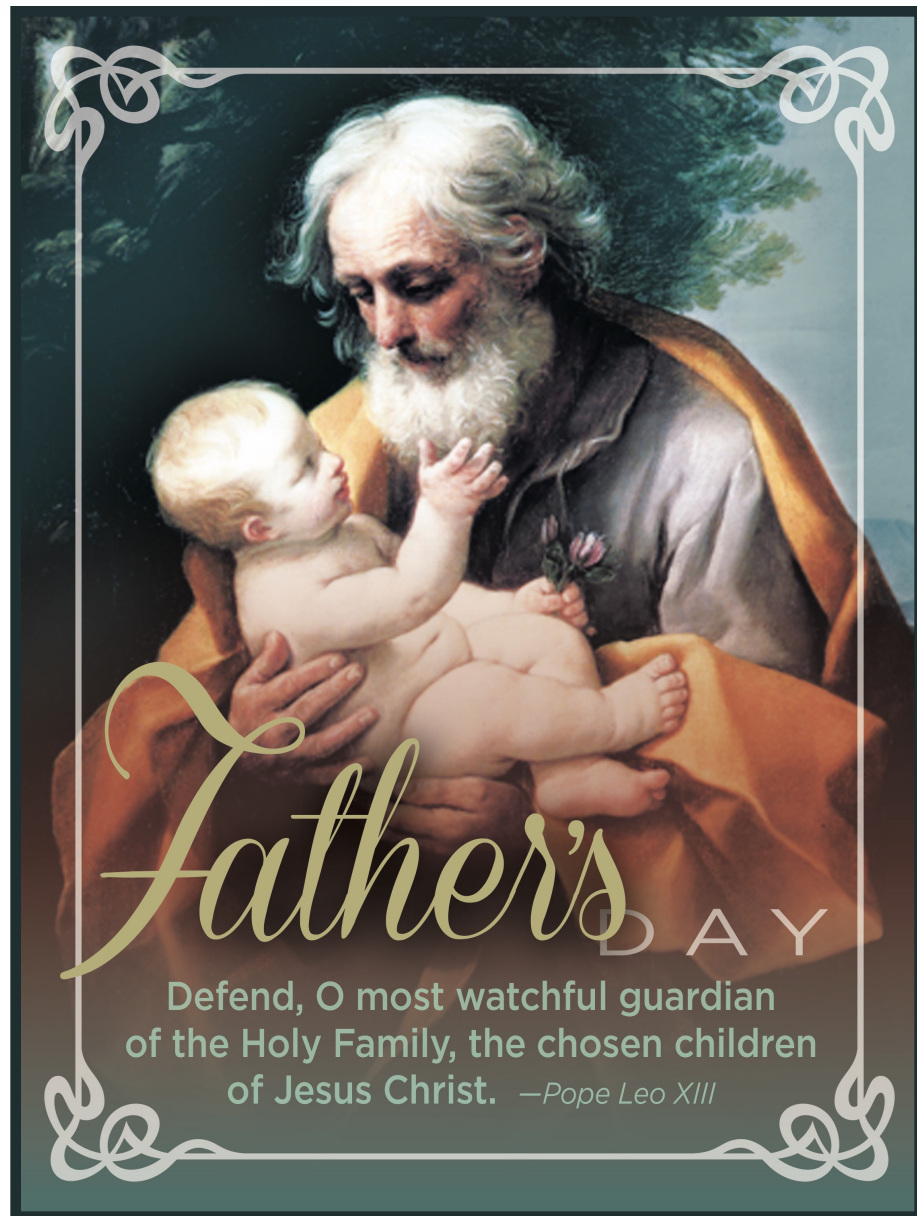


Saint Mary's Catholic Church



June 11th, 2018 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: pgs. 434-436

Ordinary of the Mass: pg. 850 Kyriale Simplex Mass I (5pm and 8am); pg. 873 Missa de Angelis (11am)

Prayer of St. Thomas Aquinas: pg. 1000

Entrance Hymn: Come, Ye Thankful People, Come #100

Entrance Antiphon: O Lord, hear my voice...(pg. 939 #121)

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

Creed: Credo I (only sung at 11am) pg. 896

Offertory Hymn: We Walk By Faith #110

Communio: There is one thing I ask of the Lord...(pg. 951 #163)

Communion Hymn: Lord, Who At Thy First Eucharist #129

Marian Antiphon: Salve Regina #124

Recessional Hymn: Faith of Our Fathers #90

Saturday June 16th

4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass- **(John Shull+)**

Sunday June 17th Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Fathers Day

7:30am - Confessions
8:00am - Mass- **(Conversion of Russia through the Immaculate Heart of Mary)**
10:30am - Confessions
11:00am - Mass~ **(Curtis Robertson+)**
4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass - **(St. Mary's Parishioners)**

