

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DONUT SUNDAY – COFFEE & FELLOWSHIP JULY 20TH AFTER 10:30 AM MASS
Please join us after the 10:30am Mass July 20th, for fellowship, coffee, and pastries.

ST. ANN’S FEAST DAY PARISH PICNIC
JULY 27TH 11:30 AM AFTER MASS IN THE CHURCH YARD

Please join us next Sunday for our annual St. Ann Feast Day Picnic. Sunday, July 27th, 2025. We will have Holy Mass with our procession around town. Followed by great food, live music, games, fun, and fellowship. The Ben and Meghan Richey family has generously donated a hog. We will soon have sign-ups in the narthex to help with games and food. We look forward to seeing you there!

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER GAME NIGHTS
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 6TH

Come join us for a game night Wednesday, August 6th, after 6 pm Mass. Please bring frozen pizza and/or a snack to share. Bring your own board or card games! We will need two Virtus-trained adults to chaperone. There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of the church for chaperones. If you have any questions, please email Shannon Hansen at hansenfamily1999@gmail.com

A HOME RUN FOR VOCATIONS - 12TH ANNUNAL PITCHING FOR PRIESTS 2025
FRIDAY, AUGUST 8TH LEGENDS FIELD, 1800 VILLAGE WEST PARKWAY, KANSAS CITY, KS

Priests from the Diocese of Kansas City St. Joseph will take on priests from the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas in a friendly competition to raise funds for and encourage vocations to the priesthood. On-field events begin at 6:20 PM, with the first pitch at 7:00 PM. The evening will include tailgating, a baby crawl, dunk tank, and kids run. Admission is FREE! A freewill offering to benefit seminarians will be accepted at the ballpark. Fun for the whole family and a great way to support our priests and future vocations.

LET THERE BE LIGHTLY USED LAMPS - CHURCH GARAGE SALE
ANNUAL PARISH GARAGE SALE AUGUST 8TH - 9TH

Our annual Parish Garage Sale set-up will take place on August 6th and 7th, followed by the sale on August 8th and 9th. All unsold items will be donated to charity. Your support strengthens our Sodality’s key fundraiser and aids St. Mary’s Home for Mothers. Thank you for your generosity!

SAINT ANN ACADEMY (EXCELSIOR SPRINGS) ENROLLMENT OPEN FOR 2025/26 SCHOOL YEAR
SERVING HOMESCHOOL CHILDREN FROM KINDERGARTEN - 8TH GRADE

Students attend school at St. Ann’s in Excelsior Springs on Wednesdays from September thru April. For more information, please contact Courtney Champagne - saintannacademy.es@gmail.com

11-DAY PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA & THE CAMINO WITH FR. KEVIN DREW
OCTOBER 15-25, 2025 / CALL 302.803.6400 OR 913.449.1806

Join Fr. Drew on an 11-Day pilgrimage to Fatima & the Camino Way. Featuring daily Mass & spiritual activities, 4-star hotels, breakfast & dinner, English speaking tour escort, local guides, wine tasting and much more! Land only \$4983 includes double room. Airfare from MCI \$6533 includes double room.

LISTEN TO FR. DREW’S DAILY MASS ON CATHOLIC RADIO - 1090 AM
MONDAY - FRIDAY 11:00 AM
FR. DREW’S HOMILIES AIR AT 3:50 PM

Tune into Catholic Radio at 1090 AM or go catholicradio.com and click on “Listen Live”.

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 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.



ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH



16TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

JULY 20, 2025

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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

This is my body given for you. Luke 22:19

WEEKEND MASSES

Sunday - 10:30 AM
Saturday - 4 PM

DAILY MASS

Wednesday - 6 PM

There will be no Noon daily Mass during the Summer months.

CONFESSION

Repent, therefore and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away. Acts 3:19

WEDNESDAY
5:30 PM

SATURDAY
3:00 PM

Contact Fr. Drew for Appts

ADORATION

The greatest love story of all time is contained in a tiny white host. - Sheen

Wed, Aug 6th @ 6:30 PM - Thurs, Aug 7th @ Noon

Please sign up in the narthex.

BAPTISM

Please contact the Pastor

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the office
816-539-2634
follow instructions.

MATRIMONY

Please contact the Pastor 6-9 months before the proposed date.

