



# Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

October 15, 2017

## Weekend Masses

*Saturday:* 4:30PM

*Sunday:* 8:30 and 10:30AM

## Daily Mass

*Monday:* 7:00AM

*Tuesday - Friday:* 8:30AM

*Thursday:* 6:15AM

## Confessions

*Sat:* 3:30PM & *Wed:* 6:00PM

& by appointment

## Eucharistic Adoration

*Wednesday:* 6:00-7:00PM

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## Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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THE KING SAID TO HIS SERVANTS,  
“THE FEAST IS READY, BUT THOSE WHO WERE  
INVITED WERE NOT WORTHY TO COME.  
GO, THEREFORE, INTO THE MAIN ROADS AND  
INVITE TO THE FEAST WHOMEVER YOU FIND.”

 Matthew 22:8-9 

## LIFE PLANNING SEMINAR

St. John Francis Regis Parish will present seminars for parishioners to receive information about the benefits and importance of Life Planning for family and personal security. We will present the seminars at St. Regis on **Tuesday, October 17, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.**, following the daily Mass, in Mary's Room, and on **Saturday, October 21, 2017, beginning at 2:30 p.m.**, prior to the 4:30 p.m. Mass, in the Parish Hall.

We will provide refreshments for each presentation, and hope that you can attend to learn about ways you can help to provide and protect a legacy for your family. Professionals from the legal, financial and funeral planning fields will be present to discuss ways for you to implement estate planning, coordinate your finances, and manage funeral arrangement plans to assure your legacy is protected and preserved for your family.

## SEMINARIAN SUPPORT

29 Seminarians Need Your Support. Visit the seminarian display at the Serra Club of Southeast Kansas City table during the Parish Ministry Fair. Select a photo information page of one or more of the seminarians, consider making a donation for their support and choose Conception Printery House All Occasion Cards or Religious Christmas Cards.

## ST. REGIS MINISTRY UPDATE

Did you know that sharing our talents arises from the fact that God has given each of us the ability and gifts to do certain things well, and we are to develop those talents for the good of others.

## LITURGICAL MINISTER REVIEW

There will be a Liturgical Minister Review on **Saturday, October, 21 from 9-11am**. This review is for Greeters, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Cantors and Lectors. This review is not required but there will be an explanation of changes as they pertain to our parish and time for questions and answers.

## 4TH PILLAR OF STEWARDSHIP: SERVICE

"I believe in . . . and apostolic church." We believe that we are continuing the living tradition of the Apostles. Part of that tradition includes works of service, apostolic works. Jesus said "I have come not to be served, but to serve." We need to be ready to minister to varied needs of our own parish family as well as the needs of the wider community and Church. A stewardship parish family serves those who are hurting or in need; doubting or seeking salvation. Like a blood family, the parish family stands ready and eager collectively to wrap their arms around their brothers and sisters when they suffer in trial and/or celebrate special events in their lives. St. Paul says, "God so constructed the body, that there may be no dissension in the body, but that all the members may be concerned for one another. If one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; if one member is honored, all the members share its joy." (1 Cor. 12: 24b, 25-26)

Parishioners seek the parish family as a primary community to serve and to be served—to give and to receive. If a parishioner finds they can serve and be ministered to, they have little need to search elsewhere for this fulfillment. Likewise, they have recognized a place where their service is appreciated and utilized for the good of the Church.

But the members of a stewardship parish recognize that they also have a need to give beyond their own members only. They have a need to serve and to give in the diocese, the community and the Universal Church. Fully embracing and committing to this need leads a parish to the stewardship way of life within the One, Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. This is the challenge to us parishioners. Are we willing to serve our own St. Regis parish and outsiders? Interestingly, if this true of our parish, chances also exist that St. Regis embraces fully the first pillar of a stewardship parish – namely, hospitality.

During next week's Ministry Fair, you will find information for over 20 service ministries that need your time, talent and/or treasure. Service provides opportunities for us to put into concrete practice the other three pillars, hospitality, prayer and formation. A true stewardship parish practices all four of these pillars, with Jesus Christ as the model and the foundation from which the pillar arise.

