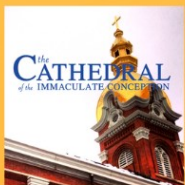




ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL WEEKEND OCTOBER 14-15

As you may know, gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal serve as the primary means to fund the more than 30 ministries, directed through the Diocesan Chancery Offices, that assist our parishes and Catholics throughout the diocese. While our financial goal of \$2,000,000 is very important, it is just as essential for each of us to grow in faith and to accompany others into a life of faith and life in Jesus. Put simply, the ACA strengthens your parish and every parish. We need each other to do “the work of the ministry.” God has given us many blessings. Let us join together as one family through acts of love as disciples of Our 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

Cathedral Office

Mon-Fri: 9:00 am-3:00pm
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Eucharistic adoration every First Friday
after the 12:15 Mass until 2:00 PM

Prayer List

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Bella Feliciano, Beatrice Ramirez,
Sgr Christopher Morales Jr.,
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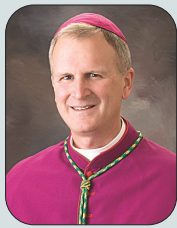
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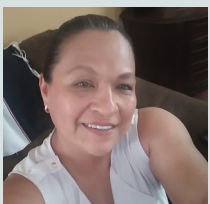
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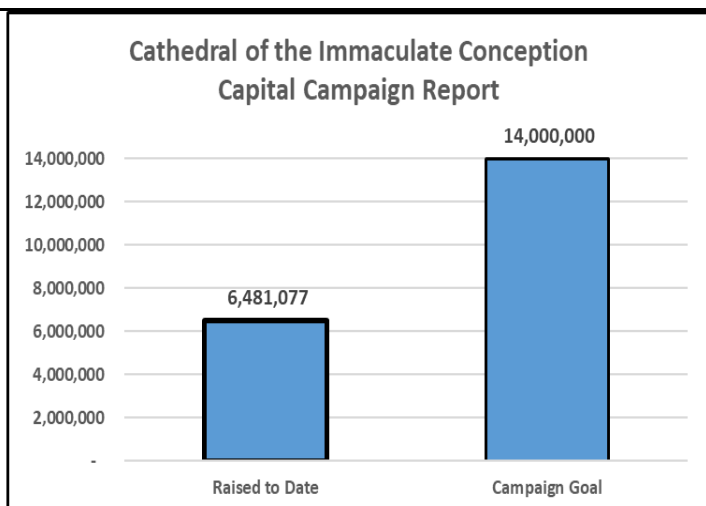
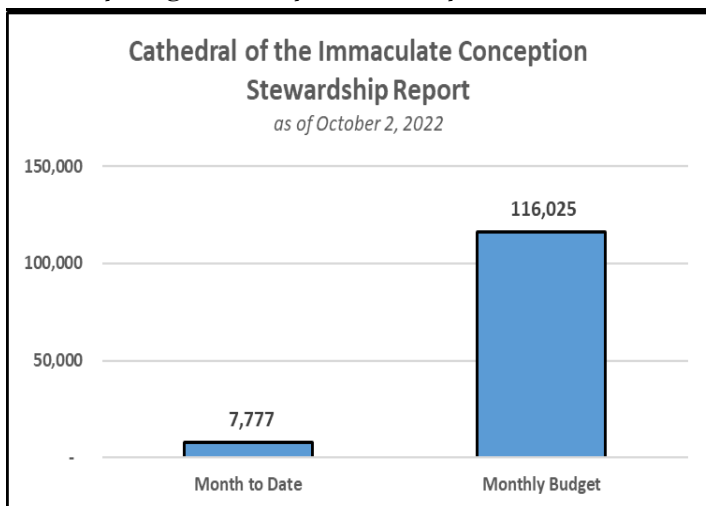


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MASS INTENTIONS
Main Cathedral

Saturday, October 8

2:30 pm + Annamma Melemuriyil- by Mariamma Kadookunnel

Sunday, October 9

9:00 am + Francisco Rincon Urquiza – by family

11:00 am + Belen Murillo —by Murillo family

8:00 pm For Members of the Cathedral Parish

Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 10 + Fr. Michael Gilgannon

Tues 11 For the Sick

Wed 12 In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Guadalupe– by Cortez Chavez family