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ALTAR SERVERS

MASS INTENTIONS

SUN, JULY 20TH - 10:30 AM
MC - Jonathan Friedl
T - Brogan Noll
A - Ambrose Green
A - Grant Schuster
S - Tyler Walock
R - Terry Miller

SUN, JULY 20TH - 10:30 AM
Jim Terranova +

WED, JULY 23RD - 6 PM
Joseph Vagel
By: Matthew Whitney

SAT, JULY 26 - 4 PM
The Plathe Family

SUN, JULY 27TH - 10:30 AM
MC - Joel Moraille
T - Mark Durando
A - Jonathan Friedl
A - Angelo Moraille
S - David Woody
R - David Woody

SUN, JULY 27TH - 10:30 AM
Lucas and Heather Boddicker
By: Brain Boddicker

WED, JULY 30TH - 6 PM
The Plathe Family

SAT, AUG 2ND - 4 PM
Margaret “Peggy” Watson +
By: The Watson Family

MASS INTENTION REQUEST

Mass intention envelopes are in the narthex. Place your Mass intention envelope with your \$10 stipend in the basket. Thank you!

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

We pray for our elderly, infirm, and homebound:

O God, your Son accepted sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realize that they are chosen to be saints, and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

Vicki Anseume, Allen Bence, Kenneth Carey, Etta Mae Carlson, Pat Clingan, Edward Cook, Nancy Conley, Paul Daily, Lori Echols, Janice Fristoe, Cindy Gaines-Walter, Martha Gerling, Cara Green, Jean Harris, Tom Kutz, Sylvia McColleston, Bill & Julie Petesch, Don Price, Lee & Barbara Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, Marie VanHorn, Tonia Vigilante, William Wolford Jr, Meryle Young, Claudia Ziegler, Lindsay Plathe

In Loving Memory
Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord, and let Your perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

Anne Martin

To add or change a name please email -
stannplattsburg@gmail.com.

COLLECTION

JUNE 11, 2025 - JUNE 22, 2025

Offertory: \$ 4,891.00
Online: \$ 350.00
Total: \$ 5241.00

Cap. Campaign: \$ 1,454.00

\$3718.56 needed weekly to meet our budget. The monthly operating budget is distinct from the capital campaign. Thank you for your generosity!



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

FR. KEVIN DREW

The inside (the soul) never comes without the outside (the body) ...

From Fr Paul Keller OP published in the Diocese of Columbus paper (July 15, 2025) on dressing appropriately for church.

Whenever we go to church, we always encounter God. It is essential to give God our best. We may not be wealthy and able to afford expensive clothing, but even simple clothing can be made to look good. God is not impressed by how much we spend on clothing or hairdos. He is honored when we try to show respect for him and his house, even when we put on tasteful yet simple clothing.

The reason that dressing modestly and respectfully for church is important is that it is an external sign of what we believe interiorly. Dressing appropriately is a crucial way to show our respect for God and the sacraments, most especially the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. The Mass and sacraments are sacred gifts from God, and the Eucharist is the very presence of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.

Some people want to blur the lines between the inside and outside of the church doors, as if it's all the same. It isn't the same, however, just as the inside of our home is not the same as our driveway. If there were no difference between the two, then we could park our cars in our kitchens. Absurd!

The same is true of what we do in church and what we keep out of church. The sacred space inside the church is distinct from the profane space outside the church.

The word profane (the basis of the word for bad speech, profanity) refers to what is outside the church or temple. Profane comes from two Latin words: pro, meaning before, and fanum, meaning temple. Something is profane because it is outside the realm of the sacred. What is profane is the opposite of what is sacred or holy.

When we cross the threshold of the church doors, we are entering sacred space. The sacred realm of God's house demands that we pay honor and respect to him when we are visiting him. As the priest wears special clothing to celebrate the sacraments, we, too, are to wear clothing that befits the occasion.

Modesty, the Catechism of the Catholic Church states, is decency. It protects our innermost being, “refusing to unveil what should remain hidden” (2521). This is part of the reason that veils are often used to cover tabernacles and chalices: they point to the hidden sacredness that they cover.

Sure, someone will object that we should “come as we are” to church because it's what's on the inside that counts, not the outside. It's true that the inside is essential, that is, holiness, virtue, godliness and so forth. But the inside (the soul) never comes without an outside (the body). The human soul is important, but so is the human body. We are temples of the Holy Spirit, and that includes our bodies and souls.

When someone says that God sees what's on the inside, it's as though they think that God doesn't care about the outside. Another person will make the minimalist claim: “At least I'm in church; who cares what I wear?” God sees everything, including our efforts to offer him the best we have. He sees our heart, and one way we express what is in our heart by what we wear.

