



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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October 14, 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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It is easier for a camel
to pass through
the eye of a needle
than for one who is rich
to enter the kingdom of God.

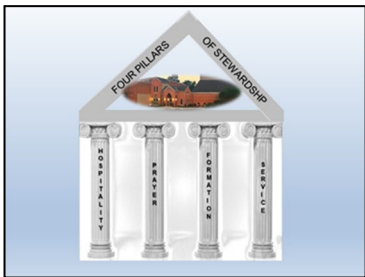
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OCTOBER 14, 2018

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MINISTRY FAIR SCHEDULE

There will be two Ministry Fair weekends this year. The first will be **October 13-14** after all the Masses and it will highlight the ministries related to Service. The second will be **October 27-28** and will highlight the ministries related to Hospitality, Prayer and Formation. Both Ministry Fairs will be held in the Gathering Space and refreshments will be provided. Stop by and check out all the ways you can be involved in building God's Kingdom at 8941 James A. Reed.

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.

PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. Without our priests we would not have the Eucharist. The **28th of October**, the last Sunday of October, parishioners of St. Regis are encouraged to offer a prayer of thanksgiving and offer support for our pastor Fr. McCaffery, and other priests who have served our parish. Consider sending Fr. McCaffery a note or card of appreciation for his dedication and leadership for our parish. Priesthood Sunday was established in 2001 to honor Priesthood in the Church and recognize those who are called to this life of Service.

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.

SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR FAMILY LEGACY

Have you ever considered purchasing a paid-up life insurance policy naming St. Regis parish as the beneficiary? It could provide a very substantial gift for a small investment on your part. Talk with your agent.

THE NEOCATECHUMENAL WAY

On Tuesday's and Thursday's beginning **October 23rd** there will be a missionary team of catechists from the Neocatechumenal Way giving a series of one hour talks to adults and youth at 7pm in Mary's Room.

The Neocatechumenal Way is a post baptismal catechumenate that began in Spain after Vatican II. Saint John Paul II, when speaking of the Neocatechumenal Way, described it as "an itinerary of Catholic formation valid for our society and our times". He also said that it "...is authentic and is consistent with the very nature of the parish, because just as each one of us Christians grows from baptism, so does the Christian community grow naturally from baptism. ... The parish can grow authentically in the experience and on the basis of the neocatechumenal experience; it would be like the renewal of the early community that grew out of the catechumenal experience." A team of missionary catechists will be speaking in our parish these coming weeks. If you find yourself in the midst of problems, questions, or just want to deepen your faith, come and listen.

FATAL FLAWS

On **Sunday, October 21 at 6:30pm** there will be a showing of the movie *Fatal Flaws*, in Mary's room. *Fatal Flaws* is a documentary about the "flaws" of legalizing Assisted Death.

Annual St. Regis CHIEFS TAILGATE 2018



Sunday, November 4th
11:30am in the Parish Hall

Tickets: \$10 Single, \$25 Family
Chili, Hotdogs and sides provided.

Door Prizes each Quarter
Halftime Heads & Tails Game

We are seeking donations for door prizes.
For more information contact Sherry Falke at
Robert.sherry.falke@gmail.com or call 916-7089.

SUPER SUNDAY

This **Sunday, October 14** is "Super Sunday". St Regis will be hosting a variety of activities during and after Sunday Masses including the following:

- *Angels & Saints* crafts for kids: school age kids will make crafts and join in other games/activities (after the 10:30 Mass only)
- Coffee & Donuts in the gathering space and Mary's Room (after both Sunday Masses)
- Child care provided during and after 10:30 Mass for 2 to 4 year olds
- Children's Liturgy of the Word – during the 10:30 Mass for school-age children

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

This **Sunday, October 14th** the PTO will host Hospitality Sunday. Coffee, juice and donuts will be served after the 8:30am and 10:30am Masses. Please plan to share in this time of community fellowship.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the mission diocese in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the pope's missions in your prayers, and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

New Day!

YOUTH GROUP

2 & 4 Sunday of the month, 11:30am-1:30pm
7th-12th graders

Our first Sunday youth group will be on **Sunday, October 28** in the Parish Hall. Fear Factor themed. Please join us for food, fear factor games, activities, and more. You are welcome to bring a friend!

If you are above 10th grade and interested in helping with youth group or joining a bible study group contact Michelle Ismert at mmismert18@gmail.com

LITURGICAL TRAINING

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion may receive specialized training for bringing communion to the sick and homebound on **Wednesday, October 24th** from 6-9pm at the Catholic Center, 20 W. 9th St., Kansas City, MO 64105.

There will also be Extraordinary Communion Ministers training on **Saturday, November 3rd**, 8:30am-12:30pm at St. Elizabeth Church, 2 E. 75th Street, KCMO

If you are interested in going to the training please call the Parish Office to register, 761-1608.

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:

Monday, October 15th - 8th grade parent meeting
6:00pm Room 202

Tuesday, October 16th - Candle Sale Turn in

Wednesday, October 17th & Thursday, October 18th - Parent-Teacher Conferences (Signup Genius to come)

Friday, October 19th - No School; Professional Development (Extended Care will NOT be offered)

Wednesday, October 24th - Cookie Dough Pick up

Thursday, October 25th - Awards assembly following 8:30am Mass.

FLU SHOTS

Wednesday, October 24th, St.

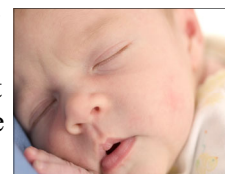
Regis will host a flu Shot Clinic in the Parish Hall. Nurses will be here from 9-10:30am for your convenience. This opportunity will allow employees as well as parishioners to get their yearly flu shot. Sign up sheets are in the Gathering Space.

