



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

November 20, 2016

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30PM

Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30AM

Daily Mass

Monday: 5:30PM

Tuesday-Friday: 8:30AM

Thursday: 6:15AM

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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School Office	763-5837
Religious Education	761-1608
Early Childhood Center	763-6566
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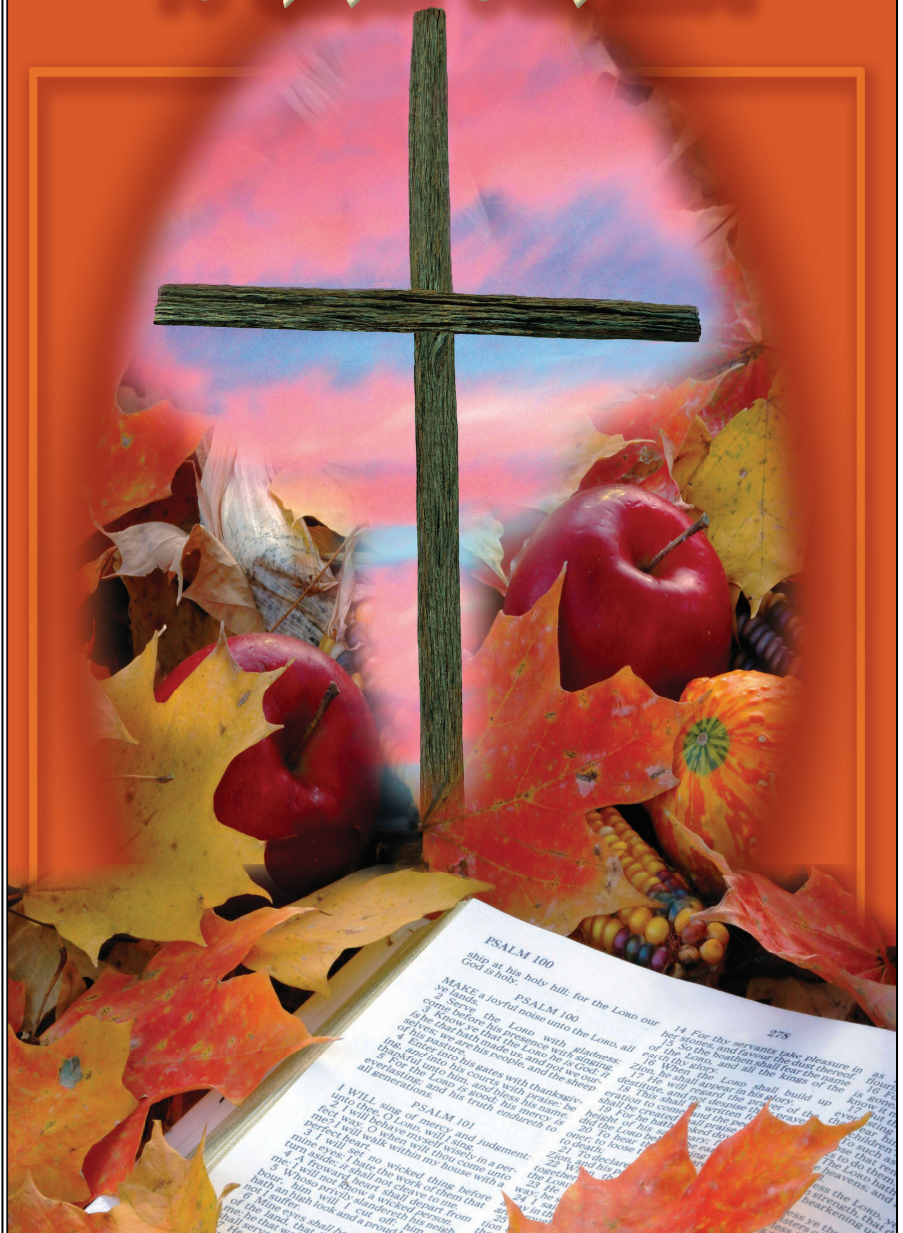
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WE GATHER IN GRATITUDE TO CHRIST OUR KING



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Join us for a special Thanksgiving Day Mass this **Thursday, November 24th at 9am**. As our nation pause to give thanks for our many blessings, we also recognize the source of those blessings by gathering to worship God. Invite your family and friends to join us.

