

Saint Mary's Catholic Church

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

600 N Liberty Street | Independence, MO 64050

Mass Times

Monday, Tuesday @ noon OF

Wednesday, Friday @ noon EF

Thursday @ 6:00pm EF

SATURDAY @ 5:00pm SUNDAY @

8:00am, 11:00am & 5:00pm EF

Confessions 30 minutes before every

Mass

May 5, 2019 The Third Sunday of Easter - First Communion Day



Outreach Agency

Food, Clothing and

Prescription

Medication

Assistance

HOURS:

Wednesday &

Thursday 9:00am -

3:00pm

(816) 252-8649

(Please call for an
appointment)

*Donations of food

& clothing may be

brought to the

Ministry Center

Monday - Thursday

by 12:00 noon.

MISSAL

Readings and Psalm: pgs. 253-256

Mass setting: pg. 876 @ Missa de Angelis (@5pm and
8am); pg. 867 Lux et origo (@11)

Prayer of St. Thomas Aquinas: pg. 1000

Vidi Aquam: pg. 840

Entrance Antiphon: Cry out... (pg. 928 #85)

Communion Antiphon: O sing to the Lord... (pg. 929
#86); (Simon Iohannis @11)

HYMNAL

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

Offertory Hymn: Jesus, My Lord, My God, My All #130

Communion Hymn: The Lamb's High Banquet We Await #72

Communion Choral Motet (@11): Ave Verum Corpus -
Wm. Byrd

Marian Antiphon: Regina Caeli #61

Recessional Hymn: Be Joyful Mary #65

*Please find red missals and dark blue hymnals near the church
entrances for Mass*

Jubiláte Deo, omnis terra, allelúja: psalmum dicite nómini ejus, allelúja, date glóriam laudi ejus, allelúja, allelúja, allelúja.

Saturday May 4**FIRST SATURDAY**

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 [22]/Jn 6:16-21

4:30pm - Confessions

5:00pm - Mass - (Ida Altman)

Sunday May 5**Third Sunday of Easter**

Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

7:30am - Confessions

8:00am - Mass - (+Linda McDermott)

10:30am - Confessions

11:00am - Mass (1st Communions)- (+Darlene Huey)

4:30pm - Confessions

5:00pm - Mass - (St. Mary's Parishioners)

Monday May 6

Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 [1ab]/Jn 6:22-29

11:30 am - Confessions

12:00pm - Mass - (Carl Marriott)

Tuesday May 7

Acts 7:51--8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35

11:30am - Confessions

12:00pm - Mass - (Maren Peek)

6:30pm - Choir Practice (C)

6:30pm - Scouts (FH)

Wednesday May 8

Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/Jn 6:35-40

11:30am - Confessions

12:00pm - Mass - (Rev. Matthew Bartulica and priests of the diocese)

Thursday May 9

Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/Jn 6:44-51

10:00am - Secular Franciscans (MC)

5:30pm - Confessions

6:00pm - Mass - (Mike Bruns)

6:30pm - General A&R Meeting (FH)

Friday May 10**St. Damien de Veuster, Priest**

Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 6:52-59

11:30am - Confessions

12:00pm - Mass - (Living and deceased family, friends, benefactors, and malefactors of Sr. Teresita)

Saturday May 11

Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69

4:30pm - Confessions

5:00pm - Mass - (Mitch and Laura Pappas)

Sunday May 12**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

7:30am - Confessions

8:00am - Mass - (+Laurence Co)

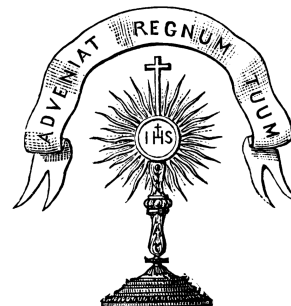
10:30am - Confessions

11:00am - Mass - (St. Mary's Parishioners)

4:30pm - Confessions

5:00pm - Mass - (Sr. M. Regina)

**PLEASE NOTE
NEW OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday
9:00am - 3:00pm**

**Contact Information**

**Pastor: Rev Matthew Bartulica
ext 104**

pastor@saintmarysparish.org

**Tony Douglas - Contributions,
Parish Registrations ext 101
tony@saintmarysparish.org**

**Angelina Gearke - Music Ministry,
Bulletin (bulletin deadline Mon. @
noon)
angelina.gearke@gmail.com**

**Maggie Ratterman- Secretary,
Sacramental Records
ext 110
maggie@saintmarysparish.org**

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.**

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, Bob DeSchepper, Patricia Williamson, Liz Crosby, Eric Parvin, Ke Hun Ngo, Timothy Truman and Peggy Vincent.

