



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

November 4, 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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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

You shall love the Lord your God

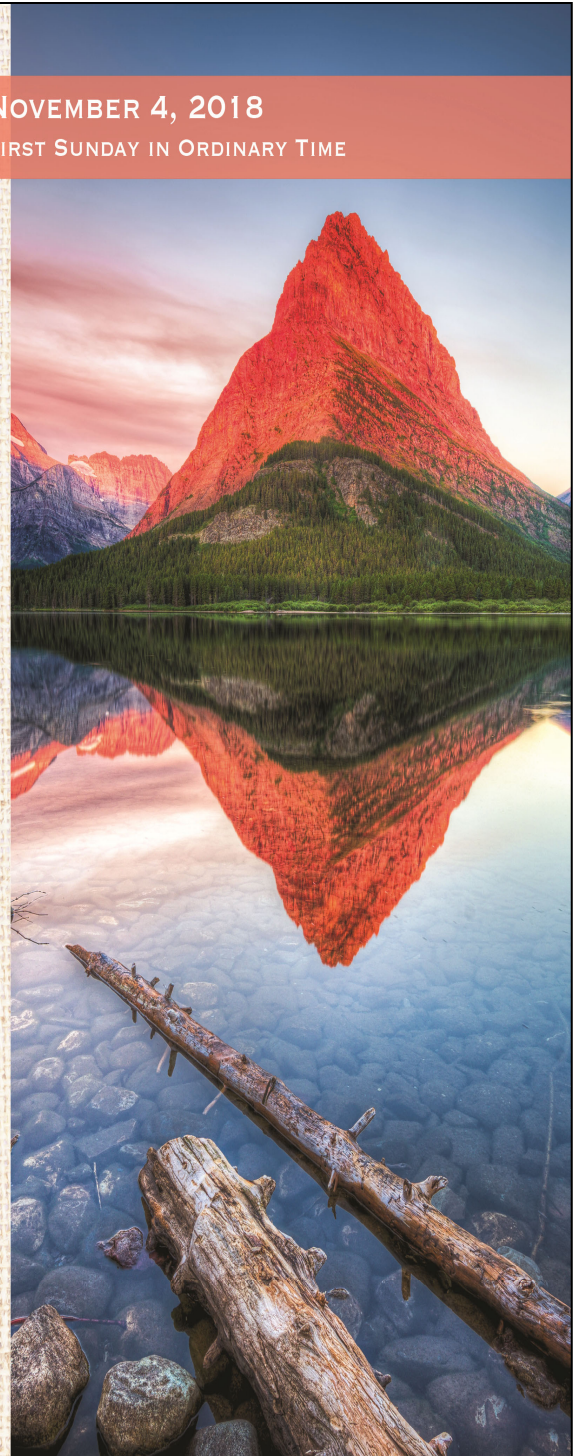
with all your heart,

with all your soul,

with all your mind,

and with all your strength.

~ Mark 12:30



CONGRATULATIONS

Last week-end **Betty Ewang Banlomon** received her 1st Communion and **Peter Poindexter** was received into full communion in the Catholic faith through Confirmation and Eucharist. Please keep them in prayer.

ST. REGIS MINISTRY UPDATE

A BIG THANK YOU to the ministries and councils for highlighting all the great opportunities we have to be involved at St. Regis. **The 4 Pillar of Stewardship: Hospitality, Prayer, Formation and Service** are truly evident on all the St. John Francis Regis Parish.



Have you considered online giving? Did you know that 20% of normal contributions to St. Regis are done online? If you already using Online Giving, THANK YOU. If you don't, please consider it. Online makes giving convenient and easy for parishioners. Parishioners won't have to worry about looking for their envelope or check-book before Mass.

- Easy as 1, 2, 3 account set-up
- Flexible giving and recurring donation options
- Receive convenient parish email communications

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

During the past couple of weeks, we have invited each of you to prayerfully consider a gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) and many of you have pledged your support. We thank you. If you have not made a gift or a pledge, please make a difference today by filling out a pledge card and placing it in the collection basket. Pledge cards are available in the Gathering Space. Every gift makes a difference and we are aiming for 100% participation.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Today's Gospel reading brings us to the very essence of a stewardship way of life, as Jesus responds to a question posed to Him by one of the scribes: "Which is the first of all the commandments?" His answer, "The first [commandment] is this... You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Let's consider these "greatest commandments" as they relate to three aspects of a Christian steward's daily life — the use of our time, of our talents and of our material treasure.

