

THANKSGIVING MORNING

MASS will be celebrated at St. Joseph of the Valley Church on **November 24th** at 9:00am.

There's no greater way to express our gratitude to God than joining together with your parish family at the Lord's Table to celebrate the Eucharist.

ADVENT STARTS IN JUST TWO WEEKS!

Get ready now to enter into this hope-filled season. Do you have an Advent Wreath? If not, make sure to get one so you'll be ready at sundown **November 26th**. I know Soul Supply has them. Sue even carries battery operated Advent candles (some folks want those for safety purposes). Advent Wreath kits can likewise be found online. Also, you'll find near the church doors copies of *The Word Among Us*, which has some relevant articles and thoughtful daily reflections based on the days Scriptures readings. Make sure to take one home. Let's get ready for Advent!

Father Bill

COLLECTION: Thank you for your gifts to our parish! Collection amount of our regular collection was \$2,296 to include \$100 Hall rent; \$45 Utilities; \$595 Double Fund, \$20 Mass Stipend, \$100 Food Bank, and \$90 other. The special Military Collection was \$472 and the Religious Education fund was \$125. Online donations were \$249.57. Thank you for your generosity!

A SECOND COLLECTION will be held the weekend of **Nov. 20th** for Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD).

ONLINE GIVING IS EASY go to: [SJSLparish.org](https://www.sjslparish.org) and click the ONLINE GIVING tab. It only takes a few minutes to fill out the form. You may set it up to use your bank account for automatic payment, or use your card. You have benefits that'll come from giving this way: • No need for checks. • Align your giving along with your paycheck schedule. • Flexibility when you want to changes. • You can even use your credit card to gain airline mileage, bonuses, etc. We use a service called Vanco, which utilizes

MASSES THIS WEEK:

Sat, Nov. 12, 5:00 pm Mass, SJV

For the People of the Parish

Sun, Nov. 13, 9:00 am Mass, STL

Donald Gwartney †

Tues, Nov. 15, 6:00 pm Mass, STL

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Thurs, Nov. 17, 6:00 pm Mass, SJV

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Sat, Nov. 19, 5:00 pm Mass, STL

Irene Schmidling †

Sun, Nov. 20, 9:00 am Mass, STL

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the highest security standards. It's safe and secure. Any questions? Please contact: Sara Green (913) 426-3022, sgreen0427@gmail.com.

FALL FEST, Saturday, Nov. 19th, is just 1 week away! Mass that evening will be at **St. Lawrence at 5:00pm, only. PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Saturday evening mass at SJV on that evening.** We will start serving chili and soups at 4:00 p.m. Meal tickets will be \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children Turkey and Ham Bingo will follow the meal.

Raffle tickets are available. Please help make this a success by selling at least 30 raffle tickets for some great prizes!

Please sign up to help us! There will be an online sign-up sheet for both dessert donations, as well as volunteering your time to help with the serving. Go to: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0f49afa72ba0fb6-fall> or call Ginny Mowery at 913-773-8303 if you'd like to help.

If everyone helps a little, this project will be a success. Thank you for your help.

WANT TO DOUBLE YOUR MONEY?

A generous former parishioner wants to anonymously donate for improvements to St. Lawrence Church. For every dollar we collect for this fund until Nov. 30th he will add \$1.00 up to \$5,000. Thus far we have collected \$4,835. So, doubled, that amounts to \$9,670. The funds will be used for the replacement of sanctuary lighting fixtures. Also some to be applied towards a beautiful large statue of St. Lawrence and stand. (This statue has also receive donations from other individuals). Provide paint and other necessary supplies for a Benedictine College

artist to repair the Last Supper Altar inset. Hopefully this will be the start of a piece-by-piece restoration of all our statues in both churches. If you look closely you'll see the paint is cracking and peeling off each of them. Any remaining funds to be reserved for future church projects or repairs. Contact Father Bill with any questions.

REST IN PEACE: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Louise Wistuba**. May God give comfort and blessed assurance to Larry and their children. And may she rest in peace and rise in glory.

THANK YOU: On behalf of His Excellency, the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop for the Military Services, USA (AMS), thank you to all those who contributed to the National Collection for the AMS last week. Thank you for supporting the men and women, and their families, from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect this great nation, and who defend the freedoms we hold dear. Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and military chaplaincy.

EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS: If you haven't been receiving the email notices we send out, please send additions, changes or corrections of your email addresses to Judy Brose at brosej01@gmail.com.

3rd QUARTER LEAVENWORTH KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

AWARDS: July 2022: Knight of the Month - Tony Monaco; Family of the Month - Larry Thibault. August 2022: Knight of the Month - K of C Family Picnic Committee; Family of the Month - David & Maria Blakeman. September 2022: Knight of the Month - John Nelson; Family of the Month - Bill & Margaret McNamee.

