



St. Joseph Church

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September 5th, 2021

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PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Jim Ingle

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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.

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



JESUS PROCLAIMED THE GOSPEL OF THE KINGDOM AND CURED EVERY DISEASE AMONG THE PEOPLE.

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  for the
Intentions  Week

Sunday September 5th

8:00a.m. Susan Merrigan+
By The Roth Family
Henry Fisher+
By The Fisher Family

Sunday September 12th

8:00a.m. Rose Ann West+
By The West Girls

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

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Easton Roth	August 30th
Shelbi Kempf	September 12th
Amy Adams	September 18th
Lindsay Edwards	September 18th
Emma Klein	September 18th

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO EVERYONE

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Mother Teresa's Feast Day

"Not all of us can do great things-with great love" Mother Teresa's words of wisdom offer guidance and inspiration to us all-and especially in the daily work at Catholic Charities. With the mission of helping people move to a better life through hope filled services, they work each day to remove the barriers of poverty and assist the at-risk brothers and sisters in finding stability and self-sufficiency. To learn more about their mission and services, visit their website at www.catholiccharities-kcsj.org

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

September 5th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Wayne Weipert

Lectors: Scott Antle

Bonnie Gregory

Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

September 12th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Richard LaFollette

Lectors: Jim Ingle

Jan Pottier

Counters: Richard & Mary Ann
LaFollette

September 19th, 8a.m. Mass

Greeters: Wayne Weipert

Lectors: Jarod Roth

Bonnie Gregory

Counters: Paul & Jan Pottier

Weekend Collection August 29th, 2021

Envelopes: \$ 820.00

Plate: \$ 119.00

Total Parish: \$ 939.00

Siding&Window Fund \$ 350.00

2nd Collection \$ 206.50

*Fiscal Year Budget July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

September-to-Date: \$ 939.00

September Budge \$ 6,456.00

Year-to-Date: \$ 14,121.64

Year Budget \$ 77,467.00

Siding Fund-to-Date \$ 12,400.00

Salvage from Siding \$ 1,870.00

Thank You for your continued support

Mark Your Calenders

Donut Sunday - September 5th
Knights of Columbus Council #5067
Richard LaFollette, Grand Knight
Hubert Gregory, Deputy Grand Knight
Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7 p.m.
Altar Society Meeting September 5th

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HOST COFFEE & DONUTS
THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET ON THE BACK BULLETIN BOARD

SIDING AND WINDOW FUND

We have collected to date a total of \$12,400 for the siding and window fund and an extra \$1,870 from the salvage of the old siding for a grand total of \$12,685. Thank You Hubert for hauling the old to town.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

FUND RAISER FOR THE OUTSIDE OF CHURCH

THE NEW SIDING ON THE CHURCH HAS BEEN COMPLETED. HOWEVER, WE WILL NOW NEED TO HAVE THE WINDOWS RECOVERED TO PROTECT THE STAIN GLASS, SO ANYONE CAN STILL DONATE TO THE FUND. WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE THAT HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE CAUSE TO IMPROVE THE PRESERVATION OF OUR CHURCH.

THANK YOU

AIR NATIONAL GUARD 139TH AIRLIFT WING

Join us for a Retirement Reception
For Missouri Air National Guard
Reverend Lieutenant Colonel Tom Ludwig
September 19th 2:00pm to 5:00pm
Knights of Columbus Council 571
Columbus Hall
4520 Mitchell Avenue, St. Joseph, Mo
Cake And Punch will be served

FIRE, WIND WATER

The three principal symbols of the Holy Spirit in the Scriptures. Saturday, September 18, 2021-9:00am - 5:00pm. Guardian Angels Church, 1310 Westport, Kansas City, Mo 64111.

Teachings on the Holy Spirit and healing, praise and worship music, healing prayer ministry, confession, blessing of sacramental and closing with Guardian Angels 4:00 parish Mass. Call 816 885 2322 to register

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,

ATTENTION MEN OF OUR CHURCH



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**

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@ombusmankcsj.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 for more information.

BISHOP JOHNSON VISIT

OCTOBER 31ST, 2021 WE WILL BE HAVING A VISIT FROM BISHOP JOHNSON. WE ARE PLANNING ON HAVING A BRUNCH AFTER MASS AND THIS WILL BE A TIME FOR EVERYONE TO VISIT WITH HIM.

Dear Friends in Christ,

With one word, Jesus heals. At each and every Mass we, in a roundabout way, confess this truth in the words of the centurion—‘And only say the word and my soul shall be healed.’ The power of the spoken word to transform (think of the consecration at Mass) and to give grace (sacramental grace) is poignant and noteworthy in examining this Gospel. We are taught today that words don’t matter. The flip side of this is that actions don’t matter either. Yet, here we see Jesus taking human saliva, putting His Divine Finger in the ears of the deaf man and saying—“Be thou opened!” Physical deformity, classically speaking, is an effect of Original Sin. Jesus came to heal us from all sins and the effects of Original Sin which is not our fault, but which we have inherited from our first parents. The resurrection that is promised with our own matter (body) being transformed to be in the image and likeness of the Risen Lord has a foretaste here—there is no more deafness, muteness or blindness in Heaven. All is healed. Our personal sins, when they are forgiven here on earth with word and action (sacramental Penance), have no effect anymore in heaven or in the resurrection of the body. With one word, Jesus heals. What do our words mean? Are they empty? Do we mean what we say when we confess the Faith? Words do matter—they have a life of their own when they leave our mouth. The Eternal Word, Jesus Christ, walks among us. The spoken human word that comes from the mouth of the Eternal Word made flesh heals and brings us physical and spiritual health.



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ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH ANNUAL CHICKEN DINNER

On Sunday, Sep 19th, serving from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm, the Saint Francis Xavier Knights of Columbus Council 15126 will host their Seventh Annual Southern Fried Chicken Dinner. It will be drive through only service at the Saint Francis Xavier Parish Center located at 27th & Penn Streets in St. Joseph. The menu will include Southern Fried Chicken, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Dinner Rolls and Dessert Cookies.

The meal price is \$10 for adult meals/\$25 for the family 8-piece special. The drive through takeout only lane will be available for your convenience. Let us do your cooking on Sep 19th.

All proceeds will go to Saint Francis Xavier Knights of Columbus Council 15126 charitable service projects.

Advanced tickets are not required and we thank you and hope to see you there as we strive to make this a big parish event.