



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

October 10, 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

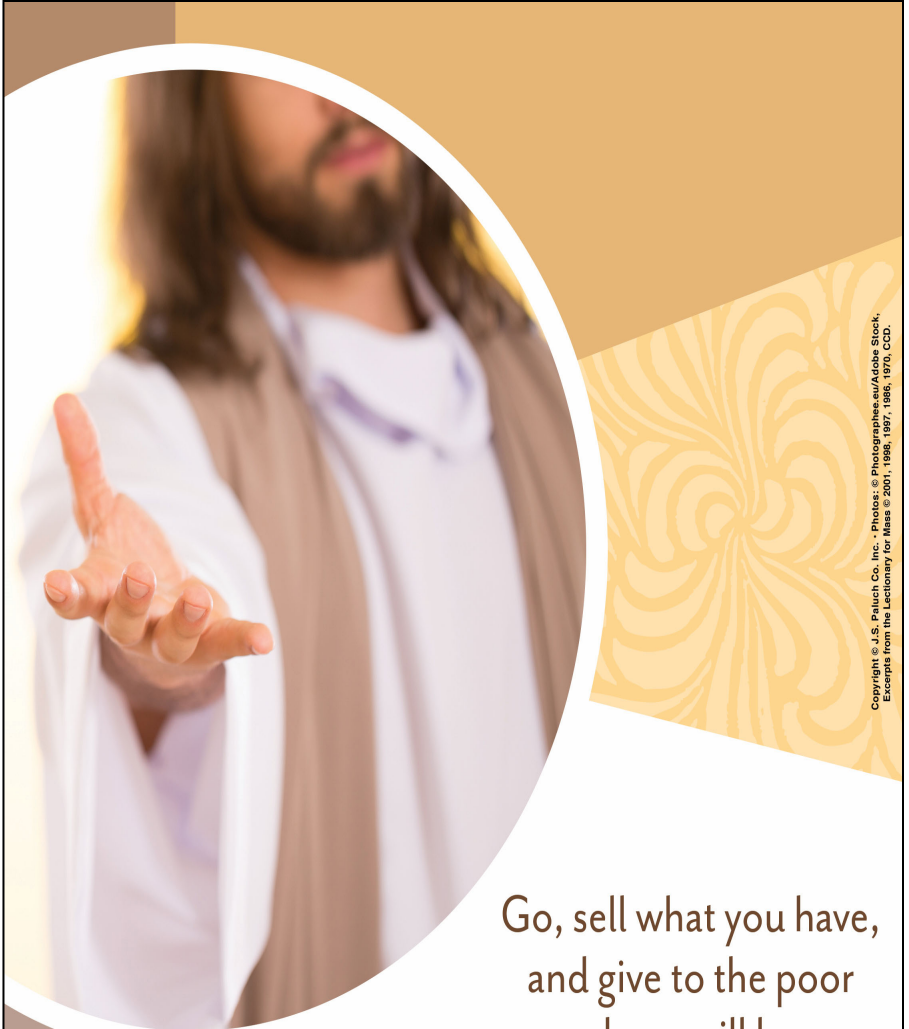
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Go, sell what you have,
and give to the poor
and you will have
treasure in heaven;

then come, follow me.

Mark 10:21

Twenty-Eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
October 10, 2021

CONFIRMATION NEWS

Confirmation classes are starting soon! For any high schoolers who are interested in being confirmed this year, we will have an information session on **Sunday, October 10th at 6:15pm in Mary's room**. Parents should attend (and if possible sponsors as well). If you have any questions or would like to register in advance please contact Kyle Sellnow at ksellnow@regischurch.org.



Save the Date
Ladies Auxiliary Bingo
 Saturday October 30— 4:30pm till finished.

All ladies are invited to come and join the fun, you do not have to be a Ladies Auxiliary member to attend.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Jesus offers a hard lesson regarding wealth and possessions in today's Gospel. The rich man whom he encountered could not part with his possessions as a condition to becoming a disciple of Jesus. Would our response be the same as the rich man? Do we place our trust in our money and possessions instead of trusting in God's generosity? Do we seek security in our possessions? Good stewards realize that their possessions must not possess them, lest those possessions block their relationship with the Lord.