MEN: IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN:

Our own parish Knights of Columbus council's exemplification ceremony will take place after Mass in St. Lawrence Church next Saturday, **November 19th**. There, in a thirty minute ceremony, all new members will be initiated into the first, second and third degrees of the KofC. Each new member will be entrusted with a rosary, a Knights of Columbus pin and a cross, becoming part of a worldwide Catholic fraternity who follow the core

principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism. To join: scan the QR code or go to KofC.org/joinus. Use promo code



BlessedMcGivney. Our first official meeting will be Wednesday, **December 7th** at 7pm in St Lawrence Parish Hall. Contact Aaron Welch for more information, 785-370-9737, realcav17@gmail.com.

MONTHLY PRO-LIFE PRAYER TO END ABORTION: Christ the King Church in Kansas City, KS, located at 53rd and Leavenworth Road, is hosting a monthly all-night adoration, Mass, and procession to beg for the protection of the unborn and the conversion of those seeking and providing abortions. The next Vigil and Mass will take place starting Friday, **November 18th** from 7 p.m. till 8 a.m. on Saturday the 19th, followed by a bilingual Mass. Confessions will be available during Mass. Then, we'll take a short walk down Leavenworth Road to the Planned Parenthood clinic where we will pray until 10am. We are looking for adorers throughout the night, particularly able-bodied men to anchor the safety of the night hours. Please contact the Christ the King office to sign up for a slot: 913.287.8823 (call or text) contact@ctkkck.org

CATHOLIC ADVISORS NETWORK: Bringing together estate planning attorneys, accountants, financial planners, wealth managers and insurance advisors to promote collaboration, education and leadership in current and legacy giving among their Catholic clients. Wed., **Nov. 30**, from 5:30pm – 7:00pm at the Offices of Polsinelli, 900 West 48th Place, Kansas City, MO 64112. Kindly R.S.V.P <https://www.cfnek.org/events/catholic-advisors-network-inaugural-event> Questions contact Jane Schmitt, jschmitt@archkck.org or 913-647-3060.

SAVE THE DATE! KANSAS MASS, MARCH & RALLY FOR LIFE 2023: IGNITE for LIFE, Jan. 24th, 2023 in Topeka! IGNITE for LIFE is the Catholic Kick-Off Rally for the Kansas March for Life. It is an inspirational morning of praise & worship music, motivational speakers, and the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of Mass with the Bishops of Kansas. Following IGNITE, all are invited to join in the Kansas March for Life to the capitol for the Kansans for Life rally. This year, we lift our prayers and call all to serve to show we still value them both. IGNITE is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas.

BULLETIN ITEMS: Contact Kim Sachse, 913-775-0690 Or Email Sjslparish@gmail.com. Mass intentions may be scheduled with Kim as well. **MUST SUBMIT BY 9 pm TUES FOR INCLUSION.**

PRAYER LIST: *If you would like to have a name added or removed from our prayer list, please contact Kim Sachse. Our Parish Prayer Ministers invite you to join them in praying for the following:* Phil Bell, Joe Brose, Judy Brose, Jennifer Brushwood, Sacha Curry, Carl Davidson, George Dean, Carolyn DeMaranville, Gail DeMaranville-Zule, Vince Eimer, Tom Flack, Anna Foster, Tina Gaspard, Glen Goodland, Karen Gray, Alan Halstead, Patti Harris, Marly Heim, Jim Heintzelman, Lydia Heintzelman, Melanie Herken, Jon Highfill, Trista Highfill, Mark Hund, Michael Jones, Elmer Karczewski, Phillip Leon, Kelly Long, Joyce Lowe, Mary Meinert, Jeni Mettelstedt, Charles Mullins, Don Navinsky, Kay Nocktonick, Dannie Phillips, Lonnie Dean Phillips Jr., Betty Pierron, Adam Pineau, Krystal Roemer, Mary M. Ruhlman, Charlie Schletzbaum, Tanner Siebenmorgen, Julie Simonis, Jim (Poly) Sloan, Gary Stafford, Rebecca VanVerth, Pat Wilson, and Nick Yuska.

Prayer List for Our Soldiers: **ARMY:** CPT Daniel Broaddus, Pvt. David Crook, Lexi (Skaggs) Hargis, SGT Colby Seifert, William Stradley. **AIRFORCE:** E-4 Robert W. Herken, TSGT Scott Loecher, E-3 Connor Schuler, A1C Noah Tattershall. **NAVY:** Dennis Budasz Jr., Sterling Curry, YNSC (SS) Kevin Lansing. **MARINE CORPS:** Drake Budasz

Prayer for Vocations: Brother Seelos, FSSP (Tyler Lunsford).

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Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm at St. Joseph of the Valley Church
Sunday Morning Mass 9:00 am at St. Lawrence Church

Confessions are heard 30 minutes before the weekend Masses or by appointment

Weekday Masses:
Tuesday evening 6:00 pm at St. Lawrence Church
Thursday evening 6:00 pm at St. Joseph of the Valley Church

Our Sunday Funny:



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