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CEMETERY BOARD

Mike Roth Steve White Michael Fisher

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 7:30 a.m.

Director of Religious Education

Jenessa Fisher Email:stjosepheastonreligoused@gmail. com

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

February 18, 2024





The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.



Sunday February 18th 7:30a.m. Patricia Culver+

By Hubert & Bonnie Gregory

Sunday February 25th 7:30a.m. Joseph Huber+

By The Knights of Columbus

Assembly 569

PROTECT THE MIRACLE OF LIFE LENTEN PARISH CHALLENGE

Once again you are invited to protect the miracle of life by supporting St. Joseph PRC. During Lent we are going to have our Baby

Bottle Challenge once again. You can pick up a bottle after Mass this Sunday. Fill it with change, bills, or checks and bring it back to church the weekend after Easter.

Every time you add money to this bottle, you are being a part of our outreach to bring hope and help to women and babies. Thank you for helping St. Joseph Resource Center protect the miracle of life.

Mark Your Calendars Donut Sunday March 3rd Altar Society Meeting March 3rd 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 February 11th, 2024

Envelopes: \$ 3,675.00 Plate: \$ 103.00 **Total Parish**: \$ 3,778.00

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

 February-to-Date:
 \$ 5,321.00

 February Budget
 \$ 7,856.00

 Year-to-Date:
 \$ 65,497.00

 Year Budget
 \$ 94,268.50

Thank You for your continued support

Thank you!

The Roth Family would like to say Thank you to everyone for their prayers and the delicious food that you sent to them during the birth of Harrison Paul and Henley Ann Roth. God Bless Everyone



Corey Klein

February 16th



Catherine Mink
February 6th, 1942-February 8,2024
Eternal rest grant to her, Oh Lord.
Mother and Grandmother
of the Jason Mink family



February 18th 7:30 a.m.

Richard LaFollette Greeters **Bonnie Gregory** Lectors Paul & Jan Pottier Counters:

February 25th, 7:30 a.m.

Wayne Weipert **Greeters:** Lectors: Scott Antle

Richard & Mary Ann Counters:

LaFollette

March 3rd, 7:30a.m.

Richard LaFollette **Greeters:**

Lectors: Jordan Roth

Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier



Please join us for Stations of the Cross February 21st at 6:00pm in the church and Adult Education will follow at 6:30pm in the hall. This session will be on Vatican II. Why was it needed? And What did we do with it?



Guidelines for Lenten Fasting and Abstinence. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of Fasting. This applies to all Catholics aged 18-59, inclusive. One full meal is permitted each day and two other

meals may be taken which, combined, are less than a full meal. Catholics are encouraged to fast on other days. All Fridays, as well as Ash Wednesday, are days of Abstinence. One may not eat meat (beef, pork, fowl, etc.) on these days, though fish (and seafood) is permitted

Prayer Corner

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

—Ecc. 3-11

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

Jess McPheel, Dan McPhee, Bonnie McPhee, John Bryant, 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 KNIGHTS THE MEN OF OUR PARISH TO CON-SIDER JOINING THE KNIGHTS OF

COLUMBUS. MEMBERSHIP IN THIS FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION. IT WILL GIVE YOU THE OP-PORTUNITY TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR COM-MUNITY 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.



February Prayer Intentions

Pope Francis: We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

Bishop Johnston: For those who are discerning a call to the priesthood or consecrated religious life.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES EMERGENCY

ASSISTANCE FUND

We will be having a **Second Collection** for The Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund on February 25th. This fund is designed to meet urgent needs and give people an opportunity to focus on brighter futures. Thank you for your generosity to our appeal.



A special Thank you to everyone who helped make the Adopt the Senior for Valentine's Day a huge success! We provided all 70 residents of The Gower Convalescence Center with a bakery gift from Sugar Whipped Bakery, in Plattsburg.

We have received an invitation from Sue Kauzlarich and Becky Yager of the Gower Auxiliary Group who provide 60 dozen cookies to the Gower Convalescence Center's 70 residents every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. They would love to have help making the homemade cookies! Please contact Sue or Becky for more information.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victum 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 816 392-001 for true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information