We also read in the Catechism (1387): “Bodily demeanor (gestures, clothing) ought to convey the respect, solemnity, and joy of this moment when Christ becomes our guest.” Then there is the 2006 document by our bishops, “On Preparing to Receive Christ Worthily in the Eucharist: “We should also come to the sacred liturgy appropriately dressed. As Christians we should dress in a modest manner, wearing clothes that reflect our reverence for God and that manifest our respect for the dignity of the liturgy and for one another.”

Interestingly, immodestly dressed men and women are given shawls to cover bare shoulders and legs at the major basilicas in Rome and elsewhere. I hope it's not time for us to do the same here at home.

CATHOLIC MONTH OF JULY

PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS

LITANY OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

Lord, have mercy, ***Lord have mercy.***
Christ, have mercy, ***Christ have mercy.***
Lord, have mercy, ***Lord have mercy.***
Christ hear us. ***Christ graciously hear us.***
God the Father of heaven. ***Have mercy on us.***
God the Son, Redeemer of the world. ***Have mercy on us.***
God the Holy Spirit. ***Have mercy on us.***
Holy Trinity, one God. ***Have mercy on us.***

R. Save Us

Blood of Christ, only begotten Son of the Eternal Father. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, Incarnate Word of God ***R***

Blood of Christ, of the New and Eternal Testament. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, falling upon the earth in the agony. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, shed profusely in the scourging. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, flowing forth in the crowning with thorns. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, poured out on the Cross. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, price of our salvation. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, without which there is no forgiveness. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, Eucharistic drink and refreshment of souls. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, stream of mercy. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, victor over demons. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, courage of martyrs. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, strength of confessors. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, bringing forth virgins. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, help of those in peril. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, relief of the burdened. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, solace in sorrow. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, hope of the penitent. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, consolation of the dying. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, peace and tenderness of hearts. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, pledge of eternal life. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, freeing souls from purgatory. ***R.***

Blood of Christ, most worthy of all glory and honor. ***R.***

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, ***spare us, O Lord.***

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, ***graciously hear us, O Lord.***

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, ***have mercy on us.***

Thou hast redeemed us with Thy Blood, O Lord. ***And made of us a kingdom for our God.***



VIRTUE: SIMPLICITY

ALL THINGS WHATSOEVER THAT THEY COMMAND YOU, OBSERVE AND DO.----MATT. 23:3
LET US BEWARE OF WORLDLY SENTIMENTS, FOR OFTEN BY THE PRETEXT OF ZEAL OR THE GLORY OF GOD THEY CAUSE US TO ADOPT PLANS WHICH NEVER PROCEEDED FROM HIM AND WILL NOT BE PROSPERED BY HIS DIVINE MAJESTY.----ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Bishop Johnston's Prayer intentions for the month of July
For elderly people who have no family or friends to care for them at the end of life.

The Holy Father's Prayer intentions for the month of July
Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

REV. DENIS KEILY COUNCIL #9401

Upcoming Events:

Business meetings:
2nd Saturday of each month - 9AM

For more info please contact :

Eric Niemann, Recruiter, at eniemann@1791.com

VISITATION SODALITY

The Visitation Sodality is an organization made up of all age ladies, dedicated to serving the parish and our Priest. We strive to support the liturgy and the altar, social functions and funerals. Please consider joining us in our mission to serve our parish family.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DONUT SUNDAY JULY 20TH

Come check out our store located in the Parish Hall.
We have sacramentals, gifts, books, veils, and more!
All proceeds go to serving our Church and our Parish Family.

Contact Shannon Hansen for more info :
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ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN

In Honor of
Dolores Richey
by: Chris and Mary Richey

You can sponsor flowers for \$40 a week in honor or memorial of a loved one. Their name and yours will be listed in the bulletin. Please make your checks payable to the Visitation Sodality and in the memo write flowers. Your gift will be assigned the next available week, unless you have a specific week in mind. Envelopes for flowers are in the back of the church and can be placed in the collection basket.

PLATTSBURG NURSING HOME APOSTOLATE
Members of our parish are currently visiting residents at Oakridge and Nick's Healthcare Center here in Plattsburg.
If you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Terry and Carleen Miller at (816) 930-2976

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is a world wide lay apostolic association of Catholics dedicated to praying and working for Mary for the salvation of souls.
The parish needs people willing to give a little of their time to Mary.

There's not a better person to pray and work for but Mary, and not a better reason to pray and work than for the salvation of souls.

Meetings are Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM in the Rectory.

Questions: call Sherry Kutz (217) 260-7338