15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 16, 2023

Pastor Fr. Richard Storey

Senior Priest Fr. Tony Lickteig

In Residence Fr. Tam Nguyen Fr. Maclean Aaku

Deacons Dcn. Phillip Nguyen Dcn. Kevin Cummings

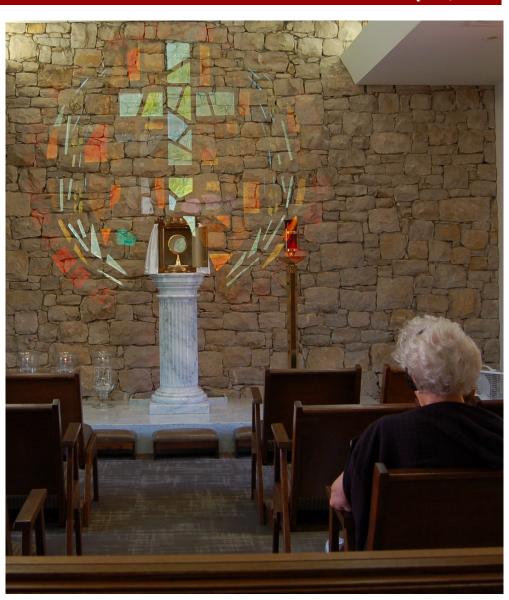
Mass Schedule

Weekend Sat. 4:00 pm (Livestream) Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am, & 12:00 pm

Weekday Monday-Friday 6:30 & 8:15 am (Livestream) Saturday 8:00 am

Confessions Saturday 2:30-3:30 pm By Appointment

Parish Office Monday - Thursday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Friday 8:30 am - Noon



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Eucharistic Revival

Prayer for the Eucharistic Revival

Lord Jesus Christ,

you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the world, and you desire that all people come to the Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb.

Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist.

Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me. Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me. Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist, come and suffer in me.

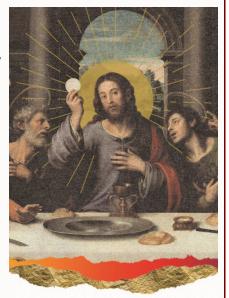
Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to new life in me. Jesus loving in the Eucharist, come and love in me.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery of your death and resurrection made present in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love on your Church and on our world.

Grant that as we lift you up during this time of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life.

You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of the Eucharist, Pray for us.





eucharisticrevival.org

Introducing Fr. Maclean

I am Fr. Maclean Aaku from Ghana, West Africa. I am a Priest of the Diocese of Damongo, a primary evangelization area. My Father and my Mother are still alive. I have three Sisters and I am the only boy. I arrived in the US on 5 May 2023. I am at Curé of Ars Parish as a resident Priest and working as a Chaplain at Donnelly College. I will be helping out at the weekends in this Parish sometimes. I am happy to be here and to be part of this wonderful family of God. I am looking forward to working with you.



Thank you,

Fr. Maclean

We welcome you, Fr. Maclean, to Curé of Ars parish! May your stay here be filled with joy and many of God's blessings.

Welcome to Curé of Ars!

We invite you to join the Parish! To register as a parishioner of Curé of Ars, go to www.cureofars.com, click on *About Curé*, then select *Register with Curé of Ars*. (link: <u>cureofars.com/registration</u>) You can also stop by the Parish Office located to the north of the church to fill out a registration form. Once your form is completed (electronically or in person), the parish office staff will reach out to you with information on how to become active in various parish activities and ministries.

Please join us in welcoming new Curé parishioners:

Joseph & Laurie Watson Patrick & Lindsey LeSage Robert & Cynthia Steer

Parish Offering				
Envelope Collection including EFTs				
July	Week 1	\$	43,739	
	Week 2	\$	104,632	
	Week 3	\$		
	Week 4	\$		
Envelope Fiscal YTD Actual	7.1.2023- 7.9.2023	\$	153,221	
Envelope Fiscal YTD Budget	7.1.2023- 7.9.2023	\$	147,988	
Annual Budget	7.1.23-6.30.24	\$	5,166,400	

INFORMATION

Envelopes

In addition to dropping envelopes in the collection basket on the weekend Masses, you can also mail or drop off your envelopes to the Parish Office at 9401 Mission Rd, Leawood, KS, 66206

Online Giving

Online giving is available for parishioners, making donations simple, safe, and secure. Visit our website and click on the online giving button, found at the top right of the page, from your computer or mobile device. Initiate a one-time gift or set up recurring donations (Link: www.cureofars.com/giving). If you have any questions or need help getting set up, please contact Sandy at 913.649.1337.

