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THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 21, 2024

We are in the middle of the last year of the Eucharistic Revival. Please continue to look for opportunities to strengthen your belief in Jesus Christ present in the Blessed Sacrament. I figured this would be a good time to offer you some dates to put on your calendar. The opportunities we will have this spring and summer may never be available to us again anytime in the near future.

One of the opportunities is a Eucharistic procession that will be traveling across the entire United States. Actually there are multiple processions that are going to occur from all four directions. One leaving from the east, one from the north, one from the south and one from the west. We will have the opportunity to participate in the procession coming from the west. It will begin in San Francisco California. All four processions will meet at Indianapolis, Indiana for the Eucharistic Congress this summer. The procession from the west will have two stops available to us.

National Eucharistic Procession Opportunities

https://www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org

Tuesday, June 25th at Benedictine College in Atchison, KS Wednesday, June 26th at Most Pure Heart of Mary in Topeka, KS https://archkck.org/eucharistic-revival/eucharistic-pilgrimage/

Another event that will be available for us to participate in will be Behold KC 2024. It will be a combined effort of our Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas and the Diocese of Kansas City/St Joseph in Missouri. We are going to have an opportunity to come together on a Saturday evening and rejoice in the Eucharist with a large gathering of people. The gathering will happen at the Liberty Memorial at Kansas City Missouri. It is the same location where the Royals and Chiefs have celebrated their championships. We hope to celebrate together Jesus Christ present in the Eucharist.

Behold KC 2024 https://beholdkc.org

Saturday, May 4th Liberty Memorial at Kansas City, MO

Once again these may be once in a lifetime opportunities. Please mark your calendars to block one or all of these dates so that you will be able to participate in them.



LENTEN VIDEO SERIES: We will be offering the video series "No Greater Love...A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion" during Lent. This series will start on Sunday, February 18th and end on Sunday, March 24th. It will be offered on Sunday evenings at 7:00p.m. in the Church Hall. Join us as we go on this biblical pilgrimage that reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Dr. Edward Siri will guide us through the last hours of Christ's life. This series was previously offered in 2020 but was cut short by Covid. Those of you who attended in 2020 will be able to use the resources you purchased at that time. The book study set is recommended for this study but not required. If you would like to get these materials, you can order them by clicking HERE.

Contact Deb Brucker at 562-6512 for more info. Sign up sheets are located in the vestibule of the church.



MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Tuesday, Jan. 23

8:15am † Jack Koehne

Wednesday, Jan. 24

NO MASS TODAY

Thursday, Jan. 25

6:30AM † Richard Hansel

Friday, Jan. 26

8:15am † Mark Fisher

Saturday, Jan. 27

5:30pm † Jim Knecht

Sunday, Jan. 28

7:00am † Jerry Winkler 10:30am † Steve Hammett

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, Jan. 23

after 8:15am Mass All Mysteries of Rosary Prayed

Wednesday, Jan. 24

after 12:05pm Mass All Mysteries of Rosary Prayed

Thursday, Jan. 25

after 6:30am Mass All Mysteries of Rosary Prayed

Friday, Jan. 26

6:00am - 5:00pm Adoration

Saturday, Jan. 27

4:30pm - 5:15pm Confessions

Sunday, Jan. 28

9:00am School Open House

10:30am Catholic Schools Week Mass Fellowship Meal, Parish Hall

(Free will donation)

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREETHROW CONTEST

January 21, 2024 • 3:00 pm

Marysville High School Gym

Open to all boys and girls ages 9-14 years old

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Envelope & Plate for January 14th \$ 5,719.45 (\$11,200 Expected Average Collection needed each week)

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

BAPTISMAL CELEBRATION

Please welcome

Charlee Brielle Mueting,

daughter of Craig and Julia Mueting, who was baptized last Sunday at St. Gregory's.



Saturday, February 10th | Venue 36

5:15pm: Social Hour/Silent Auction Begins
6:3opm: Dinner and Program
followed by Live Auction
DJ and Dance to Follow

\$50 individual ticket | \$600 reserved table of 8

Purchase tickets at the school office or online by scanning the QR code. For more information, contact the school at 562-2831 or soul@stgregorychurch.org





MenUnderConstruction.or

Catholic Men's Conference A Passion for the Eucharist

For over 26 years, men have gathered at Men Under Construction as a Lenten ritual to deepen their faith and partake of the sacraments. This year a diverse line-up of speakers Dr. Scott Hahn, Dr. Ray Guarendi, Stephen Minis, and Braden Johnson, and will focus on the importance of Eucharist in our faith journey.

