



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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www.regischurch.org

Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

June 18, 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

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8AM-4PM

Parish Office 816) 761-1608

Emergencies 761-1608

School Office 763-5837

Religious Education 761-1608

Early Childhood Center 763-6566

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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 18, 2017

*The bread that we break,
is it not a participation
in the body of Christ?
Because the loaf
of bread is one,
we, though many,
are one body,
for we all partake
of the one loaf.*

1 CORINTHIANS 10:16-17



ANNUAL CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION.

The annual Eucharistic procession for the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, co-hosted by the Archdiocese and the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, will take place on **June 18** at Blessed Sacrament Church in Kansas City, KS. The celebration will begin with a Holy Hour in the church at 1 p.m., during which the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered. The procession begins at 2 p.m. and will travel around the near vicinity of the church, returning to the church for Benediction. Contact the Archdiocesan Liturgy Office, liturgy@archkck.org, for more information.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

Today, we are taking up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC connect people to Christ, here and around the world, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the funds we collect remains in our diocese to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the gospel message and support the collection today! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc.

SUNDAY SCRIPTURE STUDY

Join us every week at 9:45am in Mary's Room for a study and deeper explanation of the Sunday Mass readings. Stay a little later after 8:30 Mass or come a little early for 10:30 Mass. It is a great opportunity to connect more deeply with the Scriptures and others. Come and invite your friends! The studies will be led by Kyle Sellnow, Theology teacher at O'Hara High School and Director of Evangelization at St. Regis.

WOMEN'S CURSILLO

The next Women's Cursillo weekend is **June 22-25, 2017**. All women are welcome. Scholarships are available. To register call Judy Newkirk at 806-1997 or Pat Filley at 853-9457.

ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

This has been a month of celebrations for us as Catholics. Today we celebrate the Solemnity (Feast) of Corpus Christi during which we commemorate the great gift of the Eucharist which stands at the heart and life of the mission of the Church. This is not only a time to celebrate this gift to us from Christ, but to consider its meaning and richness both in the life of the Church and in our lives as Catholics.

The celebration of Corpus Christi commemorates the presence of the Body and Blood of Christ, one of the Sacraments of the Eucharist. On Holy Thursday Jesus met the Apostles for the Last Supper, when He said, "This is my Body (indicating the bread) and this is my Blood (designating the wine)." We as Catholics acknowledge the gift of the Eucharist, as this is the food of our souls.

Twelve times during the Last Supper Jesus reminds us that He is the Bread of Life. He is quite definite about this reality. It is He Who gives us eternal life. Every Catholic Mass, not just this one, is both a memorial to Christ's life, death, and Resurrection, and also a participation in the sacrifice which Christ made on the Cross for us. When we approach to receive communion, we are in reality at the foot of the Cross, adoring, asking forgiveness, and offering ourselves to Christ Who loved us to His death.

Today, and every day when we approach the Eucharist, we need to keep this in mind. We need to receive this incredible gift and then as good stewards we need to share it by being disciples, by sharing the Good News in our lives and how we live them.

LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **July and August** 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.

PRAYER LIST

We will start the Prayer List over in a couple of weeks. If you would like to keep someone on the Prayer List please call the Parish Office at 761-1608.

JOIN SMALL GROUP

Come and join this new and exciting way for the parish to build community and relationships that deeply matter! If you haven't joined a small group, you can sign up on the website at stregischurch.com/smallgroups.

DIACONATE INFORMATION MEETINGS

These meetings are for anyone interested in finding out more about the Diaconate Formation Program. The meetings are informal and will provide you an opportunity to hear about the life and ministry of deacons in our diocese. Married men who are interested are encouraged to bring their wives to these meetings. Please plan to attend one of the following meetings:

Saturday, June 17th at 9am and Thursday, June 22nd at 7pm at the Catholic Center, 20 W 9th Street, Kansas City, MO, in the Cardinal Baum Room on the 1st floor. Parking is available in the garage in the Catholic Center garage entrance on W. 9th Street – take elevator to 1st floor and follow signs.

Saturday, June 24th at 10am at St. Gregory Barbarigo Parish, 333 S. Davis Street, Maryville, MO Parish Hall

You need only attend one of these meetings. If these times do not fit in your schedule, please call Deacon Paul Miller at 714-2302. Please email muller@diocesekcsj.org to say which meeting you will attend.

Totus Tuus

July 23-28

Cost: \$20/youth; family limit of \$50

*Early registration: register by July 1st and get \$5 off your registration fee

Return your registration form to the Parish Office

Call Susan Duerr at 761-1608 or sduerr@regischurch.org for more info.

New friends * Crazy games * Daily Mass
Snacks * Adoration * Fun songs *
interactive learning * Catholic to the Core!

Totus Tuus needs your help. We will need to provide housing for our team - one family to host the men and another for the women. We will also need generous people to provide lunches for the team and then dinner meals as well. If you would be able to help take care of our team, please contact Susan Duerr at the Parish Office or sduerr@regischurch.org.