They will also have the *Over 65 Flu Shot* available for people over 65 years of age.



SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Month 1: I have been very active the past month. I am 10,000 times larger than I was at conception. My eyes and nose are starting to form and I already have arm buds and leg buds. I have the building blocks for my brain, spinal cord and nervous system. My heart is now pumping blood through my own circulatory system and my blood type may already be different from my mother's. Thank you for the prayers that the Lord of Life might help her give me the most precious gift of all—the gift of life.



“Surely I was sinful at birth...sinful from the time my mother conceived me.” —David



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.

HELP WANTED

St. Regis Academy is looking for STREAM Coaches for our third session of STREAM classes. Classes will be held on November 29, December 6th, 13th and 20th. The classes will be from 10:30am - 11:45am. To volunteer, please contact Robin Sowders, Principal at rsowders@regisacademy.org





Fall Festival/Craft Fair 2018

DIGNITY OF ALL

Leah Darrow, a former contestant on America's Next Top Model, is coming to St. Michael the Archangel Catholic High School, 2901 NW Lee's Summit Rd, Lee's Summit, MO on **October 26th** to present on "The Dignity of All" during SMA's Respect Life Day.

Leah will be giving a secondary talk open to ANYONE in the evening in SMA's gymnasium from **7:00-8:00 p.m.** Her story of life and redemption has been inspiring thousands of people across the nation. We hope to see you there!

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES GALA**

Catholic Charities is hosting Celebration of Hope Gala on **Friday, November 9th** at the Muehlebach Hotel, 1215 Wyandotte St., KCMO. Cocktails at 6pm, Dinner at 7pm. For more information or to order tickets go to www.catholiccharitiesgala.org or by calling 816-6598-8218.

Please Pray for those in the Hospital this past week:

Jack Humphrey

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 Whitehurse, Rob & Sandy Smith, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Bud Seeger, Adelia Spann, Dalton Peavler, Donalda Miller, Donald Smith, Sara Davis, Dorothy Linn, Nolan Tritschler, Virginia Esser, Jack Gress, Jerry Schroeder, 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, Dennis Reilly, Bob Harvey, Fr. Keith Branson, Kate Crawford, Jack Humphrey, Denny King, Jackie Jackson, Carolyn Koetting and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Theresa Lynch, aunt of Terry Lynch

Liturgical Roles

October 20 & 21

Lectors

4:30pm Marvin Chaney & Jim Filley
8:30am Dianne Schmidt & Joan Sack
10:30am Marlene Sanchez & Theresa Van Pelt

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30pm Gretchen Maschger, Jim Filley, Marvin Chaney
Charlene Helling, Melissa Wiehn, Larry Hayden
Bernadette Brenner & Francis Brenner
8:30am Betty Roder, Paul Roder, Cathy Albers
Dennis Wadle, Dave Vorbeck, Joan Sack
Maxine Rodriguez & Dianne Schmidt
10:30am John Reyes, Sr., Virginia Reyes, John Reyes, Jr.
Diane Pacheco, Ora Reyes, Prisca Tizimbune
Marlene Sanchez & Theresa Van Pelt

Servers

4:30pm Clara Stribling & Allison Wiehn
8:30am Noah Villegas & Ava Villegas
10:30am Toni Barrera & Cole Barrera

Greeters

4:30pm Larry Hayden & Jack Gress
8:30am Rick Kraus & Sherry Falke
10:30am Julie Schmidt & Elaine Allee

Mass Intentions**Monday, October 15**

7:00am For the Intentions of Denny & Teresa King
by Dave & Denise Kopek

Tuesday, October 16

†John Dimarco by Bob & Rose Brown

Wednesday, October 17

†Ed Batcheler by Dave & Lori Vorbeck

Thursday, October 18

For the Intentions of the Vogelsang Family

Friday, October 19

†Kenneth Van Pelt by Theresa Van Pelt

Saturday, October 20

4:30pm †Ed Batcheler by Jerry & Barbara Schroeder

Sunday, October 21

8:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
10:30am †Ed Batcheler by Regina Ozbun & Family

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
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
Juanita	Arbisi	86	10/18	1970
Christopher	Conrick	1 Day	10/19	1965
Robert Henry	Plante	46	10/19	1978
Albert M.	Battor	53	10/19	1978
Myrle Ester	Kiely	79	10/19	1990
Virginia	O'Connor	95	10/19	1995
Rosario	Hicks	62	10/19	2012
Earl	French	67	10/20	1974
Joan	Morgan	88	10/20	2016
Marguerite	Welsh	85	10/21	1999

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.

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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, October 14

Ministry Fair

8:30am Mass

10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy

Food Collection

Monday, October 15

Soup Kitchen

Meatloaf Monday

7:00am Mass

7:00pm Prayer & Life Workshop

Tuesday, October 16

8:30am Mass

7:00pm Rosary

Wednesday, October 17

8:30am Mass

4-8pm Teacher/Parent Conferences

6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions

6:00pm English as Second Language

7:00pm Youth Group

7:00pm School of Religion

Thursday, October 18

8:30am Mass

9:00am Scripture Sharing

12:15pm School Dismissed

1-8pm Parent/Teacher Conferences

7:00pm Choir Practice

7:00pm RCIA

7:00pm Parish Council

Friday, October 19

8:30am Mass

6:00pm Bunco

No School

Saturday, October 20

3:30pm Confessions

4:30pm Mass

Sunday, October 21

8:30am Mass

10:30am Mass/Childcare/ Children Liturgy

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

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