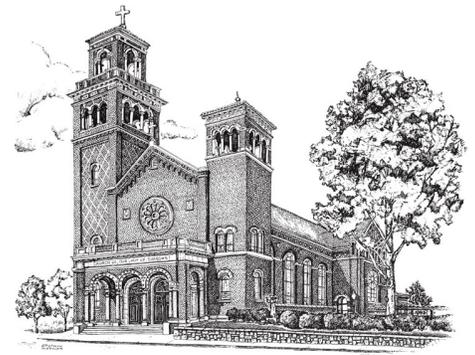


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## astoral Thoughts

Greetings Sisters and Brothers,

Today we have been given a very familiar story in our Gospel. It is about the sower who went out to sow seed and how the results depended on what type of soil it landed on. If it landed on poor, rocky ground, it would never last due to a lack of support for its roots, and the same could be said if it landed among the weeds it would begin to come up and then be choked out by the weeds.

Today we come to the church looking for good seed, but have we prepared ourselves to be fertile soil. Have we worked on the basic principles of our faith so that our eyes and ears can recognize the good seed when it is presented to us in the scriptures, the liturgy of the Mass, or through someone in our lives.

Many times, we are so stressed out from our workweeks, that we come to church and really don't have the ability to focus. We are seeking a little reprieve from the madness of the world, and that's ok, for the church is a place of refuge. Our Heavenly Father is aware of our needs and will continue to sprinkle those seeds upon us each day throughout our lifetime. He is patient with us and knows that at some point something inside us will click and we will recognize and understand what we are called to do – the only question then – will we answer the call.

We should never be afraid of something new, we are being led to. Yes, it may feel uncomfortable or strange to change our course, but always be assured that you are not alone on this journey of discipleship. Our Father is always there with the graces we need and we are a community of believers who support one another.

It is very easy during this Pandemic to feel alone and isolated, but that is not the case. Never hesitate to reach out to one of your sisters and brothers or to us here at the parish. Together we will grow together, deeper in our faith and be ready for when the sower comes.

Peace and Goodness my friends

Dcn Tyrone

*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.*

### Parish Office Hours

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### Weekend Schedule

#### Saturday

Mass 4:00 pm

#### Sunday

Masses 8:00 & 11:00 am

#### Tuesdays

Communion Service 12 Noon

#### Thursdays

Mass 12 Noon

#### Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays 11:00 am

JULY 12, 2020  
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, July 11—15th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm OLOS Parishioners

## SUNDAY, July 12—15th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am Preservation of Sacred Holyland Sites

11:00am Daniel Sullivan Family, spec.int.

## MONDAY, July 13—Weekday

† John B. Hiller

## TUESDAY, July 14—St. Kateri Takakwitha

Noon COMMUNION SERVICE

## WEDNESDAY, July 15—St. Bonaventure

† Felix Anthony Pileggi

## THURSDAY, July 16—Weekday

Noon † Brendan Bowyer

## FRIDAY, July 17—Weekday

† Michael & Patrick Healy

## SATURDAY, July 18—16th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm † Brian Waldbillig

## SUNDAY, July 19—16th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am † Roger Fogelsong

11:00am OLOS Parishioners

### 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 July 12, 2020

Sunday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14/  
Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23  
Monday: Is 1:10-17/ Ps 50/Mt 10:34-11:1  
Tuesday: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48/Mt 11:20-24  
Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94/Mt 11:25-27  
Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102/Mt 11:28-20  
Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Isaiah 38/Mt 12:1-8  
Saturday: Mi2:1-5/Ps 10/Mt 12:14-21  
Next Sunday: Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16/  
Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43

Resources for the readings can be found at [USCCB.org](http://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 June 29-July 5, 2020

Mail Plate ..... \$241.00  
Envelopes..... \$1,267.00

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

# Weekly Activities & Events

\*\*\*\*\*UPDATE!!!!\*\*\*\*\***Open for Prayer, Reflection, Adoration, and Benediction on Thursdays 11:00am-12, Noon. Social distancing MUST be observed. Please bring a mask or face covering to enter. Join us for Prayer!**

## Ride for Parishioner Needed for 11:00am

A parishioner from our 11:00am mass is in need of a ride to church. Crown Center Area. 11:00am Mass on Sundays. Please call 816-905-6202 to speak to them directly.