Jesús ofrece una dura lección con respecto a la riqueza y las posesiones en el Evangelio de hoy. El hombre rico que encontró no podía desprenderse de sus posesiones como condición para convertirse en discípulo de Jesús. ¿Sería nuestra respuesta la misma que la del hombre rico? ¿Ponemos nuestra confianza en nuestro dinero y posesiones en lugar de confiar en la generosidad de Dios? ¿Buscamos seguridad en nuestras posesiones? Los buenos corresponsables se dan cuenta de que sus posesiones no deben poseerlos, no sea que esas posesiones bloqueen su relación con el Señor.

BAPTISMS

Welcome to the newest members born to new life in Christ through the Holy Waters of Baptism. **Zura Shuringieh Chi**, daughter of Divine and Hostensia, **Ginevra-Grace Mafor Che** and **Geovanni Musonwe Njinwie Che**, children of Curtis and Queen-Violet who were baptized two weeks ago. May they be blessed throughout their lives and be guided by the Holy Spirit.



TEDDY BEAR DRIVE

The Missouri Knights on Bikes, in conjunction with the Missouri Knights of Columbus/Ladies Auxiliary, needs everyone's help with their 2nd Annual Teddy Bear Drive. Teddy Bear's are bought and distributed to our area Children's Hospital's throughout Missouri during the Holiday Season. What better way to say "Merry Christmas" to a child during the holiday season, presenting them with a Teddy Bear.

Saint Regis Ladies Auxiliary is reaching out to our parishioners to help support this great cause. We will be choosing our Teddy Bear's to be distributed to Children's Mercy Hospital-Kansas City, MO. If you would like to donate to this cause please give your monetary donations to Sherry Falke, Ladies Auxiliary President or Mary Ernstmann-Ladies Auxiliary Treasurer or you may place in the black box outside of the Sacristy under the Ladies Auxiliary tab. We will be accepting donations until **October 20, 2021**. Please make all checks payable to the Ladies Auxiliary.



SAVE THE DATE

All are invited to the following Parish/Academy wide events in October. More details will follow.

- October 29th** - Day of the Dead Festival - 5-9pm in the Parish Hall
- October 31st** - Fiesta de Cristo Misionero Hermanas - 1-6pm in the Parish Hall



ST. REGIS CHIEFS TAILGATE 2021

Sunday, October 24th 11:30am
in the Parish Hall

Tickets: \$10 Single, \$25 Family

All are invited and bring a friend or two.

Chili, Broccoli Cheddar Soup, Hotdogs and sides provided. Door Prizes each Quarter. Halftime Heads & Tails Game.

Tickets go on sale **Saturday October 2, 2021** as well as point board squares. Ticket sales will be all weekends up to the event

We are seeking donations for door prizes, anyone who would like to volunteer to help at this event or have questions, please contact Sherry Falke at Sfalke6966@gmail.com or call 916-7089.

PICTURES OF DECEASED

The month of November is a traditional time when the Church remembers all of our beloved dead. As we have done in the past, we will have a picture display of the deceased. You are invited to bring unframed pictures of your deceased loved ones, no larger than 4x6 for our November display. Please place your pictures in the designated basket in the Gathering Space and be sure to write your name clearly on the back if you would like your picture returned.

BUILDING GOD’S KINGDOM

That is the theme for the 2022 Annual St. Regis Stewardship Appeal. Look for more information in the coming weeks including a two weekend Ministry Fair on **October 30-31 and November 6-7.**

We are excited this year to include the Hispanic Community in show casing all of our Ministries here at St. Regis. To better understand how Stewardship helps us to Build God’s Kingdom for our diverse St. Regis Community, please pick up a copy of the Burgundy book in the Gathering Space based on the Gospel of Mark. There are versions in English and Spanish.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Month 2: I am making great progress. I have already developed all of my external features and internal organs. My brain started functioning after six weeks. With an ultrasonic stethoscope you can hear my heartbeat. Baby-teeth buds were present at 6 1/2 weeks and I can suck my thumb and swallow. After the eighth week, I will continue to grow but everything I need to survive after birth is already present. Mom is probably just finding out about me. Pray, pray, pray.



All the days of his life have been planned out by God before any have come to be. —Psalm 139:16

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd classes will begin again on **Sunday October 10, 2021.** For ages 3-9.

Level 1 ages 3-6, Wednesday 7-8:15pm & Sunday 3-4:30pm
Level 2 ages 6-9, Sunday 3-4:30pm

Sign up’s will be on the weekend of **October 2 & 3rd.** If you are interested for you child to be in one of the classes and are not able to be at one of the sign up’s please let either Sherry Falke Sfalke6966@gmail.com 816-916-7089 or Ora Reyes orareyes@gmail.com 816-668-5680 know that you are interested for your child to join the class. All are welcome.

