

CATHEDRAL

of the IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

January 30, 2022



Daily Mass

12:15 pm Monday through Friday
(Livestream)

Weekend Mass Schedule

SATURDAY [*Fulfills Sunday Obligation*]

2:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

9 a.m., 11 a.m. (Livestream), 8 p.m.

Reconciliation Schedule

TUESDAY and **THURSDAY** 11:30 a.m. to
12:00pm

SATURDAY: 1:30 p.m. to 2:15 pm

Cathedral Office

Mon-Fri: 9:00 am-3:00pm

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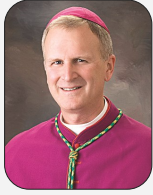
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**Eucharistic adoration every First Friday
after the 12:15 Mass until 2:00 PM**

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



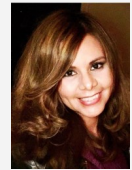
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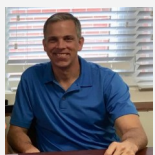
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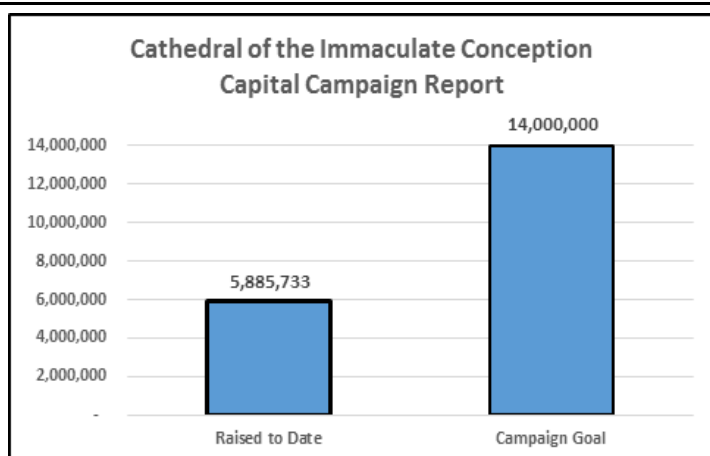
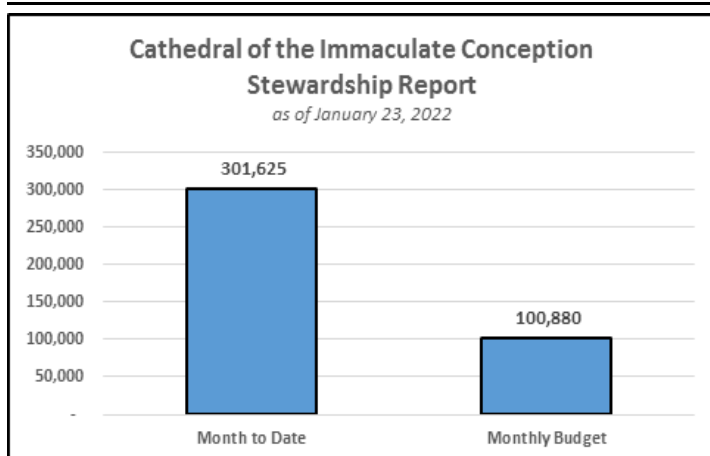
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MASS INTENTIONS
Main Cathedral

Saturday, January 29

2:30 pm + Gertrude McDermott -by a friend

Sunday, January 30

9:00 am Phêrô & Maria– Intentions—by An Trân

11:00 am + Maria Carrillo - by family

8:00 pm For Members of the Cathedral Parish

Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 31 + Eileen Alice Wyker – by a friend

Tues 1 La Porte Family– Intentions

Wed 2 + Therese Kadookunnel– by Mariamma Kadookunnel

Thurs 3 + Candida Garza– by Murillo Family

Fri 4 + Fr. Charles Michael Coleman

The small + denotes one who is deceased

CATHEDRAL CALENDAR
January/ February

Sun 30	10:00 am Knights of Columbus Rosary after 9:00 Mass (5th Sunday) 12:15 RCIA
Mon 31	6:30 pm RCIA– Zoom
Tues 1	6:30 pm Scripture Study @ O'Hara room
Wed 2	12:15 pm Blessings of candles 6:30 pm Parish Meeting about the Future of our Deanery.
Thurs 3	12:15 pm Memorial of St. Blase with Blessing of Throats 5:00 First Communion/ Reconciliation Class
Fri 4	12: 15 pm Seedtime Mass - Bp Johnston, presider 1:00—2:00 pm First Friday Adoration 4:30 pm Facebook Live with Fr. Paul
Sun 6	12:15 RCIA

Prayer List

Macario Ofilada & Family, Paige Kincaide, Bella Feliciano, James Stark.

