



HAPPY 45TH
Ordination Anniversary

Fr. Paul

MAY 12TH

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

Rose Garrett, Faustino Barbosa,
Deborah Diane Bond, Arthur Diaz.

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
2024, please contact Adriana Mears.

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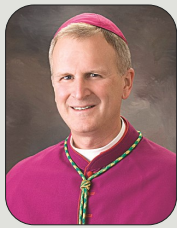
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Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception



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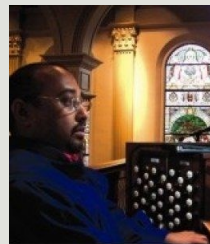
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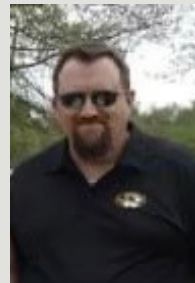
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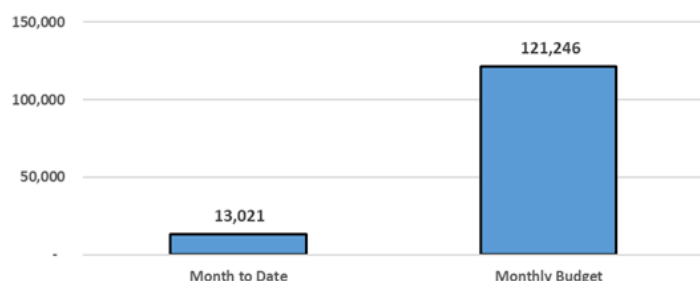
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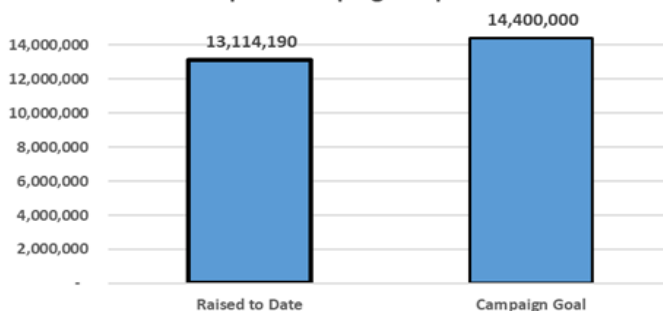
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Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
Stewardship Report
as of May 5, 2024



Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
Capital Campaign Report



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 11

2:30 pm Donna Livingston – recovery

Sunday, May 12

9:00 am Members of the Cathedral Parish

11:00 am People of the Diocese of Kansas City–
St. Joseph

8:00 pm Rosa Maria—health

Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 13 Elena Cortez– wellness

Tues 14 Holy Souls in Purgatory– by Kim Nguyen

Wed 15 + Norma Hammersmith

Thurs 16 Irma Yolanda– birthday

Fri 17 + Mae Brown

CATHEDRAL CALENDAR

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| Sat 11 | 2:30 pm Cathedral Schola Choir |
| Sun 12 | 9:00 & 11:00 Bishop Johnston Presider / Schola Choir 11:00 Confirmation /First Communion- Elliot Mejia. Congratulations! |
| Mon 13 | 5:15 pm Auction Meeting 6:30 pm RCIA |
| Tues 14 | 5:30 pm Auction Meeting |
| Wed 15 | 6:30 pm Adult Confirmation Class |
| Thurs 16 | 5:30 pm Spring Festival and Auction |
| Fri 17 | 4:30pm YouTube Live with Fr. Paul https://www.youtube.com/c/CathedraloftheImmaculateConceptionKC 5:30 pm Wedding Rehearsal |
| Sat 18 | ****Happy Birthday Mandy Brown**** Wedding: Rolando Leon/ Alyssa Gonzalez. Congratulations! |
| Sun 19 | Second Collection for Tomorrow’s Priests Vocations Fund 9:00 am Baptism Sloane Joerling. Congratulations! 10:00 am Inquiry Session (RCIA) |

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Los Tules | Jazz Music by Steve Rigazzi Duo
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MAY 16, 2024

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HAPPY 25TH ANNIVERSARY



Deacon Julio and Joselina Lara
May 15

Congratulations!

