



# St. Joseph Church

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**May 30th, 2021**

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#### PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Jim Adams

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Tony Kauzlarich

Julie Moran

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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.

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

# THE TRINITY



**GLORY TO THE FATHER, THE SON, AND THE HOLY SPIRIT; TO GOD WHO IS, WHO WAS, AND IS TO COME.**

#### **TO PROTECT OUR CHILDREN: REPORT ABUSE**

**Diocesan OMBUDSMAN:** 816.812.2500

**DIOCESAN VICTIM ADVOCATE:** Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or [chastain@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org)

Mass  for the  
Intentions *for the Week*

**Sunday May 30th**

**8:00a.m.** Donna Ruoff+  
By Jan Pottier  
In Loving Memory of the  
Crnic Family+  
By Irene Schlup

**Sunday June 6th**

**8:00a.m.** Brent LaFollette+  
By Knights of Columbus  
Bob Everett+  
By Louis Harris

Please remember in prayer those who have died.



**JUNE BIRTHDAYS**

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|-----------------|----------|
| Tony Kauzlarich | May 30th |
| Steve Crouse    | June 1st |
| Trevor Klein    | June 1st |
| Rosalie Ingle   | June 3rd |

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Everyone

**PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION**

June 6th we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which is a way to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See including helping Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. You will find envelopes on the back table.

**EMPLOYMENT SERVICES** Catholic Charities KCSJ can help you prepare for a job search, find employment, and advance in your career. Part of their mission is to extend the tools and resources necessary to help vulnerable people find and keep work. For more information, contact Brent Morris, Employment Specialist at 816 659-8232, or [bmorris@ccharities.com](mailto:bmorris@ccharities.com)

 **WEEKEND**  
MINISTRY SCHEDULE

**May 30th, 8a.m. Mass**

**Greeters:** Wayne Weipert  
**Lectors:** Jay Pflugradt  
Jan Pottier  
**Counters** Richard & Mary Ann  
LaFollette

**June 6th, 8a.m. Mass**

**Greeters:** Richard LaFollette  
**Lectors:** Scott Antle  
Jordan Roth  
**Counters:** Paul & Jan Pottier

**June 13th, 8a.m. Mass**

**Greeters:** Wayne Weipert  
**Lectors:** Jim Ingle  
Jan Pottier  
**Counters** Richard & Mary Ann  
LaFollette

***Weekend Collection***  
***May 23rd, 2021***

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| Envelopes:  | \$ 1,510.00        |
| Plate:  | \$ 127.00          |
| <b>Total Parish:</b>                                    | <b>\$ 1,637.00</b> |
| 2nd Collection  | \$ 850.00          |
| <b>*Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021</b> |                    |
| May-to-Date:  | \$ 8,867.00        |
| May Budget  | \$ 7,580.00        |
| Year-to-Date:   | \$ 73,645.10       |
| Year Budget   | \$ 78,836.00       |

**Thank You for your continued support**

**HOORAY  
COFFEE  
&  
DONUTS**



**With the COVID 19 protocols lifted we will begin our Sunday Coffee and Donuts in the hall again after Mass beginning with June 6th. We will also be celebrating First Communions and Graduations. You will find a sign up sheet on the back bulletin board.**

**Congratulations! The following children will receive their First Communion Sunday , June 6th: Cecilia Mink and Leo Gordon. Let us all keep them in our prayers. "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live forever."**

**ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY  
Second Collection Sunday May 30th**

As we prepare to celebrate Memorial Day let us not forget to honor our deceased loved ones buried in our Parish cemetery. We should also direct our attention to our outstanding property. It is through the tireless work of the board members that it is maintained so beautifully. To be assured of improving and maintaining the cemetery we will be taking up a second collection on Memorial Day weekend. Also, keep in mind that donations may be given at any time of year. Please be generous in supporting St. Joseph's Cemetery,



**CELEBRATING MEMORIAL DAY MASS  
MAY 31ST 10:00AM at Mt. Olivet, St. Joseph**  
Mass will be held in the Horrigan Chapel

The Cemetery Will Be Open for Visitation  
Decorations may be placed on the graves

but will be removed on June 7th for mowing.

Decorations in permanent vases will remain until removed by the family

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.

**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@omdbusmankcsi.org](mailto:crayon@omdbusmankcsi.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](mailto:victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

Dear Friends in Christ,

This annual Feast of the Blessed Trinity whose texts go back to the 9<sup>th</sup> century, was established as part of the Roman calendar in the 14<sup>th</sup> century by Pope John XXII. It is fitting that after celebrating the life of Christ from Advent until Pentecost, that now, we celebrate who God is who has revealed Himself through Scripture and Tradition for our salvation. The First Vatican Council taught that man can know that there is One God and that he should worship Him. If man were to reason, he could come to this conclusion by looking at nature. What he could not reason, however, is this mystery of Faith—that God is One God in Three Divine Persons—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. As Catholics with the fullness of God’s revelation to all of humanity, we do confess this mystery of our Faith to be true. It is infused in us at Holy Baptism. Because we are born as fallen creatures, the Blessed Trinity does not inhere in us naturally. When Jesus tells His Apostles to “baptize all nations,” He is talking about this sacrament wherein the entire world is to be reconciled with the Father, through the merits of His Cross, and sanctified by the Holy Spirit. The mystery of the Blessed Trinity that we celebrate today lives in us who have received this gift of salvation. And before entering into the long season of Time through the Year, where we meditate on the miracles of Christ and living the Gospel in our lives, we pause to celebrate the source of all goodness—God Himself.

**SENIOR CARE SERVICES:** Catholic Charities KCSJ’s Senior Care Services provide supportive services for older adults(55+, low income) in neighborhoods where underserved seniors reside. The program provides a comprehensive continuum designed to meet varying needs. This allows seniors to live a healthy, self-sustaining life in their own home and community. Services may include meal preparation for special diets, cleaning, laundry, shopping, reading, trash disposal and resource education. Home-based service participation begins with an initial conversation with either the individual or referral source. To inquire about Senior Care Services, contact Catholic Charities at 816-221-4377 or [assistance@charities.com](mailto:assistance@charities.com)