



St. Joseph Church

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April 18th, 2021

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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

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Michael Fisher

CEMETERY BOARD

Mike Roth

Steve White

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

We the members of Saint Joseph Catholic parish, will strive to be the reflection of Jesus in this particular time and place.



TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE

Diocesan OMBUDSMAN: 816.812.2500

DIOCESAN VICTIM ADVOCATE: Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org

Mass  for the
Intentions *Week*

Sunday April 18th

8:00a.m. Brent LaFollette+
By Knights of Columbus
Mike Gates
By Steve & Pat Culver

Sunday April 25th

8:00a.m. Bergie Osterloo+
By The Gregory's
Louis & Helen Geis+
By Steve & Pat Culver

Please remember in prayer those who have died.
Grant them eternal rest and peace, O Lord!
† Denotes Deceased

 **WEEKEND**
MINISTRY SCHEDULE

April 18th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Wayne Weipert
Lectors: Jay Pflugradt
Bonnie Gregory
Counters: Jan & Paul Pottier

April 25th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Richard LaFollette
Lectors: Jim Ingle
Bonnie Gregory
Counters: Richard & Mary Ann
LaFollette

May 6th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Wayne Weipert
Lectors: Jordan Roth
Jan Pottier
Counters: Jan & Paul Pottier

APRIL BIRTHDAYS



Hubert Gregory	April 22nd
Richard LaFollette	April 22nd
Mel Clark	April 26th
John Huber	April 26th
Miles Adams	April 27th

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Everyone

If you have a vehicle you don't want anymore, donate it to **Cars4KC**. You'll avoid the hassle of selling and you can get a tax deduction that may reduce your tax burden. When you donate your car, or truck you help people right here in our community by supporting the valuable Catholic Charities programs and services across the region. Cars4KC is a joint program between Catholic Charities of KC-St. Joseph and Catholic Charities of Northwest Kansas. To donate your vehicle, use the form on Catholic Charities website at www.catholiccharities-kcsj.org or call 913 647-9080.

Weekend Collection
April 11th, 2021

Envelopes:	\$ 1,905.00
Plate:	\$ 260.00
Total Parish:	\$ 2,165.00

***Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021**

April-to-Date:	\$ 6,165.00
April Budget	\$ 6,064.00
Year-to-Date:	\$ 62,113.10
Year Budget	\$ 78,836.00

Thank You for your continued support

DAY OF PRAYER IN ATONEMENT AND FOR THE HEALING OF ALL THOSE HARMED BY SEXUAL ABUSE, APRIL 26TH

The diocesan day of prayer in Atonement and for the Healing of all those harmed by Sexual Abuse will be on Monday, April 26th. In this year of St. Joseph, when we honor a saint who modeled attentive parenting, the Office of Divine Worship encourages parishes to celebrate the Mass of St. Joseph, #13 among the missal's Votive Masses. These readings are recommended, Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; Psalm 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29; and Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24:1.

ANNUAL GERANIUM SALE

St. James School is taking orders for their annual Geranium Sale. The plants are \$6 each, and come in a 6 inch pot. There is a large selection of colors. Orders and money are due by April 20th. Pick up for the plants will be in St. James Church basement, between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM on May 1st. To order contact: **Elizabeth Marek 816-351-1672.**

One of the Catholic Charities' missions is to provide basic needs to families who can't afford essentials.

CC's cupboards are in need of the following items: laundry soap, toilet tissue, tooth brushes, deodorant, shampoo, soap, tooth paste, diapers, baby wipes, and other items for personal hygiene needs.

Just drop them in the box in the back of the church marked "Catholic Charities" at your convenience.

Thank you for your generosity to help those in need that live in our surrounding area.

Purchase and enjoy the **Bells of St. Patrick** CD featuring Tom Smith, Matthew Bobela, the Cathedral Choir, Christie Ottinger, and the St. Patrick Spanish Choir. The CD will be available for purchase at Blessings Religious Store or from Christie Ottinger. There is a suggested \$20 donation per CD, and all proceeds go towards St. Patrick's Bell Tower Restoration Project.

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH has an opening for an additional full time / part-time Custodian to clean in the afternoons and evenings in their school and St. Gianna's Early Childhood Center. **APPLY at:**
[https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/495173/Available-positions/Custodian-Helper-Cathedral of St-Joseph](https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/495173/Available-positions/Custodian-Helper-Cathedral%20of%20St-Joseph)

Prayer Corner

*"To everything there is a season and time. . .
for every purpose under heaven."*

—Ecc. 3-11

"...a time to heal. . ."

Mary Fisher, Ron Kretzer, Kathy Barton, the elderly, and the chronically ill and their caregivers. For the souls in purgatory. For those who attend to the dying and grieving; for medical professionals and first responders; for the homeless, the lonely and those lost in this world; for those who harbor hatred and especially for those who have no one to pray for them. For the conversion of the enemies of the Good and of the Church; for the protection of children and the innocent.

For our home bound parishioners:

Carolyn O'Brien, Josephine Jackson, Delores White,



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**

ATTENTION MEN OF OUR CHURCH

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5067 WOULD LIKE TO ENCOURAGE THE MEN OF OUR PARISH TO CONSIDER JOINING THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. MEMBERSHIP IN THIS FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION WILL GIVE YOU THE OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR COMMUNITY AND TO GROW IN YOUR FAITH. WE BELIEVE EACH MAN CAN BENEFIT FROM THIS MEMBERSHIP. IF INTERESTED YOU CAN GET INFORMATION FROM ANY OF THE FELLOW KNIGHTS IN THE CHURCH. THEY WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU BECOME A MEMBER OF THEIR COUNCIL.

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:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. 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@omdbusmankcsj.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 at 816 392-0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Dear Friends in Christ,

What does it mean to be a witness of the Resurrection? For the Apostles, they were dumbfounded by the appearance of Christ. And now, He shows them once again in a new way that He is not an apparition—He eats something in front of them. This shows us that the Resurrection of the Body (although a new way of life) is a real and physical resurrection of the flesh.

In the Traditional Lectionary, this Sunday was called “Good Shepherd Sunday” after Jesus calling Himself the Good Shepherd. The image of the Good Shepherd is one of the oldest images in Christianity found on the earliest of Christian catacombs. It pictures the Lord as a Roman man, shaven, with a lamb around His neck. We can picture ourselves in this way—it is not if Jesus will come for us, it is a matter of when. And we can trust in His providence for us knowing that His and by extension our bodily resurrection will be fulfilled when we are faithful to His voice.