LECTOR WORKBOOKS

We will be ordering Lector workbooks soon. The cost will be \$13. If you would like to order a workbook call the Parish Office, 761-1608

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

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 & Pre-school is looking for an afternoon assistant to help guide our smallest of scholars as they learn and grow! Applicants must be 18+ years of age and complete Protecting God's Children. The hours

are Monday-Friday from 2:30-6:00pm beginning in August. Interested applicants should contact Preschool Coordinator, Chelsea Wilton at 816-763-5837 or email cwilton@regisecc.org. Please feel free to pass along to anyone you know looking for an employment opportunity!

ITA MAURA NEWS

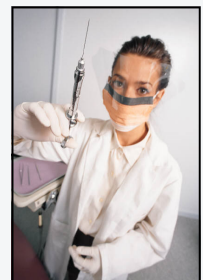
An important step in the fight for social justice is to help improve the condition where people currently live. Since 1992, St. Regis has had a sister relationship (monetary and prayer support) with the Community of Ita Maura, El Salvador.

St. Regis Endowment Fund, through CIS (Center for Exchange and Solidarity Scholarship Program), currently provides scholarships for six High School and four University students. \$5500 is the amount needed for our Endowment Fund this coming school year that starts in January. You'll find an Ita Maura envelope in your monthly envelope packet or you can give online. To give online, from the FUNDS menu, select "Ita Maura Sister Community Scholarship Fund."

Currently, the parish has received \$1449. Please consider an Ita Maura Endowment Fund donation to help our students in their pursuit of Higher Education. Thanks for your generosity and prayers!

FLU SHOTS

Wednesday, October 13th, St. Regis will host a flu Shot Clinic in the Parish Hall. Nurses will be here from 9-10:30am for your convenience. This opportunity will allow employees as well as parishioners to get their yearly flu shot. Sign up sheets are in the Gathering Space. They will also have the *Over 65 Flu Shot* available for people over 65 years of age.



— Future Guardians —
YOU ARE INVITED!

OPEN HOUSE

OCTOBER 23 | 10AM-2PM

REGISTRATION REQUIRED



Register at smacatholic.org/open-house/

ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL
— CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL —

2901 NW Lee's Summit Road
Lee's Summit, Missouri 64064
816-763-4800

SMACATHOLIC.ORG

JOIN US FOR A "LIGHTS ON KC" FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT
Friday ~ October 22, 2021 ~ 6:00-10:00pm



It's not over yet...



Location: St. Regis Catholic Church (in the Parish Hall)
8941 James A. Reed Road ~ KCMO

Cost: \$ 5 per Person IN ADVANCE at: <https://faithcontentnetwork.brushfire.com/heaven/51>

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FOUNDATION

FIREBALL 2021
at the Loews Hotel

CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF
INCLUSIVE CATHOLIC EDUCATION
— OCTOBER 23, 2021 —

PRESENTED BY NORTHPOINT DEVELOPEMENT

Celebrating
25
FIREBALL

FIRE Foundation is turning 25 and that calls for an epic celebration! We were the very first students in our Diocese to start the inclusion revolution. It's been 25 years since our parents and parish families came together to ignite FIRE's flame.

You welcomed us with open arms... and now it's our turn to welcome YOU! We're the Honorary Chairs of FIRE Ball 2021 and we invite you to join us on October 23rd as we raise awareness and funds to support inclusive Catholic education for FIRE's 14 partner schools.

Visit firefoundation.org or email info@firefoundation.org for information and registration.

Austin Beath *Parker Levi* *Nicholas Costanzo*
AUSTIN BEATH PARKER LEVI NICHOLAS COSTANZO

Honorary Chairs of Fire Ball 2021

40 DAYS FOR LIFE
September 22nd– October 31st, 7am-7pm at the Center for Women's Health abortion facility, 4840 College Blvd. Overland Park, KS. Make plans now to come out and pray with a friend! Go to 40daysfor-life.com/overlandpark to sign up or contact Wendy at 40daysfor-lifekc@gmail.com.

LITURGICAL WORKSHOPS

On **Thursday, October 14th** there will be training for Sick and Homebound Ministers at Nativity of Mary Parish in Independence, MO from 6:30-8:30pm. Attendees must previously have taken the training as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If you are interested in going to the training please call 761-1608. to register.

