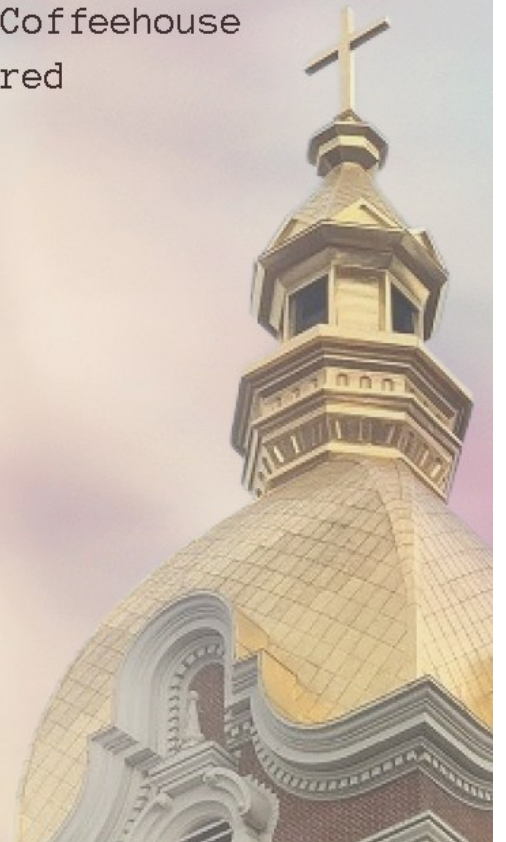


Mother's Day Brunch at the Cathedral

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Sunday May 11, 2025 at Noon
Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception

Catering by Chez Elle Crêperie & Coffeehouse
Advance Reservation Required



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

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
2025, please contact Adriana Mears

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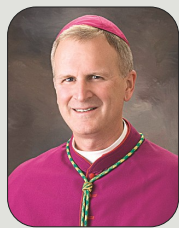
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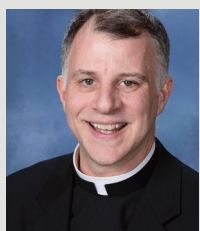
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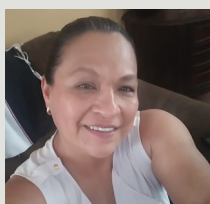
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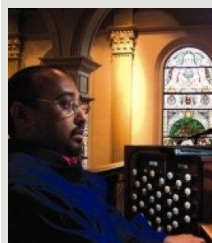
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**CATHEDRAL CALENDAR
April**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 5

2:30 pm For Cathedral Parishioners

Sunday, April 6

9:00 am For the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph

11:00 am For the Sick

8:00 pm For Children and Families

Weekday - 12:15 p.m.

