classes begin in September; however, you can contact Deacon Sam now (816) 761-1608 to discuss your particular circumstances before classes begin.

LITURGICAL TRAINING

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion may receive specialized training for bringing communion to the sick and homebound on **Saturday, September 29** from 8:30am to 12:30pm at 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.



FUN & FAITH NIGHT

August 26, 4-7pm

Worship Council invites all young men & women (4th grade on up)—and parents too.

We will:

- Reflect on ways to serve Our Lord in the Liturgy
- Have some fun together
- Listen to your ideas of ways our parish can help us follow Jesus more closely
- Eat some pizza

Sign up at Mass by August 19th.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In today's Gospel, we hear that a number of Jesus' followers left him because his message was too difficult for them to accept. In essence, they did not believe in him. He then asked the Twelve if they wished to leave as well. Peter responds by making a profound profession of faith in Jesus as Lord and Savior. The Twelve made a choice and stood by their choice, remaining loyal to their commitment to Jesus. A good question for our reflection might be this: Are we satisfied with the stewardship we exercise over our baptismal commitment? Are we just "along for the ride?" Are we keeping Christ in front of us as we make decisions about our daily activities, our relationships, our parish, issues in the workplace, issues such as peace and justice? What is the quality of our stewardship?

(This scripture reflection is from the International Catholic Stewardship Council e-bulletin)

SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR FAMILY LEGACY

Who will take your place as a generous benefactor to St. Regis? A memorial gift in your Will could continue your generosity after death.

THURSDAY MORNING SCRIPTURE SHARING

The Thursday Morning scripture group will begin meeting again on Thursday, **September 6th**, immediately following the 8:30am Mass. We use the scriptures for the coming Sunday for the focus of our study. We read and reflect on the Sunday readings and spend time in fellowship. Our gatherings last about an hour in the Mary room. All materials are provided. You can simply attend on the weeks that you are able. We hope you will consider joining us. All are welcome.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

SCHOOL OF RELIGION NEWS

We will be starting our classes on **Wednesday, September 5th at 7 pm**. These classes are for students who attend public schools grades K-8. Registration forms are in the Gathering Space. For more info contact Susan Duerr 761-1608.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

The Catholic ministry at the Jackson County Detention Center (the county jail), has a great need for large print bibles. The St. Joseph Edition of the New American Bible, which is the ministry's preferred copy of our sacred scripture. The cost is \$9.02 per copy and they come ten in a box, If you would like to participate in supporting this ministry need please contact Deacon Sam in the parish office.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION SIGN-UP

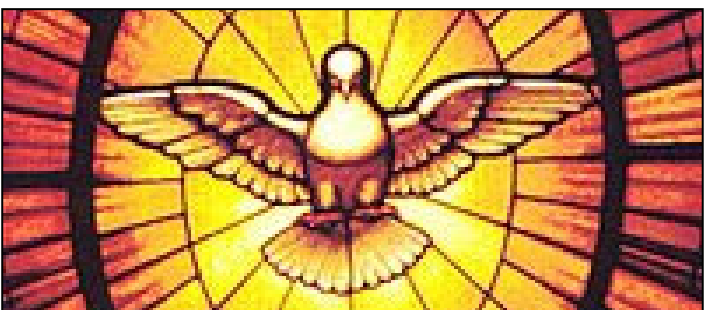
You are invited once again to *Spiritually Adopt* a baby still in the womb of his or her mother who maybe in danger of abortion. Your prayers are a very powerful weapon against the violent and devastating destruction of God's most beautiful creations. Once again the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is sponsoring a Spiritual Adoption Program. It doesn't cost anything, just a few minutes of your time to pray for our most precious gift. It just may save a baby's life.

We will have adoption sign-ups the weekends of **August 25/26 and September 1/2**. Please come to our table in the Gathering Space and save a baby's life.



LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **September and October** 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.



CONGRATULATIONS

Please keep these young people in prayer and offer them your congratulations. They will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on **Wednesday, August 29th**. We are proud of their accomplishments and ask God's continued blessing upon them.

- Margaret Banlomon
- Erin Kimbrell
- Justus Burdick
- Audrey Maglich
- Anna Strobl

FALL FESTIVAL

Food, drink, music, games, crafts, hayrides, bounce house, obstacle course, bingo, cake walk, and more!

Sunday September 30 at St Regis Church from 11:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

<http://stregischurch.com/>

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.