*****All weekday Holy Masses will be in the Extraordinary Form this week.*****

Monday June 18th

11:30am - Confessions **** Note time change for Mass today ****
12:00pm - Mass - **(Toni & Eliot Michael)**

Tuesday June 19th

11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass - **(Theresa Biber)**
5:30 pm - Vespers (C)
6:30 pm - Choir practice (C)
6:30pm - Scouts

**Adoration After Noon
Mass today until 6:00pm**

Wednesday June 20th

11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass ~ Ex. Form~ **(Lawrence Fischer+)**
5:30pm - Vespers **(C)**
*****Adoration will begin after noon Mass today through Thursday evening @ 6:00pm.**

Thursday June 21st

10:00am - Secular Franciscans (MC)
11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass - **(Felix DeSmedt)**
5:30pm - Vespers (C)
8:00pm - Venture Scouts (FH)

Friday June 22nd

11:30am - Confessions
12:00pm - Mass~ Ex. Form - **(Evelyn Altmann Fischer+)**

Saturday June 23rd

7:30am - Mass - Extraordinary Form
4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass- **(Deems Peterson+)**

Sunday June 24th Nativity of St. John the Baptist

7:30am - Confessions
8:00am - Mass- **(Verna Mohart)**
10:30am - Confessions
11:00am - Mass~ **(St. Mary Parishioners)**
4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass - **(Intentions of Pat & Patti Hart)**

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St. Mary's Outreach Agency:

Food, Clothing and Prescription

Medication Assistance

Hours of Operation:

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)**

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June 16 & 17, 2018
3rd Week

Altar Servers:

5:00pm - Volunteers
8:00am - T & T Spooner
11:00am - A Talato,
N Smith, E Diamond

Lectors:

5:00pm - T Douglas
8:00am - M Pontalio
11:00am - E. Holder

June 23 & 24, 2018
4th Week

Altar Servers:

5:00pm - Volunteers
8:00am - A Holloway, A
Rincon

11:00am - A Talato,
N Smith, E Diamond

Lectors:

5:00pm - S. Leete
8:00am - J. Richter
11:00am - D. Gilbert

**PLEASE REMEMBER THESE PARISHIONERS and
FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Patty Rittel, Jeffery Klenklen, Joyce Klenklen, Betty Underwood, Annie Moran, Alice DeMoss, Jeff Gray, David Barrett, Smith Family, Mary Pappas, Rick Gard Jim Rittel, Anthony Rizzi, Morgan Rangel, Joel Rivera, Bob Trusty, Patty Vasquez, Tony Mesa

**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 Pendleton, CA (Grandson of Marilyn Pontalio)

Rev. Joseph Reardon - Bahrain (Persian Gulf) Command Chaplain

SSGT Christopher Wood - Cherry Point, NC (Grandson of Jean Wilcox)

Collection: 6/9/2018: 3,667
Year to date total: 110,405

Today our second collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, radio, and print media. And fifty percent of funds collected remain in our diocese to fund local communication efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc.

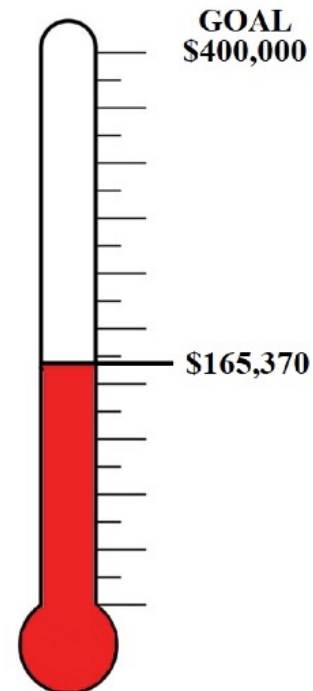
Your envelope may be placed in with the regular collection.

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, 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.

**St. Mary's Catholic Church
2018 Annual Fund Campaign Update**

Total Pledges: 75
Parish Participation: 28.1%



The **Annual Fund Campaign** is an effort to raise enough money to cover all expenses of the parish in the coming fiscal year which begins on **July 1**. This includes, among other things, parish salaries, maintenance and upkeep of the church and parish grounds, and funding our various parish ministries, such as RCIA, Parish School of Religion, and youth group. Your support is crucial.

The Hearts of Jesus and Mary.....By Sister M. Regina

The beautiful month of May, dedicated to our Blessed Mother, is most fittingly followed by the month dedicated to the Heart of her Son. Their two hearts cannot be separated one from the other.

