

# Our Lady of SORROWS C H U R C H



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## Pastor's Ponderings

### Holy Week is Coming to Town

We are only a week away from the beginning of Holy Week. Seven days from now we will be waving palms and listening to the Passion narrative as we prepare for the final part of our journey to Easter. I would again, this year, invite you to join us for every service. You can find the Holy Week Schedule in another part of the bulletin.

Holy Thursday begins our Triduum observation, as we remember the institution of the Eucharist. This Mass also revisits Jesus' servanthood in washing the feet of the apostles and a celebration of the priesthood that ensures the availability of the Sacraments.

On Good Friday, we will remember the Passion and Death of our Lord through our Good Friday service including the veneration of the Cross. Later we gather again for a final observance of the Stations of the Cross.

Easter Vigil will be a combined service with Our Lady of Hope Ordinariate Community. Fr. Ed and I will concelebrate the service, which is truly one of the most beautiful of the year. We have the kindling of the New Fire, the remembrance of salvation history through Scripture, and the blessing of baptismal waters. This is the first Mass of Easter.

Easter Masses will be celebrated at both 8am and 11am. When all these services are observed, it forms a wonderful unified experience of Holy Week worship.

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If you haven't seen the movie "Unplanned" yet, let me encourage you to go. "Unplanned" is the story of Abby Johnson who went from being a clinic director for Planned Parenthood to a committed pro-life activist. Despite intentional blockades of advertising by major media outlets, social media site blackouts and an "R" rating by Hollywood, this powerful film was rated #4 at the box office for its opening weekend. It is well worth the watch!

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Thanks to all who have helped our participation in the Annual Catholic Appeal rise to 83% of our goal. This is wonderful! If you haven't had a chance to contribute, please do and help us reach 100%

In Christ,

Fr. Randy

## Parish Office Hours

9:00 am – 2:00 pm Mon - Fri

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Pastor

**Deacon Scott McKellar**

Deacon

**Our Lady of Hope Community**

Celebrating the Ordinariate form

of Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows

on Sundays at 9:15am

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816-812-2500

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**Kathleen Chastain**

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**Weekend Schedule**

**Saturday**

Confessions 3:00 pm

Mass 4:00 pm

**Sunday**

Masses 8:00 & 11:00 am

**Weekdays**

Confession 11:30 am

Mass 12 Noon

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Fridays 11:00 am

**Baptism and Marriage**

Call for appointment

**To register to become a**

**parishioner, return slip on**

**back page or call the office**

APRIL 7, 2019  
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

# Mass Intentions

## SATURDAY, April 6—5th Sunday of Lent

4:00 pm Judy Dale, spec.int.

## SUNDAY, April 7—5th Sunday of Lent

8:00 am OLOS Parishioners

11:00 am † Bernadina Medina

## MONDAY, April 8—Lenten Weekday

Noon † Healy, Hoedl & Hiller Families

## TUESDAY, April 9—Lenten Weekday

Noon Judy Dale, spec.int.

## WEDNESDAY, April 10—Lenten Weekday

Noon † Jose Ramirez Gonzalez

## THURSDAY, April 11—St. Stanislaus

Noon † Bertha & George Hiller

## FRIDAY, April 12—Lenten Weekday

Noon Jane Carey, spec.int.

## SATURDAY, April 13—Palm Sunday

4:00 pm † Brian Waldbillig

## SUNDAY, April 14—Palm Sunday

8:00 am † Josephine Charles

11:00 am OLOS Parishioners

## Mass Intentions

Mass intentions are available for daily and weekend Masses. Please call the office if you would like to have a Mass said for a loved one, living or deceased. 816.421.2112.

## Prayers Requested

Pray for Earl Jones, Mary Weatherford, Grace Diaz, Sarah Eck, Shirley Sormani, Sue Remkus, Linda Turner, Debbie Bruening, Rose Ann Jett, Teresa Bradskey, Jennifer Murray, Judy Dale, and Jane Carey.