The use of time in the context of stewardship refers primarily to our relationship with the Lord — in other words, our prayer life. Since time is a gift to me from God, I show my love for Him and my gratitude for this gift by giving Him the best portion of my time. The use of talents in the context of stewardship refers to the way I offer the abilities, skills, and interests the Lord has given me for the good of those around me. While our loving Father gives us these things for our own enjoyment, He also intends for us to use them to help others. The use of material gifts in the context of stewardship likewise demonstrates both love of God and of neighbor. When I trustingly offer a sacrificial gift to God through the offertory collection, I am showing Him in a very tangible way that He comes before all else in my life. At the same time, my gift is also a gift to my neighbor and a way to show my love for others through needed material assistance for charitable works, religious formation of parish children and adults, and the many other ways that our parish family works together to worship and serve the Lord and our community.

When we live for God and others, we are living a stewardship way of life. And like the wise scribe in today's Gospel, we are moving closer to the kingdom of God, our ultimate destination.

COMMITMENT SUNDAY

This weekend, **November 3rd and 4th**, is commitment Sunday. Remember to fill out and bring your Time/Talent brochure and green pledge card.



DID YOU KNOW?

For your convenience, there are now vinyl sleeves in each pew section (by the hymnals) that hold the children's yellow envelopes. They also have bilingual blue welcome envelopes. that are available for visitors and for parishioners that forgot to bring theirs. Please add your name to receive credit for the donation.

**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.

YOUTH GROUP

**2 & 4 Sunday of the month, 11:30am-1:30pm
7th-10th graders**

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

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

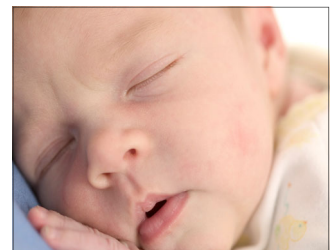
SAVE THE DATE

Attention all 4th Wednesday Breakfast Club members! The St. Regis 8th graders will be preparing a Thanksgiving luncheon on Wednesday, **November 14th**, at 11:30am in the Parish Hall. Invitations and a sign up board in the Gathering Space will be out soon, so please save the date, mark your calendars and plan on joining us for this wonderful St. Regis holiday tradition. **There will NOT be a 4th Wednesday breakfast** this month so we encourage the regular participants to sign up for the luncheon.



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 6 weeks. With an ultrasound stethoscope you can hear my heartbeat. Baby-teeth buds were present at 6.5 weeks and I can suck my thumb and swallow. After the 8th 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

2019 CALENDARS

Please be sure to pick up the 2019 St. Regis Calendar available in the baskets at each entrance of church. The calendar has a religious art theme. Our calendar is made possible through the generosity of Dave Vorbeck, principal attorney of Vorbeck Associates. Be sure to thank Dave for his generosity.

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:

Tuesday, November 6th - Candle order pick up

Wednesday, November 7th - Smiles dental help to visit

Thursday, November 8th, from 6:30-7:45pm, for a Parent's Night Out! We invite parents to join us, and we will provide refreshments, adult beverages, and snacks. A presenter from BeAlert - Stop Trafficking project will be here to share a few ways we can help to keep our kiddos safe, especially on social media. This is an evening for adults only. To learn more about our presentation, please visit: <http://www.stoptraffickingproject.com/>

Sunday, November 11th - All School Mass at 10:30am

Wednesday, November 14th - 2nd Quarter Midterm

Thursday, November 15th - PTO Meeting at 7:00pm

Thursday, November 15th - Scholastic Book Fair begins

**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 a videographer to assist with an Academy video. If you or someone you know might be willing to help, please contact Robin Sowders at rsowders@regisacademy.org



STREAM COACHES 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

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS TICKET FUNDRAISER

The Chiefs have released 3 new games for the Kansas City Chiefs Ticket Fundraiser:

December 9 vs. Ravens

December 13 vs. Chargers

December 30 vs. Raiders



Use the code: REGISSCHOOL in the link below to purchase single game tickets for only \$33.50 and \$10 per ticket comes back to support St. Regis! There is a limited amount of tickets available! <https://www.chiefs.com/tickets/ticketfundraiser>

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
WITH CONFESSIONS**

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



Congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Fisher!

Miss Robin Sowders, principal of St. Regis Academy married Christopher Fisher on October 20, 2018.

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.

GUARDIAN FOR A DAY

St. Michael the Archangel is excited to offer an opportunity for students who are interested in attending SMA to experience everything our school has to offer. We invite you to be our guest and to follow a current SMA student throughout the school day. Open to current 8-12th grade students. Find a date that works for you and sign up at: smacatholic.org/shadow

2019 MARCH FOR LIFE

The March for Life in Washington DC will be held on **Friday, January 18th**. Registration is now open for the March for Life Pilgrimage to Washington DC, January 17-19. This 3 day trip will include Mass each day, Rally on the National Mall, and participation in the 2018 March for Life.