In the Litany of the Sacred Heart, one of the invocations is: "Heart of Jesus, formed by the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mother, have mercy on us." Jesus' human Heart was formed in the womb of the one whose Heart is Immaculate. It was Our Lady who gave Jesus a human Heart. His human Heart permits Him to feel the pain of betrayal and of unrequited love, and also to feel the joy of sinners who repent, of the joy of being loved. The poetic writer Caryl Houselander puts it well in her work, *The Reed of God*:

He was joy itself; He asked her to give Him tears.
He was God; He asked her to make Him man.
He asked for hands and feet to be nailed.
He asked for flesh to be scourged.
He asked for blood to be shed.
He asked for a heart to be broken.
The stable at Bethlehem was the first Calvary.
The wooden manger was the first Cross.
The swaddling bands were the first burial bands.
The Passion had begun.
Christ was man.

The Hearts of Jesus and of Mary were united from the beginning of the Incarnation that Jesus' human Heart even depended on her Immaculate Heart for His very life. From the moment of the Incarnation and continuing forever, the Hearts of Jesus and Mary are united more closely than any two hearts. Saint John Eudes, whom the Breviary credits with being *the* promoter of public devotion to the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary, says the following regarding the union of the two hearts: "You must never separate what God has so perfectly united. So closely are Jesus and Mary bound up with each other that whoever beholds Jesus sees Mary; whoever loves Jesus, loves Mary; whoever has devotion to Jesus, has devotion to Mary."

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Devotion to His Heart is not just *one* devotion among others. Devotion to the Heart of Jesus is nothing other than love for the Person of Jesus, Whose love is symbolized by His Heart. Devotion to the Sacred Heart is our love for Jesus Himself.

We think of Our Lady at the home of Nazareth. At Nazareth, how she must have loved the Sacred Heart of Jesus! How did she show her love? In the same little ways, that we can show Him our love. She showed Him her love by cooking His meals, by cleaning the house, by teaching Him all the things one must teach children. Most of all, she sought to please Him by being faithful to her vocation as Mother and as wife. In these small ways, we, too, can show our love for Jesus: by fulfilling *for Him* and *with Him* our daily round of duties; by being faithful in little ways to our vocation in life; by offering the sufferings we encounter for Him; and, every so often, in the course of the day, raising our own hearts to Him and expressing our love for Him.

Let us ask Our Lady to lead us to the Sacred Heart of her Son!

**During the weeks of Father
Matthew's vacation, adoration
of the Blessed Sacrament,
sung Vespers and Benediction
will continue as usual.**



Blessing of Fathers
God and Father of all creation,
we come before you today with humble
hearts.
You are our model of a loving father.
When we fail and fall short of your
expectations,
you are always there at the end of the
day with open arms,
ready to heal the cuts and scrapes of the
day
and to encourage us to try again and
not to give up.
We hold up these men in our midst who
act in the world
as fathers to their children or models of
fathers for others.
Bless them in their moments of doubt
and frustration with their children.
Give them warm and open hearts to
forgive failures.
Provide them with the words needed for
encouragement and perseverance.
We ask all this in the name of Jesus.
Amen.

Vigil of St. John the Baptist

The nativity of St. John the Baptist marks the half way point to Christmas. This was traditionally celebrated with a feast and a bonfire.

Join us on June 23rd at 5:00pm for an Extraordinary Form Mass in honor of St. John the Baptist.

We will have the traditional blessing of bonfire after Mass behind the Ministry Center.

There will be hot-dogs and s'mores, please bring a side dish to share.

For more information please contact Zach Gard at 816-252-0121 or at zach@saintmarysparish.org

St. Mary's Outreach Center News for May 2018

For the month of May, we assisted 164 families with food for a total of 417 people of which 112 were children and 39 were elderly. 1,566 items of clothing were given to 154 families. We assisted 2 persons with their prescription medication. 4 packages of diapers and wipes were given. 2 families were assisted with furniture. Thanks to our volunteers who put in 493 hours in support of our services.

Thank you to all who support our St. Mary's Parish Outreach Center.

Bunco!

Please mark your calendars for upcoming Ladies Bunco Nights.

Saturday, June 30 / 6:00pm

Saturday, July 28 / 6:00pm

Location: Fitzgerald Hall

Cost: \$5.00 per person / Cash prizes!

Please bring a snack to share. Sandwiches will be served. Bring a friend!



Friday, July 6th 7:00 PM

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**** Last chance to purchase your tickets for the quilt raffle which will be held this weekend, Sunday June 17th (Fathers Day) after the 11:00am Mass. All proceeds will benefit the Church and Outreach.**

There are sign up sheets at all the church doors for boys and men who are interested in learning how to serve for the Extraordinary Mass. Our seminarian, Benjamin Armentrout, will contact those who sign up, to arrange a good time to practice.