

**TODAY (Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>) SUNDAY**

**HOT BREAKFAST SERVED**

**Following 9am Mass**

**St. Lawrence Hall**

**My fellow parishioners,**

Thanks to each one of you for listening to my presentation at this past weekend's Masses. Because of your kindness and generosity, Christ's Peace and other ministries are able to help thousands of people throughout the Archdiocese. Last year we had over a thousand guests come and rest with Jesus at Christ's Peace. With your help, we have high hopes to have even greater success this year. God bless all of you!

**-Vince Eimer  
Director, Christ's Peace  
House of Prayer  
Easton, Kansas**



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**-Father Bill**

### PARISH UPDATE: CALL TO SHARE

\$6,288 by 28 donors.  
Our parish goal is \$8,622.

**SAY "I DO" AGAIN: Next weekend at our Masses, Father Bill will give married couples a special blessing – just in time for St. Valentine's Day.**

**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY: FOR PARISHES:** We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

**COLLECTION:** Thank you for your gifts to our parish! Collection for last week was \$2203.31, including \$50

### MASSES THIS WEEK:

**Sat, Feb. 4 5:00 pm Mass, SJV**  
*For the People of the Parish*  
**Sun, Feb. 5, 9:00 am Mass, STL**  
*Archie Griffie †*  
**Tues, Feb. 7, 6:00 pm Mass, STL**  
*Intention of the Celebrant*  
**Thurs, Feb. 9, 6:00 pm Mass, SJV**  
*Intention of the Celebrant*  
**Sat, Feb. 11, 5:00 pm Mass, SJV**  
*Norma Bromell †*  
**Sun, Feb. 12, 9:00 am Mass, STL**  
*For the People of the Parish*

utilities, \$150 hall rent, and \$40 Mass Stipends. Online donations were \$370.57. Thank you for your generosity!

**ONLINE GIVING IS EASY** go to: [SJSLparish.org](http://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 the highest security standards. It's safe and secure. Any questions? Please contact: Sara Green (913) 426-3022, [sgreen0427@gmail.com](mailto:sgreen0427@gmail.com).

**BLESSING OF THROATS.** Friday February 3rd was the Feast of Saint Blasé. After Mass this weekend Father Bill will bless the throats of parishioners while holding two white candles. This ancient practice is performed because St. Blase intercedes for those with diseases of the throat.

**XAVIER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:** Join Xavier Catholic School on Feb. 11 as we celebrate Catholic education! Tickets are on sale now for Ignite the Green and White 2023. Please scan the QR code to purchase tickets, register for the auction, and learn more about the event.



**THE JOURNEY IS YOURS. WALK WITH YOUR BROTHERS. F.I.R.E. 2023.** Will be held **Feb. 11** at 7:00 am

to **Feb. 12** at 11:30 am. 1124 California Rd, Williamsburg, KS. Cost \$123 to cover food, lodging, etc. RSVP: For RSVP go to <https://www.fire-ministries-retreat.org/event-details/the-journey-is-yours-walk-with-your-brothers-f-i-re-2023> For more information go to <https://shoutout.wix.com/so/b1OJO-AmD?languageTag=en&cid=9e9c6abf-5a78-4ab0-ad16-dfe0e886d176>

**DAY OF RENEWAL RETREAT, PREPARING FOR LENT: Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>,** 9 am to 2:30 pm, Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Lenexa. For information go to [https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4cabab2ca2fac25-dayofrenewal#/#](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c4cabab2ca2fac25-dayofrenewal#/)

**CURSILLO-WINTER RETREAT: Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>** at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 11311 Johnson Drive, Shawnee, KS from 9 am to 2:30 pm. Costs \$25 per person. Register/Pay online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cursillo-winter-retreat-2023-eucharistic-amazement-tickets-511274705407>

