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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

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CONFESSIONS

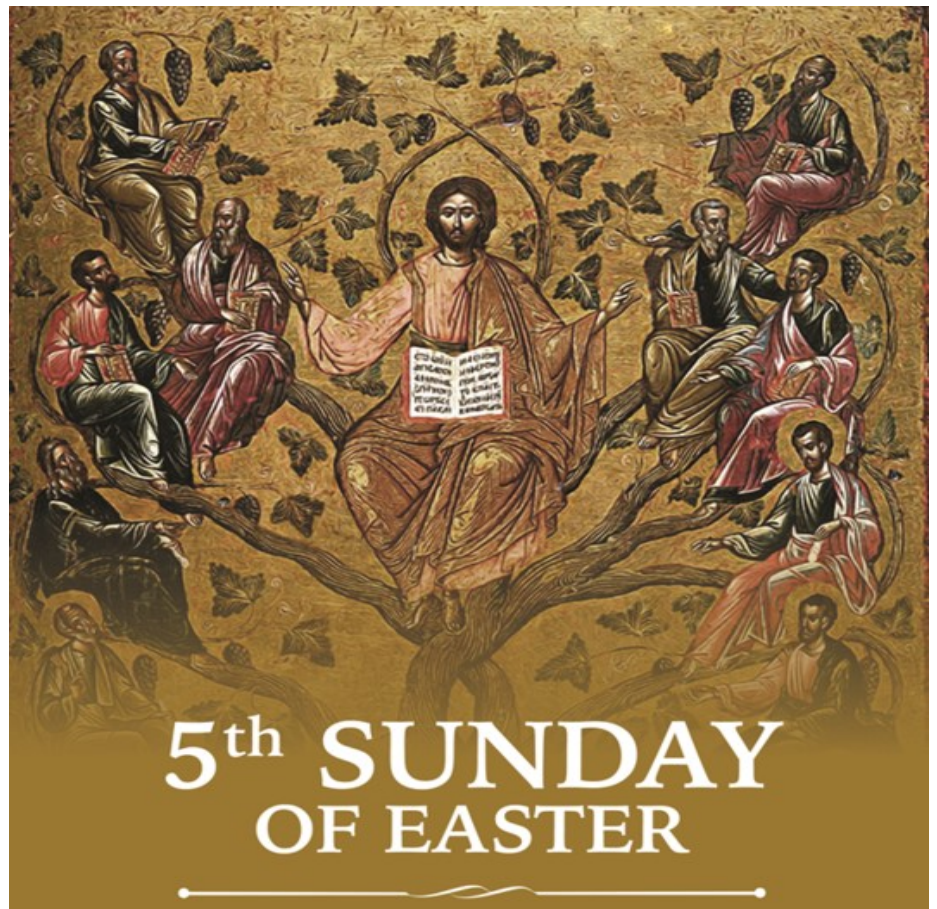
Sunday 7:15 a.m.

MISSION STATEMENT

ROOTED IN FAITH, FOCUSED ON CHRIST

**INSPIRING WORSHIP, NOURISHING SOULS
AND SERVING OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH
THE BEAUTY AND TRADITIONS OF OUR
ROMAN CATHOLIC FAITH**

April 28th 2024



Gospel:

“I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me and I in him bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing.”

(Jn 15:5)

Mass  for the
Intentions *Week*

Sunday April 28th
7:30a.m. Janet Gregory Trompeter+
By Bonnie & Hubert Gregory

Sunday May 5th
7:30a.m. John & Amelia Fisher Family+
By Michael & Janessa Fisher
McPhee and Hanway Families+
By The McPhee Family



THANKYOU

Thank you for your generous donations to our recent Baby Bottle Campaign. As of this date we have turned in \$489.86 to the Pregnancy Resource Clinic. Our donation helps PRC to Welcome Every Baby in Love. If you still have a bottle to turn in it's not too late !

Mo Scholars Applications open

The MO Scholars application for the 2024-2025 school year is open! MO Scholars is a program that assists with tuition to a private school in Missouri. If you meet certain qualifications (it does not cover fees). All NEW applicants will start at <http://www.brightfuturesfund.org> and fill out a pre-application form first. If you are eligible to continue, you will be sent a link to FACTS,, the application website.



KNIGHTS BOOK CORNER

A special Kiosk in the back of church offered by the Knights of Columbus has a very nice collection of books focused on issues of vital importance for Catholic families seeking to build up and strengthen the church at home. The books are complimentary from the Knights so please feel free to help yourself.

Mark Your Calendars

Donut Sunday May 5th
Altar Society Meeting May 5th
Knights of Columbus Council #5067
Richard LaFollette, Grand Knight
Aaron Beavers, Deputy Grand Knight
Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m.

