October 14, 2018   Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: pgs. 624-626
Ordinary of the Mass: pg. 850 Kyriale Simplex Mass I (5pm and 8am);
pg. 879 Missa Orbis Factor (11am)
Prayer of St. Thomas Aquinas: pg. 1000
Entrance Hymn: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise #88
Entrance Antiphon (@5pm and 8am): If you, O Lord...(pg. 943 #138); Si iniquitates @ 11am
Responsorial Psalm: Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we shall sing for joy.
Creed: Credo III (only sung at 11am) pg. 899
Offertory Hymn: O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God #78
Communion: When the Lord appears...: Aufer a me @ 11
Communion Hymn: My Shepherd Will Supply My Need #108
Marian Antiphon: Salve Regina #124 / Recessional Hymn: Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven #80
Saturday October 13th  St. Mary’s OKTOBERFEST
4:30 pm - Confessions
5:00 pm - Mass - (Jeff Klenklen)  Come and help support the parish!

Sunday October 14th  Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am - Confessions
8:00 am - Mass - (Carlos Cruz+)
9:00 am - PSR Classes (MC)
9:00 am - RCIA & Basic Catechism for adults (MC)
10:30 am - Confessions
11:00 am - Mass - (Chandler Klenklen)
4:30 pm - Confessions / 5:00 pm - Mass - (St. Mary's Parishioners)

Monday October 15th  Saint Teresa of Jesus
5:30 am - Confessions
6:00 am - Mass - Extraordinary Form (Sally May+)
6:30 pm - Scout Committee mtg (FH)

Tuesday October 16th  Saint Hedwig
10:15 am - Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (MC)
11:30 am - Confessions
12:00 pm - Mass - (Arthur Swarm+)
5:30 pm - Vespers (C)
6:30 pm - Choir practice (C)
6:30 pm - Scouts (FH)

Wednesday October 17th  Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque
10:00 am - Scripture Study (MC)
11:30 am - Confessions
12:00 pm - Mass - Ex. Form - (Rev Matthew Bartulica)
1:00 pm - A & R Guild mtg. (MC)
6:30 pm - Scripture Study (MC)

Thursday October 18th  Saint Luke
10:00 am - Secular Franciscans (MC)
11:30 am - Confessions
12:00 pm - Mass - (Virginia Forbes)
5:30 pm - Vespers (C)
8:00 pm - Venture Scouts (FH)

Friday October 19th  Saint Peter of Alcantara
11:30 am - Confessions
12:00 pm - Mass - Ex. Form - (Ann Francke)

Saturday October 20th  Saint Paul of the Cross
4:30 pm - Confessions
5:00 pm - Mass - (Robert Hill+)

Sunday October 21st  Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30 am - Confessions
8:00 am - Mass - (Linda McDermott+)
9:00 am - PSR Classes (MC)
9:00 am - No RCIA & Basic Catechism for adults today
10:30 am - Confessions
11:00 am - Mass - (Heater & DiGiovanna Families)
4:30 pm - Confessions
5:00 pm - Mass - (St Mary Parishioners)

Mass Times:
Monday - Friday @ 12:00 Noon
Saturday @ 5:00pm
Sunday @ 8:00am, 11:00am & 5:00pm

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Food, Clothing and Prescription Medication Assistance
Hours: Wednesday & Thursday
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*Donations of food & clothing may be brought to the Ministry Center Monday - Thursday by

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PLEASE REMEMBER THESE PARISHIONERS and FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS:
Jeffery Klenklen, Joyce Klenklen, Betty Underwood, Annie Moran, David Barrett, Mary Pappas, Anthony Rizzi, Bob Trusty, KE Hun Ngo, Bob Deschepper, Roberta Vargas, Tonya Huey, Brodie Gorbet, Rick Turner, Michele Jordan, Pat Sicola, Eric Parvin, Jerry Belcum, Darlene Huey, Maggie Cruz

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)
Cpl Trevor Melton - Camp Pendelton, CA (Grandson of Marilyn Pontalion)
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)

Oct. 13 & 14, 2018
2nd Week
Altar Servers:
5:00pm - Volunteers
8:00am - A Rincon, W Pappas
11:00am - A Talato, N Smith, E & J Diamond, M Deggendorf
Lectors:
5:00pm - J. LeMay
8:00am - L. Gibbons
11:00am - C. Vlasin

Oct. 20 & 21, 2018
3rd Week
Altar Servers:
5:00pm - Volunteers
8:00am - T & T Spooner, W Pappas
11:00am - A Talato, N Smith, E & J Diamond, M Deggendorf
Lectors:
5:00pm - T Douglas
8:00am - M Pontalion
11:00am - E. Holder

Collection: 10/7/2018: 5,556
Year to date total: 191,038

Readings for the Week of October 14, 2018
Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27
Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31--5:1/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7 [cf. 2]/Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 [41a]/Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Jn 8:12]/Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9
Friday: Eph 1:11-14/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 [12]/Lk 12:1-7
Saturday: Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7 [7]/Lk 12:8-12
Next Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

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The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating 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, Jenifer Valenti, at 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, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.
Thank you to all of you parishioners who helped to make this year’s Oktoberfest a great success!! As you know, Zach Gard worked hard on preparing for the Oktoberfest. He left the parish just weeks before the Oktoberfest. A very special thanks to Rob & Ann Brousseau, Debbie Gilbert and the Oktoberfest Committee for taking charge of this fundraiser after Zach’s leaving.