Sign up for the Curé eNewsletter

Sign up at <u>cureofars.com/enewsletter-sign-up</u>-form to receive news from Curé of Ars.

Publication Request Deadlines

Email all bulletin items by 4:30pm on Monday to <u>curebulletin@cureofars.com</u>.

Low Gluten Hosts

The presiding priest will have a separate pyx containing low-gluten hosts. Simply receive from his line at Mass stating "low gluten."

Assistance in Receiving Communion

If you need assistance in receiving communion at Mass, please notify an usher when you come into the church and they will notify an Eucharistic Minister.

Jessica Plubell

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Stephen Ministry

"Bear one another's burdens, and in this way fulfill the law of Christ."

(Galatians 6:2)

Stephen Ministers provide care and support to hurting people by bringing God's love to them through confidential conversation and prayer.

If you are hurting in any way, for any reason, or know of someone who is hurting, please call to arrange a confidential meeting to get further information.

Tom Bryon 816.863.3027 Jim Gisler 913.940.2519 Susie Coultis 913.484.1190

The Deacon White Prayer Corner

We plan to have Stephen Ministers available after all weekend Masses. If you would like to pray for yourself, spouse, family, friend or co-worker who is experiencing a rough spot in life, please stop by after Mass to experience God's true love for you through prayer or a special blessing. During time of need, or even a personal crisis, it can be so comforting to have someone to pray with you and for you. We will be located in the Chapel in the North part of the church.

Eucharistic Adoration

"Let the Children come to me..." (Luke 18:16)

Each of us is a precious child, called to an intimate relationship with God through friendship and love. We are called as His children to open our hearts in trust, to gaze upon the beauty of our Redeemer in awe. When we come to Adoration, we are handing God the keys to our hearts, allowing the rays of His love and grace to bathe our souls in the light of His Presence. Like Mary of Bethany, we are seating ourselves at the feet of Christ and letting His very essence pour down upon us. It is here that we find the better part.

Have you considered spending an hour of your time at the feet of Jesus? Many hours are currently open in the Adoration Chapel. The schedule is now on line at https://cureofars.com/adults-eucharistic-adoration.

Or contact Lisa at 913.558.1187 or

at lisawhi@gmail.com.

Within the quiet of our hearts, we find God. Within the whisper of our souls, He speaks.

Please pray for those in our parish who are suffering from illness:

Katie Auld Patricia McGowan
Mary Lou Catron Ross McVey

Paul Cyers Paul Mendolia

Greg Dostal Linda O'Connell-Judge

Patti Fisher Jo Anne Richards

Bill Hornbeck Larry Sieve

Jim Karl Suzanne Truesdell

Wes Kurre Buddy Tucke
Janet Kunz Kathy Walker

Michael Linsky Bryan Westhusing

Please let us know when your loved one is better!

Please pray for all those who have died and for the consolation of their families, especially

Rita Culver, mother of Stephanie, Brian, and Michelle

Susan Mary Kavanagh, mother of Molly, Alison, and the late Brian

Donald Eugene Strausbaugh, husband of Judith; father of Patricia, Allen, and Jeff

Robert Sullivan, husband of Kathleen; father of Shawn Ann, Bob Jr., Erin Marie, Mary Colleen, Maureen Rose, Brian Patrick, and Sean Michael

Helen Margaret Steer, wife of the late Jim; mother of Jim Jr., Bob, Jennie, Kelly, and the late Phil

Our Parish Family Weekly Novena

Please join us every Tuesday evening at 6:00 pm in the church to pray for marriages, families, vocations and for those who have left the faith to return to the Sacraments. This is for the whole family, children included. We will pray this beautiful and powerful prayer as we call on Our Lady's intercession.

Legion Of Mary

The Legion of Mary invites you to join us before the Parish Family Novena on Tuesday evening at 5:30 pm to say the rosary. All are welcome to join us in the church for this devotion to Mary.

