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Parish

Pastor: Rev. Robert Stone
Director of Music & Liturgy: Maria Milazzo
Sacramental Prep & RCIA: Becky Winbinger
Youth Minister: Becky Winbinger

Diocesan Contacts:

Victim's Advocate: Whitney True-Francis
816.392.0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekscj.org
Ombudsman: Joe Crayon, 816.812.2500

School - 816.353.0284

Principal: Dr. Lisa Lauck
School Tours/Registration Info: Susie Addison

New Parishioners

If you are new to our parish and would like more information please contact the Parish Office.

Pastoral Care

Sacraments for the Sick
Rev. Bob Stone, 816.353.2184, ext. 404

Pastoral visits to the Homebound and Hospitals

Paula Cassity, 816.356.4467

Emergency Assistance

St Bernadette Food Pantry 816.356.3700, ext. 228

Parish Ministry Council

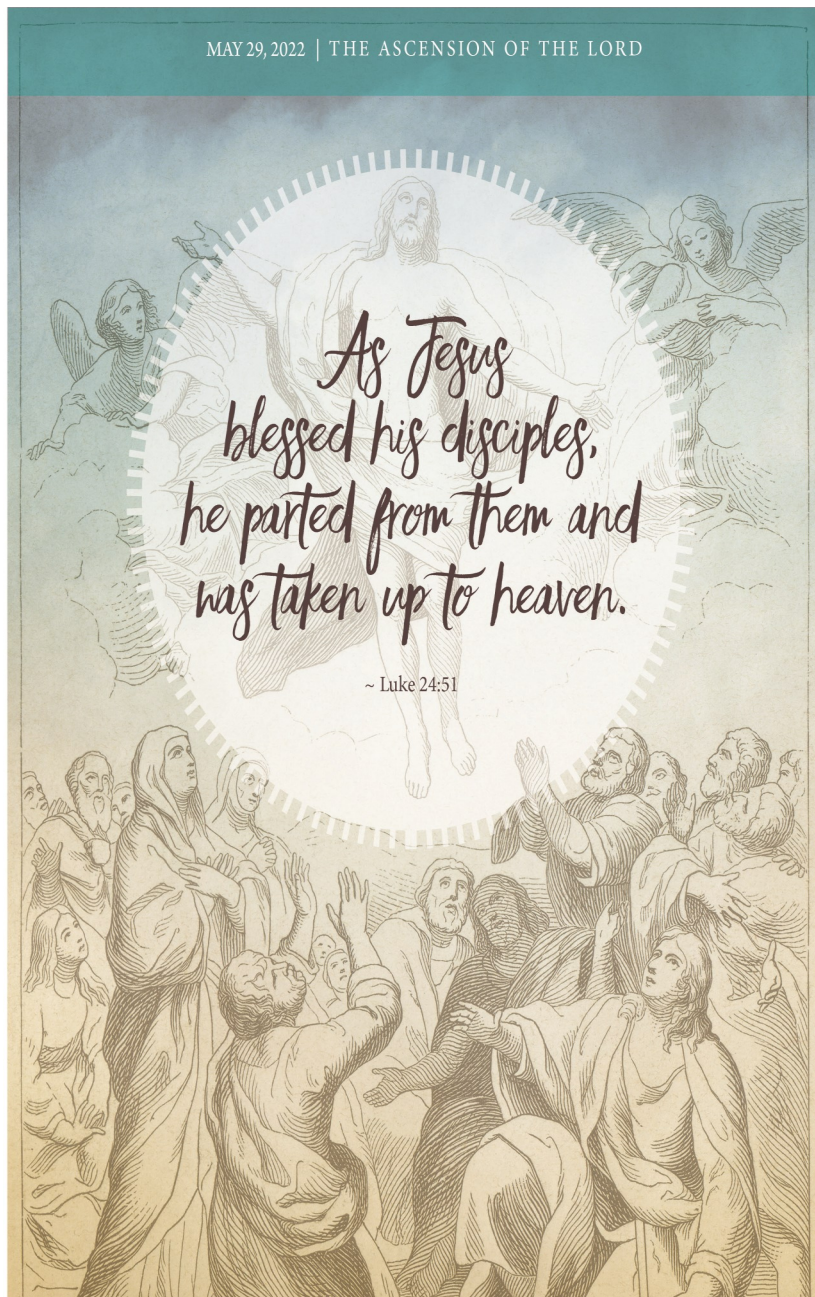
Mark Bishop, 816.550.1729
markbishop@comcast.net

Mass Schedule

Monday: 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
Weekday: 8:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday
Saturday: 3:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
Holy Day: 8:30 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday: 2:30 p.m.
Or contact Fr. Bob Tuesday through Friday for an appointment



MAY 29, 2022 | THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

*As Jesus
blessed his disciples,
he parted from them and
was taken up to heaven.*

~ Luke 24:51

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MAY 29TH, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 28