THANKSGIVING SCHEDULE

The Parish Office will be closed **November 24th and 25th** for the Thanksgiving holiday. Have a blessed Thanksgiving Day!



TOMORROW'S PRIEST COLLECTION

Tomorrow's Priest Collection is this weekend, November 19 and 20. Our diocese is blessed with 33 men currently studying for the priesthood at six different seminaries. At the moment, our diocese has more parishes than we do parish priests, so the need for more vocations to the priesthood is significant. We are truly fortunate to have such a large number of quality seminarians in formation. It is a blessing that also comes with a cost. The average rate per seminarian per year is nearly \$35,000 for tuition, room and board. Funding seminary education can only be accomplished with your generosity. Please help us to support our seminarians, "Tomorrow's Priests".

ADVENT RECONCILIATION SERVICES

Tuesday, November 29, at 7pm.

St. Regis & St. Matthew Parishes will have a combined service at St. Matthew

All are encouraged to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the season of Advent.

Other area services:

St. Catherine - Friday, Dec. 2 - 7pm

St. Sabina - Tuesday, Dec. 13 - 7pm

St. Bernadette - Thursday, Dec. 15 - 7pm

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Today we celebrate the feast of Christ the King. Clearly the readings all relate to Christ as not only the King on earth, but throughout the entire universe. The First Reading speaks of the kingship of David, but is worth noting that he was the second choice for many. They previously recognized Ishbosheth, son of Saul. Recognizing others first may be parallel to how we may look at Jesus. Is He our King, the center of our lives or do we merely turn to Him when it suits us?

In the Second Reading from St Paul, he starts by saying, "Let us give thanks to the Father." Placing God at the center of our lives and understanding that we need to lead lives of gratitude are exactly how we recognize and honor Christ as our King.

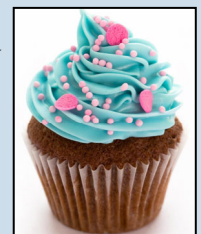
Our Gospel Reading from St. Luke is a narration of a part of the crucifixion of Christ through which He has opened his Kingdom to us. Jesus has called us to follow Him, and to embrace discipleship and stewardship as a way of life. That is in a large part what Pope Francis has called us to in this Year of Mercy. Today the Year of Mercy officially ends, but if we have not done anything to fulfill the call it is not too late; Jesus has made it clear to us it is never too late. The converted criminal that died with Jesus was saved to be with Jesus in Paradise.

ST. REGIS MINISTRY UPDATE

Did you know we only have five Sacristans that setup for the weekday and Sunday Masses. Together they dedicate over 800 hours per year in this meaningful ministry so that our liturgies go as smoothly as possible for us fellow parishioners. If you interested in becoming a Sacristan, contact Fr. Sean.

BAKE SALE

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary will be hosting their annual Bake Sale this weekend of **November 19 & 20** after all the Masses. Proceeds will fund the Auxiliary's charities.



	Year End Report	Budget
	July 2015-June 2016	July 2016-June 2017
	<u>Actual July '15 - June '16</u>	<u>Budget Jul '16 - Jun '17</u>
Income		
CONTRIBUTION INCOME	\$ 550,450.22	515,250.00
DEVELOPMENT/FUNDRAISING	\$ 319,277.37	211,616.00
OPERATION	\$ 14,742.65	14,900.00
EDUCATION	\$ 953,086.25	957,600.00
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INCOME	\$ 965.00	950.00
MINISTRY & PROGRAM FEE INCOME	\$ 851.00	800.00
DIOCESAN/PARISH ALLOCATIONS	\$ 29,111.00	45,200.00
OTHER INCOME	\$ 2,770.00	2,850.00
EXTRA ORDINARY INCOME	\$ 9,220.34	
Total Income	1,880,474	1,749,166.00
Expense		
PERSONNEL	\$1,154,272.43	1,157,998.00
FACILITIES	\$199,585.19	211,920.00
GENERAL/OPERATIONAL	\$351,309.31	350,898.00
PRAYER & WORSHIP	\$11,353.29	11,895.00
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	\$9,640.27	9,780.00
PASTORAL MINISTRY	\$989.70	1,000.00
EXTRAORDINARY	\$62,448.56	
Total Expense	\$1,789,598.75	1,743,491.00
Net Income	\$ 90,875.08 \$	5,675.00

