



St. Joseph Church

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NOVEMBER 1ST, 2020

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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.

ALL SAINTS DAY



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 Intentions for the Week

Sunday November 1st
8:00a.m. Bergie Osterloo
By The Gregory Family

Sunday November 8th
8:00a.m. Chad Klein +
By The Klein Family

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

WE NEED YOUR HELP

We are in search of old photographs, articles and any items that help to tell the story of our parish in the late 1800's and early half of the 1900's. Of particular interest are early photographs of the interior of the church. Original prints or digital images of the originals would be helpful.

Please reach out to Michael Fisher or myself as we are wanting to develop a display of the history of our church.

The Knights of Columbus Bishop LeBlond Council 5067, 1205 N 49th Terrace invites all members and family members to their Memorial Mass to honor their deceased members, Thursday, November 5th, 2020 at 6:30pm.

They will practice social distancing at the mass and please wear a mask. Any questions please contact Marty Schnabel 816 248 3812.

We welcome into the St. Joseph Parish Family

Xavier Michael Roth

Born October 19th, 2020

Proud and Blessed parents Jordan & Amanda Roth

Big sister Easton Jane Roth

Grandparents: Mike & Nancy Roth

Uncle Jarod Roth

Congratulations to the new addition to the Roth Family

Weekend Collection
October 25th, 2020

Envelopes: \$ 1,053.00
Plate: \$ 75.00
Total Parish: \$ 1,128.00

NO WORK FUNDRAISER

Week Total \$ 1,405.00
Month-Date \$ 7,405.00

***Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021**

October-to-Date: \$ 4,714.00
October Budget \$ 6,064.31
Year-to-Date: \$ 21,566.00
Year Budge \$ 78,836.00

Thank You for your continued support

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, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

NOVEMBER 8TH, 2020

BISHOP JOHNSON WILL BE JOINING US AT OUR 8:00 MASS AS THE CELEBRANT. IN HONOR OF HIS VISIT, THE PARISH WILL MAKE A DONATION IN HIS NAME TO CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF ST. JOSEPH. A BASKET FOR THE SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE LOCATED ON THE BACK TABLE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

Annual No Work Fund Raiser

It is time once again for our no work Fundraiser. We will use the same format as in previous years beginning on October 4th and run thru November 1st. You can make one contribution or spread it out weekly. There will be a second basket in the back marked **Fund Raiser** for your convenience.

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. . . "

Ron Kretzer, Bob Everett, Mildred Ottinger, 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,
Eileen Grier, Brent LaFollette**

Catholic Charities of Kansas City-St. Joseph is recruiting angels to help provide Christmas gifts for clients and families in need throughout their various programs. They are in need, specifically, of sponsors for children from birth to teen. Please consider sharing your time and treasure this Christmas season by adopting one of their children to shop for and sharing the magic of Christmas. For more information or to select a child, contact Linda Hopkins, Volunteer Coordinator at lhopkins@ccharities.com or 816-659-8205 or 816-659-8205.

Catholic Charities of KCSJ is searching for employees to join their mission to serve and to lift those in need. To view available jobs or to apply, go to their website at www.catholiccharities-kcsj.org. Contact Lynn Lichte, Human Resources Manager at 816-659-8220 or llichte@ccharities.com for more information.

Dear Friends in Christ,

As a reminder, next weekend, Bishop Johnston will join us for 8:00 am Mass as the celebrant. Please welcome him. In honor of his visit, the parish will make a donation in his name to Catholic Charities of St. Joseph. Please place your donation in the second collection basket next weekend for this intention (November 8).

This weekend (November 1) marks the last weekend of our annual no-work fundraiser. Most years we collect anywhere from \$12,000-16,000; our number this year so far has been \$7,900. It has been an odd and difficult year to say the least—thank you for supporting your parish during this trying time.

Today marks the Solemnity of All Saints. That brings up the question—what is heaven? So often, we have cartoonish images of winged cherubs and gates, and a whole boat load of jokes about St. Peter. Is Heaven not more than this? Heaven, ultimately, is union with the Blessed Trinity. In Heaven, there is no faith or hope, because these two virtues will totally be fulfilled with knowledge and possession of eternal life. Love or charity, is what will exist. In Heaven, each soul will be filled with the understanding of God insofar as one is able and that will make a human soul perfectly happy and fulfilled. At the same time, we will be in perfect union with others who are there, namely, the saints. This is the “communal” aspect of Heaven. United to one another and united in the Blessed Trinity. This relationship for Christians on earth is real because the bond of baptism and charity connects us with those who have union with God in heaven. We are intimately connected with the saints which is why we should pursue personal relationships with them. They have all of the human experience that we do in suffering, but have appropriated this correctly as to arrive at the glory of perceiving God and awaiting the final resurrection. The saints, filled with charity, are keenly interested in us. Just as we ask those around us to pray for us, God manifests His glory through the created order—we should ask the intercession of those who behold Him now.

Tomorrow is All Souls day. We will have a High Requiem Mass at St. Ann at 7:00pm. As a reminder, one can receive a plenary indulgence for the deceased who are in need of purification by visiting a cemetery and reciting pious prayers for them and praying for the Holy Father all under the normal circumstances (confession, Communion, no attachment to sin). This year, the Holy See has extended the Plenary Indulgence to the entire month of November.