

# Catholics & Coffee 2023



**Join the Cathedral Young Adults for a monthly coffee & Scripture study after 11:00 am Mass on Sunday.  
Brewed coffee will be provided at no cost.**

JULY 9  
AUGUST 6  
SEPTEMBER 10

OCTOBER 8  
NOVEMBER 5  
DECEMBER 10



@ Spokes Cafe  
1200 Washington Street, Suite B  
KC, MO 64105

Questions? Contact  
[mreichart@kcgolddome.org](mailto:mreichart@kcgolddome.org)

### **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

Temporary space:  
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Conception KC

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

### **Prayer List**

**Pam Guerra,**

**Peter Susberich.**

Each week we will be publishing a list of  
names of those who have asked for prayers.  
To put your name in the weekly bulletin for  
2023, please contact Adriana Mears.

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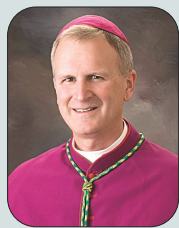
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Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception



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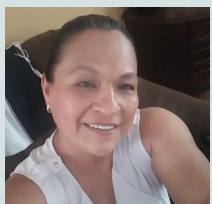
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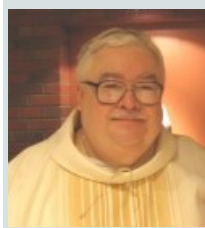
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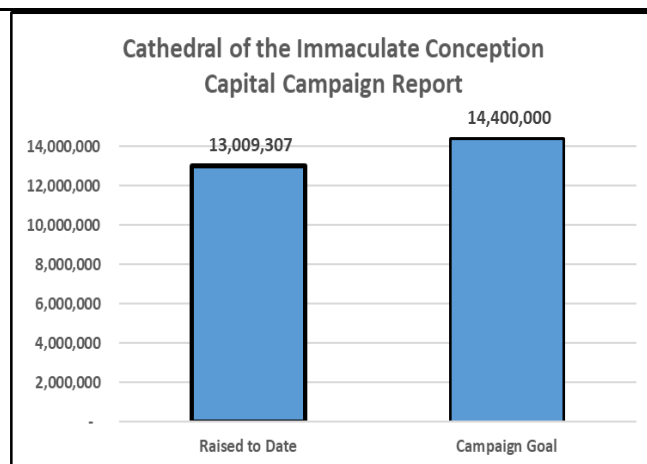
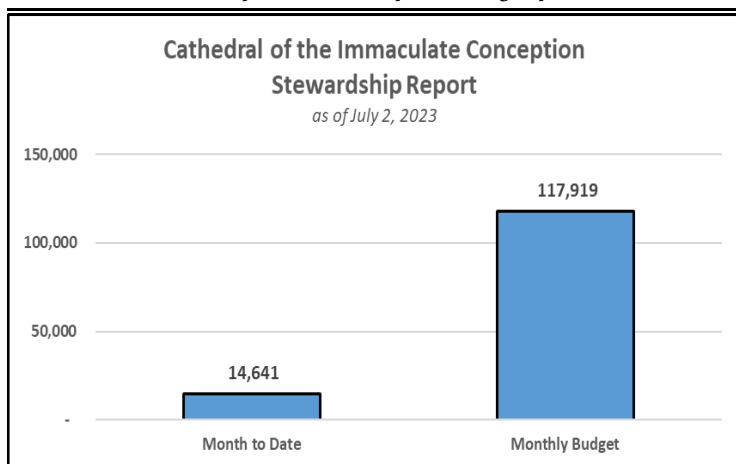


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### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, July 8

2:30 pm For the sick

#### Sunday, July 9

9:00 am For Members of the Cathedral Parish

11:00 am +Dan Vanover

8:00 pm For those suffering with addiction

#### Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 10 + Joseph Selk, Sr.

Tues 11 + Louise Vorbeck

Wed 12 + Marilyn Rhoades– by a friend

Thurs 13 Joan Gappe– birthday

Fri 14 For the Society Heart of Jesus–  
in thanksgiving

*The small + denotes one who is deceased*

### CATHEDRAL CALENDAR July

Sat 8	2:30 pm Baptism- Adela Jo Sanchez. Congratulations!
Sun 9	12:15 pm Catholics & Coffee at Spokes Café
Tues 11	6:30 pm Bible Study- The Bible Timeline
Wed 12	6:30 Knights of Columbus Officer & general membership meetings
Thurs 13	6:30 pm RCIA- Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
Fri 14	4:30 pm YouTube Live with Fr. Paul <a href="https://www.youtube.com/c/CathedraloftheImmaculateConceptionKC">https://www.youtube.com/c/CathedraloftheImmaculateConceptionKC</a> 5:00 pm Wedding Rehearsal
Sat 15	4:30 pm Wedding: Joshua Chang/ Nathalie Kiersznowski. Congratulations!
Sun 16	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# Pastoral Associate

