

CATHEDRAL

of the IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

The Ascension of the Lord



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

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

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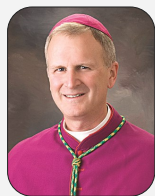
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**Eucharistic adoration every First Friday
after the 12:15 Mass until 2:00 PM**

May 29, 2022



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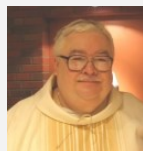
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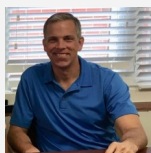
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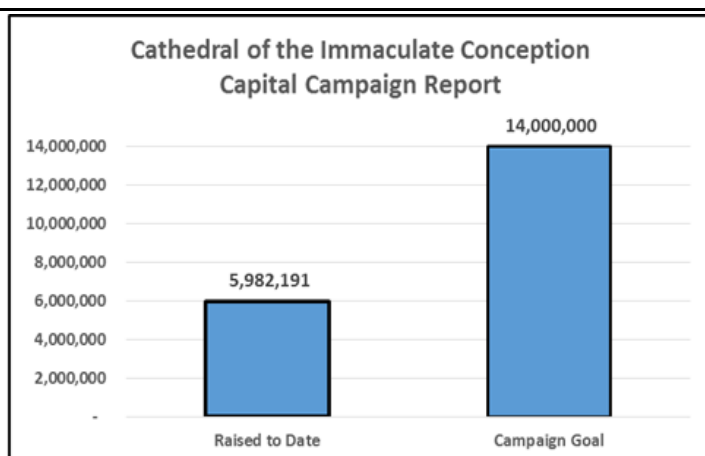
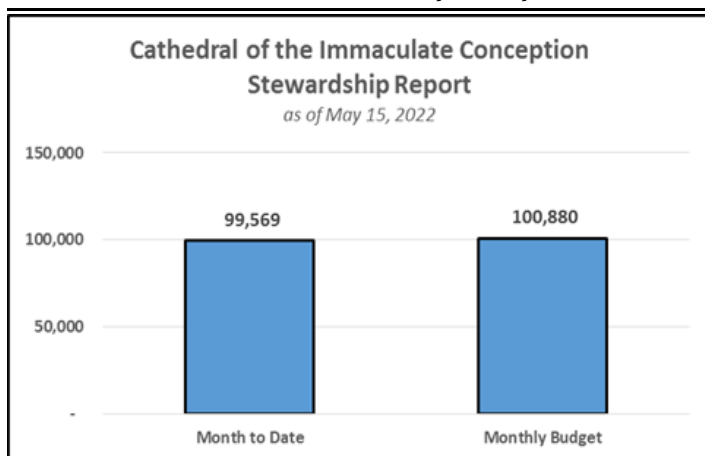
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MASS INTENTIONS
Main Cathedral

Saturday, May 28

2:30 pm Herrera - Chavez Family —Wellness

Sunday, May 29

9:00 am For the Sick Around the World

11:00 am All experiencing physical & mental illness

8:00 pm For Members of the Cathedral Parish

Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 30 For the Sick Around the World

Tues 31 + Lucy Wyker– by a friend

Wed 1+ Mae Brown

Thurs 2 Thanksgiving to Divine Mercy of God – by Genny

Fri 3 For Peace in the World

The small + denotes one who is deceased

CATHEDRAL CALENDAR
May

Sat 28	4:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal
Sun 29	2:30 pm Wedding: Michael Steidle/ Cassandra Lee. Congratulations!
Mon 30	Memorial Day Parish Office Closed
Tue 31	6:30 pm Scripture Study: Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible @ O'Hara room
Wed 1	6:30 pm Prayer and Pints- Young Adult Event
Thu 2	7:00 pm and 9:30 pm Candlelight Concerts (FEVER) The Cathedral is the venue host, not the event organizer. Tickets at this link https://feverup.com/m/111136
Fri 3	1:00 pm –2:00 pm First Friday Adoration 4:30 pm Facebook Live with Fr. Paul 5:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal 6:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal
Sat 4	12:00 pm Wedding: Spencer Ward/ Marie Reddy. Congratulations! 4:30 pm Charles Hoeven/ Emily Hafner Congratulations!
Sun 5	Pentecost Sunday

A low-angle, upward-looking photograph of several modern skyscrapers with glass facades, creating a sense of height and urban density. The buildings are rendered in a light, desaturated blue-grey tone, serving as a background for the text.

JOIN US FOR

PRAYER AND PINTS

**WEDNESDAY
6/1/2022**

*ROSARY AT 6:30PM AT THE CATHEDRAL OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (416 WEST 12TH, KCMO)*

*FOLLOWED BY FELLOWSHIP AT
THE QUAFF BAR & GRILL
(1010 BROADWAY, KCMO)*

QUESTIONS?

Contact Michelle Reichart at
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Hosted by Cathedral Young Adults

Congratulations!



Baptism:
Miguel Perea
5/21/2022

Wedding:
Kiersten Schorgl
&
Grant Whelply
5/21/2022



The Ascension of the Lord ABC 2

Ephesians 1:17-23

Power Source

Nations build up their power through politics, weapons and wealth. Strong leaders can unite their people to promote a cause. Mighty arsenals can overcome enemies. Money can buy influence and technology. Nations feel secure when they hold power.

As citizens, we sometimes take false hope in the security of our nation. It is nearly impossible to guard against every attack, to control every enemy and to protect our national treasures. It is tempting to rely on the standards of national power: politics, weapons and wealth.

The Letter to the Ephesians takes another view of power. It assumes that all power belongs to God, not to people, and that God has assigned authority to Christ, “raising him from the dead and seating him at his right hand in the heavens.” God put all things beneath the feet of Christ “and gave him as head over all things.”

But Jesus is no politician. He owns no weapons. He possesses no earthly wealth. His dominion differs from that of temporal rulers. Believers of every nation put their trust in Christ. They follow his teachings. Most importantly, they believe he is the victor over death. Jesus has conquered death, the enemy of every human. With Jesus as our head, we enjoy unparalleled freedom and release from all our fears.

Those who follow Christ put their trust in other forms of power—perfect love of God and neighbor.

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Prayer List

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

Scripture Study: Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible. Starting Tuesday, May 24 at 6:30 P.M. in the O’Hara Room.

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

When you order from Amazon Smile you may designate the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception your beneficiary.

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**

Happenings & Opportunities Throughout the Diocese

Rachel's Vineyard-Kansas City Site



Healing Hearts in the Heart of the Nation

Are you, or someone you love, suffering the emotional pain of an abortion? Consider attending a local Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. Women and men of all ages are welcome. This weekend retreat offers a beautiful, confidential opportunity to experience healing and forgiveness.

Upcoming retreats in the Kansas City area:

July 22-24, 2022 October 21-23, 2022

Start the Healing!

For additional information, or to register, please call (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com. You may also learn more by visiting www.rachelsvineyardkc.org or www.rachelsvineyard.org.

Easing into Contemplative Prayer with the Ignatian Spirituality Center of Kansas City Wednesdays, June 8 – July 13, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM ZOOM

Looking to reinvigorate your life in prayer this summer? Join us for a 6-week long experience of exploring the four stages of prayer that lead to contemplation. We will be reading together *The Armchair Mystic* by Fr. Mark Thibodeaux, SJ and praying his suggested exercises to help cultivate a deeper relationship with our Lord. You will read about 5 pages per day and pray for 30 minutes and meet weekly with your group to reflect and share about your prayer experience. Weekly gatherings will begin on Wednesday, June 8th at 7:00 PM. Cost \$35 (book not included)

For more information and to register, please see our events page <https://www.ignatiancenterkc.org/events>

FREEDOM IN CHRIST PENTECOST VIGIL

Guardian Angels Church (**handicap accessible**)
1310 Westport, Kansas City, MO 64111
Saturday, June 4, 2022
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. - **Worship, Teachings,
Prayer Ministry & Mass**

Scripture tells us that before Jesus ascended he instructed his distraught disciples not to leave Jerusalem until the Holy Spirit came upon them in fulfillment of the Father's promise. As they gathered in the upper room in prayer on the Day of Pentecost everyone present was filled and transformed in the power of the Holy Spirit. We today are much like the disciples as we navigate days of uncertainty and confusion. But we who have heard the Good News know God is in control and nothing that we see, hear or fear will defeat His Purposes. The Vigil of Pentecost will be an opportunity to reignite the fire of the Holy Spirit setting us free and giving us His peace as we await the unfolding of the Lord's Perfect Plan in our own personal lives and in the world. Registration \$10 per person and optional meals \$8. Meals must be pre-ordered by May 31, 2022. Call 816-885-2322 or email c.sikorski@att.net for details

Morning Glory Ministries

May 29, 2022

by Tom Turner,
MGM Education Minister



Loving & Serving the Homeless of Kansas City

I Don't Want To Come In Last

Years ago, a friend and I ran in the Hospital Hill Race, 7.7 miles. As we stood among the thousands of runners just minutes before the race, my friend surveyed the crowd as if looking for someone in particular. So, I asked, "Whom are you looking for?"

He said, "I'm just looking for someone I know I can beat. I just don't want to come in last."

It's human nature not to be "last." I read recently that the news-media shows more stories about victims than heroes, as viewers would rather see the former so that they feel that their own life is somehow better. Viewers, too, don't want to be last.

One way to feel superior is put down someone else, figuratively, to "throw stones." The first reading today is a story about a group of people who literally threw stones at St. Stephen, considered the first martyr of Christianity.

The people didn't like Stephen's message so they stoned him. Today, when people don't like what others say, they "stone" them on social media or by gossip.

Like my friend before the race, we may be tempted to see people who are homeless as those who will come in last, someone I can "beat." And we may be tempted to throw a few stones their way, "They're all lazy, or on drugs, or thieves;" instead of seeing them as people who are struggling.

Throwing stones is easier than helping.

In the Gospel this weekend, Jesus' final prayer on earth before his ascension is that we all might be one. In other words, we should not look for people we can beat; rather we should look for people we can help. That's how we become one.



Volunteers line up to serve breakfast each morning. Interacting with those who are different is how we become "one".

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