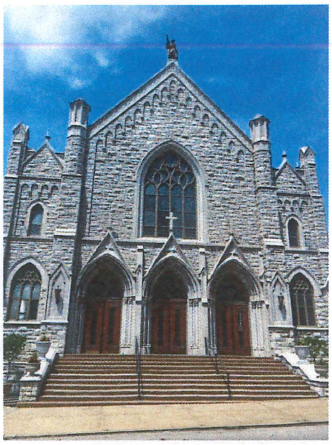
GUARDIAN ANGELS PARISH



ATTENTION VISITORS

Regardless of where you are from, your occupation, your family, your marital status, your personal history, your age, background, race, ethnicity, political affiliation, religion, gender, or gender identification, **we are happy you are here with us today to worship!** We invite you to learn more about our parish and its activities by contacting our office, website or simply by mingling with our parishioners after mass.

PARISH OFFICE:
1310 WESTPORT ROAD
KANSAS CITY, MO 64111
(816) 931-4351 PHONE
(816) 531-6396 FAX

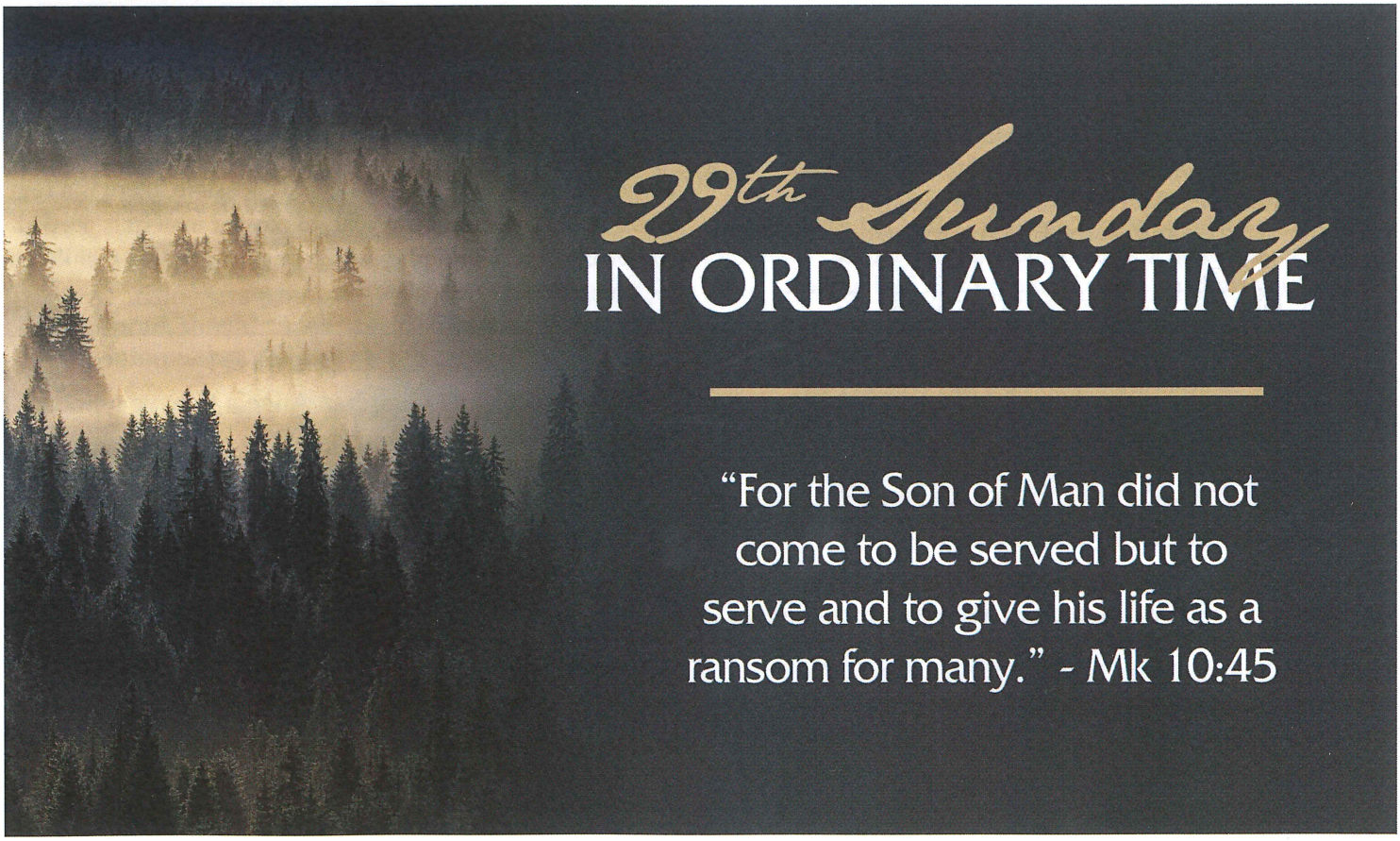
OFFICE HOURS:
MONDAY- THURSDAY ..... 8:30 AM- 4:30 PM
FRIDAY ..... CLOSED

PARISH WEBSITE:
GUARDIANANGELSKC.ORG

EMAIL:
INFO@GUARDIANANGELSKC.ORG

RECONCILIATION:
SATURDAY..... 3:00 PM—3:45 PM
MONDAY—THURSDAY ..... 4:45 PM — 5:20 PM

LITURGY SCHEDULE:
SATURDAY..... 4:00 PM
SUNDAY ..... 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM
MONDAY—THURSDAY ..... 5:30 PM



Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 20
4:00 pm..... Paula Rios
Sunday, October 21
8:30 am ..... Damian Flores
11:00 am ..... Prisciliano Garcia
Monday, October 22
5:30 pm..... Parishioners and Benefactors
Tuesday, October 23
5:30 pm
Wednesday, October 24
5:30 pm
Thursday, October 25
5:30 pm
Saturday, October 27
4:00 pm..... All refugees everywhere
Sunday, October 28
8:30 am ..... Manuel and Ramona Aquino
11:00 am ..... Parishioners and Benefactors