## Job Type

Full Time

## Description

### Position Objective

The Pastoral Associate at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception will assist the pastor with administrative and pastoral duties, serve as a member of the parish staff, provide leadership and consultation for various groups, committees and processes in the parish. This position will collaborate in or direct a variety of aspects of parish life such as the faith formation team, RCIA, sacramental preparation, adult faith development, evangelization, the stewardship council with volunteerism and the annual auction, senior adults, women's spirituality, young adult ministry, sacramental records, substitute priests and social media. The position is full-time based upon 40 hours per week.

### Essential Duties

- Plan and prepare events or series for adult faith formation.
- Collaborate with Young Adult group for regularly-scheduled functions.
- Develop school-year based faith formation for children and youth.
- Direct a variety of aspects of parish life and sacramental preparation, which includes RCIA, adult confirmation, First Communion, Baptism, and Marriage preparation.

## Requirements

### Skills

- Set priorities and organize work effectively and efficiently.
- Display strong verbal and written communication skills.
- Build collaborative relationships.
- Build constructive working relationships with diverse groups of people.
- Exhibit strong teaching methods in Catechesis and discipleship principles.

### Qualifications

- Required:
  - Bachelor's Degree in Theology or equivalent experience and education.
  - 5 years' experience in Pastoral Ministry.
  - Basic proficiency in Microsoft Office.
  - Practicing Catholic with ethical standards, personal integrity, and conduct consistent with the morals and teachings of the Catholic Church; includes faithful obedience to the Magisterium.
  - Proficiency in the use and management of digital and social media.
- Preferred
  - Fluency in more than one language, as well as English (both verbal and cultural competency).

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception offers a comprehensive benefits program, including medical, dental and vision plans, STD/LTD fully paid by the employer, retirement plans including a 403b plan and a defined benefit pension plan. Paid time off includes generous Vacation and Sick leaves, plus paid Holidays.

Apply <https://recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/Details/1778974>

# Maintenance Supervisor

## Job Type

Full Time

## Description

### Summary:

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Kansas City, Missouri is seeking a full-time Maintenance Supervisor. This person will be responsible for the effective, efficient, and safe maintenance, renovation and upkeep of the parish buildings and grounds. This position is full time and will average 40 hours per week.

### Duties:

- Maintain, renovate, restore and see to the upkeep of buildings' mechanical, plumbing and electrical systems.
- Perform semi-skilled carpentry, plumbing, electrical and other minor repair work.
- Maintain grounds by mowing, pruning and ice and snow removal with ground equipment.
- Maintain inventory of supplies.
- Engage and supervise outside contractors.

## Requirements

### Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

- Collaborate with coworkers and parishioners
- Communicate professionally verbally and written
- Complete work accurately with strong attention to detail
- Lift up to 50 pounds; work safely from ladder; stand and walk majority of shift
- Work independently with occasional oversight

### Qualifications

- Strong understanding of general maintenance practices.
- Must possess general maintenance skills such as spackling, painting, carpentry, plumbing, boiler maintenance, and light electrical.
- Familiarity with the Catholic understanding of ministry is an asset.

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Note: All employees are required to consent to a background check, commit to our Code of Conduct policy, and complete online and in-person trainings prior to hire.

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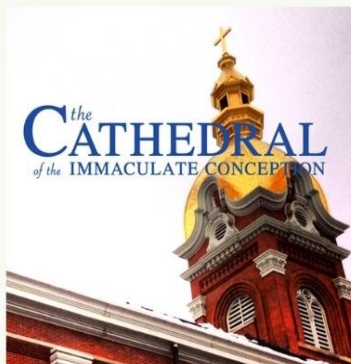
# CATHEDRAL LUNCH & LEARN SERIES GOD'S RECIPE FOR A WONDERFUL LIFE

This Lunch & Learn Series will be hosted by the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception and led by Ed Van Buskirk, founder of *If U Love Me* ministries.

At each session, Ed will give a short lesson on how the Commandments are relevant in our everyday lives, how they protect what is holy and sacred and how they call us to greatness and into relationship with Jesus and with one another. Following the session, Ed will lead a discussion on how to apply the Commandments in daily situations.

For parking directions and Zoom link, visit [kcgolddome.org](http://kcgolddome.org) (under "Upcoming" on the homepage) or email Michelle Reichart, Cathedral Pastoral Associate, at [mreichart@kcgolddome.org](mailto:mreichart@kcgolddome.org).

