



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

October 27, 2019

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

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Jesus said to them,
 "I tell you,
 the tax collector
 went home justified,
 not the Pharisee;
 for whoever
 exalts themselves
 will be humbled,
 and those who
 humble themselves
 will be exalted."

LUKE 18:14



THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 27, 2019

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS TIME CHANGE
Starting Saturday, November 2nd:
Confessions will start at 2pm
& Vigil Mass will start at 3pm.

ALL SAINTS DAY/ALL SOULS' DAY
 All Saints Day, **Friday, November 1st**, is a holy day of obligation. Mass will be at 6:15am, 8:30am and 6:30pm

All Souls' Day is on **Saturday, November 2nd**. There will be a special Mass at 8am.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER
 This weekend at all the masses we are handing out the Little Burgundy Book. It has the same format as the Advent/Christmas, Lenten and Easter Seasons books except that it is undated and to be used at any time during the year. The theme of the book is Stewardship. The left-hand pages have informational items relating to stewardship and the right-hand pages give a prayerful reflection, drawing on Scriptural passages from the Gospel of St. Matthew.

Stewardship is not a peripheral part of the Gospels with references to it here and there. It is the underlying theme of Scripture. Stewardship is a one word summary of the Christian way of life.

For the next four weeks, we're being asked to spend 6 minutes a day reading the Little Burgundy Book and perform one of our oldest traditions of prayer called 'lectio divina' – sacred reading. When you're reading the right side of the page please take your time with the Scripture passage. The Lord is present in these words and they are always fresh, new and alive. Please take home a burgundy book and enjoy the readings from St Matthew the Evangelist and the reflections.

ST. REGIS ADVENT PARISH MISSION
Mary & Her Eucharistic Son
Igniting a Fire
December 2 & 3, 6-8:45pm

Monday, December 2:
Michael McGlinn, "**Confidence in God and Divine Mercy**", Michael is Filmmaker and Recording Artist, Founder Sistine Films, Editor, Writer, Producer and Original Score for many clients, which include KCKS Diocese, KCSJ Diocese, University of Notre Dame (where he played football for four years and played in the major bowls, Orange, Sugar, Cotton and Fiesta). Michael is Founder of Face of Mercy, also Producers, Arranger, Composer and Singer, recording with legendary musicians from Gloria Estefan and the Miami Sound Machine, The Allman Brothers Band and Genesis.

Dr. Gregory Mary Thompson, "**Eucharist, Mary, and Power of the Holy Spirit**". National Director of Marian Association, Marian Helper with Father's of Immaculate Conception at the National Shrine of Divine Mercy, Stockbridge, Marian Catechist with Cardinal Burke, Radio programs on Eucharistic Miracles and Affirming Church Teachings, Author of 5 books, which include "Do You Love Me" and also "Do You Love My Mother". Organizing 22 Marian Conferences, many Parish Missions, and speaking to thousands of children in Catholic Schools around Missouri. Unreservedly Consecrated to Jesus through Mary.

Tuesday, December 3:
Don Hartley, "**Four Last Things and Why Confession Matters**". Donald is called the Catholic Defender, and has brought in 1000 to the Catholic Faith, over 26 years a Combat Medic in the Army, and one of a handful that was allowed by the Bishop of the Military to carry the Eucharist into battles for those at risk of dying. Donald's Ministry, "Deeper Truth" he has written many articles to help Catholics and has authored two books which include one on Mary, Donald has teamed up with the Marian Association to put forth blog talk Radio out of New York that is worldwide.



Your generosity during your lifetime has enabled St. Regis Parish and Academy to serve the people of God in this community. Continue to be a part of the strength of this community by making a bequest in your Will to St. John Francis Regis Church. Contact the Parish Office for details.

Advance Medical Directives: Planning for Your Future

Read the full version at respectlifeprogram.org/advance-directives.

Human life is good and to be protected. All medical decisions ought to reflect this core belief. Yet some medical and legal documents used to define a patient's future care can be harmful. No matter how well-crafted, they can't predict all the possible scenarios and best courses of action. In each set of circumstances, we need to judge whether a given treatment will provide real benefit to the patient, without causing harm or disproportionate burdens. The safest option is to designate a health care agent to make decisions if you become incapable of doing so. It's best to appoint a responsible, trustworthy person who understands and shares your Catholic values, and can apply them when the need arises.