Thurs 13 + Mae Brown

Fri 14 For Peace in The World

The small + denotes one who is deceased

CATHEDRAL CALENDAR
October

Sat 8	6:00 pm Wedding: Matthew Mullin/ Adelayda Herrejon. Congratulations!
Sun 9	12:15 pm Catholics and Coffee 3:00 pm Sr. Claudette Memorial Concert
Tues 11	6:30 pm Scripture Study: The Ten Commandments.
Thurs 13	5:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal 5:30 pm Knights of Columbus Officer & general membership meetings at O'Hara room. 6:30 pm RCIA- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Fri 14	4:30 pm YouTube Live with Fr. Paul 5:00 pm Wedding: George Brophy/ Leslie Starks. Congratulations! 7:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal
Sat 15	Annual Catholic Appeal 4:30 pm. Wedding: Michael Gebauer/ Abby Miller. Congratulations!
Sun 16	Annual Catholic Appeal Coffee and Donuts after morning Masses - by Stewardship Council

WORKSHOP PRESENTATION

THE RESPONSORIAL PSALMS OF ADVENT

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OCTOBER 26, 2022 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

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AND VIA ZOOM



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Catholics & Coffee

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9
12:15 PM

@ SPOKES CAFE

1200 Washington Street, Suite B
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Join the Cathedral Young Adults for Coffee and Scripture Study after 11:00 am Mass. Brewed coffee will be provided at no cost.



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Questions? Contact mreichart@kcgolddome.org



Sr. Claudette Schiratti, RSM, recently passed away after a short illness. Sr. Claudette was also a staff organist at the Cathedral while she lived in Kansas City. Her legacy and work in our Diocese and the Office of Divine Worship greatly impacted parishes and musicians in our diocese.

A concert will be held in her honor on Sunday, October 9, at 3 pm in the Cathedral. We will celebrate the life and ministry of an extraordinary woman through music and stories about her impact on individuals and communities of faith.

The concert will also be live streamed on the Cathedral's YouTube page. Please subscribe to our channel to receive notifications of this and other Cathedral events.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1cWgohlgp1LgFT2Wkl4p2w/videos>

CATHEDRAL YOUNG ADULTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

FALL 2022

CATHOLICS & COFFEE

**SUNDAYS- OCTOBER 9 & 23,
NOVEMBER 6 & 20, DECEMBER 11**

12:15 PM @ SPOKES CAFE
(1200 WASHINGTON, SUITE B, KCMO 64105)

JOIN US FOR COFFEE AND SCRIPTURE STUDY AFTER 11 AM MASS.
BREWED COFFEE WILL BE PROVIDED AT NO COST.

PRAYER & PINTS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

JOIN US FOR ALL SOULS DAY MASS AT 7 PM
FOLLOWED BY FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP @ THE QUAFF

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

JOIN US FOR THE PRELUDE TO CHRISTMAS CONCERT
AT 6:30 PM
FOLLOWED BY FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP @ THE QUAFF

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

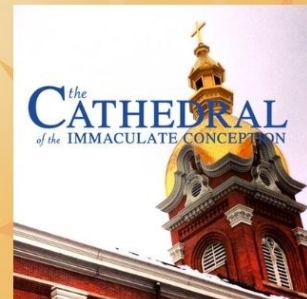
OCTOBER 7, NOVEMBER 4, DECEMBER 2

1 PM TO 2 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
FOLLOWING 12:15 PM MASS

QUESTIONS?

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





The new finial looks beautiful on top of the cathedral, and many people have praised the repainted areas on the front of our building. The funds we spent did not include repainting the very top of the cathedral front. We're hoping some donor may step forward with \$8,000 to cover that. Know of anyone?

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception thanks you for your support by inviting you to this exciting wine tasting and workshop:

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- You may be able to increase your income significantly?

2 available times to attend

Tues., Oct. 25th

12:00 PM Social

12:30 PM Presentation

Thurs., Oct. 27th

6:30 PM Social

7:00 PM Presentation

Location: Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception – O’Hara Room

Learn answers to these questions and enjoy a special wine tasting by joining us on Tues., Oct. 25th or Thurs., Oct. 27th!

To RSVP email Adriana Mears at amears@kcgolddome.org or call at (816) 842-0416, ext. 124 today!



Gliding into a Hole

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Timothy 2:8-13

At the end of a hard day's work, at the beginning of a tough month, in the middle of a difficult season — some people feel like quitting. But they cannot. They have to keep on working, even in the face of failure. Like rowers slipping downstream when they strive to paddle up, they see no progress. But if they stop, it only gets worse. Often it is debt that saps our energy. We get deeper into trouble, and there seems no way out.

Rule number one for getting out of a hole is simple: Quit digging.

Even in the Christian life we all go through times of despair. Our prayer does not seem what it used to be. We are not as faithful at attending church as we would like. The feasts and seasons drift by without acknowledgment. Kindness to a neighbor seems unappealing.

Some people let their faith glide into a hole that seems unfathomable. They do not know what to do.

The Second Letter of Timothy knows what to do: "Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David." Jesus was the Son of God, but he was also human, a descendant of David. He was human like us. And he was raised from the dead.