Baptisms



Jack Theodore Sitzman
Walker James Saunders
William Robert Dougherty
Michael Allan McRoberts, Jr.

Rosary Times at Curé

Weekdays at 7:30 am
Tuesdays at 5:30 pm
Saturday at 3:30 pm before Mass
Sunday at 8:30 am before Mass
All rosaries are said in the church
and all are welcome.

Marian Reflection

Reading: May your ear pay attention, and your eyes be focused, to heed the prayer that I, your servant, now offer before you day and night for your people.



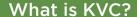
~Neh 1:6

Reflection: The Hail Mary is the most beautiful of all prayers after the Our Father and the most beautiful compliment you can give to Mary.

It is by this compliment that you will also win her heart, if you say it as you ought.

~St. Louis Grignion de Montfort *Prayer:* Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

	Mass Intentions	Daily Readings		
Mon. 7/17	Weekday	Ex 1:8-14, 22 Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 Mt 10:34—11:1		
6:30 am	† Diane Harrington			
8:15 am	† Phyllis Hobbs			
Tue. 7/18	St. Camillus de Lellis	Ex 2:1-15a Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 Mt 11:20-24		
6:30 am	† Jeannine Mock			
8:15 am	† Karolyn Degraffenreid			
Wed. 7/19	Weekday	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12		
6:30 am	† For the Unborn	Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7 Mt 11:25-27		
8:15 am	Special Intentions of Rick Standard			
Thu. 7/20	St. Apollinaris	Ex 3:13-20		
6:30 am	† Patrick Hennessey	Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24- 25, 26-27 Mt 11:28-30		
8:15 am	† Nancy G. Gomez Valero			
Fri. 7/21	St. Lawrence of Brindisi	Ex 11:10—12:14 Ps 116:12-13, 15 and		
6:30 am	† Mary Weaver	16bc, 17-18 Mt 12:1-8		
8:15 am	Special Intentions of Sandra Lombardino			
Sat. 7/22	St. Mary Magdalene	Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14- 17		
8:00 am	† Mary Watts	Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9		
4:00 pm	† Chuck Thompson	Jn 20:1-2, 11-18		
Sun. 7/23	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Wis 12:13, 16-19 Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16		
7:30 am	† Al & LaVonne Bauer	(5a) Rom 8:26-27		
9:00 am	Pastor's Mass for the People	Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30		
10:30 am	† John Laham			
12:00 pm	Memorial Mass			



KVC is the organization that provides ongoing case management, therapy, family education and support, transportation, and aftercare services impacting thousands of children and family members each day. In addition, KVC sponsors resource families across Kansas, providing supported placement options for children in foster care. Leading up to every new school year, KVC works to ensure that every child in its care is fully prepared to return to school.

The Respect Life group at Curé of Ars is sponsoring a school supply drive for KVC. The items can be dropped off in the Church vestibule anytime the week of July 24 - 30 or handed to a representative after all Masses on July 29 & 30.

If this time doesn't work for you or if you have any questions, please contact Gunnar Henning at gunnarhenning11@gmail.com or Ted Henning at teddyghenning@icloud.com.

Needed Items:



Special Needs Ministry

The Archdiocese special needs ministry serves and supports parishes in facilitating opportunities for a relationship with Christ by ensuring the fullest participation possible in the Catholic faith for all parishioners regardless of ability. Curé of Ars is excited to be a part this ministry which offers support and resources so that our parishioners with disabilities can fully participate in the life of our church community. More information available at https://archkck.org/special-needs/home/

Evening Book Club

Are you looking to get out more this summer? Need some adult time? Join the evening book club. We meet every third Wednesday of the month in the Ars II room in the parish office at 7pm. July's book is *Jane Erye* by Charlotte Brontë. It is a novel about a young woman who has love ripped from her only to find it again. Our August book is *The Other Wes Moore: One Name, Two Fates*. It is a true story of two men with same name and similar backgrounds and how one shines and the other doesn't. For more information, email Mary Chapman at yorkiegirl41@gmail.com or text 816.213.5908.

St. Mary's Food Kitchen

Curé of Ars will be serving lunch at St. Mary's Food Kitchen **July 17th**... Would you like to help?