Registration forms available at www.respectlifekcsj.org. The cost is \$315. Registration will remain open through December 12th.

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel Catholic High School is having an Open House on **Saturday, November 10** from 12:00 to 2:00pm. Come take a tour with our students, and hear from our faculty and administration about the educational experience that SMA can provide for your future high-schooler! Skip the registration line and pre-register at: smacatholic.org/open-house



BASKETBALL CAMP

We will be hosting a two day Preseason Basketball camp at Saint Thomas More School on **November 10th** and 11th 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 10th. The camp will be for grades 2nd-5th grade from 11:00am-1:00pm and grades 6th-8th grade 1:15pm-3:15pm on Sunday, November 11th. The cost is only \$40.00 dollars per camper. The camp will focus on drills to get each camper ready for the upcoming basketball season. The 6th-8th grade will be an advanced camp. We will raffle off Kyrie Irving, LeBron James, and Stef Curry NBA jerseys. Please register at <https://campscui.active.com/orgs/BillWarisBluejaysBasketballClub>

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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, 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, Siggy 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, Bill Massop, Jack Humphrey, Becky Smith, Oral Eidson, Ardith Fetterolf and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Margaret Kilty, aunt of Patty Sack
Julie Lise, cousin of Patty Sack

Liturgical Roles

November 10 & 11

Lectors

4:30pm Mark Siedlik & Barbara Schroeder
8:30am Harold Hanson & Pat Hanson
10:30am School

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30pm Charlene Helling, Marvin Chaney, Tom Smith
Melissa Wiehn, Larry Hayden, Jim Filley
Francis Brenner & Bernadette Brenner
8:30am Pat Hanson, Harold Hanson, Jane Marzano
Janet Helms, Mike Murtha, Sue Nichols
Sue Quanty Smith & Kathleen Robb
10:30am Prisca Tizimbune, Regina Ozbun, Elaine Allee
Ora Reyes, Virginia Reyes, John Reyes, Sr.
Marlene Sanchez & Theresa Van Pelt

Servers

4:30pm Odily Rowland & Allison Wiehn
8:30am Evan Burdick & Harper Burdick
10:30am School

Greeters

4:30pm Larry Hayden & Jack Gress
8:30am Mary Walker & Sherry Falke
10:30am Eddie Villegas & Jenny Villegas

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 5

7:00am For the Intentions of Joseph Gregory

Tuesday, November 6

†Leslie Whitehurse by Joanne Whitehurse

Wednesday, November 7

†Alice Crowley by Jerry Crowley

Thursday, November 8

†Ed Batcheler by Margaret Fimple

Friday, November 9

For the Intentions of Denny King
by Bob & Rose Brown

Saturday, November 10

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

Sunday, November 11

8:30am †Curtis Ulschak by Betty Ulschak
10:30am †Jeff Borgmeyer by Venture Crew #2553

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
Joseph B.	Walruff	34	11/5	1997
Bill	Goddell	90	11/5	2006
Edward J. Sr	Gorman	80	11/6	1997
Emmett	Beaven Jr	46	11/7	1973
Robert	Smith	73	11/7	2004
Mary	Hirsch	84	11/7	2005
Nicholas	Ropchock	84	11/7	2007
Mary Louise	Bales	25	11/8	1965
Benton B.	Holt Sr.	62	11/8	1988
Matthew	Benyo	7	11/8	1988
Leslie	Whitehorse	18	11/8	1990
James	Audiss	57	11/9	1995
Laura Ann	Bink	69	11/9	2003
Martha Louise	Nixon	17	11/10	1973
Patricia Jean	Duffy	49	11/10	1973
Fermina M.	Blue	86	11/10	1999
Curtis	Ulschak	86	11/10	2014
Lois Ethel	Hill	85	11/11	1993
Alice	Hollenbeck	67	11/11	1993
Alfred	Down	79	11/11	2006

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, November 4

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary
- 10:30am Mass/Childcare/Children Liturgy
- 11:30am Tailgate Party

Monday, November 5

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

Tuesday, November 6

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Immaculata Militia
- 7:00pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way
- 7:00pm RCIA

Wednesday, November 7

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

Thursday, November 8

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Scripture Sharing
- 6:30pm Parent's Night Out
- 7:00pm Choir Practice
- 7:00pm Neocatechumenal Way

Friday, November 9

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

Saturday, November 10

- 3:30pm Confessions
- 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, November 11

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass/All School
- 11:30am Youth Group
- 5:00pm Confirmation Meeting

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

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 4, 2018

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Thank you.