HELP WANTED

A parishioner at St. Regis is looking for someone to ride along with her to Purdy, MO (3 hours one way) and back on Sunday, June 25 and/or Friday, June 30. She is taking her disabled son to and from Summer Camp (Camp Barnabas). If you can help call the Parish Office, 761-1608.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS

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



SCHOOL NEWS

Open House 6/21 from 5:00-7:00pm

Please invite your friends and neighbors to learn more about our exceptional school!



St. Regis School and ECC

A Faith-Based Education

8941 James A Reed Road
Kansas City MO 64138
816-763-5837

Join us for our Summer Open
House Events from 5:00 - 7:00

June 21
July 18
July 27

www.regisschool.org

We Want to Meet You!

Please turn in your enrollment form to help us better prepare for our 2017-2018 school year.

Please return your enrollment form promptly to enable us to plan for the 2017-2018 school year. If you know of a family interested in attending St. Regis School for the 2017-2018 school year, please have them visit www.regisschool.org for more information or contact Marilyn Moore at 816-763-5837 to schedule a tour of St. Regis School.

School Hours

The school office will be open from 9:00am-Noon Monday-Thursday and closed on Fridays during the end of June. The office will be closed during the month of July. The Parish Office is open for regular hours from 8am-4pm each weekday. Have a wonderful summer!

ATTENTION COLLEGE BOUNDS STUDENTS

Worried about making friends; not sure where to hang out once you get there - let Newman Connections help. Fill out the card located on the kiosk in the Gathering Space with the information - college student name and their college choice. Then, put the card in the collection basket or send to the Parish Office and we will get it where it needs to go. Helping your College kids stay Catholic has never been easier.

CATHOLIC BOOK CLUB

Our next Catholic Book Club selection is *Silence* by Shusaku Endo and translated from the Japanese by William Johnston.

"Seventeenth-century Japan: Two Portuguese Jesuit priests travel to a country hostile to their religion, where feudal lords force the faithful to publicly renounce their beliefs. Eventually captured and forced to watch their Japanese Christian brothers lay down their lives for their faith, the priests bear witness to unimaginable cruelties that test their own beliefs. Shusaku Endo is one of the most celebrated and well-known Japanese fiction writers of the twentieth century, and *Silence* is widely considered to be his great masterpiece." There are a few copies left of this book. Call Ann Julo at 529-3148 if you are interested in getting one. They are each \$10.

The St. Regis Catholic Book Club will meet on Monday, June 19 at 7:00 p.m. in Mary's Room to discuss *Silence*. Everyone is welcome!

THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Do you know of anyone who might be interested in exploring the possibility of becoming Catholic? Maybe you have a friend, family member, co-worker who is not baptized or does not belong to a faith community. This is an excellent opportunity to invite them to explore the truth, beauty and splendor of the Catholic faith. Inquiry classes begin in September; however, you can contact Deacon Sam now (816) 761-1608 to discuss your particular circumstances before classes begin.

DONATIONS WANTED

Little Sisters of the Poor would be grateful for donations of items to sell at the Silent Auction at the Summer Festival. It's a great way for individuals, groups, families, and area businesses to support a good cause, and it's tax-deductible! Need some ideas? Things that sell especially well are: Sports memorabilia; Gift cards to restaurants or stores; Tickets to sporting events, concerts, movies; Electronics - new computers, tablets, smart phones, Kindles, TVs; Gift Baskets; Lawn equipment - lawn mowers, trimmers, snow blowers. We ask that all items be delivered by **Tuesday, June 20th** to give us time to get ready for the big day. **For more information contact:** Pat Benyo at 761-4744 or ackansas-city@littlesistersofthepoor.org

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

A Weekend Away for a Lifetime of Change.

Serving the Widowed, Separated and Divorced; who are suffering the loss of a love relationship and may feel left out by their church, uneasy around married friends, unsure of themselves and uncertain about their futures. Helps grieving persons focus on their experience, deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth emerging from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning. The next Beginning Experience Weekend is **July 7-9, at Savior Pastoral Center, Kansas City, KS**. For more information visit: www.beginningexperiencekc.org, email: register.bekc@gmail.com, or contact Lori 913-980-7966.



HOSPITAL STAYS

All those planning a hospital stay or scheduling a surgery are encouraged to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick beforehand. Please call the Parish Office or speak to Fr. McCaffery to schedule a convenient time during the week or after Mass. Also, please notify the parish if you or a family member is in the hospital. This is often the only way we know about a hospital stay and allows us to attend to the spiritual needs of our parishioners. Please continue to pray for those who are sick and hospitalized.

Little Sisters of the Poor Summer Festival

Sunday, June 25
12-5pm



Festivities will be held at 8745 James A. Reed Rd. KCMO. There will be games, live music, a bake sale featuring our famous sugar cookies and other sweet treats, a silent auction, and a raffle with great prizes including \$5,000 cash and a trip to sunny Panama City Beach, Florida. Parking is available at St. Regis parish, with a bus to bring you to the fun and back. All proceeds go to benefit Little Sister's home for the elderly poor. Call 761-4744 for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions are a way to remember our deceased loved ones or a special need of someone in our life. Each Mass has a designated intention. If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, please call or stop by the Parish Office during regular hours. A donation of \$10 is suggested for each Mass. Mass intentions can be said for weekday or weekend Masses. If you would like a specific date, it is best to reserve early.