Mon 7 For Veterans

Tues 8 Kevin Gerard Clark - For Recovery

Wed 9 Mila Gappe - Safe Travels

Thurs 10 For World Peace

Fri 11 Jenny Gappe - Safe Travels

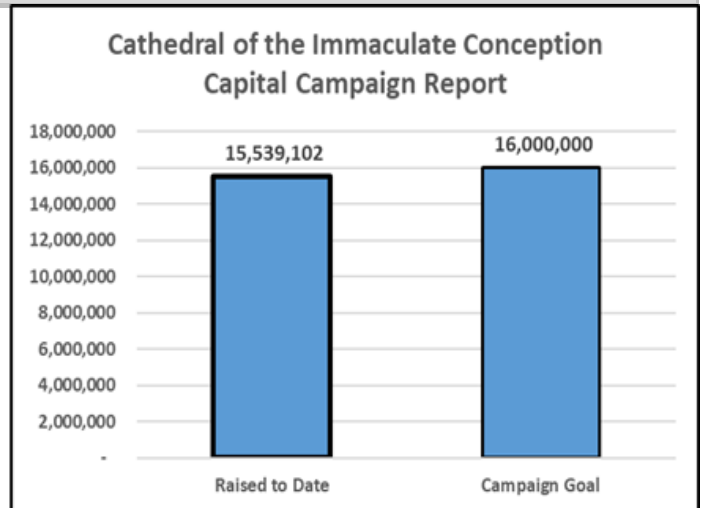
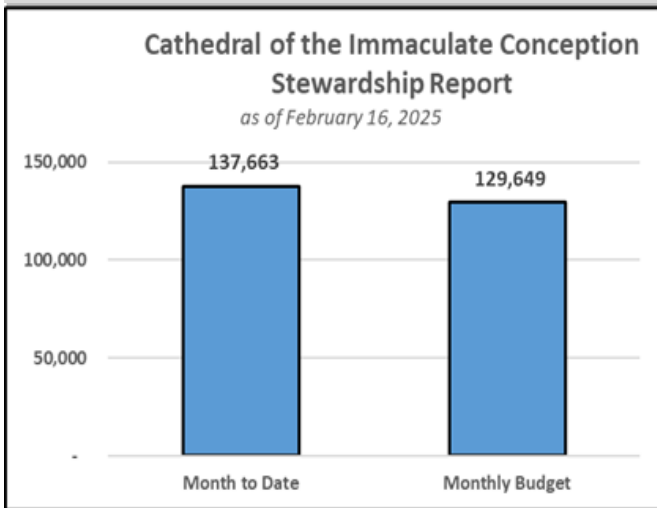
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Sun 6	10:00 am Inquiry Session (OCIA) 10:00 am 1st Communion Class - Small Conference Room Bishop Johnston will preside for the Morning Masses. 8:00 pm Third Scrutiny
Mon 7	6:30 pm The Chosen Scripture Study
Wed 9	8:30 am Faith Christian Academy Tour 6:00 pm Mass for OCIA Handing On the Lord's Prayer. All are welcome.
Thurs 10	7:00 pm Chrism Mass - All Welcome
Fri 11	6:00 pm Stations of the Cross
Sat 12	2:30 pm Palm Sunday Mass
Sun 13	9:00 am Palm Sunday Mass - Bishop Johnston will preside 10:00 am Inquiry Session (OCIA) 10:00 am 1st Communion Class - Small Conference Room 11:00 am Palm Sunday Mass 12:15 am Catholics and Coffee 8:00 pm Palm Sunday Mass

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.



GOOD FRIDAY

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic had hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work. The war made their situation even more dire. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS!

For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org or www.custodia.org.

OCIA Liturgical Mass

We invite you to join us for a significant Liturgical Celebration, during which the community of the faithful will come together to support the members of the Elect as they prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil.

Handing on of the Lord's
Prayer- Wednesday, April 9
at 6:00 PM



We Need Your Help with Landscape



Saturday, April 5th at 9:00am - Noon
Please bring gloves, shears, and other
weed-pulling tools.

City on a Hill - Young Adults

City on a Hill's initiative, ConnectKC, serves to gather young adults all around Kansas City to enjoy a variety of different activities!

April 17: KC Underground 7PM
Guatemala Mission July 19 - 25
Cornhole, Kickball, softball
and much more...

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- 3 Easter Lily baskets: \$35
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Thursday, May 1, 2025
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Eagle Scout Service Project

Before



Pearson Brown, a Life Scout with Troop 16, expertly led a dedicated group of volunteers in the successful removal of 3,260 pounds of halogen lights and debris from the upper attics of the Cathedral. With skillful use of ropes, knots, and carabiners, the team efficiently lowered the debris and meticulously loaded it into a dump trailer.

The upper attics of the Cathedral are accessible by a spiral staircase followed by 2 wall mounted ladders.



After



Limited Shows

CARLO ACUTIS

New Film in Theaters April 27-29 ONLY

Discover the incredible life of soon-to-be Saint Carlo Acutis in Carlo Acutis: Roadmap to Reality. This powerful new documentary film explores his life, legacy, and the impact of technology on young people today. Through firsthand accounts from family and friends, plus insights from Catholic leaders and tech experts, the film tackles urgent questions about technology's impact on humanity, holding up Carlo as a model for young people as they engage the digital world. Learn more at CarloAcutisFilm.com.



Accompany the Schola **ON OUR CHOIR TRIP TO PRAGUE**

The Cathedral Schola Tour Committee is organizing a one-week tour in July 2026. We will spend seven nights in Prague, July 14-20. Travel days are July 13 and 21. Tour plans include music liturgy (by the schola) at Sunday (or Saturday vigil) Mass and two concerts with the full schola. We'll also have tourism: visit cultural masterpieces in and around Prague, take a dinner cruise on the Vltava, and give our more active members a chance to hike now and then.

- Single room (estimated total tour cost \$3960/person)
- Double room (two people, one bed, total tour cost \$3600/person)
- Twin room (two people, two beds, total tour cost \$3600/person)
- Affordable monthly payment plans available

For more information please contact Dr. Mario Pearson
mpearson@kcgolddome.org



Flowing Waters

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Isaiah 43:16 - 21

Turn on the faucet at home and get running water. Drinking water is close at hand, ready to use and abundant. The faucet is a sign of God's promise.

