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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

May 12th 2024

## SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



## THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

*Mass Intentions*  *for the Week*

**Sunday May 12th**  
**7:30a.m.** Ed McPhee+  
**Sunday** By Mary McPhee

**May 19th**  
**7:30a.m.** Dick Roth+  
 By The Roth Family

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

**ATTENTION LADIES OF THE CHURCH**

The Easton Alumni Banquet will be Saturday, June 1st. The ladies have been asked to provide the food again this year. We will need people who can help set-up/clean-up. We are expecting 50 people and need all your help. This is a great money maker for our Altar Society. Please see Jackie Pottier for more information on sign up times.

Thank You



We are pleased to announce students from our parish that have achieved the following:

**2024 High School Graduates**

Trevor Klein

Nicholas Klein

Cecila Gordon

**2024 Missouri Western State University**

Shelbi Kempf

Congratulations to each one on your achievements.

We would like to Thank Mary Beth Jungk for the tomatoes she gave away after Mass and also the beautiful job of planting flowers around the south end of the Hall.

**Mark Your Calendars**  
**Donut Sunday June 2nd**  
**Altar Society Meeting June 2nd**  
**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**  
**May 5th, 2024**

Envelopes:	\$	3,050.00
Plate:	\$	66.00
<b>Total Parish:</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,116.00</b>

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

May-to-Date:	\$	3,116.00
May Budget	\$	7,856.00
Year-to-Date:	\$	87,011.00
Year Budget	\$	94,268.50

**Thank You for your continued support**



Regina Grier

May 17th

Andy Mink

May 19th

**WELCOME BRUNCH**

We are planning a “Welcome” Brunch in place of our regular Donut Sunday on June 2nd. This is to Welcome any new parishioners/guests we might have from Seven Dolores. Please bring your favorite brunch item.



# WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

## May 12th 7:30 a.m.

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

## May 19th, 7:30 a.m.

**Greeters:** Wayne Weipert  
**Lectors:** Jared Roth  
**Counters:** Paul & Jan Pottier

## May 26th, 7:30a.m.

**Greeters:** Richard LaFollette  
**Lectors:** Scott Antle  
**Counter:** Richard & Mary Ann LaFollette

### Prayer Corner

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

—Ecc. 3-11

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

Stephen Crouse, 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.



### May Prayer Intentions

**Pope Francis:** We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

**Bishop Johnston:** For parents who have lost a child through miscarriage.



## NEW ENTRY ARCH TO THE CEMETERY

### St Joseph Cemetery Memorial Day, May 26th 2nd Collection

Please give generously for the St Joseph Cemetery here in Easton Missouri. The Cemetery began around 1927 when the Kessler Cemetery north of town could not provide adequate grave spaces for the Catholic Community. The Cemetery has been up kept with great care for nearly 100 years. In the last year we have made substantial improvements to the grounds

1. In the last year we resealed the road in the Cemetery.
2. We had a major tree trimming to all of the trees by Top Notch Tree service from Easton.
3. Michael Fisher has enlisted a company to electronic map all grave sites so a listing of burials can be accessed via the web. (ask Micheal if you have questions.)
4. After many months we finally have our nearly 100 year entry arch that says 'St Josephs Cemetery' refabricated. It had to be widened and heightened to allow trucks to enter to resurface the road. Each time we had to take it down and it is very delicate since it is 100 year old cast iron. Local Easton Metal Works completed the project with many local Easton helpers. Ther new posts are old street light poles and fabrication of the upper support I beam was done in St Joseph by Shamrad Metal Fabricators to support the cast iron sign.

One of our long-term financial goals is to have long term care of our Cemetery after we are all gone. Many cemeteries become abandoned due to no funds left! We have managed our monies responsible and funds have continued to grow for years due to prudent investing. If it is in your means think about leaving a donation in your will or trust to keep the St Joseph's Cemetery looking beautiful for future generations. Speak to a board member if you are interested.

iSincerely,

St Josephs Cemetery Board

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](mailto:true.francis@diocesekcsj.org) for more information