We will have "Trunk or Treat" in our parking lot closest to Westport Road on Sunday, October 28 from 4pm — 5pm.
Children can come and get Halloween treats!

PRAY FOR OUR SICK & MILITARY

Please pray for those who are sick or recuperating:

Elisardo Alvarado, Shirley Andrade, Angela & Henry Barbosa, Larry Clark, Cathryn Dugan, Bob Edsall, Teddy Elmer, Jose Padilla Enriques, Pat Garcia, Shawn Gaupp, Bill Getz, Charles Gurera, Sylvia Harral, Marie Hash, Nick and Rita Hernandez, Thomas Herrera, Adri Jordison, Freddie Juarez, Jackie Kallman, Mary Komoroski, Mary Jo Lister, Ermaline Lopez, Chad Marcus, Yvonne Martin, Fr. Joe Miller, Cathy Norbury, James Norbury, Celia Padilla, Rose and Joe Padilla, Ashley Parton, Margaret Reid, Guadalupe Reyes, Teresa Rivera, Theo Stephen Ridenour, Janice Rose, Jessie Ruiz, Betty and Tom Ryan, Ann Schlueter, Michael Schlueter, Kelli Seiler, Bernie Stanton, Marigene Suellentrop, Pat Sullivant, Susan Tarwater, Warren Toms, Beverly Tumberger, Soccorro Velo, Kay Ward, Michael Weaver, Jim Wood, Pat Woodrum, and for all the sick and infirmed.

Please pray for those serving in the military:

Ryan Asbury (Air Force), Carlos Garcia III (Navy), Joshua Kappler (Navy), Nick Malott, Michael Mathews (Army), Joe Penniston, Nikolas Ramirez (Army), James Reyes (Marines), Geoff Schultz (Air Force), Richard Sowders (Army), Bill Suellentrop (Army), Garrett Trowbridge (Army), Connor Wiltse (Air Force).

The Week Ahead.....