ST. TERESA'S ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE

Parents and their daughters are invited to an Open House at St. Teresa's Academy, 5600 Main St., KCMO on Sunday, **October 10th** from 11am-3pm. Student-led tours leave every 1/2 hour from Windmoor Center (tours last approximately one hour). Please contact Kelly McKee at 816-501-0035 with any questions.

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, David Berg, Fran & Dennis Wadle, Rose Marie Larson, Dean Starr, 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, 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 Teefey, 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, Jim Filley, Rosemary Shoemaker, Ben Rosenblum, Patricia Haselhorst, Sandra Gale, Paul & Donna Petersen, Danny Hermon, Lynda Walker, Sam Soulis, Pat Gallagher, Mike Gallagher, Richard Rademacher, Steve Temple, Maria Vasquez Boyd, Dick Schroer, Lou & Terrie Ramsey, Vickie Young and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of:

Linda Lanning

Lois Beres

Liturgical Roles

October 16 & 17

Lectors

3:00pm Bernadette Brenner & Francis Brenner
8:30am Dianne Schmidt & Ken Stewart
10:30am Ann Garrison & Gwen Hull

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

3:00pm Marvin Chaney, Tom Smith, Melissa Wiehn
Dorothy Quinn
8:30am Dave Vorbeck, Susan Duerr, Ron Des Combes
Maxine Rodriguez
10:30am Bill Massop, Teresa Mahnke, Diane Pacheco
Yajaira Miranda

Servers

3:00pm Ellyson Smith & Jeremy Smith
8:30am Clara Stribling & Emily Winter
10:30am Cole Barrera & Madison Divis

Greeters

3:00pm Jerry Crowley & Manuel Botello
8:30am Sherry Falke & Joan Sack
10:30am Julie Schmidt & Elaine Allee

Mass Intentions**Tuesday, October 12**

†Eliseo & Clara Hernandez
by John & Betty Hernandez

Wednesday, October 13

†Betty Wood by Jim & Pat Filley

Thursday, October 14

†Virginia Esser by Bill Esser

Friday, October 15

†Toni Chapman by Srs. Loretto Marie
& Marie Madeleine

Saturday, October 16

3:00pm †Jerry Schroeder by Robert & Judith Wichert

Sunday, October 17

8:30am For the Intentions of Lorraine Burger
by Don & Kathy Wolff
10:30am †Betty Wood by Jim & Pat Filley
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	
Helen	O'Donnell	71	10/10	1974
Jeffrey	Lanning	33	10/10	1987
Donald	Lathrop	85	10/10	2009
Benjamin	Malle	55	10/11	1970
Henry	Beckerle		10/11	1979
James R.	Campbell	63	10/11	1983
David Michael	Powell	14	10/12	1970
Albert A.	Bales	71	10/12	1985
Launcie Lee	Britton	88	10/14	2012
Melvin	Nash	73	10/15	1985
Pauline	Gvarino	75	10/15	2005
Earl	Gross	83	10/15	2011
William J.	Morrissey	85	10/16	2000
Grover	Meyer	80	10/16	2010

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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816-392-0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

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Schedule of Events

Sunday, October 10

8:30am Mass
 10:30am Mass/Children Liturgy
 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
 6:15pm Confirmation Meeting

Monday, October 11

7:00pm Spanish Bible Class
 7:00pm Bible Study
 7:00pm Social Service Ministry Council

Tuesday, October 12

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

Wednesday, October 13

8:30am Mass
 9:00am Flu Shot Clinic
 6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
 6:00pm Spanish Bible Class/Teens
 7:00pm Spanish Bible Study
 7:00pm Religious Education
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus
 7:30pm Spanish Bible Class/Young Adults

Thursday, October 14

8:30am Mass
 9:00am Scripture Sharing
 4:30pm Vocation Mass
 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class

Friday, October 15

8:30am Mass
 10:00am Spanish Bible Class
 7:00pm Spanish Bible Class
 7:00pm Bible Study
 7:00pm Worship Council
 No School

Saturday, October 16

6:15am That Man Is You
 2:00pm Confessions
 3:00pm Mass
 Food Collection

Sunday, October 17

8:30am Mass
 10:30am Mass/Children Liturgy
 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
 Food Collection

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 10, 2021

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