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)

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6,
11-12, 13 [2a]/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14
Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30
[1ab]/Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51--8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b
and 8a, 17 and 21ab [6a]/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a [1]/
Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20 [1]/
Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn
6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116: 12-13, 14-15,
16-17 [12]/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5
[3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

Altar Servers

5:00pm - John Collins
8:00am - A Rincon, T & T
Spooner
11:00am - M Deggendorf, E&J
Diamond, R Howe, A Talato
5:00pm - N Leete, N Smith

Lectors Day 4-5 (1st Week)

5:00pm - D Gilbert
8:00am - M Pontalion
11:00am - E Ball

Lectors Day 11-12 (2nd Week)

5:00pm - L Gibbons
8:00am - D Gilbert
11:00am - E Holder

*Please let Angelina know at
angelina.gearke@gmail.com if your
availability changes, or if you'd like
to be added to the list of servers and
lectors.*

Regina caeli: English and Latin (from www.EWTN.com)

This is one of four Marian antiphons, with following versicles and prayers, traditionally said or sung after night prayer, immediately before going to sleep. It is said throughout Eastertide. (That is, from Easter Day through Pentecost, the seventh Sunday after Easter. The *Regina caeli* is also said in place of the Angelus during Eastertide.

Queen of Heaven

V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.
R. For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia.
V. Has risen, as he said, alleluia.
R. Pray for us to God, alleluia.
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, alleluia.
R. For the Lord has truly risen, alleluia.

Let us pray. O God, who gave joy to the world through the

resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech Thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Regina caeli

V. Regina caeli, laetare, alleluia.
R. Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia.
V. Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia.
R. Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.
V. Gaude et laetare, Virgo Maria, alleluia.
R. Quia surrexit Dominus vere, alleluia.

Oremus. Deus, qui per resurrectionem Filii tui, Domini nostri Iesu Christi, mundum laetificare dignatus es: praesta, quaesumus; ut per eius Genetricem Virginem Mariam, perpetuae capiamus gaudia vitae. Per eundem Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

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 at 816.812.2500 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.



GOSPEL REFLECTION BY DR. SCOTT HAHN

There are two places in Scripture where the curious detail of a “charcoal fire” is mentioned. One is in today’s Gospel, where the Apostles return from fishing to find bread and fish warming on the fire.

The other is in the scene in the High Priest’s courtyard on Holy Thursday, where Peter and some guards and slaves warm themselves while Jesus is being interrogated inside (see John 18:18).

At the first fire, Peter denied knowing Jesus three times, as Jesus had predicted (see John 13:38; 18:15–18, 25–27).

Today’s charcoal fire becomes the scene of Peter’s repentance, as three times Jesus asks him to make a profession of love. Jesus’ thrice repeated command, “feed My sheep,” shows that Peter is being appointed as the shepherd of the Lord’s entire flock, the head of His Church (see also Luke 22:32).

Jesus’ question, “Do you love me more than these?” is a pointed reminder of Peter’s pledge to lay down his life for Jesus, even if the other Apostles might weaken (see John 13:37; Matthew 26:33; Luke 22:33).

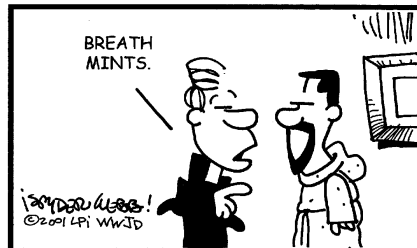
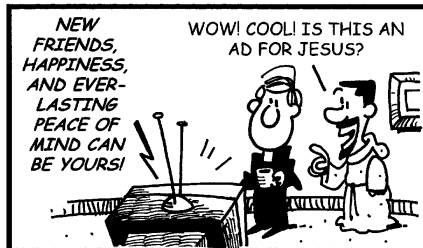
Jesus then explains just what Peter’s love and leadership will require, foretelling Peter’s death by crucifixion (“you will stretch out your hands”).

Before His own death, Jesus had warned the Apostles that they would be hated as He was hated, that they would suffer as He suffered (see Matthew 10:16–19, 22; John 15:18–20; 16:2).

