

Our Lady of SORROWS C H U R C H



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Pastoral Thoughts

In Gods Holy Hands

When we read our first reading today from Sirach, it is easy to see that much has not changed over the centuries. We still struggle with the most basic commandment, "To love our brothers and sisters".

The following question is posed to the people – "could anyone refuse Mercy to another like himself, can he expect healing from the Lord". He warns about taking joy in plotting to do harm to one's neighbor and embracing the sin of wrath so easily.

Rather he encourages us to remember our Lords covenant and forgive and overlook the faults of others, just as we hear in our Gospel to forgive not seven times, but seventy-seven times. It shows the extreme lengths our lord will go to save us, and that we must follow his example.

We are not to be like the debtor in the parable today and quickly forget the compassion and mercy shown us by others but fail to use those same principles with someone who asks for our forgiveness. We are warned that our Heavenly father will delve out the same kind of judgement on us that we have shown others.

How timely is this message with all the civil unrest in our nation at this moment? Injustices have been playing out on the evening news each day for months and it seem the offenders lack the moral conviction to really change. Technology may have many down sides to it, but in these cases of police violence against unarmed individuals it is a shining light on the darker side of society.

Prejudices and racism will not change overnight and will unfortunately take many years or generations, but we must begin the process now. All of this is nothing new, Christ saw and experienced it firsthand and worked to break down those barriers with each person he met. Christ did not see Jews, Gentiles, Samaritans, or Romans, no, rather he saw only individuals who were his sisters and brothers.

Today, we to must continue the work Christ began and look past a person's race,

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Regardless of where you are from, your occupation, your family, your marital status, your personal history, your age, your background, your race, your ethnicity, your political affiliation, your religion, your gender, or your gender identification, we are happy you are here with us today to worship! We invite you to learn more about our parish and its activities by contacting our office, website or simply by mingling with our parishioners after mass.

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Weekend Schedule

Saturday

Mass 4:00 pm

Sunday

Masses 8:00 & 11:00 am

Weekdays—Tuesdays

Communion Service 12 Noon

Thursdays

Mass 12 Noon

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays 11:00 am

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, September 12—24th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm OLOS Parishioners

SUNDAY, September 13—24th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am † Mary Beth Donnelly

11:00am † David Christianson

MONDAY, September 14—Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Tom Keller, spec. int.

TUESDAY, September 15—Our Lady of Sorrows

† Bertha & George Hiller

WEDNESDAY, September 16—Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian

† Jim Eck

THURSDAY, September 17—Weekday

† Elia de la Garza Ibarra

Alexander Joseph Marion Potts, spec.int.

FRIDAY, September 18—Weekday

† John B. Hiller

SATURDAY, September 19—25th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm † Robert L. Seck

SUNDAY, September 20—25th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am OLOS Parishioners

11:00am Preservation of Sacred Holyland Sites

Please Note: MASS INTENTIONS

The Mass Intentions list above reflect the intention for each day that are being said Privately by Fr. Leonard during his personal daily Mass.

Our Weekend Masses will have the intention for that day. We do have days with openings for intentions coming up. Please call the office to schedule any Mass intentions you would like to have. 816.421.2112

Readings for the Week of September 13, 2020

- Sunday: Sir 27:30—28:7/
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Rom 14:7-9/
Mt 18:21-35
- Monday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17
- Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100/
Jn 19:25-27
- Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31-13:13/Ps 33/Lk 7:31-35
- Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118/Lk 7:36-50
- Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 17/Lk 8:1-3
- Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56/Lk 8:4-15
- Next Sunday: Is 55:6-9/Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18/
Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a

Resources for the readings can be found at USCCB.org.

Prayers Requested

Pray for Earl Jones, Mary Weatherford, Grace Diaz, Sarah Eck, Jim Healy, Mary Healy, Debbie Bruening, Rose Ann Jett, Judy Dale, Jane Carey, Mike Burke, Maurice Carey, Jerry Gumminger, Barbara Darling, Leigh Ann Zeller, Michael David, Susan Walsh, Blake Mathews, Ken Blundell, Linda Turner, Michael Dana, Shirley Briscoe, Loretta Riss.

