

# GOOD SHEPHERD



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# Parish Office

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#### **Office Hours**

Mon. and Fri. 10am-noon, Tues. thru Thurs. 10am-3pm

# Parish Staff

#### **Rev. Terrell Finnell**

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## **Facility and Grounds**

Bob Edinger Polly Harter

# Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5pm; Sunday - 7:30am and 10:30am Wednesday - 9am; (No Mass on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday)

### Confessions

Confessions are held on Wednesday evenings at 6pm, or by appointment with Fr. Terrell, until further notice.

## Baptism

Please call the office as soon as possible at 816-532-4344. Baptismal prep for the parents is required for first child.

# First Penance/First Eucharist

Contact Tessa Rielley in the parish office.

\* Children who are to prepare for the sacraments of Penance, Eucha<mark>r</mark>ist, or Confirmation must have completed the prior year of religious education.

# High School Confirmation

Contact Tessa Rielley in the parish office.

# Marriage

Please consult with pastor at least nine months before anticipated marriage.

Must be registered for one year prior to initial contact with pastor.

# RCIA (Christian Initiation of Adults)

Contact Ron Sondag in the parish office.

## Parish Council

President - Teresa Fantasma Vice President - Connie Hill Secretary - Sharmila McCauley Members-at-large - Renee Johnson,

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## Finance Council

Chairperson - Lee Ann Fadler Mario Fantasma, Scott Ready, Mike Thompson

# Altar Society

President - Polly Harter
Vice President - Helen Smith
Social time 6:30 to 7pm

Meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of the month at 7pm.

# Knights of Columbus

Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7pm. Call John Wise (816-532-0703) or go to www.kofc9272.com for more info.

# Mass Intentions

For the week of June 14	
Saturday, June 13 5:00pm	Intentions of the Parish
Sunday, June 14 7:30am 10:30am	Intentions of the Parish + Deceased members K of C
Monday, June 15 (No Mass)	
Tuesday, June 16 (No Mass)	
Wednesday, June 17 9:00am	(Open)
Thursday, June 18 (No Mass)	
Friday, June 19 (No Mass)	
Saturday, June 20 5:00pm	Intentions of the Parish
Sunday, June 21 7:30am 10:30am	+ Deceased members A. S. + Toni Ryan

# Grateful Stewardship to God

May 31	
Envelope	\$4795.00
Plate	\$180.00
Online Giving	\$2620.00
Children's Collection	
Debt Reduction	\$523.00
Peter's Pence	

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
- 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@ombudsmankcsj.org">crayon@ombudsmankcsj.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@diocesekcsj.org">chastain@diocesekcsj.org</a> for more information.

# Ministry Schedules

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JUNE 13/14

#### **LECTORS**

5:00 pm Terri Turner

/:30 am	Michelle Kruse
10:30 am	Lindsay Plathe
<b>USHERS</b>	•
5:00 pm	Richard Boyle, Greg Nelson, (volunteer)
7:30 am	Frank Kram, Tony Ratzloff, Mike Schockey
10:30 am	Joe Albers Shane Alexander Bob Edinger

MUSICIANS
5:00 pm Ron Sondag, Chaz Walgren
7:30 am Ron Sondag, Larry Fehner
10:30 am Ron Sondag, Valerie Ruehter

10:30 am Ron Sondag, Carol Noecker

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JUNE 20/21

# LECTORS

5:00 pm	Linda Nelson	
7:30 am	Kim Krueger	
10:30 am	Erica Wilson	
<b>USHERS</b>		
5:00 pm	Shane Alexander, Richard Boyle, Greg Nelson	
7:30 am	Frank Kram, Tony Ratzloff, Mike Schockey	
10:30 am	Glenn Harmon, Quinton Wilson, Jeremy Wilson	
MUSICIANS		
5:00 pm	Ron Sondag, Jeff Seba	
7:30 am	Ron Sondag, Larry Fehner	

# The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

It is no wonder that followers of Christ are called the Body of Christ. After all, sharing in the same spiritual food and sacred meal, they become what they eat and reveal the Divine Image. There is so much power for healing in the community of believers. Through the Eucharist, Christ becomes as present in those who have partaken of his Body and Blood as he has the elements themselves. The very presence of God touches the depths of the human soul and visits a part of us that no human being can ever hope to explore. We are God's. The sacred Eucharistic meal is a celebration of intimacy, the reunion of two loves in constant search of and longing for the other.