**Stop by the Gathering Space after the Masses next weekend to learn more about these ministries at our 4<sup>th</sup> and last Ministry Fair.**

## 4TH OF 4 MINISTRY FAIRS NEXT WEEKEND



## Where do you fit in the 4 pillars of Stewardship?

Next weekend, **Oct. 21-22** will be the Fourth Ministry Fair and will highlight those ministries that are closely associated with **SERVICE**. Tables will be setup in the Gathering Space after the Masses to highlight over 20 Ministries and Council. See bulletin article on the Service Pillar for more details.

## 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.

## LEGACY BRICK PAVERS

This is the time for the second installation of brick pavers at our Legacy Garden. The brick pavers will be engraved with your customized message recognizing a deceased love one, your family, or other appropriate person(s) or church group. The pavers will be installed on the ground in the open space to the right of the Church and School entrances. There will be a sign up sheet with more information at a table in the Gathering Space after all the masses starting this weekend throughout the month of November until December 15, 2017. For more information contact Bill Massop 816-225-5083 or Jerry Cook 816-679-9175.



## MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Our annual Mass of Remembrance to remember those who have died this past year will be held on **November 2nd at 7:00pm**. The Mass will include a litany of the names of those who have died since last November and a lighting of candles in their memory. If you have a family member who died since last November and was buried from a church other than St. Regis, you are welcome to include their name in this Mass by calling the Parish office by Wednesday, October 25th. All are welcome to join us for this remembrance of our beloved dead.

## PRISON MINISTRY PRESENTATION

Next Sunday, **October 22nd**, following the 10:30 Mass, Laurie Jo Holmes, of the Diocesan Human Rights Office will give a presentation on Prison Ministry in Mary's room. Come hear her talk to learn more about this ministry, their needs and how we can help support the imprisoned. Hospitality will be offered. "And when was it, (Lord) that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?" Matthew 25:39

SAVE THE DATE

## CHIEFS TAILGATE 2017

Sunday, November 19th  
Begins at 11:30am in the  
Parish Hall

Come watch the Chiefs take  
on the New York Giants!



## SCHOOL NEWS

### **Mission Statement of St. Regis School**

We believe that each child is a unique creation of God, and our mission is to educate the whole child through a God-centered curriculum. We strive to create a community in which children grow in Catholicity, academics, service, fine arts, and wellness. Realizing that parents are the primary teachers of their children, we seek to complement and reinforce religious truths and values beginning in the home.

### **Daring Disciples Deliver**

Prayer: Hail Holy Queen

Disciple: Simon

Christskill: Courage

**St. Regis Trash Bag Sale Fundraiser!** St. Regis School is selling trash and lawn bags through the Kansas City-based company, Frontier Bag. An all-school fundraiser, with family order forms and prizes for sales numbers, will take place in late-January/early-February. Until then, bags are available for purchase in the school office; sizes and prices are listed below. Bags purchased from the office, as well as the all-school sale, will be credited to your family fundraising obligation.

#### **Bag prices and sizes:**

**Trash bags are \$12.00 per roll**

Yellow bags...39 gallon bag...25 bags per roll

White bags...15 gallon...65 bags per roll

Blue bags...55 gallon...16 bags per roll

Lawn & leaf bags are \$10.00 for 15 bags (3 packages of 5 bags)

Show your love for St. Regis at school, work, and around town by purchasing a hot/cold tumbler cup featuring the St. Regis logo. Cups are \$10.00 each and available for purchase from the school office!



#### **Important Dates:**

October 16th - End of First Quarter

October 17th - School Accreditation Visit

October 18 - Service Wednesday (Braden's Hope)

October 18th - PTO Meeting 7:00pm

October 19th - Luau Meeting 7:00pm

October 20th - First Quarter Grades Available

October 25 - Cookie Dough Pick-up

October 25/26 - Parent Teacher Conferences

October 27 - No School

October 27 - Trunk - or - Treat

October 28 - Skate Party at Landmark2 Skate 4:45-6:30pm

October 29 - Priesthood Sunday

October 31 - Halloween Parties 2:15pm

## ANNUAL RAFFLE

Our annual Raffle has begun. All those registered in the parish should have received a letter about the Raffle which include 5 raffle tickets. We ask that you please purchase or sell the tickets enclosed. Your support of the Raffle assists important ministries and projects in our parish and school. If every household in the parish purchased or sells at least 5 tickets, we would be able to reach our goal for the Raffle. The raffle tickets are \$20 each and come with a chance to win many exciting prizes at the Pancake/Sausage breakfast on **Sunday, November 12th**. Please plan ahead and make a commitment to buy a few tickets and sell some to friends, family and co-workers. Also see the Raffle table in the Gathering Space to purchase tickets.