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Top Reasons to Oppose Assisted Suicide

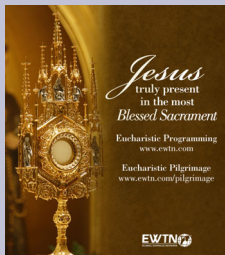
Read the full version at respectlifeprogram.org/reasons-against-assisted-suicide.

Some polls indicate that the public is receptive to assisted suicide. But the same polls show that people's views shift when they learn about its dangers—especially the dangers for those who are poor, elderly, disabled, or without access to good medical care. Consider that, in Oregon and California, some patients' health insurance offered to pay for assisted suicide, but not treatment. And in states where assisted suicide is legal, often no psychiatric evaluation or treatment is required. Additionally, assisted suicide fosters discrimination by creating two classes of people: those whose suicides we spend millions of dollars to prevent and those whose suicides we assist and treat as a positive good.

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12 HOUR ADORATION

Friday, November 1st there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration beginning after the **8:30am Mass and lasting until 9pm on Friday.** Please



consider giving an hour of your time. You may sign-up on the board outside the Chapel or simply show up during the day. At 11am there is a Holy Hour for Church Vocations led by Serra Club of S.E. Kansas City. All are welcome to share in this praying ministry.

Reminder to Adorers: If no one is present in the chapel please close the tabernacle window before you leave. Thank you.

CATHOLIC BOOT CAMP

Tuesday and Thursday, 7-8pm & Sundays 11:45am-12:45pm in Mary's Room

This is an opportunity to fine tune your knowledge of Christian principles and how they apply to everyday life. Sessions are free of charge. Come to all or just the sessions that fit your schedule.



HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

This **Sunday, November 3rd** the St. Regis Academy 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.



ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN PRESENTATION

John Henry Newman was canonized on October 13 this year. Dr. Rick Janet, Rockhurst University, will give a brief presentation on the life of St. Newman after the **8:30am and 10:30am Masses on November 3** in Mary's room. There will be one follow-up, more in-depth presentation on **Wednesday, November 6 at 7pm** in Mary's room. Newman was a Catholic theologian, philosopher and cardinal who converted to Catholicism from Anglicanism in October 1845. In early life, he was a major figure in the Oxford Movement to bring the Church of England back to its roots. Eventually his studies in history persuaded him to become a Catholic.

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 28—Culver's Night, 5-8pm

Wednesday, October 30—Health Screenings

Thursday, October 31—Halloween

Friday, November 1—All Saint's Day—No School

Saturday, November 2—Day of the Dead Fiesta, 4pm

DAY OF THE DEAD FIESTA

The Fall Festival will be moved to **November 2nd after the 3pm Mass**, and we will be celebrating Day of the Dead. We will have lots of fun activities, entertainment and delicious food. You are more than welcome to bring photos of your loved ones who have already passed away to place on our altar in remembrance of them.

We are asking for donations of cakes for the Cake Walk and donations of stuffed animals and/or toys for prizes.

For any questions, please contact Lupita Sharkey 816.813.5714 or Adelfo Martinez 816.305.4417.

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.

ST. REGIS SCHOOL NIGHT AT CULVER'S



Come join us at Culver's in Lee's Summit, **Monday, October 28 from 5-8pm**. Culver's will donate 10% of all sales and 100% of all tips during this time to St. Regis School. Please tell your family, friends and neighbors. Dine-in or drive-thru - it doesn't matter which - all sales count! We look forward to seeing you all there!

MEMORIAL MASS

You are invited to a special Memorial Mass to be held on All Souls Day, **November 2, 2019 at 3pm** at St. John Francis Regis Catholic Church. The Mass will include a litany of the names of the deceased this past year and a lighting of candles in their memory. We hope you and your family members will join us in celebrating the well-lived life of all Deceased Members of our Parish.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **November and December** 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.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Thank you for your generous response to the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. You may stay connected year-round to the Pope's missions, continuing the commitment of World Mission Sunday by visiting MIS-SIO.org