# Volunteers

4/6 & 7	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Lynette Wheeler	Eloise Sanders	Pat Battaglia
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	John Pileggi Debbie Bruening	Ruth Rider-Seck Jeremiah Tylski	Rick Grindel Sylvia Gutierrez
<b>Servers</b>	John Pileggi	Tonnye Armstrong	Tom Papreck
<b>Ushers</b>	Ed Stevens Judy Stevens G. Weatherford Volunteer	Marie Jones Joe Gutierrez Jerald Gutierrez Ted Tschirhart	Rick Grindel Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer

4/13 & 14	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Debbie Bruening	Bill Capotosto	Ken Blundell
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Bruce Laughlin Becky Laughlin	Ann Virgo Rita Witt	Kathryn Blundell Kathy Randolph
<b>Servers</b>	John Pileggi	Tonnye Armstrong	Jim Healy
<b>Ushers</b>	Ed Stevens Judy Stevens G. Weatherford Volunteer	Marie Jones Joe Gutierrez Jerald Gutierrez Ted Tschirhart	Mel Hogan Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer

## Readings for the Week of April 7, 2019

Sunday:	Is 43:16-21/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6/ Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11
Monday:	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62/ Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday:	Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/ Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday:	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/ Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42
Thursday:	Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/ Jn 8:51-59
Friday:	Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/ Jn 10:31-42
Saturday:	Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10-13/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday:	Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20/ Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14—23:56

## Parish Calendar of Events

- **April 6—Church Cleaning** 9am
- **April 6—Women of our Lady**—snacks & conversation, 10am Hall. (*the men are invited for treats too!*)
- **April 6—Wedding** at 1:30pm
- **April 12—Stations of the Cross** at 7:00pm
- **April 13—Wedding** at 1:30pm
- **April 13—Heart of the Redeemer** 4:30-8:30pm Hall
- **April 14—Coffee & Donuts** after 8am & 11am
- **April 14—Newly Married of the Diocese** join the 11am Mass and share in Fellowship after the mass in the Hall with Coffee & Donuts.
- **April 16—Water Garden Society**—5-9pm Hall
- **April 18—Holy Thursday Mass**—4:30pm Adoration 5:30-6:30pm
- **April 18—Our Lady of Hope Ordinariate Community Holy Thursday Mass**—7:00pm, Adoration till 10pm
- **April 19—Good Friday Service**—Noon, Veneration 1-3pm, Stations of the Cross at 3:00pm
- **April 19—Our Lady of Hope Ordinariate Community Holy Thursday Mass**—7:00pm
- **April 20—Easter Flower Decorating** at 10am
- **April 20—Easter Vigil—Our Lady of Hope Ordinariate Community** hosted divine worship mass-8:00pm
- **April 21—Easter Sunday**—8am & 11am

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

# Weekly Activities & Events

## Lay Minister Easter Sign—Up

The Lay Minister Sign-Up Sheets are in the Sacristy on the back counter.

Please take a moment to sign-up to help with our Tridium Mass Schedule.



## Stations of the Cross

We are pleased to announce Our lady of Sorrows will offer Stations of the Cross each Friday starting at 7:00pm. Good Friday, Stations will start at 3:00pm.



## Flowers for Easter

At the entrances to church, you will find an envelope for Flowers for Easter. If you have someone, you would like to remember this Easter, please enter the names on the envelope and return it through the collection to the office by April 15. The flowers purchased will be placed in the sanctuary at Easter and the names of your loved ones will appear in this bulletin and next weekend's bulletin.



### Lenten Schedule

**Confessions—Monday—Friday 11:00 am**

Saturday 3:00pm

**Exceptions—No confessions heard on Ash Wednesday, Holy Thursday, Good Friday or Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 20**

Mass Times— Monday—Friday 12:00 Noon

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 8:00 & 11:00am

Adoration— Fridays 11:00am

Stations of the Cross—Fridays 7:00pm

**Exception—Good Friday 3:00pm**

**Easter Vigil—Saturday, April 20 8:00pm**

**Easter Sunday—8:00 & 11:00am**

## Last Weekends Collection

**From March 31, 2019**

Plate.....\$413.85

Envelopes.....\$2,294.05

## Canticum Novum Concert

Canticum Novum, Mizzou's Premier Student-Led Chamber Ensemble, will be performing a concert on April 26th at 8:00 PM based on the narrative of the human life cycle entitled "Grant Them Rest."