<b>St. Regis Fall Raffle 2017</b>	<b>Sunday, November 12, 2017</b>	PHONE #:	NAME:
8 PRIZES!	DONATION: \$20	ADDRESS:	
<b>One \$1,000, Two \$500 &amp; five each of \$100</b>		BENEFIT FOR ST. REGIS SCHOOL & PARISH NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN	
DRAWING TO BE HELD AT THE PANCAKE BREAKFAST		All taxes are the responsibility of the prize winners	

## **St. Regis Pancake Breakfast Sunday, November 12th**

**9am-12:30pm  
in the Parish Hall**



Join us for all-you-can-eat pancakes and sausage!

The cost is \$5 per person, \$25 for immediate family & children 2 and under eat free.

## LUAU MEETING

There will be a Luau Planning Meeting on **Thursday, October 19 at 7pm**. Please join us and help contribute to the success of our Luau/Auction.

# St. Regis Craft & Bale Sale

Saturday, November 4th  
10am-6pm  
in the Parish Hall

Crafts! Concessions! Baked Goods!

Shop for a great cause! Proceeds will benefit  
St. Regis' Soar with the Eagles Scholarship Fund!

## FLU SHOTS

**Wednesday, October 25th,**  
St. Regis will host a flu Shot  
Clinic in the Parish Hall.  
Nurses will be here from 9-  
10:30am for your conven-  
ience. This opportunity will  
allow employees as well as  
parishioners to get their year-  
ly flu shot. Call the parish  
office to sign-up. They will  
also have the *Over 65 Flu  
Shot* available for people  
over 65 years of age.



## TRIBUTE TO LIFE BANQUET

Missouri Right to Life-WR presents *Tribute to Life Ban-  
quet* on **Thursday, November 2nd**, 6pm reception, 7pm  
dinner at Adam's Mark Hotel & Conference Center.  
Guest speaker is Melissa Ohdne, abortion survivor.  
Tickets are \$50 per person. To reserve a table or order  
tickets call 816-353-4113 or go to [mrlwesternregion.org](http://mrlwesternregion.org).

## LECTOR WORKBOOKS

We will be ordering Lector workbooks soon. The cost  
will be \$12. If you would like to order a workbook call  
the Parish Office, 761-1608

**SPIRITUAL ADOPTION**

Keep praying for me! I am two months old now and about 2 inches long. Look! You can see my eyes, nose and mouth. I will use them to experience God's world after I am born. Don't forget to come see my picture in the Gathering Space.



A reminder, please pray daily for your spiritually adopted baby and the baby's parents.

**BASKETBALL CAMP**

The Bill Waris Blue Jays Basketball Club will be hosting a two day Preseason Basketball camp at Saint Thomas More School on **November 11th and 12th** for grades 2nd through 8th grade. The camp will be held for grades 2nd-5th from 9am-11am and grades 6th-8th grade will be from 11:15am-1:15pm on Saturday, November 11th. The camp will be for grades 2nd -5th grade from 11:30am-1:30pm and 1:45pm-3:45pm on Sunday, November 12th. The cost is only \$35.00 dollars per camper. The camp will focus on drills to get each camper ready for the upcoming basketball season. Please register at <https://campscui.active.com/orgs/BillWarisBluejaysBasketballClub>

**Please Pray for those in the Hospital this past week:**

Harold Holman, Margaret Underwood & James Underwood

**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 & Mary Starr, Veronica Maschek, Marsha Crum, Gene Helling, Aidan Jones, Kathy Ness, Joanne Whitehurst, Rob & Sandy Smith, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Virgie Nelson, Mary O'Donnell, Ed Batchelder, Bud Seeger, Rita Jackson, Adelia Spann, Larry Brosch, Dalton Peavler, Donald Miller, Donald Smith, Sara Davis, Walt Ridenour, Dorothy Linn, Nolan Tritschler, Meghan Sauls, Kay Nash, Virginia Esser, Jack Gress, Gene Livingston, Joanne Mattingly, Jerry Schroeder, Loretta Monnig and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