**"If you love me, you will keep  
my commandments."  
-John 14:15**



All are welcome!  
Bring your lunch  
and join us in  
person at the  
Catholic Center or  
via Zoom.

Join us the  
2nd & 4th Wednesday  
of each month  
at 12:15 pm.

### 2023 Dates:

July 12	October 11
July 26	October 25
August 9	November 8
August 23	November 15
September 13	November 29
September 27	

@ The Catholic Center  
Glennon Room- Lower Level  
20 W. 9th Street  
KC MO 64105  
or join via Zoom

GOLDEN WEDDING  
ANNIVERSARY MASS

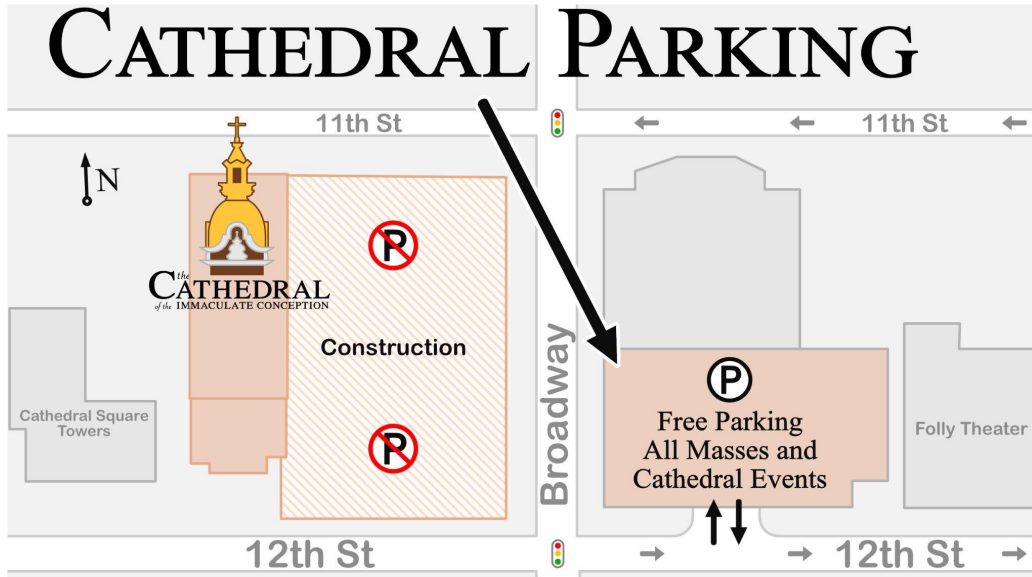


*The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on Sunday, August 27, 2023, at 11:00 AM Mass. Bishop James Johnston will preside at the mass honoring the Golden Wedding couples. A card and gift will be presented to each couple. The event is for the couples and their immediate family (limit of 10). The celebration includes those couples whose 50th Wedding Anniversary falls between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023.*

*Due to the construction, there will be no reception this year, but small treat bag will be presented to each of the jubilee couples in attendance.*

Please call Adriana Mears at the parish office so that you can be acknowledged. 816-842-0416 ext 124, You will be acknowledged even if you can not attend the event.





## Parking Barcode for July



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1. **Free parking** is available in the **parking garage** east of **Broadway on 12th Street**. *You will need a barcode to exit.* The barcode will be distributed when you visit the Cathedral and is also available on the [Cathedral Website](#). The barcode *will change every month*.
2. Attendees can pull out a parking ticket any time to get into the garage when the gates are down. Then you need to use the barcode to get out. The machine will display instructions: scan the barcode first, then insert the original ticket. If you display the code on your phone, it should let you out. If you try to print the barcode out in advance, please make sure you are using a high resolution printer, like a laser jet. It would be best to print the barcode on heavy stock paper.
3. The bar codes can be used **as many times as needed during the month**, so pick up a code at the first service you attend. Then hang on to that code for the rest of the month and you won't have to get replacements. When you get the code for the next month, dispose of the old one. Replacements are available online and at the Cathedral.
4. On high activity Bartle Hall Event days when MidCon staffs the garage entries, you need only tell the attendant that you are there for a church event and you will be let in free.
5. If the garage fills up, you will be directed to the Ten Central Garage at 10<sup>th</sup> & Broadway where you will also be allowed to park for free.
6. If **riding a bike**, racks will be available soon. For now, please park in the vestibule.

# ***Assistive Listening Devices***



The Cathedral has a limited number of assistive listening devices available for those who have difficulty hearing the audio during Mass. Please visit the sacristy before Mass to borrow a device from the sacristan. You are encouraged to bring your own headphones to plug into the unit. Kindly return it to the sacristy following Mass.