The Challenge of Love

One of the most popular readings at weddings is this passage from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians: "Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous. It bears all things. Love never fails." It is a beautiful hymn to love, and it captures the emotions that many couples feel as they celebrate their wedding day.

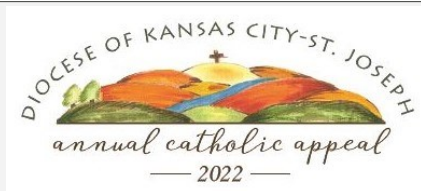
But Paul did not have marriage in mind. He was writing about the early Christian community in Corinth, the equivalent of a parish today. The members had many gifts. They were not using them well. They were divided in their sentiments. They said they believed in Jesus, but they were not acting the way he taught. Jesus wanted everyone to love God and to love their neighbor. That was not happening in Corinth.

So Paul reminded them what love is—and what it is not. "It is not jealous, it is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing." The Corinthians were guilty of all these things.

Paul would probably be surprised to know that this passage was used so often at weddings today. He would probably remark, "OK—but just remember. If this describes the love of a newly married couple, that is the kind of love you should have for everyone in your parish. Not just for one person."



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If you have not yet responded to the 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal, *To equip the holy ones for the work of ministry, in building up the body of Christ,* please reflect upon the importance of your support to ministry and outreach that relies upon the charity of the Diocese of Kansas City–St. Joseph. The challenge is immediate and far-reaching, but the solution is within out reach! Please consider the following options when deciding upon the best way to support the Annual Catholic Appeal this year: Make a pledge with payments over 10 months * Donate on line by going to the diocesan website,

www.kcsjchatolic.org

* Donate a one-time gift * Contribute a gift of appreciated stocks of securities. Whatever you decide, your gift will be greatly appreciated and make a difference in the lives of others.

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 Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or **crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org** 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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or **true.francis@diocesekcsj.org**

Help Shape the Future of our Parish

One of our greatest hopes for the future is that the Church in the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph will grow and thrive. As part of the Diocese's long-term vision, all the parishes in our deanery have become involved in a process to plan for the future. There have been site visits, meetings with parishioners, and studies of area and parish data.

A proposed plan for the future has been compiled. Please join us to review and provide input on the plan.



Wednesday, February 2 from 6:30 pm to 8 pm

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
O'Hara Room (lower level)

Questions?

Contact Michelle Reichart, Pastoral Associate, at
mreichart@kcgolddome.org or 816-842-0416 x113



At Seedtime: Celebrating a Diocesan Day of Prayer Friday February 4, 2022

Seeds represent a microcosm of all life. By our prayer, we acknowledge God's love for all creation and our responsibility to care for it. As planting season begins in late winter or early spring we the Church seek God's blessing on seeds, crops, and all creation. Gardeners, farmers, and all growers especially ask God's protection for seeds (or young plants) in fields, gardens, and greenhouses.

In the past, when the Church marked certain times of the year with Ember Days and Rogation Days, it included prayers for the Blessing of Seeds at Planting Time, as well as prayers for the Blessing of Fields and Gardens.

Our diocesan day of prayer occurs on Friday, Feb. 4, 2022. Parishes can celebrate God's gift of seeds as a microcosm of all life in several ways:

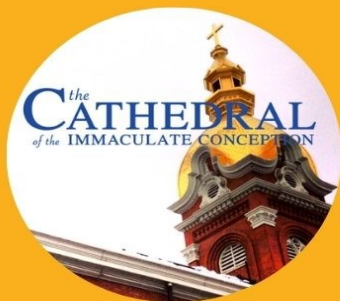
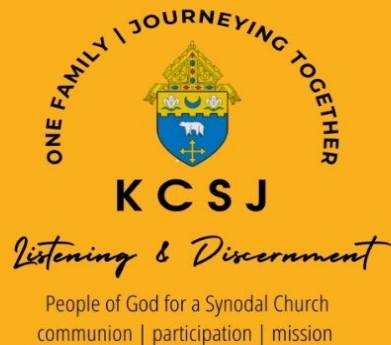
- Parish masses on Feb. 4 use the Roman Missal's prayers "At Seedtime" (#27 from Masses for Various Needs and Occasions). Blessing of seeds can occur in this context.
- Parish formation programs can use this insert from the Office of Divine Worship (<https://kcsj catholic.org/office/divine-worship>), with groups of children or youth for sacramental prep or care of creation ministries.
- Households and small faith communities can use the insert on a suitable day later in the planting season.
- At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on Feb. 4 (12:15 p.m. mass) Bishop Johnston will bless all seeds present. Seeds can be brought in person, or sent with someone ahead of time. Especially invited are gardeners, farmers, greenhouse growers, and all who work with plants or seeds.



Join us for a

Listening and Discernment Session

for the Synod on Journeying Together as the People of God



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16
6:30 pm to 8 pm

CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION, O'HARA ROOM
(LOWER LEVEL OF THE CATHEDRAL- ACCESS
THROUGH THE DOOR NEAR 12TH STREET)

OR JOIN VIA ZOOM:

[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/YUCDZRMV](https://tinyurl.com/yucdzrmy)

Passcode: 0ky6ra

All members of the parish and diocese
are welcome to participate.

For more information on the synod,
visit [https://kcsjcatholic.org/synod2021-
2023/](https://kcsjcatholic.org/synod2021-2023/).

QUESTIONS?

Contact Michelle Reichart, Pastoral
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mreichart@kcgolddome.org

Tax Statements

Contributions statements for 2021 have been mailed. If you don't receive yours within a week, please contact Adriana Mears at the parish office.



A Resolution for Your Marriage! . . . In 2022 resolve to tell, and show, your spouse that you love them every day. Join us on a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** to learn a simple, but powerful tool, that makes saying "I love you" part of the fabric of your everyday life. The next in-person weekends will be **February 25-**

27 in Kansas City, KS or March 18-20 in Carthage, MO. For more information, visit the website at www.WWME.org or contact Deacon Tony & Barb Zimmerman at 816-741-4066, tonybarbz@prodigy.net

CATHEDRAL LIVESTREAMING MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Cathedral has a state-of-the-art live streaming system to share the good news of the gospel, broadcasting our daily Mass and Sunday 11 am Mass. If you have audio mixer and video production skills, we invite you to assist our ministry. Training will be provided. Please contact Dr. Mario Pearson mpearson@kcgolddome.org

We are looking for new members of the Stewardship Council, which promotes the giving of time, talent and treasure. You may nominate yourself or someone else by contacting the office.

We are also looking for new members of the pastoral council that provides vision for the parish.

Scripture Study: The Letter to the Hebrews begins on Tuesday, February 1, at 6:30 P.M. in the O'Hara Room.

For information, please email Dcn Steve Livingston at slivingston@kcgolddome.org

OFFICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP TRAININGS

SICK AND HOMEBOUND WORKSHOP: FEBRUARY 8

Father Paul Turner and Ms. Peg Eckerdt will offer training for extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion to the sick and homebound at St. Gregory Barbarigo Parish in Maryville from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. on February 8.

If you would like to attend please contact Adriana Mears @ amears@kcgolddome.org or 816-842-0416 ext 124

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January 30, 2022 by John Kraus, MGM Director



Loving & Serving the Homeless of Kansas City

BOOSTER LINE

Last Friday the guests lined up to receive their COVID booster shots. Our partners Care Beyond the Boulevard and the Greater KC Coalition to End Homelessness provided the vaccine booster, and also provided a small cash incentive. Another incentive for our homeless guests to get vaccinated is the opportunity to watch the Chiefs playoff game on Jan. 30 on the big screen at MGM. Parishioners are invited to watch with us as well, just bring your vaccination card and your appetite for chili.



TAILGATE LETTERS

This past week, donors to Tailgate2021 should have received their charitable contribution letter for giving to the fundraiser last Fall. Letters for this fundraiser are sent separately from the Cathedral contribution letter which also includes other donations throughout 2021 to MGM. Any questions just call or email jkraus@kcgolddome.org.

Immediate Needs:

Sleeping Bags

Rolling luggage

Tents

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