March 1st, 2020: 1st Sunday of Lent

Mass Ordinary for All Masses: Kyriale Mass XVII
(Kyrie I) pgs 887-889
Entrance Hymn for All Masses: Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days #43

5pm Saturday Mass and 8am Sunday Mass (Ordinary Form)
Readings: pgs. 96-98
Entrance Antiphon: When he calls on me, I will answer him...
(pgs. 916 #44)
Communion Antiphon: The Lord will conceal you with his pinions...(pg. 917)
Responsorial Psalm: Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.
Offertory Hymn: Forty Days and Forty Nights #40
Communion Hymn: Ave verum Corpus #142

11am Sunday Mass (Extraordinary Form)
Propers of the Mass for Lent I
Credo III
Offertory Motet: Non nobis Domine-attr. Byrd
Communion Motet: O Bone Jesu-attr. Palestrina

Please find red Missals and dark blue hymnals near the church entrance

Marian Antiphon: Ave Regina Caelorum #45
Exit in silence
Divine Mercy Chaplet pg. 1032 following all Masses
### Weekly Readings

**Saturday March 7**
**First Saturday**
Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8

**First Friday**
Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26

**Sunday March 1**
**1st Sunday of Lent**
Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 [cf. 3a]/Rom 5:12-19
or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11

**Monday March 2**
Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46

**Tuesday March 3**
Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/Mt 6:7-15
11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass - (Nick, Rachael, & Dom Anderson)
6:30pm - Choir Practice (C)
6:30pm - Scouts (FH)

**Wednesday March 4**
Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32
11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass - (EF) - (Fr. Bartulica and Priests of the Diocese)

**Thursday March 5**
**1st Sunday of Lent**
Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

**Friday March 6**
**First Friday**
Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday March 7**
**First Saturday**
Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8

**Sunday March 8**
**2nd Sunday of Lent**
Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9
7:30am - Confessions
8:00am - Mass - (Trini Velasquez+)
9:00am - 10:45am - Parish School of Religion (MC)
10:30am - Confessions
11:00am - Mass - (EF) - (Carol Cleeton+)
12:15pm - Confirmation Class
4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass - (EF) - (Edna Miller+)}
PLEASE REMEMBER THESE PARISHIONERS and FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS:
Elmer Albert, David Anderson, David Barrett, Liz Crosby, Augie Cruz, Bob DeSchepper, Brodie Gorbet, Jeffrey Klenklen, Joyce Klenklen, Harold Mitchell, Annie Moran, Ke Hun Ngo, Eric Palmer, Mary Pappas, Mark & Maryann Polina, Anthony Rizzi, Michelle Rohaus, Harold Stewart George Stone, Betty Underwood, Frank Velasquez, Peggy Vincent, Jean Wilcox

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY MEN & WOMEN:
SFC.Christopher Kinnaman - Wainwright, Fairbanks AL. (Grandson of Betty Kinnaman)
Fr. CPT. Brian Klingele - Kreech AFB & Nellis AFB, Nevada, (Nephew of Ken & Karen Klingele)
Rev. Joseph Reardon - Bahrain (Persian Gulf) Command Chaplain
SSGT Christopher Wood - Cherry Point, NC (Grandson of Jean Wilcox)
ICSN Josiah Smith - San Diego, CA. (Grandson of Mary Smith) & IC3 Christina Smith - Virginia (wife of Josiah)
CPT Eric Hoffman - US Air Force, Middle East

THE NINE FIRST FRIDAYS- Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Beginning on Friday February 7, 2020 at St Bridget's Catholic Church in Pleasant Hill MO, we will begin observing the NINE FIRST FRIDAYS devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus including Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every FIRST FRIDAY immediately after 6:00 pm Mass with FIRST FRIDAY devotions at 6:30pm. Jesus, Himself, gave St. Margaret Mary Alacoque this first devotion with 12 GREAT PROMISES. The practice of this devotion is to set our hearts on FIRE with a passionate love for Jesus and to make reparation for our sins and those of the whole world. This is an invitation to come fall in love with Him...
5:25pm- 5:55pm Confessions
6:00 pm The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
6:30 pm- 6:45 pm Adoration, Litany of the Sacred Heart, Act of Reparation to the Sacred Heart, silent prayer, Benediction.

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 Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, 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 Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011, or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.
School of Religion and RCIA classes have begun! PSR meets every Sunday, 9:00 - 10:45 a.m. RCIA meets Thursdays, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Please reach out to events@saintmarysparish.org if you wish to enroll.

Sign up for FORMED! This is a free resource available to parishioners, containing unlimited access to Catholic movies, children’s books, audio dramas and books...even Sacramental prep, Bible studies, documentaries, and so much more!! Sign up by going to Formed.org/signup. Select “I Belong to a Parish”, search for St. Mary’s, then follow the remaining steps!

The Catholic Retirement Program

Monday, March 16th. 6:00 p.m. St. Mark’s Catholic Church. Independence, MO.

All are invited and encouraged to attend The Catholic Retirement Program, a seminar designed for Catholics who want solutions to retirement concerns and questions such as, “How do I avoid long term care costs?” “How can I create a guaranteed income stream during my retirement years?” “How do I establish a legacy gift to my parish or a charity?” “Can I leave money for my children and grandchildren without tax implications?” If you’re between the ages of 45-70, this program will be especially helpful and of interest as you prepare for your retirement years.

Make plans now to attend this beneficial session given by Luke T. Henry, FICF. Luke is an MDRT-level Assistant General Agent for the Knights of Columbus Mahon Agency. A 20-year veteran of the banking and insurance sector, Luke brings a wealth of knowledge and experience, especially in the area of retirement planning, long term care, and protection of income in the event of disability.

Mr. Henry’s presentation will provide guidance for: protecting assets, guarding against financial, economy downsides, and personal risks, and establishing financial legacies for future generations.

This is not a sales presentation. A light complimentary meal, reference material, and a book on retirement planning will be provided for all attendees. Please RSVP to Eric Thompson by Thursday, March 12, 2020. Phone/Text: 1-816-534-3963. E-Mail: eric.thompson@kofc.org

SAVE the DATE: March 4, 2020

March 4, 2020 - DCCW Luncheon and Quarterly Meeting

All ladies of the Kansas City/St. Joseph Diocese are encouraged to attend the DCCW (Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) quarterly meeting to be held on Wednesday, March 4, 2020 at St. John LaLande Catholic Church at 805 NW RD Mize Road, Blue Springs, MO.

Registration begins at 9:00 a.m. with coffee and goodies. The business meeting will start promptly at 9:30 a.m. We will have a short business meeting, 10:00am pray the rosary, 10:30am Communion Service by Deacon Doug Myler with a reflection on the Lenten season, catered luncheon at 12:00pm by St. John LaLande Altar & Rosary Society and 50/50 drawing. The DCCW will be honoring all members whose birthdays are in the months of January, February, and March. Then we will close with an additional short business meeting.

Luncheon is $12.00 and reservations must be made by no later than Friday, February 28th, by calling Carolyn Huff @ 816-690-4278 or by email to lthouse4@centurylinknet.
**Weekly Contribution Income**  
*February 23*

- Envelopes: $3472.00  
- Plate: $447.00  
- Online: $1094.00

**Total Contributions: $5013.00**

- **February Actual:** $21,567.00  
- **February Budget:** $22,000.00  
- **$433.00**

- **Year-to-Date Actual:** $171,532.00  
- **Year-to-Date Budget:** $187,000.00  
- **$15,468.00**

*(Fiscal Year is July 1 through June 30)*

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**Don’t carry cash or checks? Contact Father to set up tithing through automatic direct deposit, or sign up for one-time or recurring donations on our website at the Online Giving tab at the top of the page**

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**Contribution Statements**

If you would like a copy of your 2019 contributions, please contact Tony Douglas at 252-0121, Ext. 101 or tony@saintmarysparish.org

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**That Man Is You Has Resumed!**

This interactive men’s program combing the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of a man fully alive, meets Saturday mornings at 6:30am, in the Ministry Center, and wrapping up no later than 8am.

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**Lent Disciplines**  
**Fasting and Abstinence**

Every person 14 years or older must abstain from meat on all the Fridays of Lent. Every person between the ages of 18 and 59 must fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting means a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but they are not to equal that of a full meal.

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**40 for Forty**

As in past years, the Knights of Columbus are asking parishioners to help the Outreach for Lent. We will be collecting canned goods for 40 days through Lent. Please bring any non-perishable canned goods and leave them in the containers at the entrances of the church. Soup, canned meat, spaghetti sauce, and ramen noodles are just a few of the items that could help the less fortunate who come to St. Mary’s Outreach. The Knights of Columbus thanks everyone for their past generosity and looks forward to continuing to serve others in the future.

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**Join us on the Friday’s of Lent as we pray the Stations of the Cross at 6:00pm in the church. Following the stations please join us for a simple supper in Fitzgerald Hall. These simple meals are hosted by various parish groups and a free will offering is appreciated.**