*** Included in the \$62,448.56 for extraordinary expense were the flat roof repair and the Parish Hall kitchen work.

GIVING TREE

Gift tags for the Giving tree will be available the first Sunday of Advent, **November 26/27**. Join in the St. Regis tradition of giving! Help bring hope and joy to those in need this Christmas by taking a tag off the Giving Tree. The gifts should be wrapped and returned by **Thursday, December 15**. Thank you for your generosity.



**NOVEMBER WORK OF MERCY
SHELTER THE HOMELESS**

- Support and/or volunteer at a **homeless shelter** (City Union Mission, KC Rescue Mission, CAC, reStart, Catholic Charities)
- **Help neighbors** w/ home repairs, yard work, etc.
- Consider becoming a **foster parent** (Midwest Foster Care and Adoption Association (MFCAA))
- **Volunteer to serve** at St James Place soup kitchen
- **Donate non-perishable food items** to our St Regis food pantry

SCHOOL NEWS

Saturday, December 3rd, join us for our first Christmas Drop N Shop. Bring your student(s) to O'Hara High School for pizza and a movie while you have a few hours to catch up on shopping or even have a date night! Students will be supervised by teachers, PTO parents, and eighth grade volunteers. We will also have gift wrapping available for a donation. All proceeds for the gift wrapping will go to the Mr. Christmas Fund for the teachers.

Winter will be moving in soon, bringing chances of snow and or snow days. Please make sure you are registered with *Remind* to receive updates for school closings and activities. Please register at <https://www.remind.com/join/stjohnfr>.



Saturday - Tuesday, 11/19-22, Book Fair
Tuesday, 11/22, Special Friend's Afternoon 1:00-3:00pm
Wednesday- Friday, 11/23-25, No School, Thanksgiving Break
Thursday, 12/1, Reconciliation (grades 3-8), 10:30am
Friday, 12/2, Raytown Christmas Tree Lighting, 6-7:30pm at 63rd & Raytown Road
Saturday, 12/3, Drop N Shop/Movie Night at O'Hara, 6:00-9:00pm
Thursday, 12/8, NO SCHOOL, Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary
Wednesday, 12/14, 1st Reconciliation Parent Meeting, 7:15pm
Wednesday, 12/14, Service Wednesday, Shoe Box Santa
Thursday, 12/15, Luau Meeting, Rm 109, 7:00pm
Monday, 12/19, 8th Grade Deliver Shoe Box Santa Gifts
Tuesday, 12/20, Christmas Parties 2:15pm – End of 2nd Quarter
Wednesday, 12/21-1/4 NO SCHOOL, Christmas Break



The Scholastic Book Fair will be open after Masses on Saturday, November 19 and Sunday, November 20 in the Parish Hall. There will be books for all ages. Please come and visit and perhaps buy some early Christmas gifts. All proceeds go to the school. Thank you for supporting St. Regis School

HELP WANTED

The Early Childhood Center is looking for staff to fill morning and afternoon shifts. If you are interested call Lori Long at 816-763-6566.

POINSETTIA SALE

The 8th Grade class will be selling poinsettias at St. Regis after all the Masses this weekend **November 19/20**. You can also order by calling the school office at 763-5837. The plants sell for \$15 each and come in red, pink or white. You must place your order by Tuesday, November 29. The plants will be available for pick up on Friday, December 9th, from 3-5pm, and after Mass on the weekend of December, 10/11.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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

WHAT'S NEW IN SCRIP CARDS?