Sunday, October 21

9:40 am	Family Faith	Parish Hall
11 am	Pre-School	Parish Hall

Thursday, October 25

6:00 pm	What Catholics Believe	Parish Hall

Readings for the Week of October 21, 2018

Sunday:	Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday:	Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 [3b]/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9]/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [cf. 3]/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 [5b]/Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 13:1-9

Preschool Classes on Sundays

Every Sunday during the 11am mass, we have preschool kids (ages 3 through Kindergarten) gather to learn about our faith, play, and grow in the community with one another. Parishioner volunteers lead these classes. If you would like your child to be involved, please bring your child to the Bride's room (located at the east end of the parish hall, in the basement of the church). Sr. Linda will be there to talk with you and introduce you to the teachers. If possible, there is a registration fee of $15 for the year, to pay for materials needed for the classes. Children must be toilet trained. All children welcome.

FOOD PANTRY

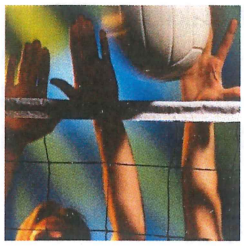
We are fortunate at Guardian Angels to have a Food Pantry to help with the needs of the hungry in the Westport/Roanoke area. While we do utilize Harvesters for the majority of our food supplies, we also depend on the generosity of parishioners.

Current Needs in the Pantry: Cereals, canned vegetables, tuna, shampoo, toothpaste, individually packaged toothbrushes, dish soap.

Retrouvaille Program

The Retrouvaille Program helps couples struggling in their marriage to put the pieces back together and rebuild loving relationships. While it is Catholic in origin, couples of all faiths (or no faith background) are welcomed, in an effort to improve communication., build a stronger marriage and rediscover love for one another. The next Retrouvaille weekend is in Kansas City Kansas at the Savior Pastoral Center on November 16-18. Call for more information please call (816) 803-5940.

Catholic Challenge Sports Charity Indoor Volleyball Tournament Sign-ups Are Open!



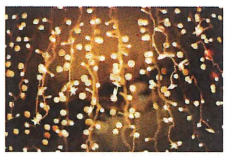
Charity Tournament Beneficiary: Kansas City Youth Conference (KCYC). Bring your team or enter as an individual. Takes place on Saturday, November 17th at Parkville Athletic Complex in Parkville, Missouri. Registration fee is $25 per person, which closes on November 13th. For more information see our Facebook page: CCS 2018 Indoor Volleyball Tournament..

Suicide Prevention Lifeline

Caucasian males are more likely to die by suicide than any other demographic group. In Missouri, the suicide rate for Caucasian males is 25.1 per 100,000 persons. While most people think that youth have higher suicide rates, the reality is that suicide rates are substantially higher for adults – particularly, adult men. We can all help prevent suicide. The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals.

The Suicide Prevention Lifeline is 1-800-273-8255.

Guardian Angels Holiday Marketplace



The Guardian Angels Holiday Marketplace, a holiday craft fair, will take place on December 8-9, 2018. This two day event is an opportunity to sell your home made items with others who are selling as well. A table to display your items is $25 if paid by 11-1-2018 and $35 if paid after 11-1-2018. You may also bring your own table. If you need a registration form, call the parish office and we will mail one. Checks and registration forms should be sent to:

Guardian Angels/Holiday Market
1310 Westport Road
Kansas City, MO 64111

Parish Financial Support

October 14, 2018

Envelopes	$1,265.50
Plate	$712.00
TOTAL	$1,977.50
Electronic Giving-September	$3,407.00

Thank you for your generosity!

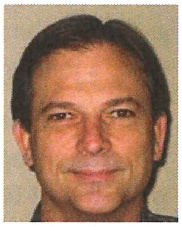
Attention: St. Mary Alumni

The KC Alumni Council of the University of St. Mary invite all alumni, family and friends to its Fall Luncheon honoring Sr. Kathleen Wood, Theology Dept. Professor, on Sunday, November 4th at Grand Street Café, 4740 Grand Avenue in KCMO. Social hour is 11am and lunch is Noon until 2pm. Cost is $35/ person. RSVP to Maxine Mitchell Staggs at maxinestaggs@gmail.com or (816) 304-3268.