## Trusting in Humility

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Zechariah 9:9–10**

The dream for world peace ever stirs the heart of humanity. Imagine a world where nations stopped their aggression, where terrorists laid down their weapons of mass destruction, and where nations respected one another's territories and customs.

Closer to home, imagine a neighborhood where people got along, where diversity was treasured, and where violence was no more. We all long for the security that comes from peace.

Many nations, however, still hold that peace comes from a well-built arsenal. Leaders believe that a strong defense inhibits aggression and causes the desired peace.

But the prophet Zechariah envisions another kind of leader. He sees one who is just, who rescues people from their oppression. Meek, he rides a simple beast of burden, and yet his dominion extends all across the world. This leader accomplishes the desired gift of peace not from weapons, not from intimidation, but from the example of humility.

Our leaders will continue to put their trust in weapons as long as we do too. If we live in trust, we can build a place where peace will reign from sea to sea. Imagine the world at peace. Imagine it starting with you.

## Happenings & Opportunities Throughout the Diocese

In Matthew 16:17, Jesus tells Peter that he is the rock upon which the Church will be built. Just so, a husband and wife, united in the bond of marriage, are to be the rock upon which the “domestic church” is built, living in imitation of the Holy Family. Such a profound calling deserves our best efforts. A Worldwide Marriage Experience will provide you with the inspiration and the tools to live out that call daily. Spots are available on the following upcoming dates: July 14-16, 2023, in Kansas City, KS. For more information, visit the website at [www.WWME.org](http://www.WWME.org) or contact Brad & Maggie Harris at 405-206-1600, or email at [Brad.Maggie.Harris@wwme.org](mailto:Brad.Maggie.Harris@wwme.org).



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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](mailto: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](mailto:true.francis@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

## **DIOCESAN TRAININGS**

### **READER TRAINING, JULY 15**

Mary Pat Storms will lead the training of readers at St. Mary Parish in Carrollton on Saturday, July 15, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. New and experienced ministers are welcome to attend. Please contact Adriana Mears at the parish office if you would like to attend.

### **COMMUNION MINISTER TRAINING, JULY 19**

Deacon Doug Warrens will lead the training of communion ministers at St. Therese North on Wednesday, July 19, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. New and experienced ministers are welcome. Please contact Adriana Mears at the parish office if you would like to attend.

### **COMMUNION MINISTER TRAINING, JULY 25**

Father Paul Turner will lead the training of communion ministers at St. Mary Parish in Carrollton on Tuesday, July 25, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. New and experienced ministers are welcome. Please contact Adriana Mears at the parish office if you would like to attend.

### **COMMUNION MINISTER TRAINING, AUGUST 16**

Deacon Doug Warrens will lead the training of communion ministers at St. John LaLande Parish on Wednesday, August 16, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. New and experienced ministers are welcome. Please contact Adriana Mears at the parish office if you would like to attend.

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**Seeking Groundedness: The Benedictine Value of Humility**

July 14-16

Reflections on the Benedictine value of humility as a way to understand humility as selftranscendence.

Humility opens the door to the hearts of others and to the heart of God—moving us beyond self-centeredness.

**2022 – 2023 Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life  
Applications Due July 15**

The Ignatian Spirituality Center of Kansas City offers the Spiritual Exercises in Everyday Life retreat every year from September to May. This 8 to 9-month long individually directed retreat in everyday life is designed to dispose “pray-ers” to grow in relationship with God and discern more readily God’s will. You will pray daily with specific exercises and then go about your day. You will meet weekly with an Ignatian prayer guide who will companion you on this journey.

We are currently taking applications for the 2023 – 2024 season. To find out more and request an application, please visit <https://www.ignatiancenterkc.org/the-spiritual-exercises>

If you have any questions or would like further info, please email Laurie Hathman at [SEEL@ignatiancenterkc.org](mailto:SEEL@ignatiancenterkc.org)

**FREE MARQUETTE METHOD INTRODUCTION TO NFP**

Join Patrick R. Herrick, MD, PhD, and Molly Price, APRN, FNP-C, MSN, to learn about methods to assist with Natural Family Planning. This one-hour session will cover topics such as the Marquette Method, an approach to assist NFP that uses at home fertility monitors to measure and track hormone levels. The next available class is Tuesday, July 25, 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at The Birth Place: Olathe Medical Center, 20333 W. 151st Street, Olathe, KS. [www.olathehealth.org/events/natural-familyplanning](http://www.olathehealth.org/events/natural-familyplanning)