

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity



Sunday, May 22

8:00 a.m. – St. Therese Parishioners

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Wednesday, May 25

12:00 noon Mass in the chapel

Friday, May 27

12:00 noon Mass in the chapel

Sunday, May 29

8:00 a.m. – St. Therese Parishioners

9:15 a.m. – Knights of Peter Claver & Knights of Columbus

PARISH CALENDAR

May 22	8:00 Mass – Church 8:45 Rosary- Chapel 9:15 Mass – Church 11:00am-12:30pm Youth Group
May 23	6:00pm-7:30pm: Choir Practice - Church
May 25	10:00am-11:45am: Staff Mtg - Liv Rm 5:00pm-6:30pm: Finance Com – Liv Rm
May 29	Knights of Columbus Sunday 8:00 Mass – Church 9:15 Mass – Church After 9:15 Mass Rosary- Church

Charlie Andrews, Bridgette Atkinson, Fred Brown, Liesa Brown, Margaret Brown, Lisa Coan, Zane M. Cogan, Virginia Daub, Jo & Jake Davis, Katheryn Davis, Neptoria Fields, Wendell Fuller, Dick Garnier, Pearl Hishaw, Frankie Hutchinson, Walter Jackson, Ashley Johnson, Maudedith Johnson, Neptoria Fields, Ollie Johnson, Marty Kata, Wenda King, Keith Kloster, Zach Kloster, Raymond LaNear, Doreen Lacy, Charles Lidge, Stephen Loston, Andrew Lyke, Bob McCombs, Helen McVay, Jim Muldoon, Marie Norrise, Irene Phillips, Grace Reffels, Betsy Saxe, David Smith Jr, Elaine Stevenson, Blanche L. Thomas, Dan Whitman, Mildred & Jesse Wilkes

Pray For

	Required Weekly Giving	Actual Weekly Giving
	\$3,558	\$155 plate \$5,044 envelopes
Emergency Assistance		\$280

Feast of Holy Trinity

Prv 8:22-31

Rom 5: 1-5

Feast of Body & Blood of Christ

Gn 14: 18-20

I Cor 11: 23-26

May 22

Ps 8: 4-5,6-7,8-9

Jn 16: 12-15

May 29

Ps 110: 1, 2, 3, 4

Lk 9: 11B-17

Liturgical Roles

May 29

8:00am	Lector	Sharon Sanders, Steve Atkinson
	Euch Min	Venita Hodge, Walter Hodge
	Server	TBA
9:15am	Lector	Knights of Columbus, Ladies of Peter Claver
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	Server	Knights of Columbus

Reflection from Sr. Helen Flemington

The human heart is filled with mystery. It is in the depths of our heart that we find all kinds of desires and longings –longings for love, longings for meaning, longing for attachment to other human beings. It is there that we experience the wonder of who we are; it is in the heart that we find our thirst for life, and for a life that is full and vibrant. And if we are open enough, it is in the depths of our heart that we discover the God of love. The Father, Son and Holy Spirit have made their home in our human heart.

We live our faith in the Trinity by living our lives in a Trinitarian fashion. When we profess belief in our God who is Creator, Son and Holy Spirit, we are professing a faith in a God who has been revealed to us as a community of Persons. The mystery of the Trinity as three Persons giving and receiving love and yet remaining one, finds its home in our deepest longings. We also sense deeply that we are only really alive when we are in communion with others. And this communion with others is only satisfying when it is lived on a deep level. Living with others, and yet remaining totally closed to them, brings nothing but an emptiness. It is only when we are living in openness to others that we begin to feel genuinely human.

Today as we celebrate the deepest mystery of our Christian faith, we are also celebrating the deepest mystery of our human lives. May our Triune God continue to bless our efforts at building and sustaining true relationships of love in our families, parishes and in our world.

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SAVE THE DATE: Block Party June 12

We are having a Block Party in our two parking lots on Sunday, June 12th, from 11:00-3:30.

Mark your Calendar!

Health Corner: Building Strong Bones

May is National Mental Month.

