



Church of the Annunciation Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Mass:

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:00 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.

Holy Day:

Special schedule, as announced

Confessions:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. & by appointment

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April 29, 2018

5th Sunday of Easter

SAVE THE DATES!

Parish Garage & Bake Sale

May 11th & 12th

Annunciation Community Center

Donations & Volunteers Needed
Contact Dena Swartz 508-0885

Our Mission

We, the Church of Annunciation, rooted in our belief in the Eucharist, accept the call of God to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with our parish community and beyond. We strive to be witnesses to our faith through our responsible stewardship and by welcoming and caring for others as Jesus taught us.

New Parishioners

Please call the parish office for information on registering as a member of the parish. Pre-registration forms are also available on a table in the church narthex. Someone will be happy to help you with registration and information about the parish.

Baptism

Contact the parish office during pregnancy to register for a parent preparation session and to schedule the baptism of your children. Baptisms are normally celebrated during or after one of the Sunday Masses or Saturday Vigil Mass.

Marriage

Begin preparation at least nine months in advance. Call the office to register for the marriage preparation program. Date can be set only after preparation has begun.

Welcome to Church of the Annunciation

On May 3, The Kearney Ministerial Association is again promoting the annual National Day of Prayer. At noon, on Thursday, May 3, there will be a short prayer service at City Hall led by the ministers, inviting people of the community to gather in prayer for those who provide education. those who protect us through the law, our city officials, and all those in the community who provide for our needs. Join the ministers in prayer at noon at City Hall.

In the evening of May 3, the ministers will also gather in prayer at the Community Covenant Church, on the corner of Hwy 33 and 19th Street. All people from the community are invited to participate in the National Day of Prayer to pray for national leaders. Each pastor will be leading prayer for those serving in specific areas of society. I will be leading people who are serving as educators. This is a good opportunity for the community to gather in prayer. We all know there is tremendous power in prayer. We join many local communities in this effort. Throughout the nation there will be many students who gather at flag poles at their schools on that day, united in prayer for the people of our nation. We have been blessed by many students throughout our nation who continue to challenge us to protect the young people of our nation. Hopefully this day of prayer will invite people to unite in prayer.

Thanks to all of have responded to the parish garage sale on May 11 and 12. Please contact Dena, whose number is on flyers and in the bulletin, if you have items to contribute. Encourage people to participate at the sale. Proceeds will benefit our Capital Campaign for the next phase of our building project.

Fr. Al Ebach, C.P.P.S.

| DATE/INTENTIONS | READINGS | PARISH ACTIVITIES | MINISTRY SCHEDULE |
|---|---|--|--|
| Monday, April 30 <i>St. Pius V</i> | Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26 | Uplift | Saturday, May 5 5:00pm <i>S - B. Owen</i> <i>AS - G. James; J. Coffelt</i> <i>U - J. Coxon; L. Coxon</i> <i>L - B. Beasley; P. Barmann</i> <i>EM - J. Hayes; K. Lawson;</i> <i>N. Mycanka; K. Mycanka;</i> <i>L. Page</i> |
| Tuesday, May 1 <i>St. Joseph the Worker</i> 8:00am: Vocations | Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a | 9:30am: Staff Meeting | Sunday, May 6 8:00am <i>S - E. Schmitz</i> <i>AS - E. House; D. Wemhoff</i> <i>U - L. Pratt; L. Lesniak</i> <i>L - V. Fort; A. Wemhoff</i> <i>EM - R. Brown; J. Gabriel;</i> <i>B. Gabriel; P. Wemhoff;</i> <i>J. Hill</i> |
| Wednesday, May 2 <i>St. Athanasius</i> 6:00pm: Susan Marie Cook | Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8 | 4:00pm: PSR 7:00pm: Youth Group | Sunday, May 6 10:30am <i>S - Hank & Eileen Lagermann</i> <i>AS - M. Riegal; C. Bartig</i> <i>U - Youth</i> <i>L - Youth; G. Bernal</i> <i>EM - Youth</i> |
| Thursday, May 3 <i>SS. Philip and James</i> 8:00am: † Esther Caruso | 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14 | 6:00pm: Potluck 6:45pm: Bible Study | If you are unable to minister, please call a substitute <i>S - Sacristan, AS - Alter Server,</i> <i>U - Usher, L - Lector,</i> <i>EM - Eucharistic Minister</i> |
| Friday, May 4 8:00am: † Victoria Bosch | Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17 | | |
| Saturday, May 5 <i>6th Sunday of Easter -Vigil</i> 5:00pm: Parish | Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21 | | |
| Sunday, May 6 <i>6th Sunday of Easter</i> 8:00am: the unborn 10:30am: † Charles Ramsey | Acts 10:25-36, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98:1-4; 1 Jn 4:7-10 | 10:30am: Cap & Gown Mass | |

Remember in Your Prayers

Parishioners: **Mike Waddell; Martha Hayes; Rachel Adcock; Trisha Greenwood**, daughter of John & Mary Greenwood; **Roy Harmon, Karen Perkins; Art Barrette; Joseфина & Lee Prewitt; Tyler Sumption**, son of Donna Sumption; **Chuck Sohm; Jim & Dorothy Self; Suzy Amberg**.

Family & friends of parishioners: **Angela McCarthy; Ruth Moyer**, mother of Patty Pagel; **Riley**, granddaughter of Mike and Trish Maher; **Art Sanchez**, son of Tony Sanchez; **Don Pittier**, son of Cecilia Roberts; **Kris Kerrigan**, mother of Angee Simmons.



Are you thinking about joining the Catholic church and don't know where to start?

Do you know someone who is interested in joining the Catholic church and may just need an invitation?

Please email Elizabeth at emadeo.coa@gmail.com or call 816-628-5030. Sessions start in the fall, but inquirers can begin any time, even now.



Thursday, May 3rd

6:00 P.M.

Annunciation Parish Center

Help us continue our celebration of the Easter season. Please bring a dish to share!

Altar Society

Everyone is invited to attend our next Altar Society meeting and election of officers. Tuesday, May 15th at 7:00 P.M. in the Parish Center.

Project Uplift is Monday, April 30th. Sign up in the narthex if you would like to volunteer.

Respect Life

Don't forget to wear your t-shirt to Mass next weekend, as well as the first weekend of each month!



Please attend our next meeting on **Monday, May 7th** at 6:00 P.M.

Congratulations to all who received their First Communion today!

Nick Baxter

Kandice Duncomb

Alex Keating

Sawyer Robertson

Averie Bomar

Jackson Ebert

Harmony McGinnis

Eden Roling

Julian Christoffersen

Dani Elliott

Colter Mallett

Jaxon Stokes

Eli Clay

Jordan Ernzen

Tucker Mallett

Bentley Thorne

Channing Coslet

Casey Heusi

Ryan Moran

Halle Wright

Elizabeth Dodson

Elizabeth James

Garrett Riegall



A big THANK YOU to everyone who volunteered their time or donated to our Lenten Fish Fry's. We appreciate your generosity!



The Knights of Columbus are offering a \$1000 college scholarship to any high school senior who is a parishioner of Church of the Annunciation.

For more details contact Jeff Vanfossan at 816-500-0834 or at aipc411@yahoo.com.



May

2nd - 7:00pm: Youth Group

End of the Year Bash 7th - 12th

6th - 10:30am: Senior Cap and Gown Mass and Youth-led Mass


9th - 7:00pm: Jr./Sr. High Mission Trip mtg. w/parents

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating 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 laws 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 info.


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