Remember that. "If we have died with him we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him." He remains faithful to us if we open our hearts to him and remember.

Save the Date

2023 CATHEDRAL
FESTIVAL & AUCTION

Thursday, May 18

6 PM @ THE CATHOLIC CENTER



Happenings & Opportunities Throughout the Diocese



"Journey to Bethany – Hope and Healing for Survivors of Clergy Sexual Abuse"

Journey to Bethany serves those harmed by clergy sexual abuse with actions of healing and justice. The Journey to Bethany community includes survivors, their families and supporters, and caring people like you.

Here are a few of the resources we provide more can be found at www.journeytobethany.org.

- Counseling Referrals in Partnership with the OCYP (diocese pays for counseling)
- Monthly Survivor Support Gathering
- Prayer Support from the Community
- Spiritual Guides

If you'd like to learn more, you can reach us at 816-683-8999. Follow us on social to stay up to date on new resources and ways to help or by signing up for our monthly email.



Faith, Hope and Love . . . Are these present in your marriage? Have you given up hope that they can be?

In 1 Corinthians 13:13 Jesus tells us the greatest of these is Love. Living in a marriage that is missing love can be difficult. If you have given up hope that your marriage can and will get better, ask your spouse to consider attending a Retrouvaille program. Retrouvaille is an international Christian-based ministry that offers a three-stage program to help couples improve their marriages. First, a weekend program is attended, followed by post-weekend meetings. Finally, an on-going monthly small group of couples gather for support and growth. If improving your marriage is important to you, reach out today. For more information about an upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, October 14-16, 2022, contact registration team: Local Telephone @ 800-470-2230 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.com

The Diocese of Kansas City – St. Joseph has an immediate opening for a Human Resources Generalist. This position is a key support function for the parishes, schools, cemeteries, and chancery office within the Diocese. The HR Generalist will guide employee experience, serving the people who serve the people of God. This position is full-time and benefits eligible. For more information or to apply, visit <https://kcsjatholic.org/start/job-openings>.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES IS HIRING

Staff Accountant, full-time, Kansas City. Food Pantry Coordinator, full-time, Kansas City. Family Development Specialist, full-time, Kansas City. Supportive Services for Veterans and Families Health Care Navigator, full-time, Kansas City. Supportive Services for Veterans and Families Housing Case Manager, full-time Kansas City. Parish Outreach Manager, full-time, Kansas City.
Catholic Charities of Kansas City - St Joseph - Job Opportunities (paylocity.com)

WEEKEND RETREAT FOR WOMEN WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED INFERTILITY OR PREGNANCY LOSS

For women who have experienced infertility or miscarriage, join October 21st to 23rd for a peaceful weekend away at Christ's Peace House of Prayer, 22131 Meagher Road, Easton, KS, 66020. This retreat will be focused on healing your sense of self, and your view of your body by spending time with Your Creator and the life-giving gifts He has given you. With this retreat, there will be Adoration, supportive small groups, 1:1 mindset coaching, nutritious meals, Pietra Fitness, creative activities, and beautiful nature all around you. RSVP at fullnessoflifecoaching.com.

More information, Marie Justin at fullnessoflifefertility@gmail.com. Scholarships available thanks to generous donors.

CITY ON A HILL

City on a Hill is the Catholic young adult apostolate that provides community, inspiration, and formation for young adults in the Kansas City metro area. Offerings throughout the year include sports leagues, small groups for men and women, trips, and retreats. There are two major events that alternate monthly. KC Underground (KCU) is a powerful opportunity to come before the Lord in Adoration by candlelight, accompanied by prayerful music and the opportunity to receive Reconciliation. Tuesdays at the Boulevard begins with Mass at Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Parish, followed by drinks and pizza at Boulevard Brewery.

Upcoming event dates:

- Tuesdays at the Boulevard – November 15 at Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Parish, 2544 Madison Avenue, Kansas City
- KCU – October 20 at St. Michael the Archangel Parish, 14251 Nall Avenue, Overland Park, KS

www.kansascityonahill.org/get-connected to receive the weekly email, The Loop for invitations to these and other upcoming events.

OUTPACE POVERTY 5K

REGISTER NOW! – Join us October 22 on our mission to Outpace Poverty! Race will start and end on Avila University's Campus. Create a parish team and double the fundraising efforts. www.outpacepoverty.org, kpike@ccharities.com or 816.221.4377.

PARISH FOOD DRIVES – SUPPORT OUR SERVE & LIFT CENTERS- Our Cameron food distribution program has launched and is meeting food and nutrition needs in a number of northern communities – in partnership with our parishes in those regions. The program needs shelf-stable food on a regular basis. If your parish could consider one time or regular food drives, you could be an important partner in this effort to address food insecurity. We will drop off and pick up our food barrels. Contact Linda, volunteers@ccharities.com or 816.659.8205.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR MOBILE FOOD PANTRY OUTREACH – Immediate need for food pantry volunteers at all our parish outreach stops, check the link to see locations, dates and times <http://www.serveandliftcenter.org>. Volunteers must be available during the work week, during business hours. If interested, Linda: volunteers@ccharities.com or 816.659.8205.