It wasn't always that way. People could not live far from a water source. Desert areas went uninhabited and uncharted because no one could stay there very long without ample drinking water.

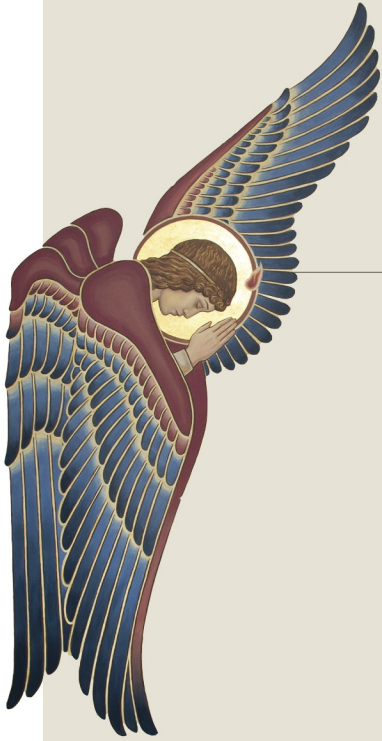
Through Isaiah, God promised a day when water would flow in the desert. As proof of God's power, Isaiah invited the people to recall the marvels God had done in the past. During the Exodus, as the Israelites fled Egypt, they went through the sea dry shod, but the waters closed on the chariots, horses, and army of Pharaoh, all following in pursuit. God marvelously preserved the Israelites in the past. God would marvelously preserve them again. God is doing something new. It springs forth in the sight of believers.

As Easter draws near, we think about the water God keeps close at hand – not just the water of the faucet, but the water of your church's font. There water flows freely for those who seek Christ. God has prepared a way in the deserts of the human heart for water to flow, to give life, and to transform.

This Lent we reflect not only on the desert of our sin but also on the signs of God's presence. "In the desert I make a way," God says, "in the wasteland, rivers."

PRAYER. SILENCE. LECTIO DIVINA.

ENCOUNTERING CHRIST RETREATS



On these silent retreats you can expect:

- Silence and a technology “fast”
- Four conferences given by a monk, intended to lead the retreatant to encounter Christ
- Participation in the Divine Office and Mass with the monastic community
- Specific times for personal prayer and *lectio divina*
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation

MEN’S RETREATS

Jan. 24–26, 2025

~~Feb. 21–23, 2025 (full)~~

May 16–18, 2025

May 30–June 1, 2025

June 27–29, 2025

July 18–20, 2025

Aug. 29–31, 2025

Oct. 17–19, 2025

Nov. 21–23, 2025

Dec. 19–21, 2025

WOMEN’S RETREATS

Jan. 17–19, 2025

Jan. 31–Feb. 2, 2025

March 21–23, 2025

May 23–25, 2025

June 20–22, 2025

July 11–13, 2025

Aug. 22–24, 2025

Sep. 12–14, 2025

Oct. 31–Nov. 2, 2025

Dec. 12–14, 2025

Pricing: \$250 per person.

Retreat costs includes all the meals, a private room, linen and towels, and retreat director fee.

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MEMBER HAPPY HOUR

Wednesday, April 9th

5:30PM-8:30PM


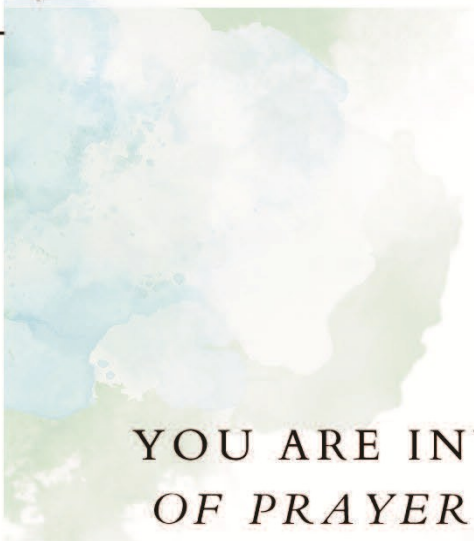
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Join us for a networking happy hour. This is a members-only event, not a member? Sign up here!





