



St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while.

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 21, 2024

Mark 6: 30-34

Parish Office:

708 N. 4th Street, Kansas City, KS 66101

Office: (913) 371-0627

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-5pm

Web: stjohnthebaptistcatholicchurch.com

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Facebook: St. John the Baptist Croatian Parish

Instagram: OurCroatianParish

Sacraments:

Confession at 3 pm before Saturday Mass or call for appointment

Parish Staff:

Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA, JV, VF, Pastor

Mrs. Wendy Christ, Administrative Assistant

Mr. Tony Locatelli, Music Director

Mass Schedule:

Saturday at 4 pm

(at Holy Family in July)

Sunday at 9 am

Thursday at 8 am

Parish Ministries:

Finance Council Richard Sambol

Parish Council Don Taylor

Altar Society Kelly Moutray

St. John's Club Ken Yarnevich

913-371-9690

(913) 281-4448

Prayer Line

Prayer to St. Mary Magdalene

Saint Mary Magdalene, woman of many sins, who by conversion became the beloved of Jesus and remained at His cross, thank you for your witness that Jesus forgives through the miracle of love. You, who already possess eternal happiness in His glorious presence, please intercede for me, so that one day I may share in the same everlasting joy. Amen.

St. Mary Magdalene, pray for us!

After the Sabbath, Mary Magdalene returned to an empty tomb and became the first witness of Christ's Resurrection. She ran and brought the good news to the Apostles, becoming the first to announce the rising of Christ to new life. The Apostles went on to proclaim to the world this truth they learned from her. In 2016, Pope Francis elevated the status of her liturgical celebration to a feast in order to stress her importance as a disciple and evangelizer.

"Many sins are forgiven her, because she has loved very much."

- Jesus words on St. Mary Magdalene

Feast Day
July 22



The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

In verdant pastures he gives me repose;
beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul.

He guides me in right paths for his name's sake.
Even though I walk in the dark valley I fear no evil;
for you are at my side with your rod and your staff
that give me courage.

You spread the table before me in the sight of my
foes; you anoint my head with oil; my cup over-
flows.

Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days
of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the
LORD
for years to come.

-Psalms 23



St. Joachim

Feast Day

July 26

St. Anne



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 21-

9am- Anton & Lily Rendulic
All Family Jadranka Nikola Gojmerac
Frank, Ana, Ivan Brajkovic
Special Intention

Thursday, July 25-

8am- Nikola & Marija Bert
Janko Cavlovic

Saturday July 27-

4pm- *Vigil Mass at Holy Family*
St. John & Holy Family parishioners

Sunday, July 28-

9am- Miro Jadric
Anna, Mike & Barbara Kralj
The Krupich Family
Ivan & Veronika, Frank Sudac

LITURGICAL MINISTRY FOR JULY

July 21 , 2024-

Lectors: A. Morrow, V. Tomasic
Eucharistic Ministers: M. Tomasic
Servers: A. Garcia
Sacristans: S. Sandelich , G. Garcia

July 28 , 2024-

Lectors: C. Schneider , M. Viskovic
Eucharistic Ministers: A. Kucenic
Servers: M. Viskovic
Sacristans: B. Horvat, K. Moutray

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

	<i>Sun. 7/14/24</i>
Envelopes:	5173.00
Loose:	131.00
Building Fund:	440.00
Candles:	112.00
Poor Box:	15.01
Mass Intentions:	10.00
Donation(s):	12,000.00
Food Kitchen:	20.00



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Prayer Requests

Pope Francis I, Jaydon Dextre, Mary Ann Stimac, Millie Sambol, Sarah Skradski Coleman, James Lipovac, Dianna Stimac, Chris Braun, Ana Piskuric, George Fracul, Special Intention, In Thanksgiving, for all those who suffer from homelessness, addictions, cancer, mental health issues, for those who are serving time in prison, and anyone else in need of our prayers.

Upcoming Events

Please join the Catholic Foundation of Northeast Kansas

on *July 24, 2024* for our Quarterly Investment Update Webinar. Chuck Maggiorotto, Chief Wealth Officer of Country Club Trust Company, and Bill Maloney, Executive Director of the Catholic Foundation of Northeast Kansas, will review the following: · Portfolio Review · Economic Outlook · Foundation Highlights Register by visiting: www.cfnek.org/events/quarterly-investment-update.

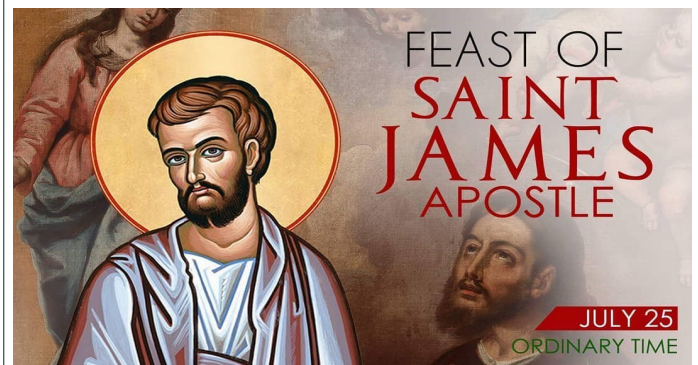


National Make a Will Month

August is National Make a Will Month. As we're all stewards of Christ, now is a great time to review or begin your will to honor God with the many blessings He's given us. Visit our [Wills Planner](https://catholicplannedgiving.com/?pageID=99&destPageID=wills) <https://catholicplannedgiving.com/?pageID=99&destPageID=wills> if you would like to create a plan for your future, or need to make updates to an existing plan.