3 PM + Connie Haggerty

SUNDAY, MAY 29

10:30AM + Jimmy Lopez

MONDAY, MAY 30

8:30 AM Communion Service

TUESDAY, MAY 31

8:30 AM + Keith Clark

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

8:30 AM For all students and teachers

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

3 PM + Brenden DiGaetano

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

10:30AM All who have been recently confirmed

WEEKLY READINGS MAY 30TH—JUNE 5

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8 -17; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

A MOMENT TO REFLECT PLEASE PRAY FOR:

BERNIE SCHULTE
ROSIE WHITEHEAD
KRISTIANA FAHEY
MARGARET AULT
HEATHER MANFREDI
JOHN MADDUX
SHARON DUSCHALL
ANDRE FONTCHA
MARY ANN TOUZINSKY
CAROL BYRD WEAVER
REX & HELEN SIBERT
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CHRISTOPHER CLARK
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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 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 Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

DUE TO THE PARISH OFFICE
EMPLOYEE TRANSITIONS,
THE WEEKLY DONATION
AMOUNTS WILL NOT BE
LISTED. A QUARTERLY
UPDATE WILL BE PROVIDED
WHEN THE POSITIONS HAVE
BEEN FILLED.

MAY 29 - JUNE 18, 2022 CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 10:30 AM Mass Parish Choir Sings	30 10 am Mass at Mount Olivet Cemetery Parish Office Closed 	31 8:30 AM Mass	JUNE 1 6 PM Adoration 	2 8:30 AM Mass	3	4 2:30 PM Confession 3:00 PM Mass Parish Choir Sings
5 10:30 AM Mass	6 8:30 AM Communion Service	7 8:30 AM Mass 6 PM Parish Ministry Council Meeting	8	9 8:30 AM Mass	10	11 2:30 PM Confession 3:00 PM Mass
		RUMMAGE SALE DONATION DROP OFF 9 AM - 3 PM				DROP OFF 9 - Noon
12 10:30 AM Mass Parish Choir Sings	13 8:30 AM Communion Service 12 PM Over 55 lunch 7 PM Book Club	14 8:30 AM Mass	15	16 8:30 AM Mass	17	18 10 am Deacon Ordination at St. James 2:30 PM Confession 3:00 PM Mass Parish Choir Sings
		RUMMAGE SALE 9 AM - 5 PM				

FOLLOW US DOWN THE TRACK TO VBS 2022!

SAVE THE DATE

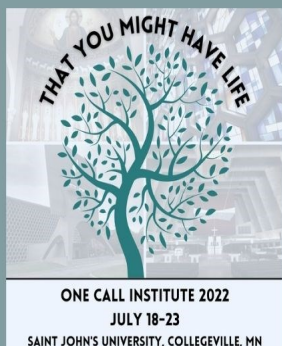
NATIVITY OF MARY

ROCKY RAILWAY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 7-9, 2022

Registration link and more information will be posted soon to our website and social media. Volunteers will be needed! Contact Maria & Katia Milazzo with any questions or if you are interested in helping!

mmilazzo@nativityofmary.org ~ kmilazzo@nativityofmary.org



DONATIONS NEEDED TO SUPPORT OUR YOUNG LITURGICAL MUSICIANS!

One Call is an institute dedicated to the engagement, empowerment, and ongoing support of young liturgical musicians. This summer we have 10 students between Nativity of Mary & St. Bernadette who are interested in attending the 6-day Institute!

The fee for the program is \$650 each. If you would like to see more youth participation in our church and specifically in our music ministry, please consider sponsoring a student or donating any amount to support their formation! Donations may be brought to the parish office, dropped in the collection basket, or given directly to Maria Milazzo. Please make sure the envelope is clearly marked One Call Institute. Checks made payable to Nativity of Mary.

Thank you for your support!

YOUTH SPORTS CAMPS



FOOTBALL

5/31-6/3



GOLF

6/6-6/9



CROSS COUNTRY

6/6-6/9



TENNIS

6/6-6/9



VOLLEYBALL

6/6-6/9



BASEBALL

6/13-6/16



GIRLS BASKETBALL

6/13-6/16



CHEER/DANCE

6/13-6/16



WRESTLING

6/13-6/16



SOFTBALL

6/20-6/23



SOCCER

6/20-6/23



BOYS BASKETBALL

6/27-6/30



LACROSSE

6/27-6/30



THEATRE

7/11-7/15

Visit: smacatholic.org/summer-camps-2022

FREEDOM IN CHRIST PENTECOST VIGIL

Guardian Angels Church (handicap accessible)
1310 Westport, Kansas City, MO 64111
9:00 AM—4:00 PM

Saturday, June 4, 2022

Worship, Teachings, Prayer Ministry & Mass

Scripture tells us that before Jesus ascended he instructed his distraught disciples not to leave Jerusalem until the Holy Spirit came upon them in fulfillment of the Father's promise. As they gathered in the upper room in prayer on the Day of Pentecost everyone present was filled and transformed in the power of the Holy Spirit. We today are much like the disciples as we navigate days of uncertainty and confusion. But we who have heard the Good News know God is in control and nothing that we see, hear or fear will defeat His Purposes. The Vigil of Pentecost will be an opportunity to reignite the fire of the Holy Spirit setting us free and giving us His peace as we await the unfolding of the Lord's Perfect Plan in our own personal lives and in the world. Registration \$10 per person and optional meals \$8. Meals must be pre-ordered by May 31, 2022. Call 816-885-2322 or email c.sikorski@att.net for details.

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Coming Soon

Annual Rummage Sale



Our Parish Hall will be filled again this year with lots of treasures donated by our parishioners & friends for our annual sale. Hope to see you there with your great donations & to shop on our 'Sale Days'.

DROP-Off Dates Tuesday, June 7th thru Friday, June 10th 9AM - 3PM
Saturday, June 11th 9AM - Noon

Sale Days Tuesday, June 14th thru Friday, June 17th 9AM - 5PM
Friday is \$5 Bag Day on selected items

Items Needed

Small appliances etc. that still work	Jewelry/Collectibles
Small furniture items (tables, lamps etc.)	Books, DVDs, CDs
Linens, bath, bedding, curtains	Sewing, crafts, material
Sporting goods, tools, auto, lawn eqpt.	Kitchen items, dishes
Seasonal decor, toys, games, puzzles	Home decor
Clothing items & shoes (men's, women's, teens, toddlers, babies) that are not stained, damaged or outdated are most appreciated.	

Please Do Not Bring

Computers	Printers	Monitors	Baby Cribs
Mattresses	TVs	Exercise eqpt.	Car Seats
Large/or any cloth covered furniture			

As always we need a lot of people to help with sorting, pricing & just being there during the days of the sale. If you have some time any of the sorting or sale days, we'd love to have you come & help! Call one of the #s below.

Questions may be directed to Terry Carroll (816) 718-2738 or Mary Ann McClure (816) 739-3763.

FREE Community Shred- it event

Compliments of
McGilley & Sheil Chapel

11924 E 47th Street
Kansas City, MO 64133

Saturday, June 4, 2022

9 am - 12 pm

PAPER ITEMS ONLY

HISPANIC RETREAT: COME TO THE FATHER'S HOUSE AND LET US BE FED BY CHRIST! JUNE 10-12, 2022

This retreat will focus on the Celebration of the Eucharist. We will dive into the Mystery of the Eucharist to study it as a sacrificial meal and a source of intimacy with the Risen Christ and with each other. We will have the opportunity for Lectio Divina, Eucharistic Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

When: June 10-12, 2022

*Where: Conception Abbey Guest Center
37174 State Hwy V V
Conception, MO 64433*

Cost: \$180.00- If you are not able to afford the cost of our retreat we still invite you to come and participate in the retreat and pay what you can afford.

More information: 660-944-2809, WhatsApp 816-739-9529-Maité Rodríguez

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

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MEMORIAL WEEKEND 2022

Memorial Day Commemorative
Masses will be Monday, May
30th @ 10:00 am at All Catholic
Cemeteries:

Mount Olivet, Kansas City,
Resurrection, Mt. Saint Mary's
and Mount Olivet, St. Joseph

The Nativity of Mary Music Min-
istry will lead music for the Mass
at Mount Olivet.

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SCAN ME

Are you or someone you know a high school student in need of service hours? Many St. Michael the Archangel high school students seek out Nativity of Mary Parish & School as their site for Service Hours. We encourage you to contact us now to schedule service hour times for the summer and coming school year.

NEED SERVICE HOURS?

Volunteers are especially needed soon for our upcoming Rummage Sale in June! If you are available and interested, please contact Mary Vitt at maryvitt0324@yahoo.com

For any questions or to sign up to fulfill your service hours at Nativity of Mary this summer and in the 2022-23 school year, please contact any of the following people by calling the Parish or school offices or emailing them. Vacation Bible School, building & grounds maintenance, and the Rummage Sale are all great ways to earn your service hours this summer and help your Nativity of Mary community!

Brandy Warren at bwarren@nativityofmary.org
Susie Addison at saddison@nativityofmary.org
Maria Milazzo at mmilazzo@nativityofmary.org

*Communion for
the Sick & Homebound*

—●●—
Eucharistic Minister Training

St. Robert Bellarmine Parish Hall
Blue Springs, MO
Saturday, June 11, 2022
9:00 - 11:00 am

Contact Maria Milazzo at mmilazzo@nativityofmary.org or Paula Cassity at cassity43@yahoo.com if you register for the class and would like to begin bringing communion to the sick and homebound. There is also a need for more communion ministers to bring communion to patients at Research Hospital.

Register:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/11StRB

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If you would like to help offset registration costs, please send \$30 to the parish office clearly marked "Eucharistic Minister Training."

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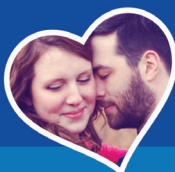
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