Upcoming Dates:

Saturday, August 25 - Back to School BBQ Meadowere Park 13610 Byars Rd. Grandview, MO 64030

Tuesday, August 28 - School Pictures, casual wear

Thursday, August 30 - Curriculum Night
 K-5 - 5:30-6:30pm
 6-8 - 6:30-7:30pm

Friday, August 31 - No School; Professional development

Monday, September 3 - No School; Labor Day

**EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
 NOW ENROLLING**

St. Regis Early Childhood Center is committed to the development of the whole child; physically, socially, emotionally, and spiritually. We provide families in our parish and surrounding community with a safe, diverse, and developmentally appropriate environment for their children. Our goal is to build a partnership with families who we serve. Now enrolling ages birth to five years. Call 816-763-6566 for more information.



St. Regis
 ACADEMY
 Catholic Classical Education

ALUMNI WEEKEND

Friday Evening, September 28th

Recess at Regis

Family friendly yard games, food, and drinks

Saturday Night, September 29th

Alumni Mass and Dinner

Sunday Afternoon, September 30th

Annual Craft Fair and Fall Festival


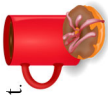

HELP WANTED

St. Regis Academy is looking for STREAM Coaches for our first session of STREAM classes. Classes will be held on Thursday, September 6th, Thursday, September 13th, Thursday September 20th, Thursday, September 27th, and Thursday, October 4th. The classes will be from 10:30am - 11:45am. To volunteer, please contact Robin Sowders, Principal at rsowders@regisacademy.org

YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday Nights, 7-8:30pm
7th-12th graders

Join us for food, games, and faith based activities and talks. Permission forms can be found online or contact Michelle Ismert at mmismert18@gmail.com.

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 2 830am Mass 930am Ladies Auxiliary 1030am Mass | 3 <i>Labor Day</i> 900am Mass 700pm Prayer & Life No School Parish Office Closed | 4 830am Mass 9am Immaculata Militia 700pm Rosary | 5 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion 700pm Youth Group | 6 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Choir Practice | 7 830am Mass 9am 12 Hour Adoration | 8 330pm Confessions 430pm Mass |
| 9 <i>Super Sunday</i> 830am Mass 1030am Mass/Childcare/ Children Lit  | 10 700am Mass 700pm Prayer & Life 700pm SSMC | 11 830am Mass 700pm Rosary | 12 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion 700pm Youth Group 700pm K of C | 13 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Choir Practice 700pm RCIA | 14 830am Mass | 15 330pm Confessions 430pm Mass Food Collection |
| 16 830am Mass 1030am Mass/Childcare/ Children Lit. Food Collection | 17 <i>Soup Kitchen</i> <i>Meatloaf Monday</i> 700am Mass 700pm Prayer & Life | 18 830am Mass 700pm Rosary | 19 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion 700pm Youth Group | 20 7am Breakfast of Champions 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Choir Practice 700pm RCIA | 21 830am Mass | 22 330pm Confessions 430pm Mass |
| 23 830am Mass 1030am Mass | 24 700am Mass 700pm Prayer & Life | 25 830am Mass 700pm Rosary 700pm Worship Council | 26 830am Mass 9am 4th Wed. Breakfast 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion 700pm Youth Group | 27 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Choir Practice 700pm RCIA | 28 <i>Alumni Weekend</i> 830am Mass 6pm Recess at Regis | 29 <i>Alumni Weekend</i> 330pm Confessions 430pm Mass/Alumni 530pm School Tours/ Cocktail Hour 630pm Alumni Dinner |
| 30 <i>Alumni Weekend</i> 830am Mass/K of C 1030am Mass/All School 1130am Fall Festival/ Craft Show |  | | | | | |

LILLIS HIGH SCHOOL REUNION

The 1970 Bishop Lillis High School Graduating Class is planning a get together / mini-reunion in October 2018. We hope our classmates will be able to join us and catch up after all these years. The get together is planned on **October 5, 2018** at 6:00 pm, at Paul and Jacks, 1808 Clay Street, North Kansas City, MO 64116. Please contact Carole Weigel Lakey (carolelakey@yahoo.com); Nettie Perez Smith (maria.smith3@yahoo.com); Denise Diaz Garcia (dencar1734@gmail.com).

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF TOURNAMENT

Knights of Columbus, Council #4962, will hold its Annual golf tournament on **September 15** at Teetering Rocks Golf Course. The 4 person scramble is shotgun start at 8 a.m. with proceeds to benefit the various charities donated by Council #4962. Beverages, lunch, and prizes provided. Call (816) 678-4986 or (816) 356-4 962 for additional information.