Katie Heath & Austin Christensen

5/4/24





Congratulations

Maria Clark
and
Taylor Emmendorfer

May 10, 2024





ADULT CONFIRMATION

PREPARATION COURSE FOR ADULTS
MAY 15, 22, 29 6:30-8:00PM

For Baptized Catholic Adults who
have received Holy Eucharist

REGISTER: [HTTPS://WWW.KCGOLDDOME.ORG/ADULT-CONFIRMATION-2/](https://www.kcgolddome.org/adult-confirmation-2/)
CONTACT: MBROWN@KCGOLDDOME.ORG

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception: Our Mission
We, the parish family and stewards of the Cathedral of
the Diocese of Kansas City– St. Joseph, invite all under
the gold dome to celebrate the eucharist, serve our
guests in need, grow in the Catholic faith and proclaim
the Gospel of Christ.

Sacred Banquet



**Antanina Kalechyts,
organist**



**Matthew
Christopher Shepard,
conductor, Te Deum**



**Fr. Paul Turner
Pastor of the Cathedral**

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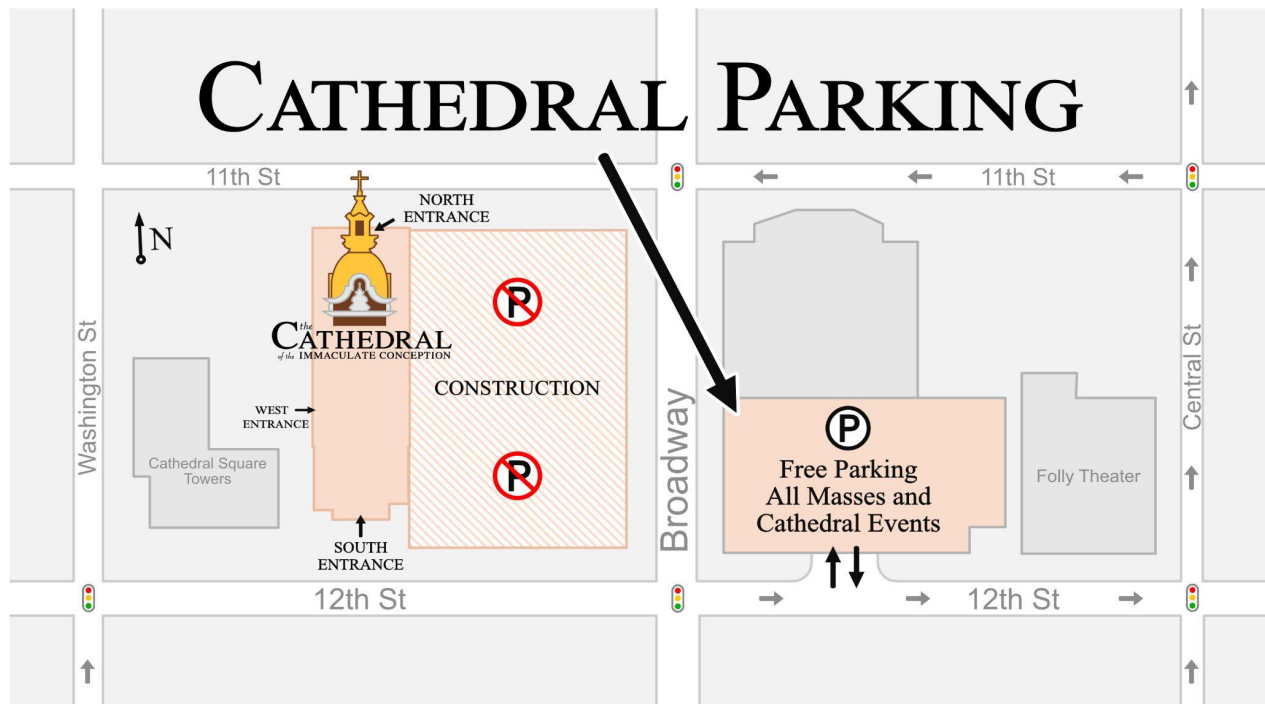
The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception

On the corner of 11th and Broadway

June 3, 2024

6:30 p.m. Pre-Concert lecture by Fr. Paul Turner

7:00 p.m. Concert



[Parking Barcode for May](#)



515312024 EXPIRES 5/31/2024

1. Free parking is available in the parking garage east of Broadway on 12th Street. You will need a [barcode](#). The barcode is available on slips of paper at the Cathedral and on our [website](#). The barcode changes every month.
2. To enter the garage, using paper or your phone, turn the barcode toward the electronic reader to raise the arm. You will also use it to exit.
3. The same barcode can be used throughout the month.
4. If an attendant is on duty, show your barcode and explain you are going to the Cathedral.
5. If the garage fills up, you may be directed to a different garage.
6. If riding a bike, you may park it in the vestibule.