Join us and you will be able to participate in Mass, reconciliation and hear from Archbishop Naumann. Real men finding the truth & happiness only offered by a relationship with our Lord.

Saturday, February 17th at Church of the Ascension, Overland Park KS. For more information contact the parish office or register online at MenUnderConstruction.org



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Virtue of the Week

GRATITUDE - "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." ~ Philippians 4:6

Gratitude means to have a thankful disposition of mind and heart. When was the last time you showed your gratitude to God or others around you? How does giving thanks make you feel? Did you know that students have shown that people who are openly filled with gratitude have more peace and are generally less anxious? The Bible has many passages that talk about giving thanks, but what does it look like in your family to have an "attitude of gratitude"? A good way to keep this attitude in your heart and mind is to keep lists of things you are thankful for. Naming these simple blessings out loud will lead to daily praising God from whom all blessings flow.

Let Us Pray: Dear Jesus, Please give me a thankful heart, realizing that all I have comes from You. Amen.

PRAYER LIST

The power of prayer is an amazing thing! Please keep the following people in your prayers.

Short Term Health Issues: Mary Stryker, Carol Adrian, Kristi Meyer, Cami Friedrichs, Janel Weigel, Don Prell, Marilyn Hodgen, Scott Wetter, Jess Wetter, Richard Bruland, Laurie Kleinert, Deanna Schroller, Julie Kieffer, KayeLynn Kroeger, Kaylie Kordyak, Cody Metz, Preston Runnebaum, Dean Bruna, Andrew David Leo Lickteig, Pat Clark, Harry Moser, Tammy Jurek, Mary Gausepohl, Don Cudney, Elizabeth Ray, Tim Warren, Jan Smith, Tish Outhet, Josephine Wiggins, Carla Maloney, Justin Scheele, Bruce Leonard, Chase Downard, Hunter Sand and Justin Stallings.

Long Term Health Issues: John Musil, Phil Studer, Doug Plegge, Kathy Jueneman, Donna Sedlacek, Rick Thompson, Alice Murray, Dorothy Peschel, Arnold Rieth, Aaron Hendrickson, Killian Gray, Steve Sawin, Torey Butler, Linda Schell Tiers, Allie Montgomery, Don Wassenberg, Alan Wassenberg, Tony Evans, Teresa Reiling, Mary Landoll, Debra Nietfeld Lambert, Joan Wacek and Sami Kirkland.

Catholic Schools Week

St. Gregory Catholic School is gearing up to celebrate National Catholic Schools Week Jan. 28th - Feb. 4th. The events of the week are part of a nationwide celebration of Catholic education that begins on the last Sunday of January. At St. Gregory, we will be celebrating "Greatness in Catholic Education" by focusing on our school core values of "Greatness in: Faith, Family, Academics, Integrity, and Legacy."

On January 28th, we would like to invite our school families and parishioners to attend the Catholic Schools Week kick-off events which include a School Open House from 9:00 - 10:00 am, Mass at 10:30 am to Celebrate Catholic Education, and a Fellowship Meal in the parish hall following Mass, sponsored by the school PTO. We hope you can join us!

CELEBRATE

BIRTHDAYS

- Jan. 22 Rory Clark, Darlene Boss, Benson Byers, Sara Nemec, Isaac Cohorst
- Jan. 23 Ali Capp
- Jan. 24 Matt Friedrichs, Brendan Lyhane
- Jan. 25 Cody Pacha
- Jan. 26 Eli Knabe, Zoe Throm
- Jan. 27 Dick Nordhus, Lauren Hawkinson, Hudson Frink, Kristen Volle
- Jan. 28 Jared Strunk, Scott Kracht

ANNIVERSARIES

Jan. 22 Marvin and Sharon Kramer



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Baptisms: See website for information Weddings: Contact Father Quentin

If someone is in need of the Eucharist taken to them, please call the Parish Office.



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