St. Regis Youth Group

Sunday, June 25th
7-8:30pm

Hang out with friends
Get to know Christ
Enjoy snacks & games

Newly graduated 8th graders welcome!

ON VACATION?

When you are out of town, Mass times can be found on the following website: <http://www.masstimes.org>. Just enter the town or city where you are going. It gives you the names of nearby churches, their Mass times and their website information if available.

FUNERAL DISHES

There is an assortment of dishes left over from funeral meals in the parish office. If you are missing a dish please stop by and check.

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Seth Dujakovich, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, Jean Kraus, Eric Severt, Pat & Carol Beard, Rose Solo, Beth Heidler, 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, Dan Machetta, Helen & 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, Sara Davis, Mary O'Donnell, Donna Carrupher, Stella Chi, Joseph Musongwe, Edgar Mehl, Ed Batcheler, Bud Seeger, Joanne Mattingly, Melinda McGee, Kathy Grantham, Callie Banks, Mike Hampton, Greg Weiberg, Rita Jackson, Adelia Spann, Jerry Stanford, Leonard Duerr, Larry Brosch, Brenda Powell, Monique Williams, Carolyn Quinn Bernhardt, Tammy Fayard, Joseph Browne, Mary Kathleen Herrington, Milan & Lois Rodgers, Addison Szumigala, Robert Spann, Jr., Frank Beard, Teresa Cravey, Dalton Peavler, Donald Miller and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Amy Newland, daughter of Joanna Dotson

Frank Gutierrez, grandfather of Robin Sowders

Liturgical Roles

June 24 & 25

Lectors

4:30pm Marvin Chaney & Jim Filley
8:30am Ken Stewart & Dave Vorbeck
10:30am Katie Radford & John Reyes, Jr.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

4:30pm Dorothy Quinn, Tom Smith, Marvin Chaney
Melissa Wiehn, John Nash, Alex Pope
Barb Schroeder & Jerry Schroeder
8:30am Kathleen Robb, Betty Roder, Paul Roder
Dave Vorbeck, Dennis Wadle, Joan Sack
Dianne Schmidt & Maxine Rodriguez
10:30am Jacob Duerr, Susan Duerr, Marcia Collins
Cathy Albers, Elaine Allee, Ann Garrison
Maggie Doedtman & Tino Camacho

Servers

4:30pm Ysabella Rogers & Odily Rowland
8:30am Anna Strobl & Jessica Loulos
10:30am Toni Barrera & Cole Barrera

Greeters

4:30pm Larry Hayden & Barbara Wilkins
8:30am Jane Marzano & Sue Quanty Smith
10:30am Ken Glasbrenner & Mary Lou Glasbrenner

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 19

7:00am For God's Love, Peace & Protection
by Raphael & Emelda Obi

Tuesday, June 20

†George Beres by Lois Beres

Wednesday, June 21

†Carolyn Mitchell by Harold Hanson

Thursday, June 22

6:15am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
8:30pm For the Intentions of the Surber Family

Friday, June 23

†Jean Kuevi by Martine Kuevi

Saturday, June 24

4:30pm †Jacob & Ruby Weiter by George & Teri Weiter

Sunday, June 25

8:30am People of St. John Francis Regis Parish
10:30am †Jean Kuevi by Martine Kuevi

Marian Conference

June 23 & 24

Speakers:

Fr. William Casey
Deacon Patrick O'Toole

Sr. Doris Engeman

Tim Francis

Donald Hartley

Elise Brion

St. Robert Bellarmine
Blue Springs, MO



Adoration * Confessions * Food
Music * Relics * Resources

Conference Times-Fri. 5:15pm-9:30pm, Sat. 7am-4:35pm
Mass Times-Friday 7:30pm & Saturday 7am & 5pm

For more information go to robertbellarmine.org/mc3

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.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

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

Schedule of Events

Sunday, June 18

Father's Day

8:30am Mass

9:45am Sunday Readings

10:30am Mass

Food Collection

Monday, June 19

Meatloaf Monday

Soup Kitchen

7:00am Mass

Tuesday, June 20

8:30am Mass

7:00pm Rosary

Wednesday, June 21

8:30am Mass

6:00pm Eucharistic Adoration w/Confessions

Thursday, June 22

6:15am Mass

8:30am Mass

7:00pm Boy Scouts

Friday, June 23

8:30am Mass

Saturday, June 24

3:30pm Confessions

4:30pm Mass

Sunday, June 25

8:30am Mass

9:45am Sunday Readings

10:30am Mass

FERTILITY CARE SYSTEM

Take a permanent vacation from contracepting! The FertilityCare™ System (Creighton Model) Introductory Session is offered monthly at a variety of area locations and long distance. Fulfills marriage policy requirement. Helpful for achieving and avoiding pregnancy plus medical applications. Better than IVF for infertility. Register online at www.fertilitycarekc.com, or call the FertilityCare™ Center of KC at (816) 858-0198.

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

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