St. John's Altar Society thanks all who gave a total of \$522 toward the Baby Bottle Boomerang. Additional donations can be mailed to **Wyandotte Pregnancy Clinic**, PO Box 12710, Kansas City KS 66112 or visit their website lifeandhopeteam.org.



Catholic in Recovery is now at St. Patrick Catholic Church!

Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m.
St. Catherine of Siena Meeting Room
1080 N 94th St.
Kansas City, KS 66112

Catholic in Recovery provides healing from addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments. Meetings combine the spiritual principles of 12-step recovery and the sacraments of the Catholic Church. Join others in recovery as we overlap scripture from Sunday's Mass readings, liturgical themes, and recovery topics with honest discussion and prayer. Confidentiality is protected. Catholic in Recovery is not a replacement for AA, NA, AL-Anon, or any other 12-step program. It is a supplement to these programs, using the sacraments, as well as the 12-step principles. We encourage members to continue participating and working in other 12-step programs. For more information, visit catholicinrecovery.com or email Jacob at wachief1812@mail.com.



Catholic in Recovery
Meeting on Wednesdays

SAVE THE DATE - OCT 7th, 2024

Strawberry Hill Altar Societies
Golf Tournament 4 person scramble Sunflower
Hills Golf Course

1:00 shotgun start. \$100 fee includes green fees, golf cart, prizes, dinner, snacks and beverages.

Contact Altar Society Presidents:

Carol Shomin, 913.897.4833,
Kelly Moutray, 816.863.4414, or
Sandy Cannon, 913.396.1564.



Cursillo Weekends

Mens: Sep 19-22, 2024

Women: Oct 17-20, 2024

Location: Savior Pastoral Center KCK

Cursillo is a lay movement of the Catholic Church originating in Spain in the 1940's. A "short course" in Christianity, the Cursillo is an encounter with oneself, Christ, and our brothers and sisters. It enables Catholics to: deepen their relationship with Christ; grow in their understanding and appreciation for the Catholic faith; share their faith with family, friends, and others; and sustain a much deeper faith life for the rest of their lives.

To learn more about this lay movement, please visit Cursillo.net. For questions or to register, please contact Judy Newkirk 816.806.1997 jnewkirk65@gmail.com or James Newkirk at 816.807.7700 james@ultreya.biz

Annual Cursillo Picnic: Sunday, September 8, 2024 – 10am-3pm at E.H. Young Riverfront Park. See cursillo.net for more information.



C.S. Lewis: The Problem of Pain Retreat

Christ's Peace House of Prayer 22131 Meager Rd., Easton Friday, August 16th at 5:30pm – Sunday, August 18th at 4:30pm "If God is good and all-powerful, why does he allow his creatures to suffer pain?" Join us alongside C.S. Lewis as he offers answers and shares his hope and wisdom to help heal a world hungering for a true understanding of human nature. Come be transformed by the message that God can use evil and pain to mold us and make us into who we each were made to be. This is God's love. And it is in this that we can start to give a response to "the problem of pain." There will be conferences, spiritual direction, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Confession and time for private prayer, reflection and walking. Cabins/Courtyard Rooms: \$180 Single/\$270 Couple or Single Guest Rooms: \$110 (Meals Included). To attend, fill out the Individual Retreat Form at ChristsPeace.com or call 913.773.8255.

Keeping In Touch

Fr. Joseph's "Keeping in Touch" column will return next week in the bulletin.

Blessings in Christ and St. Augustine,
Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA, JV, VF,
Pastor





Thank you 2024 Sponsors



Received by July 17, 2024

Chocolate-Dipped Strawberries

The Worner Family

Strawberry Fields

The Gorsky Family

Strawberry Hill

Patrice Dorian

Strawberry Patch

Marty Yadrick

Jerry Cindric

Marie Kolich

In Memory of Mary, Frank & Al Novak

In Loving Memory of Nick Kucenic

Barbara Zurga & The St. Denis Family

The Chris Horn Family

Strawberry Pie

Theresa Jaksetic

Anonymous

Continued...

Strawberry Plant

St. John the Baptist Altar Society
In Memory of Pete, Dorothy & Pat Novosel
John & Veronica Gasparovich
Richard Sambol & Helen Skradski Families
The Tomasic Family Kathy Dumovich Kovac
The Dordevic Family The Lally Family
Tom Podrebarac St. John's Seniors

Strawberry Shortcake

The Kovac & Krupich Families Rick & Susan Robards
In Loving Memory of Sam Stice Anita Gasparovic
Tim & Cindy Cavlovic Family Christine Allen
In Memory of Robert Braun, Sr. Anonymous
The Kratofil Descendants

Strawberry Preserves

In Memory of Kate and Ike Modrcin
In Memory of Kristina & Joseph Horvat
In Memory of Barbara Ann Kent Donahue
The Eugene Sostarich Family Barbara Palcher
David & Cathy Farmer In Memory of Joseph Rahija
Pam & Ted Rusovick Mike & Anne Kucenic
The John F. Mikesic Family Bernadette & Mark Tomasic

Strawberry Seed

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