



Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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Fr. Sean McCaffery, Pastor

April 19, 2020

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 3:00PM

Sunday: 8:30 and 10:30AM

Daily Mass

Monday: 7:00AM

Tuesday - Friday: 8:30AM

Confessions

Sat: 2:00PM & *Wed:* 6:00PM

& by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday: 6:00-7:00PM

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

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Religious Education	761-1608
Early Childhood Center	763-6566
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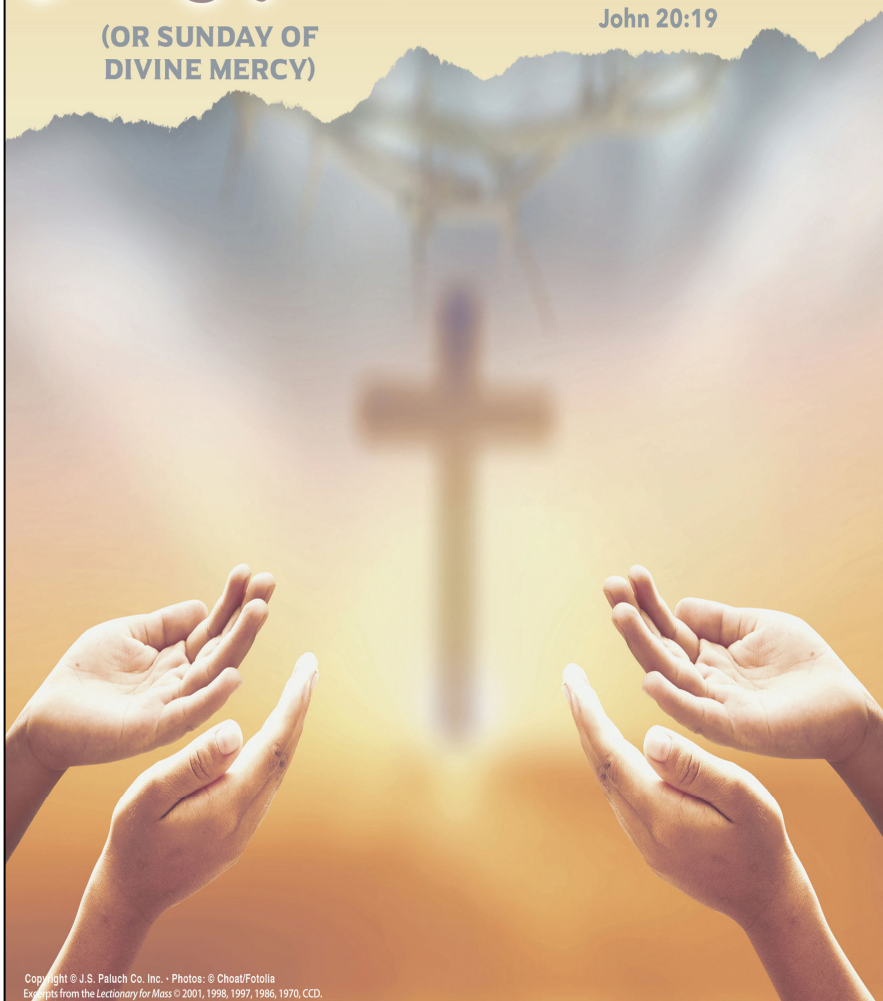
SECOND SUNDAY OF

Easter

JESUS CAME AND STOOD
IN THEIR MIDST
AND SAID TO THEM,
"PEACE BE WITH YOU."

John 20:19

(OR SUNDAY OF
DIVINE MERCY)



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BIBLE STUDY

This weeks Bible Study “The Eucharist in scripture” had some technical difficulties. We will be trying again after Easter, starting **Thursday, April 16th at 7pm.** We will be utilizing Zoom to watch a short 30 minute program and then have discussion. If interested in participating, please email Deacon Robert Falke at stregis.deaconrobert@gmail.com and he will send you the invitation to the meeting.