We now sell gift cards to Menard's! Menard's just opened up in Belton and will soon be open in Independence.

The holidays are right around the corner. Many retailers are now offering smaller denomination cards. Amazon, AMC, Olive Garden, Longhorn, Outback, Applebees, IHop and Target all have \$10 gift cards available. Barnes & Noble, Panera and Starbucks have \$5 cards available. These cards sell out fast so order yours early. Forms are available in the Gathering Space.

The office has a few \$100 Whole Foods cards available for only \$90. Call the office if you are interested. Happy Shopping!

CLOSING MASS FOR THE HOLY YEAR OF MERCY

Please be aware that this year of grace and mercy will come to a close on the weekend of November 19-20th the Solemnity of Christ the King. For our diocese Bishop Johnston will celebrate the closing mass for the Year of Mercy in his Cathedral in Kansas City at 2pm **on Sunday, November 20th**. At the end of this liturgy the Cathedral's holy door will be closed. As this is the diocesan celebration for the closing of the Holy Year everyone is invited to attend this special mass. We would like to see representation from the whole diocese at this mass.

**PROFIT LOSS BUDGET VS. ACTUAL
JULY 2016 - SEPTEMBER 2016**

	<u>Jul - Sep 16</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Income		
4100 · CONTRIBUTION INCOME	130,318.52	128,812.41
4200 · DEVELOPMENT/FUND RAISING	32,018.29	45,253.88
4260.00 · Other Fundraising Income	0.00	13,899.94
4300 · OPERATIONAL	5,297.69	3,724.88
4340. EDUCATION	157,663.19	151,374.94
4550 · ECC INCOME	77,241.13	88,024.88
4600 · RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INCOME	570.00	237.38
4700 · MINISTRY & PROGRAM FEE INCOME	290.00	199.97
4800 · DIOCESAN/PARISH ALLOCATIONS	9,157.00	11,599.97
OTHER INCOME	<u>3,370.15</u>	<u>712.41</u>
Total Income	415,925.97	443,840.66
Expense		
PERSONNEL	297,724.03	288,849.86
FACILITIES	69,429.74	51,193.92
GENERAL/OPERATIONAL	97,517.25	87,870.59
PRAYER & WORSHIP	2,223.79	2,949.94
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	1,929.85	2,444.82
PASTORAL MINISTRY	790.70	249.94
EXTRAORDINARY	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Expense	469,615.36	433,559.07
Net Income	<u>-53,689.39</u>	<u>10,281.59</u>

WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA - 1ST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

World Apostolate of Fatima First Saturday Devotions will be held on **Saturday, December 3rd** at St. John Francis Regis Parish, 8941 James A Reed Road, Kansas City, MO. Opportunity for Confession begins at **7:30 a.m.** and the Rosary and 15 Minutes of Meditations at 8:00 a.m. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass begins at **9:00 a.m.** Our Lady of Fatima requests us to make reparation to her Immaculate Heart for offenses given by sins of people in the world. *Our Lady promised to assist at the hour of their death with the graces necessary for salvation those who made these devotions on five consecutive First Saturdays.* They may also be made in any church. For more information, call 816-255-9556.



ST. REGIS YOUTH GROUP
Hang out with friends
Get to know Christ
Enjoy snacks & games
Meet at St. Regis every
Sunday 7-8:30pm.

2017 CALENDAR

Please be sure to pick up the 2017 St. Regis Calendar available in the baskets at each entrance of church. The calendar has a vocation 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.



Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Seth Dujakovich, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, Jean Kraus, Eric Severt, Pat Beard, Carol Beard, Rose Solo, Beth Heidler, Mary Pat Lambert, David Berg, John Weaver, Fran Wadle, Eleanor Cutler, Don Knipp, Rose Marie Larson, Gilbert Valle, Dean & Mary Starr, Herb Letzig, Jacob Smith, Veronica Maschek, Marsha Crum, Gene Helling, Dorothy Linn, Joseph Day, John Biegel, Cathy Groover, Bobbie Duncan, Michael Whitehorse, Sr. Marie Neff, Sr. Therese Pfeifer, Leonard Como, Aidan Jones, Jacob Witherspoon, Kathy Ness, Margaret Ngwane, Joanne Whitehorse, Rob & Sandy Smith, Larry Waitley, Ken Arens, Dan Machetta, Helen Sheehan, Patrick Sheehan, Jessica Berger, Norma Szumigala, Sharon Walker, Virgie Nelson, Rebecca Lochmiller, Bill Caufield, Romeo Cuario, Michelle Benoit, Cliff Uhlig, Shreeka Mays, Joan Fischer, Boyer Rivera, Hilton Simien, Jane Marzano, John Quinn, Theresa Wavada, Sara Davis, Mary O'Donnell, Donna Carrupher, Stella Chi, Joseph Musongwe, Kankoe Kuevi, Edgar Mehl, Kaye Clark, Ed Batcheler, Bud Seeger, Joanne Mattingly, Gary Stroble and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Liturgical Roles

November 26 & 27

Lectors

4:30pm John Quinn & Mark Siedlik
8:30am Pat Hanson & Harold Hanson
10:30am Katie Radford & John Reyes, Jr.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30pm Bernadette Brenner, Tom Smith, Jim Filley
Larry Hayden, Melissa Wiehn, Marvin Chaney
Barb Schroeder & Jerry Schroeder
8:30am Harold Hanson, Pat Hanson, Dennis Wadle
Dave Vorbeck, Janet Helms, Anna Barber
Robert Falke & Sherry Falke
10:30am Virginia Reyes, John Reyes, Sr., Bill Massop
Regina Ozbun, Shane Givens, Mary Kimbrell
Diane Pacheco & Teresa Mahnke

Servers

4:30pm David Maschger & Audrey Maglich
8:30am Katherine Banlomon & Margaret Banlomon
10:30am

Greeters

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

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 21

5:30pm †For the deceased members of the Atanga & Sindoti Families

Tuesday, November 22

†Dottie Seeger by Bud Seeger

Wednesday, November 23

†Bill & Jane Armel by
Tim Carrigan & Jane Marzano

Thursday, November 24

6:15am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
8:30am †Paul Monteil by Carolyn Koetting

Friday, November 25

†Emma Rottinghaus by Joan Sack

Saturday, November 26

4:30pm †Dottie Seeger by Bud Seeger

Sunday, November 27

8:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
10:30am †Kenny Van Pelt by Theresa Van Pelt

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION UPDATE

Hi! I'm three months old now. I'm about 3 inches long and I weigh one ounce. That's not much, but I'm fully formed and can even suck my thumb!! Please keep praying for me and my parents too.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.



BULLETIN DEADLINE

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

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.

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 20

8:30am Mass
 9:45am Sunday Readings
 10:30am Mass
 7:00pm Youth Group
 Food Collection
 Book Fair

Monday, November 21

Meatloaf Monday
 Soup Kitchen
 9:00am Mass
 5:30pm Mass
 Book Fair

Tuesday, November 22

8:30am Mass
 9:00am Bible Timeline
 1:00pm Special Friends Afternoon
 7:00pm Rosary
 7:00pm Worship Council
 Book Fair

Wednesday, November 23

8:30am Mass
 6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Officers
 7:00pm Grief Group
 No School

Thursday, November 24

Thanksgiving Day
 9:00am Mass
 Parish Office Closed
 No School

Friday, November 25

8:30am Mass
 Parish Office Closed
 No School

Saturday, November 26

3:30pm Confessions
 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, November 27

8:30am Mass
 9:45am Sunday Readings
 10:30am Mass
 5:00pm Confirmation Meeting
 7:00pm Youth Group

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

November 20, 2016

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