Sun

Mon

Tue


Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat



<p>3 <i>Hospitality Sunday</i> 830am Mass 930am Ladies Auxiliary 930am St. Newman Pres 1030am Mass/Children Liturgy 1130am St. Newman Pre</p>	<p>4 700am Mass</p>	<p>5 830am Mass 9am Immaculata Militia 630pm Rosary 700pm Boot Camp 7pm Stewardship Council</p>	<p>6 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion 7pm St. Newman Pres.</p>	<p>7 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Choir 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>8 830am Mass</p>	<p>1 <i>All Saint's Day</i> 615am Mass 830am Mass 9am 12 Hour Adoration 630pm Mass No School</p>	<p>2 <i>All Soul's Day</i> 800am Mass 200pm Confessions 300pm Mass 400pm Day of the Dead Fiesta</p>
<p>10 830am Mass 1030am Mass/Children Liturgy 1145am Boot Camp 500pm Confirmation</p>	<p>11 700am Mass 700pm SSMC</p>	<p>12 830am Mass 630pm Rosary 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>13 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 630pm PTO Meeting 7pm School of Religion 700pm K of C</p>	<p>14 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Choir 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>15 830am Mass 700pm Worship Council</p>	<p>16 200pm Confessions 300pm Mass Food Collection Ministry Fair</p>	
<p>17 830am Mass 1030am Mass/Children Liturgy 1145am Boot Camp 500pm Confirmation Food Collection Ministry Fair</p>	<p>18 <i>Soup Kitchen</i> <i>Meatloaf Monday</i> 700am Mass</p>	<p>19 830am Mass 630pm Rosary 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>20 830am Mass 1130am Senior Luncheon 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions 7pm School of Religion</p>	<p>21 830am Mass 9am Scripture Sharing 700pm Choir 700pm Boy Scouts 700pm Parish Council 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>22 830am Mass</p>	<p>23 200pm Confessions 300pm Mass</p>	
<p>24 830am Mass/All School 1030am Mass 1145am Boot Camp 100pm Movie</p>	<p>25 700am Mass</p>	<p>26 <i>Special Friends Day</i> 830am Mass 1pm Exhibit Orationum 630pm Rosary 700pm Boot Camp</p>	<p>27 830am Mass 6pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions K of C Officers No School</p>	<p>28 <i>Thanksgiving Day</i> 900am Mass No School Parish Office Closed</p> 	<p>29 830am Mass No School Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>30 200pm Confessions 300pm Mass</p>	

CEMETERY SUNDAY

This year we again ask you to join us in remembrance and prayer as we observe Cemetery Sunday on **November 3rd**. The Catholic Cemeteries of Kansas City~St. Joseph Diocese invite you to a Day of Faith, Remembrance, Prayer and Visitation at each of our cemeteries. The Prayer Service will begin at 2pm at:

- Mt. Olivet, 7601 Blue Ridge Blvd, KCMO
- Resurrection, 5001 NE Cookingham Rd., KCMO
- St. Mary's, 2201 Cleveland Ave, KCMO
- Mt. Olivet, St. Joseph, MO

Please Pray for those in the Hospital this past week:

Jerry Schroeder & Lois Whiteman

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, Jean Kraus, Rose Solo, David Berg, Fran Wadle, Rose Marie Larson, Dean Starr, Gene Helling, Aidan Jones, Kathy Ness, Joanne Whitehorse, Rob & Sandy Smith, Helen & Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Adelia Spann, Dalton Peavler, Donald Smith, Sara Davis, 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, Cory Patterson, James Soulis, Katherine Reynolds, Judy Kornoski, Jason Wenberg, Paula Rios, Dennis Reilly, Homer Radford, Siggie Koop, Joseph Gregory, Danny Dolan, Pete Gomez, Julie Nash, Bob Harvey, Fr. Keith Branson, Kate Crawford, Jackie Jackson, Carolyn Koetting, Becky Smith, Oral Eidson, Ardith Fetterolf, Beth Heidler, Maria Rose Brown, Lois Beres, John Stadler, John Teefey, Phil Hoffman, Pat Liebler, Kristen Brown, Larry Fournier, Ethel Felder, Coletta Merrigan, Buddemeyer Family, Pat Romero, Janet Helms, Mary Hunter, Chris & Sarah Teefey, Babette Lathrop, Shelly Clemons, Pauline Umbenhower, Bob Slusher, Bill Speise, Dennis Wadle, Genevieve Thieme, Pat Filley, Alexis Noonan unborn baby, Bill Masop, Victor Gomez, Maximo Rivera, Dallas Schilizer, Lupita Sharkey, Larry & Brenda Grant, Wendy McKellar, Diane Greene, Jerry Stanford, Milton Bryant, Kale Van Pelt, Rick Boisen, Rose Brown, Dana Collins, Bridget Kopek, Elizabeth Williams, Mike Reilly and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Laurie Bomar, daughter of Otto & Joanne Hill