**Please pray for the Repose of the Soul of:**

Gary Monnig, son of Loretta Monnig

Pat Beard

Carolyn Bernhardy, daughter of John & Dorothy Quinn

**Liturgical Roles**

October 21 & 22

**Lectors**

- 4:30pm Jim Filley & Alex Pope
- 8:30am Paul Roder & Betty Roder
- 10:30am Ora Reyes & Marlene Sanchez

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

- 4:30pm Gretchen Maschger, Jim Filley, Alex Pope  
Charlene Helling, John Nash, Larry Hayden  
Barb Schroeder & Jerry Schroeder
- 8:30am Robert Falke, Sherry Falke, Mary Jordahl  
Pat Hanson, Jim Burdick, Janet Helms  
Mike Murtha & Jane Marzano
- 10:30am Theresa Van Pelt, Ora Reyes, Virginia Reyes  
John Reyes, Sr., John Reyes, Jr., Diane Pacheco  
Marlene Sanchez & Prisca Tizimbune

**Servers**

- 4:30pm Clara Stribling & Odily Rowland
- 8:30am Jessica Loulos & Anna Strobl
- 10:30am Daniel Schmidt & Kenna Schmidt

**Greeters**

- 4:30pm Larry Hayden & John Nash
- 8:30am Joan Sack & Pamela Singleton
- 10:30am Ken Glasbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

**Mass Intentions****Monday, October 16**

7:00am †Rev. Francis Schuele

**Tuesday, October 17**

†Clarita Bryant by Kay Nash

**Wednesday, October 18**

†Robert Meyers by Wayne Feuerborn

**Thursday, October 19**

6:15am †Rev. Francis Schuele

8:30am †Eliseo & Clara Hernandez  
by John & Betty Hernandez

**Friday, October 20**

For the Intentions of the Vogelsang Family

**Saturday, October 21**

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

**Sunday, October 22**

8:30am †Mary Pat Lambert by the Cotter Family  
10:30am †Joseph Tasog Musongwe by Family

**NOTRE DAME OPEN HOUSE**

Notre Dame de Sion High School for Girls is having Open House on Sunday, October 22, 2017. Join us for Mass at 10:00 a.m. Tours will be from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Come hear about our fantastic academic and extracurricular programs. Notre Dame de Sion High School for Girls is located at: 10631 Wornall Rd., Kansas City, MO 64114. RSVP at [ndsion.edu/hsopenhouse](http://ndsion.edu/hsopenhouse).

**100 FATIMA ANNIVERSARY PROGRAMMING**

EWTN Global Catholic Network is airing the most extensive coverage of the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Fatima. For a full list of Fatima Programming go to [ewtn/fatima/programming.asp](http://ewtn/fatima/programming.asp). Use EWTN's Channel finder at [ewtn.com](http://ewtn.com) to find the companies that provide EWTN programming in your community. For more information, visit [ewtn.com](http://ewtn.com)

**CELEBRATION OF HOPE GALA**

Catholic Charities is hosting Celebration of Hope Gala on **Saturday, November 4th** at the Muehlebach Hotel, 1215 Wyandotte St., KCMO. Cocktails at 6pm, Dinner at 7pm. For more information or to order tickets go to [celebration-of-hope.org](http://celebration-of-hope.org)

**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](mailto: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](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

**Schedule of Events****Sunday, October 15**

8:30am Mass  
10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children's Liturgy  
Food Collection

**Monday, October 16**

Meatloaf Monday  
Soup Kitchen  
7:00am Mass  
7:00pm RCIA

**Tuesday, October 17**

8:30am Mass  
7:00pm Rosary  
7:00pm Sharing Christ

**Wednesday, October 18**

8:30am Mass  
6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions  
7:00pm School of Religion  
7:00pm PTO Meeting

**Thursday, October 19**

6:15am Mass  
8:30am Mass  
9:00am Scripture Sharing  
7:00pm Boy Scouts  
7:00pm Choir Practice  
7:00pm Parish Council  
7:00pm Luau Meeting

**Friday, October 20**

8:30am Mass

**Saturday, October 21**

9:30pm Confirmation Retreat  
3:30pm Confessions  
4:30pm Mass

**Sunday, October 22**

8:30am Mass  
10:30am Mass

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**

The deadline to put announcements in the bulletin is 8am on Monday prior to the following Sunday.

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**October 15, 2017**

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