LEARN AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE – BEGINNERS WELCOME Classes Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at St. Peter Parish, 815 E Meyer Boulevard, Kansas City, 64131. First class is October 10. No cost to join, but must purchase a book and workbook. Deadline to sign up is October 5. More info, rscott@ccharities.com.

TKCYC 2022: BLESSED

November 19-20: Chika Anyanwu & The Scally Brothers
Join us for Blessed: Kansas City Youth Conference with musical band The Scally Brothers and featuring Catholic evangelist and author Chika Anyanwu.

Who: 9th - 12th grade youth

When: November 19-20, please register online by October 19 Where: Adams Point Conference Center, Blue Springs, MO Cost: \$90 per person

Register an individual:

https://kcsjyouthoffice.formstack.com/forms/kcyc_individual_registration_2022

Register a youth group:

https://kcsjyouthoffice.formstack.com/forms/kcyc_group_registration_2022

Questions: contact Kristen Marquis 816.714.2373 or marquis@diocesekcsj.org.

FROM CONCEPTION ABBEY GUEST CENTER UPCOMING RETREAT LISTINGS

www.conceptionabbey.org/guests/ ~ guests@conception.edu

Silent Retreat: Reconciliation and Eucharist

November 4-6

Spend a quiet weekend at Conception Abbey reflecting on the beauty and value of the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of Eucharist. Each sacrament is a real meeting with Jesus. Spiritual direction will be available as well as Eucharistic Adoration.

Silent Advent Retreat

December 2-4

Advent is a time of waiting and anticipation. Set aside time, like Mary, to ponder in your own hearts the Nativity of Our Lord. In the silence, allow the real presence of Christ dwelling within you to comfort and awaken your own spirit. The Friday night conference will prepare you with ways to use the silence well. Spiritual direction will be available as well as Eucharistic Adoration.

1MY HOUSE WORKSHOP FOR MEN – NOVEMBER 3-5

This is a 3-day confidential, intensive for men striving to overcome and heal from unwanted sexual behaviors. It is geared to maximize investment of time and money by providing the equivalent of at least 8 months of individual therapy. It will enhance the work you might have started, or jump start your journey towards healing. More information, Center for Healing, 816.786.6063, admin@centerforhealingkc.com, or <https://centerforhealingkc.com/my-house/my-house-workshop>.

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 for more information.



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October 8, 2022

by Tom Turner,
MGM Education Minister



Loving & Serving the Homeless of Kansas City



CHRISTMAS 2022

Join with MGM Family & Friends as we celebrate the season and help our guests make it through winter.

CHRISTMAS 2022 is a gathering and fundraiser to support the work of MGM. Respond to the mailer you will receive next week or visit the website and click on CHRISTMAS 2022 to sponsor the event and/or sign up to attend.

MORNINGGLORYKC.ORG

For Mercy's Sake

"I know you all don't have to do this, that is why I am so grateful for the breakfast here."

A man who came for breakfast at Morning Glory said this to me before he left. The "you all" in his expression of gratitude refers to all the volunteers, donors and staff who make the breakfast possible each morning.

His gratitude was for more than just the meal. As he said, he knew that all involved at Morning Glory "don't have to do it." He knows that people who receive the meals at Morning Glory did not pay for them, nor earn them. The meals are a gift, one might say, a gift of mercy.

The word "mercy" suggests that something is done for another even though he or she doesn't deserve it. Someone who did something illegal and is subsequently brought before a judge may say, "I throw myself at the mercy of the court," meaning, "I know I deserve a harsh punishment, but I am asking for something less."

The Gospel this Sunday is the story of ten lepers who are healed by Jesus. It says that when they saw Jesus they "raised" their voices and said, "Have mercy on us." (Some versions say "have pity on us").

For some reasons, they must have felt like they didn't deserve healing, hence, their request for mercy. And as we know from the story, Jesus was merciful to them as he healed them.

Pope Francis' first book as pope was entitled, "The Name of God is Mercy." Pope Francis writes that "mercy is the first attribute of God."

Lepers in the Bible, and folks that come for breakfast at Morning Glory, are not the only ones in need of mercy, all of us do. We begin each Mass asking the Lord for mercy and not just once but three times!

It can be tempting to give people only what they deserve. That would be considered fair or just. The Gospel asks us though that we give more than they deserve, that we give each other mercy.



A ministry of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception