

Holy Family Church GEMS

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 5, 2025



Holy Family + St. John the Baptist

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA

25th Anniversary of his Priestly Ordination

October 6, 2000-2025



**For it is declared: "You are a priest forever
in the order of Melchizedek"**

- Hebrews 7:17

KEEPING IN TOUCH

As you know we have a school attached to our parishes. The pastors of the parishes that make up the school take turns for ministry to the students. This past week was my turn! On Tuesday morning I heard confessions of the students, on Wednesday morning I said mass for the school, and on Thursday morning I visited two of the classrooms. This past week I visited the fourth grade. It was wonderful! During the visit the children got to ask me questions and there were a lot of good questions. I also got to learn a little bit about what they were learning about. I have to say that I really enjoyed visiting them and they seemed to enjoy my visit. We are very blessed to be part of this great school. Please say a little prayer for our school, its' students, teachers and staff that it will continue to flourish and that the students will continue to learn what will help them in life and will help them to grow closer in relationship to God.

Blessings!

Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA
Pastor



**Fr. Joseph's visit with students at
Resurrection Catholic School**

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

274 Orchard St., Kansas City, Kansas 66101

Pastor: Fr. Joseph Arsenault, SSA

Burmese - Sacramental Assistant: Fr. Michael Lian

Parish Office Address: 515 Ohio Ave., KCK 66101

Office Phone: 913-413-0022

Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Web: holyfamilychurchkck.org

Find us on Facebook!

Email: holyfamilychurch1925@gmail.com

Resurrection Catholic School: 425 N. 15th St., KCK 66102

Phone: 913-371-8101

MASS SCHEDULE:

Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Odd months at Holy Family)
(Confessions at 3:00 p.m. before Mass)

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. & 12:15 p.m. (Burmese)

THE HOLY ROSARY

Recited every Saturday at 6:00 p.m. (Burmese)

Recited every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. before 10:30 a.m. Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 5

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Respect Life Sunday

10:30 a.m. Tony Simonich†

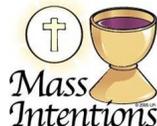
Friday, October 10

8:00 a.m. Marianne Daugherty Sieg†

Sunday, October 12

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 a.m. Raymond Simonich†



WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Collection 9/27/25, 4:00 p.m.:

Weekly Envelopes:	\$ 1,180.00
Plate:	693.00
Candle:	35.00
TOTAL STEWARDSHIP:	\$ 1,908.00

Weekly Collection 9/28/25, 10:30 a.m.:

Weekly Envelopes:	\$ 380.00
Plate:	77.00
Pew Rent:	5.00
TOTAL STEWARDSHIP:	\$ 462.00

Other Deposit 9-23-25:

SLO Mega Raffle:	\$ 1,400.00
SLO Sponsorship:	35.00
Total Deposit 9-23-25:	\$ 1,435.00

Other Deposit 9/22/25:

SLO Sponsorships:	\$ 125.00
SLO Mega Raffle:	1,300.00
Total Deposit 9/30/25:	\$ 1,425.00

Other Deposit 9-30-25:

SLO Dinner Sales:	\$ 480.00
SLO Silent Auction:	542.00
Total Deposit 09-30-25:	\$ 1,022.00

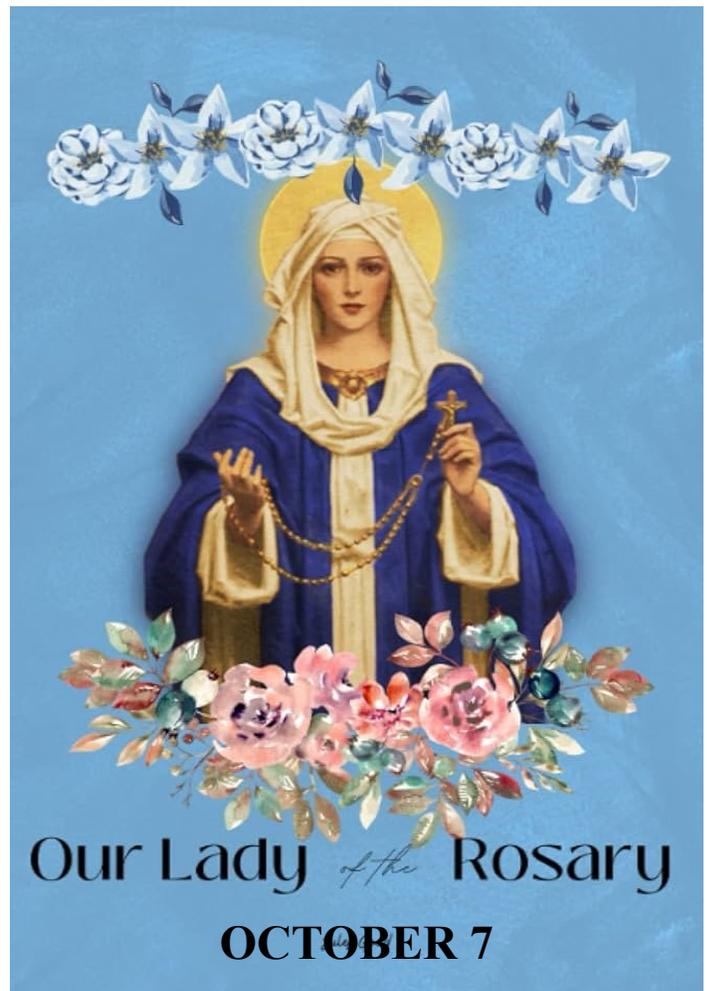
Other Deposit 9-30-25:

Weekly Envelopes:	\$ 155.00
School Offering:	50.00
Memorial Donations-J. Cornish:	10,775.00
Mass Intentions-J. Cornish:	30.00
Poor Box:	100.00
Capital Campaign:	100.00
Pew Rent:	10.00
The Leaven:	21.00
Total Deposit 9-30-25:	\$ 11,241.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Beatrice Arce, Paul Anselmo, Jim Blair, Steve Blaschke, Robert Bartkoski, Brisimitzakis Family, Steven Brocker, Christine Muelmaster Bruns, Bill Bushue, Sam Cattey, Frank Chavez, Larry Cornish, Elizabeth Curtin, Ann Crump, Savannah Crawford, Gary Dercher, Janet Easter, Vincent Eskina, Gary Esposito, Jane Ferbezar, Matthew Fuqua, Ron Gabrielson, Don Gergick, Nick Gianfrancesco, Greg Golder, Teresa Grado, Gary Grindel, Joe Grindel, Mary Ann Hamm, John Hart, Jr., Diane Holton, Linda Holton, Mary Lou Holton, Mary Ann Stimac-Huber, Roger Jackson, Lupe Jaramillo, Madeleine Glenn-Klein, Beth Ann Palcher Kornegay, Janice Labesky, James Lipovac, Tim Lukavsky, Hrvoje Ljubicic family, Brett McCord, Linda Macek, Walter Marnett, Charles Martynowicz, Ed Melnick, Julie Miller, Mike Mootz, Betty Mulich, Frank Muelmaster, Mary-Elizabeth Anna Neitzke, Joe Paduch, Joseph Punswick, Cameron Rezin, R.J. Samuels, Stacy Taylor Scheelk, Richard Schutte, Roger Schutte, Marco Serra, Donna Severance, Anthony Smarekar, Sr. Gloria Solomon, John Soptick, Jacob Strathman, Matt & Chrissy Stewart, Joe Sutton, Don Swanson, Bennett (McCord) Thimgan, Brad Torelli, Germaine Van Hoet, Joe Waliczek, Richard Whitaker, Carol Sue Williamson, Martha Wolf-Holland, Marcia Wolf, Louis Villegas, Angie Yadrich, Weslie Mae Zych, & for all those who suffer from alcoholism, cancer, mental health issues and anyone else in need of our prayers.



ST. MARY-ST. ANTHONY
615 N 7TH ST., KANSAS CITY, KS 66101

LatinoFest

OCT. 4, 2025: 5:00PM – 8:00PM

OCT. 5, 2025: 12:30PM – 8:00PM



Multi-Cultural Party!

**Variety of Food
Snacks
Entertainment
Live Music
Bounce House
and Much More!**

**Big Raffle:
\$750 Grand Prize
\$500 2nd Prize
\$250 3rd Prize**

**For More Information:
(913)371-1408 O (816)945-1200**



Menudo served
at 8:00a.m. on Oct. 5.



With Performances

by Various Local Groups!

We're looking forward to seeing you!



BINGO Boo-Bash



Chili Supper

When: Saturday, October 28, 2017

Where: St. John's Church Basement

What time: 6:30 (following 5:15 Mass)

10 rounds of Bingo

Prizes / Food / Fun !!!!

**Sponsored by: Croatian-American Social Club
913.226.1925**



**Polish-American
Heritage Celebration!!
Saturday, Oct. 11, 2025**

**Come celebrate your Polish-American
Heritage with All Saints Parish!**

All Saints Parish Hall -
811 Vermont Ave., Kansas City, KS
4:00 p.m. Polka Mass • 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Dinner and Dance

**Dinner Dance
Tickets:
\$40 per person**

21+ Event

Traditional Polish Dinner,
Dessert and One
Non-alcoholic Drink

**Ticket Sales End
October 3, 2025**

Pre-sale Golabki
\$30.00/doz prepay required
Pre sale ends
September 26, 2025



**Raffle prizes available for Polski Day Quilt and
cash prizes \$10.00 or 3/\$25.00**

Music by Brian McCarty Band



For More Information & Tickets:

Pamela Cornelson 913-787-7869 • Cathy Kolenda Smith 913-515-0553 • Parish Office 913-371-1837



Mass of Innocents



The annual Mass (usually held in the fall) recognizes the value of children who died before or shortly after birth, as well as the grief felt by their parents, grandparents and loved ones.

Whether or not you have personally experienced this loss, you are welcome to come commemorate these lives and offer prayerful support to their families.



October 19, 2025 | 1:00 pm

Holy Spirit Catholic Church
11300 W. 103rd St., Overland Park



Sponsored by the Office of Marriage and Family Life.
For more information, contact MFLadmin@archkck.org

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OF KANSAS CITY IN KANSAS

MEGA RAFFLE WINNERS

Congratulations to all the Mega Raffle winners at this year's Slovenefest!

1. Dennis Kuklenski ticket #349
2. Paul O'Boynick ticket #365
3. Joseph & Annette Keller ticket #329
4. Charles Martynowicz (Strawberry So. Ticket #239
5. Margaret Daugherty ticket #278
6. Susan Rezin ticket #116
7. Doug & Carol Heinisch ticket #128
8. Larry Eker ticket #271
9. Julie Schneller ticket #372

HF ALTAR SOCIETY RAFFLE WINNERS

X-Box Winner - Soren Low
Pampered Chef Air Fryer - Regina McBee
Chief's Tailgate - Curtis Berry



SLOVENEFEFEST APPRECIATION!

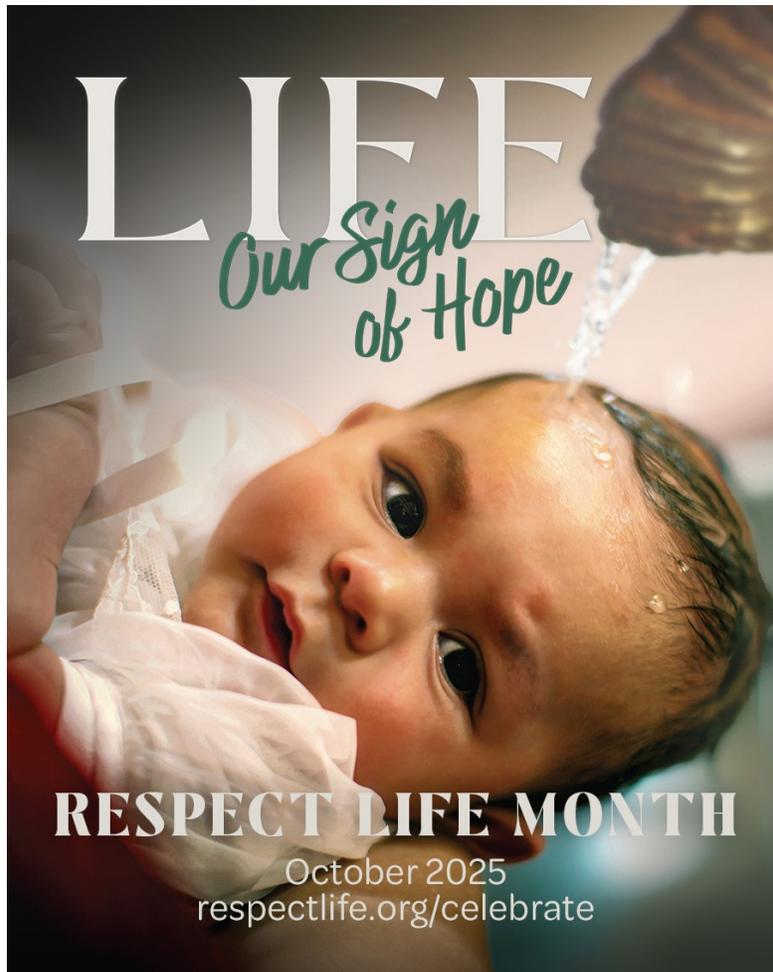
Our 17th Annual Slovenefest 2025 was a success! The weather was perfect and we drew a large, happy crowd!

We would like to thank all our volunteers and organizations who worked so tirelessly to make Slovenefest a success. And to you our beloved parishioners, friends, guests, local businesses who supported this event and especially to our Lord, Jesus Christ for bestowing His blessings on our parish.

In an upcoming issue of the Gems, we will let you know the financial outcome of the festival!

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Thank you!



LIFE

Our Sign of Hope

RESPECT LIFE MONTH

October 2025
respectlife.org/celebrate