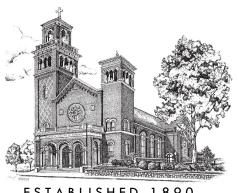
# Our Lady of



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astoral Thoughts A Bit of Normalcy

As we head into the fall this year, we are still facing many of the challenges that consumed us during the summer. We are seeking a bit of normalcy in our lives, that have been turned upside down with the social unrest, the up-coming Presidential election and of course the virus which has plagued us since March.

Sports, and especially our Kansas City Chiefs, have begun to play games again and are giving us a mental break and allowing us to become united again behind the red and gold.

Even though many events and family activities have been cancelled this year, and mask and social distance fatigue has set in for most people, it is good to have something to look forward to, and allow ourselves to scream and yell for something we love.

Many of our local school district have also begun the process of allowing in person classes, that allow our children to get a bit of social interaction that they crave and is so important to their development. It is not a perfect situation, but it is a beginning.

Hopefully, all the bright minds we have in the science community will have an effective antidote for this puzzling virus, that acts and affects people in ways we have never seen before. Gratefully, we are hearing that something will be available by the end of the year which will be a welcomed relief.

Things in our society will never return completely back to the way they were, and that may be a good thing. We have all been given a harsh reminder of how important it is to practice good hygiene.

I feel one of the positive aspects that this virus has caused, is to make us aware of the importance of personal hygiene safety. This will probably lead to us still seeing hand sanitizer available everywhere, masks during the winter months for many to ward off the flue, a more vigilant attitude towards sanitizing our work spaces, gathering halls and churches, just good habits we may have strayed from. Although it has taken some time to Continued page 3

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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chastain@diocesekcsj.org

# Weekend Schedule Saturday

Mass 4:00 pm

Sunday

8:00 & 11:00 am Masses

Weekdays—Tuesdays

Communion Service 12 Noon

Thursdays

12 Noon Mass **Eucharistic Adoration** Thursdays 11:00 am

# **Mass Intentions**

SATURDAY, September 26—26th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm † Joseph & Paula Garcia

SUNDAY, September 27—26th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am † Healy, Hiller & Hoedl Families

11:00am OLOS Parishioners

MONDAY, September 28—Weekday

† John B. Hiller

TUESDAY, September 29—Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

† Michael & Patrick Healy

WEDNESDAY, September 30—St. Jerome

† Eric Hiller

THURSDAY, October 1—St. Therese of the Child Jesus

† Edelmira Grindel

FRIDAY, October 2—Holy Guardian Angels

† Philip & Patricia Fowlie

SATURDAY, October 3—27th Sunday in Ord. Time

4:00pm OLOS Parishioners

SUNDAY, October 4—27th Sunday in Ord. Time

8:00am † Clarine Dolson 11:00am † David Christianson

### 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 27, 2020

Sunday: Ez 18:25-28/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/

Phil 2:1-11/Mt 21:28-32

Monday: Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17/LK 9:46-50

Tuesday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 138/Jn 1:47-51
Wednesday: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Ps 88/Lk 9:57-62
Thursday: Jb 19:21-27/Ps 27/Lk 10:1-12
Friday: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139/

Mt 18:1-5, 10

Saturday: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Ps 119/LK 10:17-24

Next Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20/

Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Resources for the readings can be found at <u>USCCB.org</u>.

# **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, Susan Walsh, Blake Mathews, Ken Blundell, Shirley Briscoe, Loretta Riss, Allan Schaff.

## **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 September 14-20, 2020

Mail Plate	\$407.00
Envelopes	\$1,205.00

Thank You to ALL our parishioners who have provided support, either financially or through your prayers, to the parish during this difficult time. <u>Click here</u> to donate online

# **Pastoral Thoughts Continued**

implement them, they are positive things to help keep us all healthy in the future.

So, as we pray for a return to normalcy, let us not forget the lessons we have learned during this time, especially how special it is to have family and good friends in our lives.

Many Blessings

Dcn Tyrone

# Our Lady of Guadalupe Painting Raffle

Today, September 26 & 27, we will have a replica of the painting of Our Lady of Guadalupe here, in our church, sponsored by Sacred Heart—Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish. They will be selling tickets to raffle off the painting at the end of the year. Please consider supporting this fundraising cause.

# **Peter's Pence Second Collection**

Next weekend, October 3 & 4, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Please be generous. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.peterspence.va/en.html">http://www.peterspence.va/en.html</a>.

