

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 9:00am-3:00pm | Friday Office Closed

600 N Liberty Street | Independence, MO 64050

Mass Times

Monday: 12 noon (OF)

Tuesday: 12 noon (OF)

Wednesday: 12 noon (EF)

Thursday: 6:00 pm (EF)

Friday: 12 noon (EF)

Saturday: 5:00 pm (OF)

Sunday:

8:00 am (OF)

11:00 am (OF)

5:00 pm (EF)

OF - Ordinary Form

EF - Extraordinary Form

Confessions are 30 minutes
before every Mass



6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate
to be with you always, the Spirit of truth." - Jn 14:16-17a

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1979-2003

Outreach Agency

Food and Prescription
Medication Assistance

HOURS:

Wednesday &
Thursday 9:00am -
3:00pm

(816) 252-8649
(By appointment
only)

*Donations of food
may be brought to the
Ministry Center
Monday - Thursday by
12:00 noon

May 17th, 2020: 6th Sunday of Easter

MISSAL

Readings: pgs. 282-284

Mass Ordinary: Mass Simplex | pg. 850 (@5pm and 8am);
Missa de Angelis pg. 873 @11am

Springling Rite: Vidi Aquam (pg. 839)

Entrance Antiphon: *Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be
heard; the Lord has freed his people, alleluia (pg. 931 #95)*

Responsorial Psalm: *Let all the earth cry out to God with joy*

Communion Antiphon: *If you love Me, keep My command-
ments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send
you another Paraclete, to abide with you forever, alleluia (pg.932
#98)*

HYMNAL

Entrance Hymn: Jesus Christ is Ris'n
Today #59

Offertory Hymn: Praise, My Soul, the King
of Heaven #80

Communion Hymn: Alleluia, Sing to Jesus
#86

Marian Antiphon: Regina Caeli #61

Recessional Hymn: Alleluia, Alleluia #69

PARISH CALENDAR

Saturday May 16

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5

[2a]/Jn 15:18-21

4:30pm -

5:00pm - Mass - (Garrett Routh)

Sunday May 17

6th Sunday of Easter

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5,
6-7, 16, 20 [1]/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn

14:15-21

7:30am -

8:00am - Mass - (Mr. & Mrs.

Verhulst+)

10:30am -

11:00am - Mass - (Mary & Harold
Mitchell)

4:30pm -

5:00pm - Mass - (EF) -

(Parishioners)

Monday May 18

Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4,
5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 15:26—

16:4a

11:30am -

12:00pm - Mass - (Christine

Palmer+)

Tuesday May 19

Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab,
2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/Jn 16:5-11

11:30am -

12:00pm - Mass - (Poor Souls in

Purgatory)

Wednesday May 20

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2,
11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15

11:30am -

12:00pm - Mass - (EF) -

(Elizabeth Swarm+)

Thursday May 21

Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4

[cf. 2b]/Jn 16:16-20

5:30pm -

6:00pm - Mass - (EF) - (Sandra
Miller)

Friday May 22

Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7

[8a]/Jn 16:20-23

11:30am -

12:00pm - Mass - (EF) - (John
O'Donnell+)

Saturday May 23

Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10

[8a]/Jn 16:23b-28

4:30pm -

5:00pm - Mass - (Lucy Sadler)

Next Sunday May 24

The Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

[6]/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

7:30am -

8:00am - Mass - (Andy

Pontalion+)

10:30am -

11:00am - Mass - (Parishioners)

4:30pm -

5:00pm - Mass - (EF) - (Mark
Hart+)



Contact Information

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WEEKLY READINGS

for Ordinary Mass

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps
66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/1 Pt
3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21

Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps
149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/
Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps
138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [7c]/Jn
16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/
Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn
16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1,
2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3,
4-5, 6-7 [8a]/Jn 16:20-23

Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps
47:2-3, 8-9, 10 [8a]/Jn 16:23b-28

Next Sunday: Acts 1:1-11/Ps
47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23/
Mt 28:16-20

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, Eric Parvin, 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 (Nephew of Chuck & Karen Vlasin)

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I
embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You. Never
permit me to be separated from You.
Amen.

Altar Servers

5:00pm - J Collins, J Rider
8:00am - M & T Holden, A
Rincon, T & T Spooner
11:00am - J Combs,
M Deggendorf, E&J
Diamond, T Gearke, R
Howe, A Talato, L Uresti
5:00pm - N Leete, N Smith

Lectors

3rd Sunday (May 17)
5 PM:
8 AM:
11 AM:
4th Sunday (May 24)
5 PM:
8 AM:
11 AM:

Please let Tami know at smoffice@saintmarysparish.org if your availability changes, or if you'd like to be added to the list of servers or lectors.

PASTORAL CARE MEALS COMMITTEE!