First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima is sponsoring the First Saturday Devotions at Christ the King Church at 8510 Wornall Road on Saturday, November 3, 2018. Opportunity for Confession begins at 7:30 am. Rosary and 15 minutes of meditation begins at 8:00 am. Mass begins at 9:00 am.

COUNSELING



All things change, and Fall is a vivid reminder of that fact. If there are changes in your life you need help managing, consider counseling. Fr. Garry Richmeier is a Licensed Professional Marriage and Family Therapist, providing family, marital, and individual counseling, as well as Spiritual Direction. Fr. Garry has offices in Liberty and in midtown Kansas City, and takes donations rather than set fees. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Fr.

Wish List

We are seeking two six foot tall artificial Christmas trees to use as décor in the church for the Christmas season. We want to have plain white lights to use on the trees. If you can help, please call Deacon Tyrone in the parish office.

Get Rid of your Clutter!

On Saturday, November 3rd, the Green Team, in partnership with the Holy Name Society, will bring a new sale to Guardian Angels called **Bargains and Breakfast** from 8am, until Noon.
The Green Team will be collecting household items for the sale on the following dates:

- Saturday, October 20; 10am-2pm
- Saturday, October 27; 10am-2pm
- Monday, October 29; 5pm –8pm
- Tuesday, October 30; 5pm-8pm

Household items must be in working condition and clean. We are **NOT ACCEPTING** auto parts, baby items, clothing, furniture, computers, printers or other home office electronics, paint, household chemicals, or items that require more than one person to carry them (book cases, filing cabinets and large appliances).

We will be selling raffle tickets for a chance to win a beautiful queen-sized, hand sewn quilt, made by parishioner and master quilter, Merty Gramlich. A pancake breakfast will also be served on the day of the sale. Tickets for the breakfast will be sold at the door. We need volunteers to help with this event and we have a sign-up sheet in the back of church. Please consider helping us for a shift!

Thoughts From Guardian Angels

With the changing of the seasons, many things in nature appear to be dying and going dormant. The good thing about our faith is that we never have a season of dormancy, only new opportunities for growth.

Over the last month we have had three baptisms and have two more scheduled in the next couple of weeks. Baptisms are a beautiful communal celebration where we welcome a new member into our faith as we join with he family in one voice to renew our profession of faith by denying satan and declaring our Faith to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, proudly and publicly.

Baptisms mean growth; new members are invited in and accepted by the whole congregation as we become one in faith.

We encourage everyone to have all sacraments to be celebrated at the mass because it not only infuses the individuals with the Graces of God but the whole congregation as well, because we all are asked to help guide and be inspirations to our newest members.

Here at Guardian Angels we are more than just a group of individuals that come together on Sundays – we are a family that celebrates one another's growth in the faith and support each other's journey.

During the coming weeks and months with the changing of the seasons, we will all start to become busier and more consumed with the approaching holidays, as they are just around the corner.

But during this time let us never forget the things that we are grateful for, our families, friends and our Faith in a loving God.

So, before we all get too busy and our calendars are filled – let us take a little time and plan to set some time aside this fall for not only ourselves but with our families as well. Far too often we fool ourselves, thinking we need to fill every hour by stay busy running from one event to another to truly get the most out of the season; this is a fallacy.

This year I encourage you to focus your time on quality time with those you love, rather than chasing all the commercialism that put before us, and never being fulfilled. Slow down and cut back a bit and enjoy the season for what it is meant to be, a time of fellowship.

Many Blessings,

Deacon Tyrone

Procedures, Sacraments and Information for Guardian Angels Parish

Baptism
Contact the parish office after your baby is born, in order to schedule the baptismal class and the date of the baptism.

Confirmation, Eucharist & Reconciliation
Preparation for this sacrament is offered yearly. Contact the parish office for more information.

Funeral
Contact the parish office at the time of the death.