Please go to https://tinyurl.com/
ru3bd39e to provide Fresh Fruit, Baked Goods, Lettuce, Taco Meat, etc.

If you prefer, please make a needed supply purchase from our Amazon WishList--

https://tinyurl.com/k4nmvj

If you have questions, contact Jacqueline Elbert at 816.520.3620 or smfoodkitchen@gmail.com.

Respect Life Meeting

WANT TO HELP WITH PRO -LIFE ACTIVITIES AT OUR PARISH? Please come to the next Parish Respect Life meeting on Thursday, July 20 at 6:30pm in the Fr. Burak



Room. New members are always welcome! Any questions, please contact Sandra or Kent at RespectLife@cureofars.com or call 816.916.0097.

Young At Heart

Young at Heart, a group for fun and fellowship for seniors, will next meet on Tuesday, July 18, for Bingo in the Fr.

Burak Rm. Bingo starts at 12:45 pm, so come by a bit earlier to get set up.

BSA Troop 395 Trash Bag Sales

Curé of Ars BSA Troop 395 will be selling trash bags throughout the year. Bags are \$13 per roll. Sizes available: white: 15-gal (65/roll); yellow: 39-gal (25/roll); blue: 55-gal (16/roll). We also have paper yard waste bags at \$5 per pack of 5. Please support this fundraiser to support this parish youth leadership program. In addition, you may contact Steve Wirtz at 914.262.1663 to make multiple roll purchases. We accept cash, checks and credit cards. Free delivery within Curé of Ars Church boundaries. Pick up can also be arranged.

In Need of Prayer?

We have a group of people here at Curé who are willing to pray for your special needs in the privacy of their homes. All is kept confidential. Call Jeanne at 913.648.3214 or Ruthanne at 913.341.0653.

CYO Registration

Fall registration is now open for the following sports:

- Cross Country
- Flag Football
- Tackle Football
- Volleyball

You can register at https://cyojwa.org/current-programs. If you have any questions, please reference our website at https://cyojwa.org/home or contact your Curé DSM (Director of Sports Ministry) at curecyo@gmail.com.



Do you have a child attending school outside the Catholic school system?

Registration for School of Religion is OPEN online!

REGISTER HERE



SOR CALENDAR







*fees increase by \$15 per child after August 2nd

Important Dates:

August 30th

Family Gathering Mass, Back to School Blessing, & Social (6:15 pm)

September 6th

First Class & Parent Meeting (6:15 pm)

For registration and additional information:

Religious Education (SOR):

www.cureofars.com/religioused

First Communion:

www.cureofars.com/first-communion

Confirmation:

www.cureofars.com/confirmation



Lector Training

We will be holding a training session for new volunteers or anyone wanting a refresher on Wednesday, July 26th from 6:00pm - 7:00pm in the Church Sanctuary. Anyone 6th Grade through Adults are welcome. Please sign up ahead of time at: https://cureofars.com/volunteer-for-a-liturgical-ministry. See you there!



Are you an ALUM of Curé of Ars?

We are updating our alumni database so we can plan an event! Do we have your information?

It will only take a minute to complete our online form: www.cureofars.com/cure-alumni

or call 913.649.1337 or email Jennifer at jenniferharris@cureofars.com

Knights of Columbus

To join the largest Catholic men's organization, go to: kofc.org, click on JOIN (select #9856 as your Council) or look us up at cureofars.com under Adult Organizations and Activities.



Retrouvaille Weekend

"No Marriage is Beyond Hope!" Now taking reservations for Retrouvaille's Marriage Enrichment Weekend in Kansas City on September 1st-3rd! Register today at www.retrokc.com. Retrouvaille is a lifeline for marriages......a program to help couples heal and renew their hurting marriages. The Retrouvaille Program is for Married Couples Facing Difficult Challenges in their Relationship. A Marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. A Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, where couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend. Primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love.

Catholic Books/CDs Available in Kiosk

Please check out our Curé of Ars Book/CD Kiosk located across from the Fr. Burak Room in the vestibule. The Kiosk has just been restocked with books from many of the best Catholic writers and are available for a small donation of only \$5.00. There are also CDs from the best Catholic speakers available for a small donation of only \$4.00. These Books and CDs are geared toward helping each of us to understand and grow in our Catholic faith, and to be able to share our faith with others. They also make great gifts. The small, suggested donation is to keep this ministry selfsustaining. Please leave your donations in the donation slot above the base. Checks can be made payable to Knights of Columbus (KOC). Thank you for your support of this ministry.