**LENTEN SILENT RETREAT:** Penetrating Mystical Truth. Christ's Peace House of Prayer, 22131 Meager Rd., Easton. **Friday, Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm – Sunday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm.** Start the Holy Season of Lent this year with a deep understanding of the mystical life with penetrating insight and practical usefulness. This retreat will give you an overview of this brilliant vision, helping you know the Christian mystical vision of truth. The more deeply you comprehend mystical truth, the more you will be transformed by its power. There are conferences, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Confession and time for private prayer, reflection and walking. Cabins/Courtyard Rooms: \$170 Single/\$250 Couple or Single Guest Rooms: \$100 (Meals Included). To attend, fill out the Individual Retreat Form at [ChristPeace.com](http://ChristPeace.com) or call 913.773.8255.

**HEALING RETREAT FOR ADULT CHILDREN OF DIVORCE:** Adult children of divorced or separated parents can come find healing at the Life-Giving Wounds retreat, **Feb. 24-26** at Savior Pastoral Center in Kansas City, KS. Includes insightful talks, Reconciliation/Adoration, time for prayer and optional small groups.

For more information and to register:  
[archkck.org/LGW](http://archkck.org/LGW)

### LENTEN BUSY PERSON RETREAT:

Lent is a wonderful opportunity for you to grow in your personal relationship with God. Marillac Center, on the campus of the Sisters of Charity in Leavenworth, will be offering a Busy Person Retreat beginning the week of **Feb. 26** and concluding the week of **March 26**. You will have the opportunity to meet once a week at your convenience with a Sister. At the beginning of the retreat, materials and resources will be provided for your private prayer. If you would like to participate in the Busy Person Retreat, please contact Sister Sharon Smith at [ssmith@scls.org](mailto:ssmith@scls.org) by Monday, February 20. Cost: Free-will offering.

### JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH RALLY 2023:

For Middle School Students and their chaperones. **Feb. 26**, 9am to 4:30 pm at Prairie Star Ranch, Williamsburg, KS. Cost \$38 per person, including lunch. For more info and to register go to: <https://archkck.org/youth-ministry/junior-high-youth-rally>.

### F.I.R.E. MINISTRIES AND RETREAT 2023 MEN'S CATHOLIC RETREAT

**FEB 11 – 12:** Our FIRE ministry team invites you to join us Feb 11 and 12, Prairie Star Ranch. Find out more at: [www.fire-ministries-retreat.org](http://www.fire-ministries-retreat.org)

**A LENTEN MISSION WITH SONG & STORY** will be held on Sunday, March 19, 3-4:30 pm at Immaculate Conception Church, LVN. David Kauffman is the founder of Good For

The Soul Music™ based in San Antonio, TX. His mission is Song and Story for Healing and Hope. Prepare to open your hearts and hear God's word during this special Lenten Mission. Bring your family and friends! All are welcome! For more information contact Theresa Vitt at the parish office (913)682-3953.

### CAMP STAFF APPLICATIONS

**OPEN:** Camp Tekakwitha staff is an extraordinary experience! Lifelong friends, eternal faith and crazy fun!! Those graduating HS and beyond may apply at: <https://archkck.org/camp/general-information/campstaff/>

**PRAYER REQUESTS.** From time to time special needs arise in one's life: personal or family crisis, illness, death of a loved one. One prays, of course, but our petitions are more powerful when we lift up our prayers together. The members of our parish prayer team takes time to pray every day for people's prayer requests. If you are in need of prayer, please go to [SJSLparish.org](http://SJSLparish.org), and click on the "Prayer Requests" tab to submit your petition. Your request is very soon forwarded to the prayer team who will begin that day to pray for your intentions.

**BULLETIN ITEMS:** Contact Kim Sachse, 913-775-0690 Or Email [Sjslparish@gmail.com](mailto: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, Steve Bromell, 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, Lonnie Dean Phillips Jr., Betty Pierron, Adam Pineau, Krystal Roemer, Mary M. Ruhlman, Jesse Salinas, Charlie Schletzbaum, Mary Shelley, 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).

## St. Joseph – St. Lawrence Parish

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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



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