Journey of Faith

Are You Interested in Becoming Catholic?

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception welcomes individuals or families who are interested in joining our Catholic faith community.

Year-Round Catechesis

Those who have already been baptized into another Christian community will prepare for reception into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church. The Rite of Reception will include Confirmation and First Communion. You may be received at any Sunday throughout the year after completing formation..

FORMATION We offer year-round formation. Participants attend Sunday Mass and regular formation sessions.

SEEKING BAPTISM

Those who have not been baptized will prepare for baptism through the RCIA, process which includes the periods of Precatechumenate, Catechumenate, Purification and Enlightenment, and Mystagogy. Baptism takes place at the Easter Vigil.

HOW DO I START THE PROCESS?

Whether you are baptized or unbaptized, the first step in this process is to fill out the RCIA Registration Form on our website, then I'll follow up with you to explain the rest of the process. www.golddome.org.

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WHAT IS RCIA?

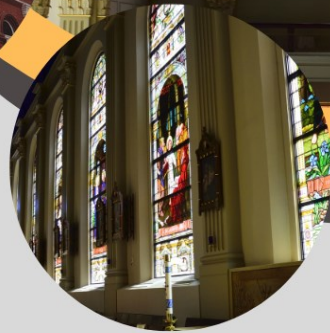
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is modeled on the initiation ritual of the early Christian church. It is an experience of personal formation and spiritual growth which incorporates prayer, study, reflection, and discernment in a combination of public rituals and community preparations. It is the way unbaptized persons become Catholic.

FORMATION We offer year-round formation. Participants attend Sunday Mass, Breaking Open the Word, and regular formation sessions.

Breaking Open the Word takes place each week during Sunday Mass. During these sessions, you will discuss God's Word in the Sunday scripture readings and your personal journey of faith.



Building
GLORY



CATHEDRAL RESTORATION PROJECT

**THE BUILDING GLORY CAMPAIGN IS EXPANDING TO
FUND NECESSARY RENOVATIONS INSIDE AND
OUTSIDE OF OUR BEAUTIFUL CATHEDRAL.**



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POWER SOURCE

The Ascension of the Lord
Ephesians 1:17-23

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 important, 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.

Save the Date for VBS!



Vacation Bible School

Come to the Table invites children in grades 1 - 5 to see that God loves and welcomes all people and challenges them to share that same love and hospitality in their everyday lives. Limited spots, register early.

We will attend Mass each day.



Join us for Games, Music, Bible Adventures, and Much, Much More.

July 22 - 26 9:00am - 1:00pm



**THE ST. JOSEPH GIFTSHOP
WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL THE
THE BISHOP HOGAN
CENTER OPENS
THANK YOU FOR YOUR
UNDERSTANDING**

Happenings & Opportunities Throughout the Diocese

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.

Upcoming events:

- Tuesdays at the Boulevard- May 21st, 6:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Parish, 2544 Madison Avenue, Kansas City, 64108.
- KC Underground- June 29th, 7:00 p.m. at St. Therese (North) Parish, 7207 NW Highway 9, Kansas City, 64152. Includes Serra route pilgrims to National Eucharistic Revival to Indianapolis in July.

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

BENEDICTINE COLLEGE FAMILY WEEK RETREAT

May 26-May 31, Benedictine College: 1020 N 2nd Street, Atchison, KS 66002

Benedictine College Center for Family Life is hosting a week-long family enrichment retreat, starting Sunday, May 26th through Sunday, May 31st. Families come for a unique retreat experience of marriage and family through the Catholic lens with talks, fellowship, prayer, and fun activities: <https://www.benedictine.edu/events/familyweek/#info>.

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.



Come, let us Adore.

MONASTIC EXPERIENCE

In-person, for single women, ages 18-40

JUNE 1-6, 2024

INFO: CONTACT SISTER MARIA VICTORIA, VOCATION DIRECTOR
(660) 944-2221 EXT. 127 | VOCATION@BENEDICTINESISTERS.ORG

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Upcoming Dates in Kansas City

June 14-16th 2024
November 15 -17th 2024