It is very good for us to enjoy one another's company as a parish family. It was good to see other people coming to the St. Mary’s Oktoberfest, as well. As a fundraiser, the annual Oktoberfest is very important. Thank you for helping to support the parish in your support of the Oktoberfest.

“Oktoberfest” is the German word meaning “October festival.” Some of you may wonder about the origin of the German Oktoberfest. Wikipedia tells us:

Crownprince Ludwig (1786–1868), later King Ludwig I (reign: 1825–1848), of Bavaria (Germany) married Princess Therese of Saxe-Hildburghausen on 12 October 1810. The citizens of Munich were invited to attend the festivities held on the fields in front of the city gates to celebrate the royal event. Horse races were held on 18 October to honor the newlyweds. The precise origins of the festival and horse races remain a matter of controversy, however, the decision to repeat the horse races, spectacle, and celebrations in 1811 launched what is now the annual Oktoberfest tradition.

The fairground, once outside the city, was chosen due to its natural suitability. The festival grounds remained undeveloped except for the king's tent. The tastings of wine and beer took place above the visitors in the stands on the hill.

In 1811, a show was added to promote Bavarian agriculture. In 1813, the festival was canceled due to the involvement of Bavaria in the Napoleonic Wars, after which the Oktoberfest grew from year to year. The horse races were accompanied by tree climbing, bowling alleys, and swings and other attractions. In 1818, carnival booths appeared; the main prizes awarded were of silver, porcelain, and jewelry. The city fathers assumed responsibility for festival management in 1819, and it was decided that Oktoberfest become an annual event. Later, it was lengthened and the date pushed forward because days are longer and warmer at the end of September. The horse race continued until 1960, and the agricultural show still exists today and is held every four years in the southern part of the festival grounds.

Thank you, once more, to all who helped to make this year’s Oktoberfest a great success. Thank you especially to all who generously helped to set up and to clean up for the day. May God bless you!

Joannes Press...By Sister M. Regina

Joannes Press made its debut at the Oktoberfest on Ocotber 13th with some greeting cards. Through Joannes Press, the Labor Mariae Sisters will make available materials which help to make known the beauty and goodness of our faith.

In his Rule, Saint Benedict directs as follows with regard to the selling of crafts made by the monks: “Let the goods always be sold a little cheaper than they can be sold by people in the world, 'that in all things God may be glorified.'” (ch. 57). We wish to do the same. Our greeting cards are presently sold for 50 cents per card (with envelope). The cards are available for sale at the parish office. May God reward you for supporting the first efforts of Joannes Press!
On Monday, October 15th there will be NO 12 Noon Mass. Mass will be at 6 P.M., in the Extraordinary Form.
On Sunday, October 21st there will NOT be a study group meeting for the Father John A. Hardon Basic Catechism Course.

**What is "Priesthood Sunday"?**
Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. Without our priests we would not have the Eucharist. The 28th of October, the last Sunday of October, parishioners of St. Mary’s are encouraged to offer a prayer of thanksgiving and offer support for our pastor Fr Matthew, and other priests who have served our parish. Consider sending Fr. Matthew a note or card of appreciation for his dedication and leadership for our parish. Priesthood Sunday was established in 2001 to honor Priesthood in the Church and recognize those who are called to this life of Service.

**Outreach Requests:**
“Chili fixin’s” such as canned tomatoes and chili seasoning packets. Also, as the weather gets cooler, we could use soups of all kinds. To source these items, don’t forget the Dollar stores; however, many times Aldi’s and even some of the regular grocery stores will have these items for less than a $1.00 on sale. Thank you for your continued support of those in need!

**CRAFT SHOW AND BUSINESS EXPO – NOV 4**
St. Mark’s Catholic Church in Independence, MO will host its 13th Annual Craft Show and Business Expo on Sunday, November 4th 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. If you are searching for a creative gift or are looking to connect with area service industries, this event is for you. From candles to lawn care, manicures to skin care, there is something for everyone. Check our website for additional information at www.stmarksparish.com or contact Charlotte at cdavis@stmarksparish.com.

**Blood Drive:** Tuesday, November 27, 2018 in Fitzgerald Hall from 3:00-6:30pm.
It's not too early to book your appointment, just go to: esavealifenow.org, enter Sponsor Code: stmarycatholic or you may contact Kathryn Falco at 816.797.5348

**Do you want to help troubled pregnant women?**
Birthright, an international emergency service offering positive alternatives to abortion, is staffed by volunteers. If you are willing to commit some of your time, there are a number of ways to help. We especially need compassionate women and men to answer the hotline calls, run pregnancy tests, and befriend mothers in crisis. Training will be held on Saturday, October 27th, at the Birthright center, 6309 Walnut, Kansas City, Missouri. Reservations are needed by October 25th; call Birthright, 816-444-7090, or Janet Cozad, 816-741-2696.

**Our Featured CD of the Month**

**The Battle Within: Sin and How to Fight It:**
Jeff Cavins, an internationally-recognized authority on Scripture, provides an ultra-practical guide on how to battle sin in the areas of our lives where we tend to fall, and he helps us examine the root causes of our sin in order to understand the “why” behind our actions. Jeff explains four major wounds that exist as part of our human nature, and he equips his listeners with three “secret weapons” we can use to help us effectively overcome sin and serve the Lord from a place of freedom and love.

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.