Praying for our Military Service Members:

Isaac Eyph, Cruz Ibarra, Brian Jansen, Christopher Lamkey, Kyler Brotherton and all military members serving our great nation.

Please remember these people in your prayers.

If you, a loved one or friend are serving in the military, please call the office to have their names added to our military prayer list. We would like to honor those serving by having them listed on our bulletin. We ask our parishioners to remember them, and all who are on our prayer list in their prayers. 816.421.2112

Praying for our First Responders, Doctors, Nurses & Healthcare workers

Emily Tylski, Kathryn Blundell, Lynette Wheeler, Tom Papreck, and ALL who are working to care for our sick through this pandemic. Know that this includes our Police and Fire and ALL first responders.

If you, a loved one or friend are serving in a First Responder roll, Fire Department, Police Department, Ambulance, Paramedic, Doctor, Nurse, or Healthcare Worker, please call the office to have their names added to our prayer list. We would like to pray for those serving our area sick by having them listed on our bulletin. We ask our parishioners to remember them, and all who are on our prayer list in their prayers. 816.421.2112

Contributions Received



From August 31-September 6, 2020

- Mail Plate \$794.00
- Envelopes..... \$1,360.00

Thank You to ALL our parishioners who have provided support, either financially or through your prayers, to the parish during this difficult time. [Click here](#) to donate online

Pastoral Thoughts Continued

gender, nationality, color and religion and accept them as a fellow brother and sister, created in gods image and extend the hand of peace rather than the hand of hatred and unrest.

I pray for all of you during these troubling times, but we can achieve success if we just make the effort one encounter at a time and understand that we can rest well and protected each day in Gods saving hands.

Many Blessings

Dcn Tyrone

Holy Land Second Collection

Every year on Good Friday, a collection is taken up in Catholic Churches to support the work of the Franciscans working in the Holy Land. Christians there rely heavily on the help that comes to them from this worldwide collection. This year, since measures to prevent the spread of the coronavirus prohibit gatherings in our churches, the traditional Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land has been postponed to September 13th.

The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in America is part of a world-wide network of Commissariats of the Holy Land which function as bridges between the Holy Land and Christians all over the world. The Franciscan Monastery in Washington, D.C., coordinates this vital support for the work of the Franciscans who work in the Holy Land.

The Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land have the unique responsibility to care for the Holy Places as well for the "Living Stones," the Christians living there. It is vital that we support Christians living in the Holy Land, in order to maintain a Christian presence in the very land made holy by the life, death and Resurrection of Jesus.

If you wish to give, please place your gift in the basket with your regular donation.



New Parishioner Information

Please print your name and address below to receive registration information.

Name _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

Email address _____

Please drop in collection basket, mail, call the Parish Office 816.421.2112, or email to stephanief@oloskc.org

*******UPDATE!!!!*****Open for Prayer, Reflection, Adoration, and Benediction on Thursdays 10:30am-12, Noon. Social distancing MUST be observed. Please bring a mask or face covering to enter. Join us for Prayer!**

Mass Intentions Openings

Call or email the office if you have a Mass intention you would like to have said. We have openings. 816.421.2112 stephanief@oloskc.org

We wish each of you great week. We look forward to see each of you when we are able to come together to celebrate again, here at Our Lady of Sorrows. In the meantime, please visit us on the web at oloskc.org and participate in Mass online through [YouTube](#) and [Facebook](#).

Our YouTube Channel

We are posting prerecorded video of each of our Tridium Services on our newly established YouTube Channel. You may view these by [clicking here](#).

Visit our Website, Facebook Page & YouTube

Please visit our website at oloskc.org. Once there Visit our Facebook page by clicking where indicated. There is also a link to our YouTube page. Like our Facebook Page and Subscribe to our YouTube Channel.

You may also make donations through our website.