ST. REGIS STEWARDSHIP CORNER

In today’s first reading, the four activities of the earliest church are introduced to us as priorities of the church: devotion to the teachings of the apostles, communal fellowship, the Eucharist and prayer. The early members of the church saw themselves as devoted stewards of these activities. These were not options. They were the fruits of a genuine conversion to a life in Christ. Sharing in the Eucharist was the most intimate expression of fellowship, while the most common expression of fellowship in the New Testament was that of sharing financial resources – giving. It was not a perfect community, but one that offered evidence of God’s active presence in its midst. This early community offers us an excellent example of how to better exercise stewardship in our own parish families.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 21

For the Intentions of Dan & Siobhan Nichols
by Rick & Terri Martin

Wednesday, April 22

†Kenny Van Pelt by Theresa Van Pelt

Thursday, April 23

†Paul Monteil by John & Betty Hernandez

Friday, April 24

†Mildred Zuptich by the Glasbrenner Family

Saturday, April 25

3:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

Sunday, April 26

8:30am †Jesse & Ruth Rodriguez by Family

10:30am For the Intentions of Mary Kimbrell



If your income or employment has been impacted by the coronavirus, you may be eligible to receive help through the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). A letter from your employer on letterhead will be required providing details of how your employment and wages have been impacted by coronavirus. If you are unable to get a letter, include your employer’s phone number so the agency can verify the impact date, work hours and payrate, if applicable. Follow the link for further instructions on how to apply and where to get an application.

To apply for LIHEAP, download and print a LIHEAP **application** (<https://dss.mo.gov/fsd/energy-assistance/index.htm>). Scroll down, the application is located under, “How Do I Apply”.

Completed applications should be mailed to your local LIHEAP agency. The list of agencies is located on the last page of the LIHEAP application by your county of residence.

If anyone has questions about their Spire bill or payment agreement options, please call 800-582-1234.

Parking Lot & Playground Campaign

November 2019 through December 2020

Although the campaign will run through Dec. 2020, we hope to have the funds to complete the work next summer. The first phase of the project will be the parking lot, an approximately \$100,000 renovation. With 141 spaces, that is about \$730 a space. The second phase includes updating the playground. We are anticipating phase two to be about \$50,000. **Please contribute generously!**

PLEASE NOTE

The Parish Office is now open Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8am to 1pm to assist you with any questions or needs you may have.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

St. Regis parish is going to be serving at the One City Café on **Monday, April 20th**. We need only 4 volunteers to provide this service for this month. Please consider joining our St. Regis Parish in this wonderful opportunity to minister to those in need in our community. We will meet in the St. Regis parking lot on Monday, April 20th at 3:45pm to carpool (or you can meet us at the One City Café at 39th & Troost around 4pm). We will serve until about 6:30pm and be back at St. Regis around 7pm. Please contact Bob Brown at bobbrown07@aol.com to confirm you're coming so we can keep track of the number of volunteers.

Also, remember to bring your meatloaves to St. Regis this weekend (after 3pm on Saturday) and place them in the coolers we will have in the Gathering Space. Enter through the west door to the Gathering Space using the keypad access code. If you need the code call the Parish Office at 761-1608. You can also drop off your meatloaf on Monday before noon.

IN REMEMBRANCE-DECEASED PARISHIONERS

Name		Age	Date of Death	
John L.	Allan	46	4/20	1984
Carl G.	Kissgen Jr	50	4/20	2001
Bernard	Meissen Jr.	47	4/20	2007
Kathy Kim	Gentry	12	4/21	1969
Virginia R.	Matteson	86	4/21	1996
H. Lester	Hooten	72	4/21	2000
Annabell M.	Hampshire	78	4/21	2010
Charlotte L.	Pritchard	75	4/22	1990
Irvin H.	Blume	66	4/22	1990
Brian	Woodard	45	4/22	2002
Donna	Mickeletto	89	4/22	2011
Bettie	Emery	89	4/22	2013
Henry	Garcia	62	4/23	1987
Betty A.	Fields	68	4/23	1992
Thomas	Shea	55	4/23	1997
James C.	Hennessey	75	4/23	2001
Thomas	Kraus	40	4/24	2011
Joseph	Cowan	57	4/24	2018
Ewing (Jim)	Hodge	78	4/25	1992
Mary A.	McCue	100	4/25	2001
Frances	Harris		4/26	1978
Steve	Underwood	52	4/26	2018

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.