Have you recently had a baby, been in the hospital, been ill or are dealing with grief? We would like to help you by providing you with home cooked meals. If you or someone you know in the parish has a need for dinners on a short-term basis, **please contact Colleen Diamond at lourdesspring@gmail.com or 816-260-7322.** Also, if you are interested in helping to make meals on an as-needed basis we would love for you to join!

RE-OPENING OF PUBLIC MASS AT ST. MARY'S

Masses will resume this weekend, May 16 -17 with the normal weekend Mass schedule and limited seating. Those who are at risk because of underlying health issues are strongly advised to stay at home.

Saturday, May 16th:
5:00 pm (OF)

Sunday, May 17th:
8:00 am (OF)
11:00 am (OF)
5:00 pm (EF)

****Ongoing Mass times are subject to change.***

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.

FEATURED CD OF THE MONTH

Resurrection & Mercy: Christ is Risen! He is Risen Indeed! Amid crisis, scandal, and confusion in the modern world, where does the good news of the Resurrection and God's endless mercy fit in? In these three homilies—on The Easter Vigil, Divine Mercy Sunday, and Pentecost—priest and pastor Fr. Brian Larkin shares stories and insights, including from G. K. Chesterton, George Weigel, St. John Paul II, St. Faustina Kowalska, and the Old and New Testaments, to proclaim the joy, hope, and mission of every Christian, to love and serve a God “who never tires of forgiving you”, and “who knows His way out of the grave.”

Please visit our CD kiosk at the front of the church. We have many great topics on CD about the Catholic faith. We ask for a nominal donation of \$3 for each CD.

Now would be a great time to use our Parish **Formed** account!

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](https://www.formed.org/signup). Select “I Belong to a Parish”, search for St. Mary's, then follow the remaining steps!



MAY, THE MONTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

We are delighted and consoled by this pious custom associated with the month of May, which pays honor to the Blessed Virgin and brings such rich benefits to the



Christian people. Since Mary is rightly to be regarded as the way by which we are led to Christ, the person who encounters Mary cannot help but encounter Christ likewise. For what other reason do we continually turn to Mary except to seek the Christ in her arms, to seek our Savior in her, through her, and with her?

May she who experienced the cares and hardships of earthly life, the weariness of daily toil, the hardships and trials of poverty, and the sorrows of Calvary, come to aid the needs of the Church and the human race. May she graciously lend an ear to the devout pleas of those all over the world who beg her for peace. May she enlighten the minds of those who rule nations. And finally, may she prevail on God, who rules the winds and storms, to

calm the tempests in men's warring hearts and grant us peace in our day.

-Pope Paul VI, Encyclical 1965

Updated Liturgical Protocols from the Bishop's Office can be found at:

<https://kscatholic.org/coronavirus-updates/>

Weekly Contribution Income		Annual Contribution Income	
<i>May 10</i>			
Envelopes: \$	2910.00	May Actual: \$	8033.00
Plate: \$		May Budget: \$	27,500.00
Online: \$	300.00		\$ 19,467.00
Total Contributions: \$	3210.00	Year-to-Date Actual: \$	217,876.00
		Year-to-Date Budget: \$	247,500.00
			\$ 29,624.00

(Fiscal Year is July 1 through June 30)

THANK YOU for your continued support and generosity as we have navigated through these challenging times! If attending Mass, we will have a designated area for your contributions. Otherwise, please continue to mail in your weekly contribution or send it via the church website under the Online Giving tab. Thank you!



St. Mary's Outreach Re-Opening

Although St. Mary's Outreach Center has been officially closed since the stay-at-home order, our ministry to the homeless has continued. During March, April and to date in May, a volunteer continued our ministry by taking food to the homeless. We served approximately 60 homeless clients during this time. We redirected the bread obtained from Panera to the Fairmount Community Center and redirected other food donations. We also participated in the ISHARE program with utility assistance.

We are pleased to announce that **St. Mary's Outreach Center is reopening on May 20, 2020**. We are following socially distancing and will be serving clients for food BY APPOINTMENT ONLY at 816-252-8649. The clothing room will remain closed. WE WILL BE ACCEPTING FOOD DONATIONS ONLY. Food donations should be brought to the Outreach on Tuesday mornings between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 p.m.

SAINT MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Community Curbside Meal-May 17

A FREE, DELICIOUS SPAGHETTI DINNER FOR YOUR FAMILY

RSVP by Friday, May 15 by 10pm to meals@salntmarysparish.org

Please include in your email:

- The meal's pickup date (May 17) in the subject line.
- Your first and last name
- A contact phone number for you
- Number of people in your family

Please plan to pick up your meal at St. Mary's Catholic Church (600 N Liberty St Independence MO 64050) between 4-4:30 on Sunday, May 17.

* Please note: These meals will be attempted weekly, as the need persists.