Catholic Women's Bible Study

Come join us for the Inter-parish Catholic Women's Bible Study which meets on Thursday mornings from 9:30-11:15am starting September 21, 2023 and goes through May 3, 2024 in the Father Quigley Center at Holy Trinity Parish in Lenexa. We will be studying the Book of Exodus and Mary: The Bible and the Mother of God. Register online at

www.womensbiblestudykc.com.

Registering by August 25th will ensure that your study books are available on the first day. Those who register after that date will receive their materials the 2nd or 3rd week of the study. For more information, contact Theresa Gordzica at 785.843.0283, Jenny Kropf at 913.219.8528, or womensbiblestudykc@gmail.com. Come meet new friends of all levels of Bible knowledge and discover what blessings God's Word has in store for you this year!

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program is offered for ages infant to 12 years while we gather for our Bible study. Lap babies are also welcome to stay with moms. Teens ages 13-15 are invited to our Junior Bible Study. Our children's programs always fills up fast, so please register soon or contact Jenny Kropf to see if there is room available.



Pass on the Faith!

The School of Religion is in need of Adult Classroom Aides to assist the Catechists for the upcoming School year, 2023-24. Please prayerfully consider sharing the Catholic faith and love for Jesus with our children. Training, materials, and support will be provided. We also need Substitutes and Special Project Volunteers which require less time commitment.



Our parish School of Religion utilizes a flipped-classroom approach. Children attend classes twice monthly during the School year. For more information, check out our webpage at www.cureofars.com/religioused.

If you are interested, contact Bernadette Myers at 913.521.9361 or bernadettemyers@cureofars.com.

*Must be VIRTUS compliant or willing to be VIRTUS trained before September 2023.

Baptisms

Baptisms for children are celebrated Sunday following the noon Mass or Saturday following the 4:00 pm Mass. Please complete the baptism form on the website: www.cureofars.com, under Sacraments, or call the parish office at 913.521.9362.

Marriages

The Archdiocese requires a couple to allow six months preparation before marriage by attending preparation/spirituality sessions prior to the date. If you are planning a wedding, please contact the parish office at elizabethcastaneda@cureofars.com or 913.521.9362

First Reconciliation

The Sacrament of First Reconciliation is usually received in the 2nd grade for our parish students. Students actively prepare to receive this sacrament both at home and in the Catholic school or School of Religion classroom. Contact Bernadette Myers at 913.521.9361 or bernadettemyers@cureofars.com for more information.

RCIA

RCIA classes will meet on Monday nights (starting in October) from 7-8:15 p.m. Progress from one stage to the next is marked by liturgical celebrations in the midst of the parish community. If you are interested or just have questions, contact Lillian at 913.649.1337 or rcia@cureofars.com.

Communion for the Homebound

To add yourself or a loved one to the list to receive Holy Communion, please contact Lillian Klein in the parish office at 913.649.1337.

Holy Orders

For more information, contact Fr. Dan in the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at <u>vocation@archkck.org</u>.

Annulments

Curé of Ars is dedicated to supporting those who have experienced a divorce. We are here to give you understanding as well as practical help, and to explain the annulment process and its distinction from civil divorce. For more information, contact Bridget at annulments@cureofars.com.

Confirmation

Families seeking Confirmation for their teen should have the student enrolled in a Catholic School or the School of Religion program at Curé of Ars. For more information, contact Bernadette Myers at 913.521.9361 or bernadettemyers@cureofars.com.

First Eucharist

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Rosary Repair

To make arrangements to repair or to discuss any questions, please email David and Jacqueline Elbert at HolyRosaryRepair@gmail.com or contact the Parish Office at 913.649.1337. Repairs are done free of charge with some exceptions. Donations of old rosaries are welcome.

Anointing of the Sick

Please notify the office concerning hospitalization or lengthy illness at home. Emergency calls can be made at any time by calling the Parish Office.

Funerals

Please contact the Parish Office at 913.649.1337 before finalizing dates with the mortuary.