Fr. Phil Luebbert

Liturgical Roles

November 2 & 3

Lectors

- 4:30pm Tom Sack & Patty Sack
 8:30am Cathy Albers & Sherry Falke
 10:30am Frankline Musongwe & John Reyes, Jr.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 4:30pm Dorothy Quinn, Larry Hayden, Tom Smith
 Melissa Wiehn, John Nash, Alex Pope
 Charlene Helling & Gretchen Maschger
 8:30am Betty Roder, Paul Roder, Mike Murtha
 Regina Ozbun, Janet Helms, Sue Nichols
 Jane Marzano & Clara Stribling
 10:30am Kathy Wolff, Don Wolff, Elaine Allee
 Jacob Duerr, Susan Duerr, Gwen Hull
 Marcia Collins & Tino Camacho

Servers

- 4:30pm Jackson Price & Ysabella Rogers
 8:30am Emily Winter & Ryan Holst
 10:30am Cole Barrera & Madison Divis

Greeters

- 4:30pm Larry Hayden & John Nash
 8:30am Joan Sack & Sue Quanty Smith
 10:30am Ken Glasbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

Mass Intentions**Monday, October 28**

7:00am †Paul Monteil by Eileen Monteil

Tuesday, October 29

†Denny King by Gene & Charlene Helling

Wednesday, October 30

For the Intentions of the Surber Family

Thursday, October 31

†Denny King by Dave & Denise Kopek

Friday, November 1

6:15am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
 8:30am †Alice Crowley by Jerry Crowley
 6:30pm For the Intentions of Rose Solo

Saturday, November 2

8:00am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
 3:00pm †Carol Coats by Carla Montesano

Sunday, November 3

8:30am †Agnes Sack by Joan Sack
 10:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
Isabell G.	Kramps	82	10/29	1992
Rupert Francis	Buergler	79	10/29	1997
Brosie	Strada	59	10/30	1971
Leo	Armbruster	50	10/30	1973
Vivian D.	Hennenfent	78	10/30	1991
Crawford Leigh	Hunt	89	10/30	2000
Virginia M.	Geraughty	80	10/30	2001
Robert F.	Spann Sr.	82	10/30	2002
Lillian C.	Woods	85	10/30	2005
Marilynn	Farnsworth	63	10/30	2008
Sophia Maria	Kenning	96	10/31	1991
George	Lambert	83	10/31	2015
John	Manning	81	11/1	1971
Mary	Whitney	56	11/1	1979
Joseph H.	Maher	75	11/1	1982
Leota C.	Klodt	88	11/1	1998
Harry	Mittong		11/2	1977
James	Cates	70	11/2	1980
Charles J.	Monahan	32	11/3	1965
Mary Delores	Wilson	85	11/3	1981
Joseph	Malone	57	11/3	1998
Anthony J.	Borello	89	11/3	2005

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 Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816-392-0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Schedule of Events

Sunday, October 27

8:30am Mass
10:30am Mass
5:00pm Confirmation

Monday, October 28

7:00am Mass
5:00pm Culver's Night
7:00pm Praise & Worship Practice

Tuesday, October 29

8:30am Mass
6:30pm Rosary
7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way

Wednesday, October 30

8:30am Mass
6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
6:00pm English as 2nd Language
7:00pm School of Religion

Thursday, October 31

8:30am Mass
9:00am Scripture Sharing
7:00pm Choir Practice
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Friday, November 1 - All Saint's Day

6:15am Mass
8:30am Mass
9:00am 12 Hour Adoration
6:30pm Mass

No School

Saturday, November 2 - All Soul's Day

8:00am Mass
2:00pm Confessions
3:00pm Mass
4:00pm Days of the Dead Celebration

Sunday, November 3 - Hospitality Sunday

8:30am Mass
9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary
9:30am St. Newman Presentation
10:30am Mass/Children's Liturgy
11:30am St. Newman Presentation

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

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019

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Thank you.