



St. Joseph Church

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DECEMBER 26TH, 2021

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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Jim Ingle

Rosalie Ingle

Tony Kauzlarich

Julie Moran

Mike Roth

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.

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH



LET THE PEACE OF CHRIST CONTROL YOUR
HEARTS; LET THE WORD OF CHRIST DWELL IN
YOU RICHLY.

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 December 26th

8:00a.m. Bergie Osterloo+
By Hubert & Bonnie Gregory
Mike Pflugradt+
By The Altar Society

Sunday January 2nd

8:00a.m. Sister Evelyn Gregory+
By Hubert & Bonnie Gregory

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



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Nancy Roth	December 30th
Jim Ingle	December 31st
Colton Edwards	December 31st

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO EVERYONE

2022 COFFEE AND DONUT SIGN UP SHEET

THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET IN THE
BACK OF CHURCH FOR DONUT SUN-
DAY.

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

December 26th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters Richard LaFollette

Lectors Jay Pflugradt

Bonnie Gregory

Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

January 2nd, 8:00a.m.

Greeters: Wayne Weipert

Lectors: Scott Antle

Bonnie Gregory

Counters: Richard & Mary Ann
LaFollette

January 9th, 8:00a.m.

Greeters: Richard LaFollette

Lectors: Jim Ingle

Jan Pottier

Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

Weekend Collection *December 19th, 2021*

Envelopes: \$ 1,535.00

Plate: \$ 50.00

Total Parish: \$ 1,585.00

Siding & Window Fund \$ 3,800.00

Fund Raiser \$ 0.00

*Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

December-to-Date: \$ 5,748.00

December Budget \$ 6,456.00

Year-to-Date: \$ 41,369.89

Year Budget \$ 77,467.00

Siding Fund-to-Date \$ 17,350.00

Salvage from Siding \$ 1,065.00

Fund Raiser \$ 16,444.00

Thank You for your continued support

Mark Your Calendars

Donut Sunday- January 2nd, 2022

Knights of Columbus Council #5067

Richard LaFollette, Grand Knight

Hubert Gregory, Deputy Grand Knight

Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m.

Recitation of the Rosary— 2nd Sunday to the month

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HOST COFFEE & DONUTS

THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET ON THE BACK BULLETIN BOARD

MASS SCHEDULE

Mary, Mother of God

(NOT a Holy Day of Obligation)

Saturday, January 1, 2022 10:00am St. Ann

2022 CALENDARS

Courtesy of Heaton-Bowman-Smith & Sidenfaden Chapel, you will find the 2022 Church Calendar on the back table of church. Feel free to pick one up to take home.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ST. JOSEPH NEEDS YOUR HELP!

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.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

TO EVERYONE

THE MASS BOOK IS OPEN

FOR 2022

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, Doug Grier, Denise Veraguth, the elderly, and the chronically ill and their caregivers.

For our home bound parishioners

Carolyn O'Brien, Josephine Jackson, Delores White



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.

Parish Registration

If you are new to our Parish, we encourage you to register: Please introduce yourself to Fr. Schneider after Mass, come to the Parish Office on Tuesday, or log on to our Parish Website at: www.stjosepheaston.org and register.

Dear Friends in Christ,

Merry Christmas! Today, we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family. To think that the Holy Family was not fraught with difficulty would be false. So often, we picture them in a picturesque scene and while Jesus is the Prince of Peace who comes into the world, we know that the Holy Family, too had to deal with the hatred of the world. King Herod immediately sets out to destroy the Infant King with malice and violence. St. Joseph, as St. Matthew's Gospel tells us, has to move the family into Egypt, the place of slavery, for a time until Herod's son comes to the throne and it is safe to return to Nazareth. It was in Nazareth, that the Lord grew from a babe into a child and into an adult—the hidden years, before His ministry for His time was not yet to be revealed to all. For we who live a relatively hidden life, this is instructive. We go about day to day in this time, our time, quietly, allowing the Word made Flesh to take root in our hearts and our actions. Traditionally, Christmas not only has an octave or 8 days of celebration, but is crowned with the celebration of the Epiphany or manifestation of the Lord's Divinity on January 6th. In the United States, this is transferred to the nearest Sunday (January 2nd). This year, Mary, Mother of God is not a Holy Day of Obligation in the United States. Mass will be offered at 10:00am at St. Ann in Plattsburg on January 1st. May God bless us in this new year of grace.