The community of believers receives the power and the presence to touch and heal in the name of the One they have welcomed within. It is now within their grasp to change the way life is lived and to more intentionally put into practice the Beatitudes that the Divine Guest has revealed. (continue next page)

#### **BULLETIN AND ANNOUNCEMENT ITEMS**

Deadline for bulletin items is Wednesday noon of previous week. Items must be written and brought to the office or e-mailed to sondagron@gmail.com. All bulletin articles are subject to approval by Fr. Terrell. On holiday weekends, bulletin items must be sent to the office two weeks in advance of publication.

All announcements to be read before Mass must be submitted to Ron Sondag no later than noon on Thursday of that week.

# Good Shepherd Calendar

#### **SATURDAY, June 13**

• Mass, 5pm

SUNDAY, June 14

• Masses, 7:30am and 10:30am

#### MONDAY, June 15

• (No Mass)

**TUESDAY**, June 16

• (No Mass)

WEDNESDAY, June 17

• Mass, 9am

**THURSDAY**, June 18

• (No Mass)

FRIDAY, June 19

• (No Mass)

SATURDAY, June 20

Mass, 5pm

SUNDAY, June 21

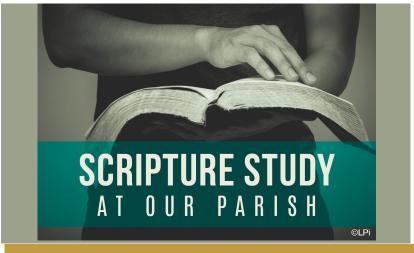
- Masses, 7:30am and 10:30am
- Exposition/Adoration following 10:30 Mass until Midnight



(Continued from previous page.) We are asked to be like Christ and work to create a world of sufficiency, where the greed of some no longer creates the want of others but where all of God's children can find a home and a place at the table of life. The One who makes a home within calls us to live a life that transforms. We are changed ourselves and now become agents of change for others. We are the Body of Christ. God is with us. We have been nourished.

Sadly, many are afraid to try. We know what we are called to do, but we struggle with feelings of doubt as to whether God really is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Do our systems have to change? Is it possible that we somehow missed the mark when we put all of our social networks in place and established the business of our lives? Perhaps we have to radically rethink our approach and that can scare us. We might have to give something up or change, and we don't want to. As long as want, injustice, division, prejudice, and scarcity still exit, there is tremendous work for the Body of Christ.

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# REFLECT

#### FIRST READING

Moses reminds the Israelites of how God's miraculous gifts of manna (bread) and water (early images of the Eucharist) helped them through their trials and tribulations. How would you explain to a friend how the Eucharist sustains you through difficult times?

#### SECOND READING

Paul spoke of how the believers in Corinth celebrating the Eucharist were engaged in an act of "participation" in the Body and Blood of Christ. How do you imagine the Corinthians reacting to this description?

#### **GOSPEL READING**

We hear in today's Gospel the closing remarks from Jesus' Bread of Life discourse. As a Christian who believes in the Eucharist, how would you answer the Jews' original question: "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?"

# **Summer Bible Study Series**

Join your other parish friends in a 6 week online "Zoom" study of the prophets Amos, Hosea, and Micah. This 6-week study will look at the Prophet's role in raising important questions of justice. The prophets whose writing we will read tell us that other peoples' business is our business when those people are suffering economic hardship and oppression. Reading the prophets' words is an opportunity to examine how, even without our realizing it, our lifestyle may have a negative impact on the lives of others. Today, more than ever, we need to hear this same message, namely that humankind is our business, "the common welfare" is our business, "charity, mercy, forbearance, and benevolence" are all our business.

These sessions will take place on Wednesday afternoons at 3pm starting July 1. Sign up now online at www.gsccmo.org.

We will use "Zoom" to meet in a virtual group and share stories and insights. Call Ron in the parish office with questions, 532-4344.