

St. Joseph Church

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FEBRUARY 13th, 2022

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



REJOICE AND BE GLAD; YOUR REWARD WILL BE GREAT IN HEAVEN.

TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE Diocesan Ombudsman: 816.812.2500 **Diocesan Victim Advocate:** Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org

PARISH PRIEST Fr. Eric Schneider Phone: 816-539-2634 Email: e.schneider.a@gmail.com

SECRETARY/HALL RENTAL Mary Ann LaFollette 816-294-6972 Lafollettes@aol.com

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.



SundayFebruary 13th8:00a.m.Jane Everett+By The Roth Family

Sunday February 20th 8:00a.m Michael Miller+ By Bob Rzapkowski

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



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Corey Klein Lauren Kempf Miles Mitchell February 16th February 18th February 20th

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO EVERYONE

"Mardi Gras" Coming Up! YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THE ANNUAL

Mardi Gras Cathedral Fundraiser Friday, February 25th,2022.

- Knights of Columbus Hall,
- 1205 N. 49th Terrace.
- Cocktail hour begins at 5:30pm,
- Dinner following at 7:00pm
- Auction at 8:00pm.

For information on tickets go to cathedralstjoseph.ticket.qtego.net



February 13th, 8a.m. Mass

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Greeters	Richard LaFollette
Lectors	Scott Antle
	Jordan Roth
Counters:	Richard & Mary Ann
	LaFollette
	February 20th, 8:00a.m.
Greeters:	Wayne Weipert
Lectors:	Jared Roth

Jan Pottier Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

February 27th, 8:00a.m.

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Weekend Collection February 6th, 2022

Envelopes:	\$ 3,400.00
Plate:	\$ 86.00
Total Parish:	\$ 3,486.00

*Fiscal Year Budget J	uly 1,	2021 - June 30, 2022
February-to-Date:	\$	3,486.00
February Budget	\$	6,456.00
Year-to-Date:	\$	53,180.89
Year Budget	\$	77,467.00
Maintenance Fund YTD	\$	41,850.00
Fund Raiser	\$	16,744.00

Thank You for your continued support

Mark Your Calendars

Donut Sunday- March 6th, 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 IN THE BACK OF CHURCH



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #5067 2022 ANNUAL FISH FRY

Fridays–March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 8 5-7:30 \$12 Adults \$6 Kids (12 and Younger) 1205 N 49th Terr., St. Joseph, MO 64506



816-232-0321

Dinners include:

Fried Catfish, Mac & Cheese

Sides:

Fabulous Cheesy Potatoes, Coleslaw, Dinner Rolls And Hot Pickles **Drinks:Tea and Water.**

Alcoholic beverages available for purchase

Drive-thru Available

Sunday, February 20th we will be having a second collection for Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund. Nearly 4 out of every 10 Missouri families fear immediate eviction or foreclosure. Fortunately, with just a little help, they can get back on track. Catholic Charities brief and relatively small assistance is often all they need to regain stability. The Emergency Assistance Fund helps hundreds of people each year.

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
- 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 <u>crayon@omdbusmankcsj.org</u> 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOOD DRIVE

As part of the Featured Program this month The Knights of Columbus, Council 5067, are trying to collect a minimum of 1,000 pounds of food to donate to the Food Kitchen. Please donate the #10 can of Green Beans and Corn, for this will be a great help for the Food Kitchen. This will help the Council reach their goal to make Star Council and "it helps Food Kitchen serve the community. Anyone wishing to donate see Richard LaFollette or Hubert Gregory Dear Friends in Christ,

In the ancient calendar of the Church going back to the time even before St. Gregory the Great, the Roman church marked the beginning of the penitential season of Lent by three preceding Sundays—Septuagesima, Sexagesima, and Quinguagesima—that is, 70, 60, 50 the logical end being 40 days of Lent. This ancient season of Septuagesima required no fasting per se, but was a visual and liturgical reminder of the Lenten season to come. It is said that it takes two weeks to develop a habit—we should be thinking about Lent these next two and a half weeks before it arrives rather than on the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday! There was much wisdom and understanding of humanity in the ancient calendar and for that reason, though it has been removed from the 1969 calendar, we should still use this time as a time of preparation. It is on Septuagesima Sunday that the office of Matins began with Genesis 1:1 (the Creation Account). From here, we would learn of Cain and Abel, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob. It is a bookend to Easter where we will hear once again the Creation account at the Vigil when we celebrate Christ who makes all things new (a real new beginning or Genesis). Let us take these next two and a half weeks to consider seriously the journey we have before us. Let us not fall asleep, but be awake and prepared. It is with these two weeks of mental and spiritual preparation that we can make Lent this year a fruitful Penance.



Prayer to Our Lady of Lourdes Ever Immaculate Virgin Mother of Mercy, Health of the sick, refuge of sinners, Comforter of the afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; look with mercy on me. By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes, you were pleased to make a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favors; and already many sufferers have obtained the cure for their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal. I come, therefore, with complete confidence to implore your maternal intercession. Obtain, O Loving Mother, the grant of my requests. Through gratitude for your favors, I will endeavor to Imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory. Amen.