We see the beginnings of that persecution in today’s First Reading. Flogged as Jesus was, the Apostles nonetheless leave “rejoicing that they have been found worthy to suffer.”

Their joy is based on their faith that God will change their “mourning into dancing,” as we sing in today’s Psalm. By their sufferings, they know, they will be counted worthy to stand in heaven before “the Lamb that was slain,” a scene glimpsed in today’s Second Reading (see also Revelation 6:9–11).

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER



Knights of Columbus/Altar & Rosary Society

The St. Mary's Salutes Night was a huge success! A huge thank you to everyone that donated desserts. Through your generosity, we were able to raise **\$385.00** towards the renovations of Fitzgerald Hall. Thank you, thank you, thank you! Congratulations again to all of our honorees: **Kristy Douglas, Kathy Philpott, Isabella Spooner, Marsha Simmons, Roger Cummings, John McEvoy, David Barchak, Mark Robertson, Eugene & Colleen Diamond, John Williamson and Felipe Rangel.**

ST. MICHAEL the ARCHANGEL SUMMER CAMPS

This summer, St. Michael the Archangel High School will be sponsoring summer athletic camps for kids. The camps will be run by coaches from St. Michael's. The list of sports available, as well as registration info can be found at smacatholic.org/camps. For more information, please contact Rich Weitz @ 913-302-8564 or rweitz@smacatholic.org.

Taco Dinner / Horse Races - Knights of Columbus Council #4962

**Friday May 17th - Doors open at 6 PM
5101 Blue Ridge Cut-off**

Tacos served - 6:00 PM to 8:00PM

Horse Races - 7:00PM until 9PM

Cost - \$8.00 ADULTS \$5:00 KIDS 5-12

Desserts available for purchase from Ladies Auxiliary

Pop furnished with admission

Second chance drawings

Major Raffle drawings

Check out our
bookstore in the
South Vestibule for
gifts for First
Communion and
Confirmation!

First Communion
gifts:

- Gift sets
- Keepsake album
- First Mass books
- Children's missal

- Rosaries
- Prayer books
- Ceramic First
Communion dolls

Confirmation gifts:

- Confirmation Bible
with pictures
- Holy Spirit
necklaces
- Rosaries
- Crucifix
- Crucifix necklaces

Week of April 28, 2019

4/28/2019 Collection:	\$4,057.00
Budgeted Weekly Offertory:	\$6,085.00
	-\$2,028.00

Fiscal (July - June) YTD Contributions:	\$238,723.02
Budgeted Fiscal YTD Contributions:	\$261,671.80
	-\$22,948.78

Meetings

The General A&R meeting will be held on Thursday, May 9th @ 6:30pm, in Fitzgerald Hall. (Please note location change). This is our installation of officers meeting and will be a potluck.

Meat will be provided but please bring a dish to share. Spouses are welcome to attend.

The Guild will meet on Wednesday, May 15th. Smokehouse BBQ on 39th Street. Time to be determined.

Circle 6 will meet on Wednesday, May 22, 6:30pm, Ministry Center. This is our potluck meeting so please bring a dish to share.



Bunco is Back! A&R Fund-raiser Ladies Night

The wait is over! Bunco is back! Saturday, May 18th, 6:00pm, Fitzgerald Hall. \$20.00 per person. Cost includes: food, drinks, appetizers, one free raffle ticket. Larger prize funds! Wonderful Raffle prizes. Additional Raffle tickets can be purchased. If you have never played before, no worries! Easy to learn. Lots of fun!

Thank you!

A huge thank you to everyone that helped to clean the church for Easter. Many hands makes light work and that is exactly what occurred. Our mission would not have been accomplished without you. Thanks to all that volunteered their time! God bless you!

FEATURED CD OF THE MONTH

Pope John Paul II: Letter to the Elderly: In 1978, Pope John Paul II became one of the youngest popes ever elected. At the time of his death in 2005, he was also one of the longest-serving popes, having lived into his early 80s. From his own experience of growing old, and only five and a half years before his death, John Paul wrote and shared this moving letter, addressed "To my elderly brothers and sisters." His letter shares and cherishes the experiences, beauty, agony, and dignity of growing old and drawing closer to God. "The years pass quickly," he writes, "and the gift of life, for all the effort and pain it involves, is too beautiful and precious for us to ever grow tired of it."

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.