Admission is free, however, donations are graciously accepted. Canticum Novum is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization who strives to give back to others through music.

All donations received for this concert will be donated to the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

## Lenten Regulations

These are our Lenten regulations: Ash Wednesday (March 6, 2019) and Good Friday (April 19, 2019) are days of fast and abstinence. Fasting means that we limit ourselves to one full meal and two smaller meals each day. (It means, 'no snacking between meals') Abstinence means that we do not eat meat on these days.

Catholics between the ages of 18 & 59 are obliged to fast. Catholics over the age of 14 are obliged to refrain from meat.

We Catholics are obligated to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all the Fridays during Lent. We are encouraged to fast on Fridays during Lent, as well as other days during Lent.

Although the faithful enjoy freedom in conscience to excuse themselves for a just cause from these mitigated laws of fast and abstinence, the obligation to do penance is a serious one and no Catholic should lightly excuse himself/herself from this obligation in the Lenten season.

## 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, Jenifer Valenti, at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, 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

## LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA DISPLAYS

### Walk the Walk - Dr. Tim Gray

Being a disciple of Jesus has always been synonymous with being a Christian. From the Scriptures and from his own experience, biblical scholar Dr. Tim Gray explains how Christian discipleship calls us to follow in the footsteps of Christ as engaged participants in God's plan, ordering our lives to bear witness to the Lord in our families, workplaces and communities, and to the world.

*"Dr. Gray challenges me to 'walk the talk' if I truly want to be a disciple of Jesus... It clearly sets forth what we must do to follow Christ!"* Julie - St. Petersburg, FL

*"I always thought that Christians were boring and uninteresting, but after listening to Dr. Gray I now realize that being a Disciple of Christ is exciting and even dangerous at times! Great CD."* Steve - Chantilly, VA

*"It's really very simple—Christ is the answer to all our problems. Now go and share this truth with the world and observe the results!"* Julie - Sterling, VA

*"Dr. Gray not only explains practical ways to 'walk the walk', but more importantly he addresses spiritual obstacles that may keep us from being the disciple we're each called to be."* Sylvia - Pelham, AL

Visit the Lighthouse displays at the main and side entrances of the church to find more.

## Our Gift to you of FORMED.ORG

Take advantage of our gift to you of FORMED.ORG. We are excited to offer our parishioners a second year of FORMED.org. It is easy to register using Parish Code **TMDJ9D**. Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org). Click on Register. Enter your Parish Code. Create your FREE account by entering your email address. (The parish code is case sensitive.) ENJOY!



### 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 or mail to the Parish Office.



Go behind the scenes of *Unplanned*, the inspiring true story of one woman's journey of transformation. All Abby Johnson ever wanted to do was help women. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she fought to enact legislation for the cause she so deeply believed in. Until the day she saw something that changed everything, leading Abby to join her former enemies at 40 Days For Life, and become one of the most ardent pro-life speakers in America.

This feature includes behind the scene interviews with Abby Johnson, Ashley Bratcher (who plays the role of Abby in the film), the screenplay writers, and more!



Join Abby Johnson, former Planned Parenthood clinic director and author of the memoir *Unplanned*, alongside co-director and screenwriter Chuck Konzelman, co-director and producer Cary Solomon, and the de Nicola Center for Ethics and Culture Cardinal George Fellow, Mary FioRito, for an interactive discussion about the upcoming film *Unplanned*. This conversation includes feature clips from the movie interspersed with Q&A from the audience. The event was hosted by de Nicola Center for Ethics and Culture at the University of Notre Dame.

Find these under **WATCH—MOVIES**—then scroll to **MEN AND WOMEN OF FAITH**



**WATCH—Apologetics**—then scroll to **FATIMA GEMS**