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

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 Whitehorse, Rob & Sandy Smith, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Mary O'Donnell, Ed Batcheler, Bud Seeger, Adelia Spann, Dalton Peavler, Donald Miller, Donald Smith, Sara Davis, Walt Ridenour, Dorothy Linn, Nolan Tritschler, Virginia Esser, Jack Gress, Jerry Schroeder, Bessie Burton, Denise Kopek, Kevin Ford, Brandon Clark, John Biegel, Mandy Reimer, Alyce Panik, Connie King, Margie Strobl, Dolores Dick, Kathy Morehouse, Ben Rosenblum, Silvia Vasquez, Michael Muntzell, McCartney Weist, Larry Hayden, Don Romero, Ray McMichael, Carl Metz, Seth Dujakovich, Cory Patterson, James Soulis, Katherine Reynolds, Elizabeth Andres, Judy Kornowski, Jason Wenberg, Paula Rios, Dennis Reilly, Homer Radford, Siggie Koop, Joseph Gregory, Danny Dolan, Pete Gomez, Julie Nash, Katie Radford, Dennis Reilly, Bob Harvey and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Liturgical Roles

September 1 & 2

Lectors

- 4:30pm Alex Pope & Barbara Schroeder
- 8:30am Diane Schmidt & Theresa Sonderman
- 10:30am Terry Colombatto & Elizabeth Divis

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:30pm Barb Schroeder, Dorothy Quinn, Jim Filley
Larry Hayden, Charlene Helling, Alex Pope
Bernadette Brenner & Gretchen Maschger
- 8:30am Cathy Albers, Mary Jordahl, Sue Nichols
Dennis Wadle, Sherry Falke, Janet Helms
Mike Murtha & Harold Hanson
- 10:30am Mary Kimbrell, Debbie Lickteig, Jacob Duerr
Shane Givens, Ann Garrison, Elaine Allee
Maggie Doedtman & Teresa Mahnke

Servers

- 4:30pm Odily Rowland & Allison Wiehn
- 8:30am Noah Villegas & Ava Villegas
- 10:30am Mitchell Lickteig & Sophia Pacheco

Greeters

- 4:30pm Larry Hayden, Marvin Chaney & Kathy Chaney
- 8:30am Rick Kraus & Jane Marzano
- 10:30am Ken Glasbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

Mass Intentions**Monday, August 27**

7:00am †Fr. Ambrose Karels

Tuesday, August 28

†Clarita Bryant by Cassie Lewis

Wednesday, August 29

†Fr. Denis Dougherty

Thursday, August 30

†Peggy Hanson by Family

Friday, August 31

For the Intentions of Joseph Gregory

Saturday, September 1

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

Sunday, September 2

- 8:30am †John Kankoe Kuevi by Family
- 10:30am †Dorothy Glasbrenner by Family

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

| Name | Age | Date of Death |
|------------------------|-----|---------------|
| Katherine Zubeck | 66 | 8/27 1972 |
| Russell Thomas Cole | 33 | 8/27 1991 |
| Irene K. Lehman | 87 | 8/27 1991 |
| Margaret M. Lange | 85 | 8/27 1993 |
| Lucille E. Hooten | 74 | 8/27 2000 |
| Kenneth Sr. Yunker | 68 | 8/28 1996 |
| Catherine Deuser | 78 | 8/28 1998 |
| John J. Simon Jr. | 68 | 8/28 2001 |
| Virgil N. Stock | 57 | 8/29 1977 |
| Margaret Ellen Gartner | 88 | 8/30 1998 |
| Marcus Foster | 29 | 8/30 2006 |
| Paul Lowe | 57 | 8/31 1980 |
| Vincent Proctor | 76 | 8/31 2017 |
| Harley Dennis | | 9/1 1969 |
| Marie K. Paul | 88 | 9/1 1990 |
| Elizabeth Bales | 84 | 9/1 1998 |
| Nancy VanCompemolle | 51 | 9/1 2003 |
| Charlene Rollneiser | 82 | 9/1 2004 |
| George Beres | 84 | 9/1 2013 |
| Martin G. Lenniman | 56 | 9/2 1981 |

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, August 26

8:30am Mass
10:30am Mass
4:00pm Faith & Fun Night

Monday, August 27

7:00am Mass
7:00pm Prayer & Life Workshop

Tuesday, August 28

8:30am Mass
7:00pm Rosary
7:00pm Worship Council

Wednesday, August 29

8:30am Mass
6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
6:00pm English as Second Language
7:00pm Youth Group

Thursday, August 30

8:30am Mass
5:30pm Curriculum Night
7:00pm Boy Scouts
7:00pm Choir Practice

Friday, August 31

8:30am Mass
No School

Saturday, September 1

3:30pm Confessions
4:30pm Mass

Sunday, September 2

8:30am Mass
10:30am Mass



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August 26, 2018

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