## Rachel's Vineyard-Kansas City Healing hearts in the heart of the nation

Jesus said, "Whoever comes to me will never hunger and whoever believes in me will never thirst." Anyone who is suffering from an abortion decision is invited to come and experience the True Bread from heaven and drink from the well that never runs dry. Rachel's Vineyard retreats are all about healing the pain of abortion one weekend at a time. The second of three 2020 Kansas City retreats will take place on July 24-26. Please call 816.679.4973 or send an email to [rvkcmo@gmail.com](mailto:rvkcmo@gmail.com) for confidential information and to **start the healing**.

## Daily Church Schedule Changes

As of Tuesday, June 23, we are now offering a communion service every Tuesday at Noon.

As of Thursday, June 25, we are now offering Adoration at 11:00am and concluding with Mass at Noon.

Please remember to have your mask to enter the Church and your pew. Please observe Social Distancing while in the church.

These are the first offerings as we move towards opening up more in the coming weeks, as many of the businesses start to also return to work in the area.

We look forward to seeing each of you.



### 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](mailto:stephanief@oloskc.org)

## 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](mailto: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](http://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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto:chastain@diocesekcsj.org) for more information

# Weekly Activities & Events

## Confessions

Currently confessions will be heard on a prescheduled basis with Fr. Leonard.

To make arrangements, please email Fr. Leonard directly by emailing him at [frleonard@oloskc.org](mailto:frleonard@oloskc.org).

If you are unable to email Fr. Leonard, you may call the office and leave a name and number for Fr. Leonard to return the call. 816.421.2112

## LightHOUSE Catholic Media

Excerpt from **7 Secrets of Confession** by Vinny Flynn

*Jesus knew and loved us each and all during his life, his agony and his Passion, and gave himself up for each one of us.*

~Catechism of the Catholic Church #478

Read that again and think about it. All during Christ's life, all during His agony, all during His Passion, Christ knew and loved **you!** He gave Himself up and died for you. If you had been the only human being who needed to be saved, Christ would have died just for you. That's how precious each individual person is to God.

You weren't even born yet. Your parents and grandparents weren't even born yet. But Christ isn't subject to time. He saw you, knew you, loved you, and died for you on the cross.

When we enter the confessional, we shouldn't go with the idea that we need to beg Christ to forgive us. Yes, we ask for forgiveness, but we do so with expectant and grateful faith, knowing that Christ already won it for us on the cross, even though we didn't deserve it, and that He is simply waiting for us to ask for it, so that we can receive it into our lives now.

**Contact the office to arrange pickup. 816.421.2112**

## Rome, Assisi, & the Holy Land Pilgrimage

There has already been great interest in this trip, but unfortunately between the two parishes we will only be able to accommodate the first 40 reservations. I would encourage you to contact me at the office with any questions if you are considering going on this life changing trip.

We are joining with Redemptorist Parish to pilgrimage to these Holy sites together in July 2021.

If you would like more information about the trip or would like to sign up, please email Dcn. Tyrone at [dcnt@oloskc.org](mailto:dcnt@oloskc.org) for more information.

## Volunteers

7/11 & 12	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Debbie Tangen	Eloise Sanders	Rick Grindel
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Ruth Rider-Seck	Rita Witt	Kathy Randolph
<b>Servers</b>	Jude Huntz	David Mettman	
<b>Ushers</b>	G. Weatherford	Ted Tschirhart	Mel Hogan Rick Grindel

7/18 & 19	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Jude Huntz	Stephen Bulley	Jeff Crabb
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	G. Weatherford	Elizabeth Bulley	Rick Grindel
<b>Servers</b>	Simon Huntz Paden Huntz	Jeremiah Tylski	
<b>Ushers</b>	Pat Tangen Debbie Tangen	Ted Tschirhart	Mel Hogan Rick Grindel

## Parish Calendar of Events

- **July 14—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **July 16—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-** concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **July 17—Weddings** at 3:00pm & 7:00pm
- **July 18—Quinceanera** at 1:00pm
- **July 18—Wedding** at 6:30pm
- **July 21—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **July 23—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-** concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **July 25—Wedding** at 1:30pm
- **July 28—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **July 30—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-** concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **August 4—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **August 6—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-**

concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon

- **August 8—Weddings** at 1:30pm & 6:00pm
- **August 11—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **August 13—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-** concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **August 15—Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary—Holy Day of Obligation—10:00am Mass**
- **August 18—Communion Service at 12, Noon**
- **August 20—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noon-** concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- **August 22—Wedding** at 6:00pm
- **July 21—Communion Service at 12, Noon**

**Keep Watching for more info & dates to come!**