Recitation of the Rosary– 2nd Sunday of the month

Weekend Collection April 21st,2024

Envelopes:	\$	1,315.00
Plate:	\$	193..00
Total Parish:	\$	1,508.00

*Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2023- June 30, 2024

April-to-Date:	\$	6,638.00
April Budget	\$	7,856.00
Year-to-Date:	\$	82,880.00
Year Budget	\$	94,268.50

Thank You for your continued support



Diane Crouse April 29th
Mike Roth April 30th

“Prayer is nothing else than being on terms of friendship with God.”
St. Teresa of Avila

Mary Beth Jungk will have a table outside handing out tomato plants to anyone who wishes to get some. Thank you Mary Beth

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

April 28th 7:30 a.m.

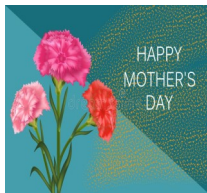
Greeters Wayne Weipert
Lectors Scott Antle
Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

May 5th, 7:30 a.m.

Greeters: Richard LaFollette
Lectors: Jan Pottier
Counters: Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette

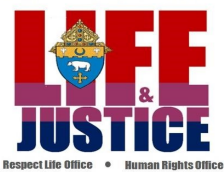
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Mother's Day is a wonderful opportunity to highlight the beautiful vocation of motherhood and the gift of life. Sunday, May 12th carnations will be given out to all the mothers attending Mass. The carnations are going to be purchased from the St. Joseph PRC and The Missouri Right to Life. This helps their goal of supporting human life from the instant of conception to the last moment of natural life.

One holy, catholic and apostolic Church...



Respect Life Office • Human Rights Office

APRIL IS NATIONAL VOLUNTEER MONTH

The office of Life & Justice has volunteer opportunities in various ministries, including MAX Prison &

Jail, via Immigration and Refugee, Gabriel Project, Walking with Moms in Need, and parish based Life & Justice ministries. To learn how to be involved in these volunteer opportunities:

www.lifeandjusticekcsj.org/volunteer

Prayer Corner

*"To everything there is a season and time...
for every purpose under heaven."
—Ecc. 3-11*

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

Dan McLarney, Ellis LaFollette, Jerry Ingle, Irene Schlup, Sister Elaine Gregory, Mary Fisher, RonKretzer, Jeanel Adkins, Velma O'Brian, the elderly, and the chronically ill and their caregivers.



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. IT 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.



Pope Francis: We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Bishop Johnston: For the safety of all children and the healing of all children who have been abused.

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

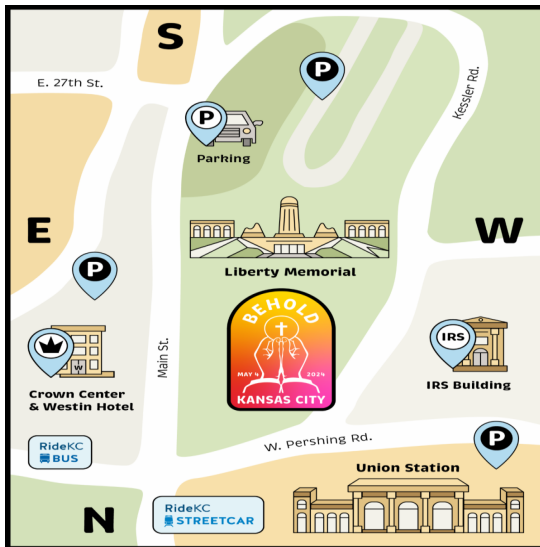
The Diocesan Office of Child and Youth Protection Invites you to join them in prayer throughout the month of April in honor of the survivors of child sexual abuse and their courageous journey of healing.

ATTENTION: CHANGE OF TIME
A MESSAGE FROM THE SEVEN DOLORS
PARISH COUNCIL AND FINANCIAL COMMITTEE:

We are saddened to announce that our last Mass at Seven Dolors will be May 19th at **10:30am**. Many of us, who grew up attending Seven Dolors, have fond memories of their First Communion, Confirmation and/or their wedding and **these are the past parishioners** we hope to see at this Mass. All current parishioners and their families will be hosting, as well as attending. Since space is limited and we need a head count for the caterer, **we are asking the past and current parishioners to text Pat Bray (816-294-1075) or Rose Ann Reardon Pearl (816-724-0251) with the number attending from their families by May 4th.** The catered dinner will be served following the Mass. We appreciate your understanding and cherish our dedicated local community.



Saturday, May 4, 2024 4 - 9:30 pm



- Behold KC will be taking place on the NORTH lawn of The National World War I Museum and Memorial.
- Parking will be available on a first come, first serve basis by driving in through the Memorial gates on the South entrance then parking on the grass or the U-Drive.
- Other street parking and nearby paid parking garages are available at Union Station and Crown Center, as well riding the KC Streetcar to the Union Station stop, or the RideKC Max bus to the Pershing and Grand stop.
- If you need bus parking, please email BeholdKC@gmail.com for more information.
- We recommend coordinating car-pooling with your friends and family if you are already planning to attend Behold KC with them.

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 age of 18) contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911.
2. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Ombudsman, at 816 812-2500 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 Whitney Ture-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816 392-0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information