Marriage
Please contact Fr. Carlito preferably nine months before your proposed marriage date. Note that it is wise not to make other arrangements until you know your wedding date is available here at our church. Guardian Angels does have a wedding planner for an additional cost, please let us know if you are interested in this service.

Penance
Saturday afternoon between 3:15 and 3:45 pm and Monday thru Thursday 5:00 — 5:20 pm.

Religious Education
Sessions for children and families are held monthly. Contact Sr. Linda in the parish office for more information.

Interested in Becoming Catholic?
This process is called Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call Sr. Linda Barringer at the parish office for information on this process.

Sick or Hospitalized
Contact the parish office when your loved one is sick or admitted to the hospital.

Parish Hall Rental
Parishioners who have been registered for one year or more, should contact the parish office for rental information.

School Cafeteria Rental
Contact the parish office for availability and cost.

Bulletin Announcements
Items to be included in the bulletin need to be sent to Kate Riha in the parish office no later than Monday before that Sunday's intended inclusion date. Announcements are subject to approval.

Newcomers
Registration Forms are located in the literature holders in the back and at the north entrance to the church. When completed, these can be returned to the parish office or placed in the collection baskets at Mass. Welcome!

Mass Intentions
Please call the office during business hours.

Our Lady of Hope Catholic School
(next door to Guardian Angels on Mercier)
Mary Delac, Principal
4232 Mercier, Kansas City, MO 64111
Office: (816) 931-1693; Fax: (816) 931-6713

Sacrament of the Sick
Please contact the parish office if you or a loved one is ill or if you have surgery scheduled, to arrange for an anointing.

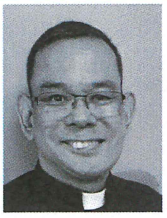
Quinceanera
Please contact the office nine (9) months in advance to schedule a preparation class with Deacon Tyrone.

Sexual Abuse
The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect abuse:

- Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-(800) 392-3738, if the victim is under 18 years of age.
- Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911
- After reporting to the aforementioned law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, 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 Kathleen Chastain, Diocesan Victim Advocate at (816) 392-0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Fr. Carlito Saballo is in his office most Thursdays and many Tuesdays. If you would like to meet with Fr. Carlito, please email him at csaballo@guardianangelskc.org.



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MISSED OPPORTUNITIES

In our busy lives we tend to put off things, thinking we have time later to take care of it. Pretty soon, we will run out of time, and wish we had done those things. Don't put off doing something for yourself and your family. Take the time to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. It is a chance to strengthen your relationship and bring back that spark you thought was lost. Don't miss this opportunity. The next Weekends in Kansas City are

November 9-11, 2018 and March 1-3, 2019.
For more information or to apply, please visit our website: **www.wwme4youandme.org** or call Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066 or email tonybarbz@prodigy.net.

PRAY WITH US ON CEMETERY SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2018

The Catholic Cemeteries of Kansas City ~ St. Joseph Diocese invites you to a Prayer Service at each of our four cemeteries. This special devotion provides an opportunity to remember our loved ones that have gone on before us. Although our hearts may be filled with sorrow, we draw peace and comfort knowing our faithful departed are laid to rest in our Catholic tradition. The Prayer Service will begin at 2:00 p.m. at each of our four Catholic Cemeteries.

In Kansas City * Mt. Olivet - 7601 Blue Ridge Blvd.
* Resurrection – 5001 NE Cookingham Rd.
* St. Mary's – 2201 Cleveland Avenue
In St Joseph * Mt. Olivet – 26th & Lovers Lane

Upcoming Events

Thursday, November 1
6:00 pm ALL SAINTS DAY Mass
Saturday, November 3
8am—Noon Bargains & Breakfast
Thursday, November 15
6:00 pm Bunko
Thursday, November 22
Thanksgiving
Tuesday, December 4
6:00 pm Penance Service
Saturday, December 8
10am — 5:30 pm Guardian Angels Holiday Marketplace
Sunday, December 9
9:30 am—1pm Guardian Angels Holiday Marketplace
Thursday, December 20
6:00 pm Bunko

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