ST. Regis Academy

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POSTPONED

June 27TH | ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL HIGH SCHOOL

AUCTION • FOOD • DANCING | TICKET ORDER FORMS TO FOLLOW

Bring your favorite Hawaiian shirt & all your Eagle love

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Month 7: We are in the home stretch! I now weigh about three pounds and I can use four of my senses - seeing, hearing, tasting, and touching. My eyelids can now open and close and I can look around and respond to light. I also have a grip that is strong enough to support my body weight with one hand.

I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. So choose life in order that you may live...
Deut. 30:15-20

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.

2020 U.S. CENSUS

Census Day 2020 is approaching! By April 1, every home in the U.S. will receive information from the U.S. Census Bureau on how to respond to the U.S. Census. It is important that all Missourians are counted in the census so that our state may have accurate representation in Congress and adequate funding for local hospitals, first responders, and critical social programs. Your responses will be kept anonymous. The MCC has put together a one-page fact sheet on the 2020 U.S. Census that you can find at mocatolic.org. For even more info on what to expect and how to respond, visit www.2020census.gov.

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.

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Please Remember In Your Prayers: Susan Nealy, Jack Mitchell, John Hernandez, Jean Kraus, 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, 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 Kornowski, 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, 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 Umbenhowe, Bob Slusher, Bill Speise, Dennis Wadle, Genevieve Thieme, Pat Filley, Jolene White & unborn baby, Bill Massop, 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, Susan England, Brian Pattee, Suzy Hanger, Jennifer Allee, Carole McCaffery, Jan Hillyer, Georgine Hartigan, Bob Hoffman, Maria Brown, Anna Barber, Anita Hampton, Bill Esser and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.



Help *Outpace Poverty*, with Catholic Charities during the month of May when we host a (*Virtual*) 5K Run/Walk that benefits our work in addressing poverty. Many of the features you have enjoyed in the past will remain the same, only we will not necessarily all be in one place, at one time. Instead, we will ask our team members to participate individually or if together, maintaining at least the 6 ft. suggested social distance. The funds raised by this event have taken on heightened importance: at-risk families are struggling even more in these anxious and uncertain times. They may have lost wages or even their employment due to restaurant, retail and venue closures. School closures may mean that their children have lost food security as part of their educational day. And an unfortunate number will deal with the actual illness. We are seeing a large increase in requests for assistance, and we will be there to answer the need. You can be part of that answer by registering at www.outpacepoverty.org. The registration fee of \$25 includes a t-shirt. Please contact Nancy Butters, Development Manager, with questions or help registering at nbutters@ccharities.com or 816-659-8266.



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CROSSROADS EDUCATION SERIES: ADVANCE DIRECTIVES/ELDER LAW

Date: April 23, 2020

Time: 5:00 - 6:00pm

Location: Facebook Live

Advanced Directives and Elder Law topics such as Power of Attorney, Living Will and Trusts can be confusing. With the help of experts like attorney Tina Parsley Hughes, you can sift through what is fact and what is not in this interactive, online CES series.

RSVP to this event to get a reminder to watch the webinar live at www.facebook.com/CrossroadsHospice or <https://www.facebook.com/events/223575908709154/>

Presenter: Tina Parsley Hughes Lighthouse Legal - Legacy Planning & Elder Solutions

Tina grew up in Southwest Missouri and attended Missouri State University for her Bachelors in Accounting and Masters in Business Administration. She moved to Kansas City to attend the University of Missouri-Kansas City Law School and received her Juris Doctorate with an emphasis in Estate Planning in 2004 and her LLM in Taxation in 2005. Tina is the managing partner at Lighthouse Legal, an Estate Planning and Elder Law Firm in Blue Springs. She can be reached at 816-228-4383 or tina@lighthouselegalkc.com

The Crossroads Education Series presents a wealth of education and resources available to you free, in your community every Fourth Thursday of the month.

Please share your feedback after the webinar here: <https://bit.ly/CESFeedbackApril>

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