Depression is one of the most common mental illnesses. The understanding of the nature and causes of depression has evolved over the centuries, but the understanding is still incomplete.

Causes may be psychological, psycho-social, hereditary, evolutionary and biological. Depression affects a person's family and personal relationships, work or school life, sleeping and eating habits and general health. Some of the physical symptoms are fatigue, headaches, digestive problems, decreased appetite, and weight loss. However, occasionally there may be an increased appetite resulting in weight gain. Insomnia is common with depression affecting at least 80% of depressed people. About 15% may have hypersomnia in which they oversleep. Depression may coexist with chronic disorders particularly with the elderly. About 5% of US children and adolescents have depression. Clinical depression is very treatable. One of the most common treatments is antidepressant medication and therapy. Of those who seek help more than 80% show improvement.



'Wings and Such'

Brunch - Lyke Conference Fundraiser, is coming: Sunday, June 5, 2016- 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Join us for food & fellowship.



Joseppi Sandoval is available to offer Spiritual Direction to members of the parish. Call her at [816-808-9426](tel:816-808-9426) to set up an appointment or to inquire about what Spiritual Direction entails.

5th Sunday: May 29: "Knights Sunday"

Stay and join your Knights of Columbus council this coming 5th Sunday, May 29th and **pray the Rosary following 9:15 Mass.** We will be praying for the Holy Father's intentions for the month using Pope Francis' Meditations on the Glorious Mysteries.

The Pope's Monthly Intentions for May:

Universal Respect for Women

That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

Evangelization: Holy Rosary

That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

Lector Training - SAVE THE DATE

Lector Training Sessions will be held on Wednesday, **June 8, 6:30 pm** and Saturday, **June 11, 10:00 am.** If you are a lector (youth and adults) and did not attend the previous sessions, please plan to attend one of these sessions. If you did attend, you are welcome to refresh your ministry by attending one of these sessions.

Urban Rangers Lunches: Save the Date: Sunday, June 19 after 9:15 Mass or 10:30 am

Celebrate Father's Day by helping us support Urban Rangers, many of whom live in single family homes. We will be preparing 60 lunches that include 120 sandwiches, 60 pieces of fruit, 60 bags of chips & 60 granola bars. This year it would be cool to include a card of encouragement & support for these young men. Sign-up sheets will be in the back of church on 5/22 or contact Sue Svec by phone (816-769-0131) or by email (sues4546@gmail.com).

Monetary donations made out to St. Therese Urban Ranger Lunches can be given also.



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Looking toward the future: Get your calendar out and mark the following dates:

Healing Service – May 25 at St Therese Parish North

The cases of abuse are awful because they leave profound wounds.” Pope Francis

Healing Our Parishes Through Empathy was a series of Healing Services for victims of sexual abuse brought about by clergy or other Church personnel. The final scheduled healing service will take place at St. Therese Parish North (7207 NW Hwy 9, KCMO), **Wednesday, May 25th** at 7:00pm. Bishop Johnston will preside and Msgr. Brad Offutt will be the homilist. All are welcome to join us in prayer for the healing of so deep a pain. A Service of Lament at the Cathedral on June 26th at 2:00pm will conclude these healing services.

Memorial Day, Monday May 30

In loving memory of family and friends that have died and gone before us marked with the sign of faith, a Mass will be celebrated at each cemetery on Memorial Day, Monday May 30, 2016. If you need additional information or have questions, please feel free to call the Kansas City office at 816-353-1900 or our St. Joseph office at 1-816-279-5005.

Mount St. Mary's Cemetery 2201 Cleveland Avenue
Kansas City, MO

Mass 10:00 am Celebrants: Rev. Jason Koch; Deacon Justin McMenamy

Mount Olivet Cemetery 7601 Blue Ridge Blvd
Mass 10:00 am Celebrants: Bishop James V Johnston, Jr; Deacon Ralph Wehner

Resurrection Cemetery 5001 NE Cookingham Road
KCMO (I-435 @ Exit 45)

Mass 10:00 am Celebrants: Rev. Justin Hoye; Deacon Michael Lewis

Mt. Olivet Cemetery 26th & Lovers Lane St. Joseph, MO
Mass 10:00 am Celebrant: Rev. Mark Yates

Lyke Conference Fund Raisers

Save the Dates

Sunday, June 5 - "Wings and Such Brunch"
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Saturday, June 25 - "God Has Spoken, Let the Church Say Amen", An Afternoon Program of Praise, Worship and Fellowship - 3:00 pm (Free will Offering)

All proceeds to benefit parishioners attending the Lyke Conference in San Antonio, TX.

June 7-9: St. Bernadette Annual Rummage Sale

9am-7pm, Bauer Hall, 9018 E. 51st Terrace, Kansas City, Mo.

Gigantic Sale includes antiques, Haeger, Amberina, furniture, housewares, small appliances, jewelry, clothing, décor, books, linens, toys/puzzles, collectibles, new size 10-12 wedding dress and much miscellaneous.

Event hosted by Council of Catholic Women.

For more info contact Dee Phillips ([816-358-5192](tel:816-358-5192)) or parish office ([816-356-3700](tel:816-356-3700))

June 17 & 18 Diocesan Marian Conference will

take place at Our Lady of Lourdes, Raytown, on Friday evening, June 17th and Saturday, June 18th. Please consider saving the date and attending this event. There will be six wonderful speakers during the conference, including John Carpenter who will speak about “Mary’s Mantle of Protection”, as well as daily Mass and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Eucharistic adoration relics and more. We hope to see you there.

June 18 Roll with the Knights of Peter Claver, Ladies

Auxiliary Father Constantine Court #57 to Prairie Band Casino & Resort. Call Lady LaBranch-Slaughter at 504-813-5933 for more info.

June 19 Father’s Day: Charity softball game between priests from KS Diocese against priests from KCMO Diocese at T-bone Stadium. **Go Fr Steve go! History recall: Fr Steve got a hit last year!** Call Chester at 913-638-2776. Tickets are \$10. The game is sponsored by the “Catholic Radio Network” that operates 10 Catholic radio stations in MO, KS and CO.

June 30, 2016 Pre 4th of July Concert with the *Lean On Me Singers* and cookout 10am-2pm, sponsored by the Senior Center at St. Therese. RSVP to Sharon@444-3514.

July 5 – 9, 2016 **Lyke Conference:** Plan now to attend: Brochures are available in the back of Church. **San Antonio – we’re on our way! Watch out for us.....**

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Keeler Women's Center, a ministry of the Benedictine Sisters is located at 2220 Central Ave., KCK. All programs and services are free. Donations are welcome. Call 913.906.8990 or register on-line at www.keelerwomenscenter.org

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](tel: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, Jenifer Valenti, at [816-812-2500](tel: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 Victim Advocate Bonnie Kane at 816-392-0011 or kane@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Senior Center Menu	
<u>Monday 5-23</u> Tuna Salad Potato Salad Cucumber Onion Salad Fruit Delight Rye Bread 2% Milk Margarine Lite	<u>Tuesday 5-24</u> Beef Pattie Salad/tom/car Steak Fries Banana HambBun WhoGrain 2% Milk Margarine Lite Salad Dressing Ranch Ketchup/Mustard
<u>Wednesday 5-25</u> Chicken Fried Steak Gravy (country) Parsley Potatoes Winter Mix Pineapple/man-or-mix Wheat Bread 2% Milk Margarine Lite	<u>Thursday 5-26</u> Beef Stk-BrdItalian Fett Ndl (whl grn) Carrots Salad/tom/car Orange Italian Brread 2% Milk Margarine Lite Salad Dressing Italian
<u>Friday 5-27</u> Chicken Oven Fried Gravy (Chicken LS) Mashed Potatoes Broccoli Ice cream Strwb/Wht Cake Wheat Dinner Roll 2% Milk Margarine Lite	<u>Daily Lunch Hrs</u> 11:30a.m. to 1p.m. Over 60 is a donation – all others \$4 Reservations at Sign In Table 1 day in advance, Thank You Don Bosco 421-3160 St. Therese 444-3514

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