Or use our QR Code for PayPal!



Office of Child & Youth Protection—Sexual Abuse

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating 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 Diocesan 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 the Victim Advocate Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information

Weekly Activities & Events

Rosary Congress—Diocese of KC-St. Joseph

October 3-9, 2020 There will be 24/7 Around-the-clock Eucharistic Adoration with Hourly Rosary at listed parishes each day. The opening and closing Mass will be with Bishop Johnston. For Life, Reparation, and Peace

- 10/3-Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
2:30pm **OPEN MASS**—Adoration
- 10/4-Coronation of Our Lady-Grandview, MO
10:30am Mass-Adoration
- 10/5-Our Lady of Guadalupe-St. Joseph, MO
8am Mass-Adoration
- 10/6-Our Lady of Good Counsel
12:00pm Mass-Adoration
- 10/7-St. Mary, Independence, MO
12:00pm Mass-Adoration
- 10/8-Holy Rosary, Clinton, MO
8:30am Mass-Adoration until 7:00pm
- 10/8-Our Lady of Lourdes, Raytown, MO
6:00pm Mass-Adoration
- 10/9-Our Lady of Lourdes, Raytown, MO
7:00pm **CLOSING Mass**

<https://kcsjatholic.org/office/divine-worship/>
816-714-2324

Eucharistic Adoration—Around the clock—7 days—168 hours of Adoration. Join in and pray around our diocese in 7 different parishes for 7 days.

Holy Rosary—Every hour on the hour—Pray the Rosary at the beginning of each hour for Life, reparation of sins, peace in our world, for families, for our Bishop, and our diocesan priests and religious.

Marian International Rosary & Procession—October 10, Saint Patrick North 10:00am—12:00pm.

Sign up for a Holy Hour: or just show up!
Please check each parish website on Holy hour sign-up
24 Hours 7 Days in 7 Different Parishes—October 3-9

Trip to Rome Assisi & the Holy Land

Next Saturday, September 19th, a representative from the travel agency will be here to speak at the 4 PM mass and then have a Q & A in the parish hall afterwards and take your registrations.

If you cannot make it on September 19, he will speak at our partner parish for this trip – Redemptorist on Sunday, September 20th at their 11:30 mass with a Q & A and registration taking afterwards in their hall.

If you have questions, please contact the office.

Volunteers

9/12 & 13	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
Reader	Lynette Wheeler	Steven Bulley	Rick Grindel
Eucharistic Minister	G. Weatherford	Tammy Papreck	Katy Randolph
Servers	John Pileggi	Tom Papreck	Volunteer
Ushers/Greeter	Jude Huntz	Ted Tschirhart	Mel Hogan

9/19 & 20	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
Reader	John Pileggi	Madison Mettman	Jeff Crab
Eucharistic Minister	Kathy Randolph	Rita Witt	Pat Battaglia
Servers	Simon Huntz Paden Huntz	David Mettman	Volunteer
Ushers/Greeter	G. Weatherford	Ted Tschirhart	Rick Grindel

Parish Calendar of Events

- **September 12 & 13—Rescheduled Holyland Collection**
- **September 15—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **September 17—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon**—concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **September 19—Wedding** at 1:30pm
- **September 19—5:00pm—Rome & the Holyland Trip**—Question & Answer and Registration
- **September 20—Catholic Hope group**—2-4pm Hall
- **September 19 & 20—Latin America Collection** at all masses.
- **September 22—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **September 24—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon**—concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **September 26—Wedding** at 1:00pm
- **September 28—Knights of Columbus**—Meeting 6-7pm in the Hall
- **September 29—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **October 1—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon**—concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **October 2—POMC Support group**—6:00-10pm Hall
- **October 3—Wedding** at 2:00pm
- **October 3—Transcistice of St. Francis Prayers**—5:00pm in the church
- **October 3 & 4—Peter's Pence**—rescheduled collection—all Masses
- **October 6—Communion Service at 12, Noon**

Keep Watching for more info & dates to come!