This collection was rescheduled from May 31. If you have already given, thank you for your support. Anyone wishing to give, please place it in the basket with your regular envelope.

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# **New Parishioner Information**

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

Name		
Address		
	Zip Code	
Home Phone		
Email address		

Please drop in collection basket, mail, call the Parish Office 816.421.2112, or email to <a href="mailto:stephanief@oloskc.org">stephanief@oloskc.org</a>

\*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 <a href="mailto:stephanief@oloskc.org">stephanief@oloskc.org</a>

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.

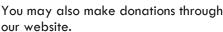
### Our YouTube Channel

We are posting prerecorded video of each of our Tridium Services on our newly established YouTube Channel. You may view these by <u>clicking here</u>.

# 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.



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:

- Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
- 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 <a href="mailto:crayon@ombudsmankcsi.org">crayon@ombudsmankcsi.org</a>, 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 <a href="mailto:chastain@diocesekcsi.org">chastain@diocesekcsi.org</a> for more information

# Weekly Activities & Events

# Into the Light Project

Habitat for Humanity of Kansas City and Lykins
Neighborhood Association have been part of an effort to
clean up the Lykins neighborhood by redesigning the park
and adding a lot of new housing to the neighborhood,
which has been a site for human trafficking for some time.
The art project will be the first ever memorial to victims and
survivors of human trafficking and will be the center piece
of a transformation of the park. In addition, Habitat KC will
be collaborating with other non-profits and developers to
create 75 new homes in the neighborhood. The city has
committed to a number of infrastructure and park
improvements which will change the neighborhood
dramatically. More information of the groundbreaking
coming.

You are invited to the groundbreaking ceremony of Project Into the Light. The First Memorial in the nation for victims of Human Trafficking and those who minister to them. Join us on October 24, 2020 at Lykin Square Park, Kansas City, MO at 12:00pm, Noon.

We do need a bit of help. Private fundraising has provided almost all the cost for the art installation. We are in need of just about \$1000 to complete the project which is under construction. If anyone from Our Lady of Sorrows can help with a piece of this there are some other churches who have offered to help too.

You may make a donation through OLOS by placing "Into the Light Project" on your check or envelope. Or by contacting Jude Huntz at <a href="mailto:ihuntz@habitatkc.org">ihuntz@habitatkc.org</a> to donate directly.

# 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

For more information visit <a href="https://kcsjcatholic.org/office/divine-worship/">https://kcsjcatholic.org/office/divine-worship/</a> 816-714-2324



# Volunteers

9/26 & 27	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
Reader	Jude Huntz	Bill Capotosto	Pat Battaglia
Eucharistic Minister	Kathy Randolph	Rita Witt	Tammy Papreck
Servers	John Pileggi	Jeremiah Tylski	Tom Papreck
Ushers/ Greeter	Jude Huntz	Ted Tschirhart	Rick Grindel
10/3 & 4	4:00pm	8:00am	11:00am
Reader	Lynette Wheeler	Stephen Bulley	Tammy Pareck
Eucharistic Ministers	Lynette Wheeler	Elizabeth Bulley	Sylvia Gutierrez
Servers	Simon Huntz Paden Huntz	David Mettman	George Bryde
Ushers	Jude Huntz	Ted Tschirhart	Mel Hogan

# **Parish Calendar of Events**

- September 26—Wedding at 1:00pm
- September 29—Communion Service at 12, Noon
- October 1—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noonconcludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- October 2—POMC Support group—6:00-10pm Hall
- October 3—Wedding at 2:00pm
- October 3 & 4—Peter's Pence—rescheduled collection-all Masses
- October 6—Communion Service at 12, Noon
- October 8—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12, Noonconcludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- October 10—Wedding at 2:00pm
- October 13—Communion Service at 12, Noon
- October 15—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12,
   Noon-concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon

- October 16—Wedding at 6:00pm
- October 17 & 18—Mission Sunday Collection at all Masses.
- October 20—Communion Service at 12, Noon
- October 22—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12,
   Noon-concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- October 23—Wedding at 3:00pm
- October 24—Weddings—-at 1:30pm & 6:00pm
- October 27—Communion Service at 12, Noon
- October 29—Adoration & Mass—11:00am-12,
   Noon-concludes with Benediction and Mass at Noon
- October 30—Wedding at 3:30pm

Keep Watching for more info & dates to come!