YOU ARE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL DAY
OF PRAYER IN ATONEMENT FOR THOSE
HARMED BY SEXUAL ABUSE

April 28th, 2025 | Mass at 12:00pm

Cathedral of St. Joseph

for all communities impacted by sexual abuse

a time for healing and prayer

519 N 10th St, Saint Joseph, MO 64501

Questions? Contact: ocyp@diocesekcsj.org
or scan QR Code Below



REVELA EL AMOR DE Cristo



Aquellas personas que viven en países en desarrollo alrededor del mundo, la falta de acceso a servicios financieros tradicionales les impide cubrir sus necesidades materiales. Catholic Relief Services (CRS) ha creado un programa llamado Savings and Internal Lending Communities (SILCs) a fin de responder a esa falta de acceso ayudando a las comunidades pobres a agrupar sus ahorros, los cuales pueden ser prestados a los miembros de una SILC para establecer, o hacer crecer, sus negocios a bajo costo. En Chad, Claudine, una madre de seis niños, utiliza el préstamo de su SILC local para comprar a bajo costo grandes cantidades de los ingredientes necesarios para elaborar los buñuelos que ella vende en el mercado. Antes de que se estableciera SILC, Claudine apenas podía vender suficientes buñuelos para poder subsistir. Pero ahora, estos ahorros en los costos le permiten mantener a su familia y cubrir las matrículas escolares.

El apoyo que ustedes brindan a The Catholic Relief Services Collection le ayuda a CRS a cubrir las necesidades de las personas en países en desarrollo mediante soluciones innovadoras que fortalecen a las comunidades y las equipa con los recursos y las habilidades necesarias para prosperar—y también apoyan a otras cinco organizaciones católicas que ayudan a personas vulnerables.



Tus donativos ayudan a nuestros hermanos y hermanas. . .

En los Estados Unidos

Revelando el amor de Cristo al acoger a los refugiados que sufren . . . a través del **USCCB Department of Migration and Refugee Services (MRS)**.

Revelando el amor de Cristo al dar asesoría legal a los inmigrantes que luchan por salir adelante . . . a través del **Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. (CLINIC)**.

Revelando el amor de Cristo al hacer su ministerio con las personas en la periferia . . . a través de la labor pastoral del **USCCB Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church**.

Y, alrededor del mundo

Revelando el amor de Cristo a las madres y niños en Chad a través de la labor humanitaria de **Catholic Relief Services (CRS)**, la agencia oficial de socorro en el extranjero de los obispos de Estados Unidos.

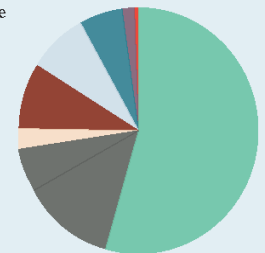
Revelando el amor de Cristo al trabajar por la paz . . . a través de las políticas públicas y educación y de las labores de extensión del **USCCB Secretariat of Justice and Peace***.

Revelando el amor de Cristo a las víctimas de desastres naturales . . . a través del **Holy Father's Relief Fund**.

* En junio del 2024, el Departamento de la USCCB de Justicia, Paz y Desarrollo Humano cambió de nombre a el Secretariado de la USCCB de Justicia y Paz.

The Catholic Relief Services Collection en el 2023

Subvenciones	Monto	Porcentaje
Catholic Relief Services	\$6,849,470	52.03%
USCCB Migration & Refugee Services	\$2,031,216	15.43%
USCCB Cultural Diversity in the Church*	\$1,775,187	13.49%
USCCB Justice, Peace and Human Development†	\$801,732	6.09%
CLINIC (Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.)	\$787,866	5.99%
Holy Father's Relief Fund	\$500,000	3.80%
Administración		
Costos de educación & promoción	\$364,098	2.77%
Gastos administrativos	\$53,689	0.41%



* La Diversidad Cultural en la Iglesia, de la USCCB, incluye el Cuidado Pastoral de Migrantes, Refugiados & Viajeros (\$1,150,833) y los Asuntos de Asia y las Islas del Pacífico (\$624,354).

† El Departamento de la USCCB de Justicia, Paz y Desarrollo Humano incluye Justicia y Paz Internacional (\$653,054), así como actividades educativas (\$148,678).

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March 28-30th - Kansas City, KS
June 13-15th - Kansas City, KS
August 8-10th - Kansas City, KS



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Visit our website to learn more about adoption services
catholiccharities-kcsj.org/adoption-services/

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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)
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, at 816.392.0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.



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