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Servers

June 28/29

4:30PM: Jack Short

9:00AM: Bartulica Brothers

Lectors

June 28/29

4:30PM: Bernie Stevenson

9:00AM: Mike Chappell

Music

Entrance Antiphon:

Opening:#432 At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing

Offertory:#601 Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

Mystery of Faith: #102 Missa de Angelis

Communion Antiphon

Communion: #619 Lord, Who at Thy First Eucharist

Marian: #738 Salve Regina

Closing: #422 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

Altar Flowers

If you would like to provide altar flowers one week on behalf of your family or in memory of a loved one or event, please text or call Kelly at:

574-276-9378

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Interested in joining the Catholic Church? Perhaps you’ve been away from the Church for a while and want to come back to full communion? If this describes you, please email or call the parish office to register.

LEGION OF MARY

LAY MEN & WOMEN ASSISTING THE BISHOP AND THE PRIEST SINCE 1921

SAINT JAMES PRAESIDIUM, QUEEN OF THE UNIVERSE

The Legion of Mary is for the honor of the Blessed Mother, assisting the parish priest in his work for the salvation of souls. It is for the welfare of the one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church, doing every form of social service and Catholic action with the guidance of the parish priest.

Join our meetings on Wednesdays at 9AM in the Casper Erk Room of the Parish Center.

Stay up-to-date with the *Altar Society’s* activities and events on Flocknote! Just text ALTARSOCIETY6450 to 84576

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MEETS THE 1ST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7PM IN THE CASPER ERK ROOM. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND!

Holy Name Society

Meets on the 2nd Sunday of each month @ 8AM in the Church basement. Join us after Mass for coffee, donuts, & fellowship!

St. Vincent de Paul

WILL HAVE THEIR FOOD-COLLECTION BOXES AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE. YOU MAY DROP OFF ITEMS LISTED BELOW WHEN VISITING THE CHURCH.

ITEMS NEEDED:

*PAPER PRODUCTS

*NON-PERISHABLE FOODS

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Gina Smith Teresa Johnson

Joseph Thiltges Patricia Saulan

Dianne Pulley Henry Saulan

Josie Gilbert

Steve Steiner

Richard Coleman

Melissa Riches

Mass Intentions for this Week

Saturday, June 21:

*Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

4:30PM - Charise Widener & Inez Hollowell †

Sunday, June 22:

*The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

9:00AM - Eugene Miller †

12:45PM -

Monday, June 23:

8:00AM - John & Carol Walsh†

Wednesday, June 25:

8:00AM - Don Aberer †

Friday, June 27:

*The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8:00AM - Carole Dunn †

Saturday, June 28:

*The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Saint Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr, and Doctor of the Church

4:30PM - Michael & Frances Hernandez & MaryAnn Ellis †

Sunday, June 29:

*Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

9:00AM - For the People

12:45PM -

Thoughts by Father Jonathan Davis

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, also known as *Corpus Christi* is Latin for the Body of Christ. On this feast day, we honor the Sacrament of Sacraments, the treasure of our Faith. We honor the real, true, and substantial presence of God present in the Holy Eucharist. This is the most important thing in the world because It is Jesus Himself. We know and we believe that the bread and wine, which are presented and offered at Holy Mass to be consecrated, are changed from bread and wine in Christ’s true Body and Blood. It may still look like bread and wine, smell like bread and wine, and taste like bread and wine, but it is no longer bread and wine. How do we know this to be true? First, we know this is true because Jesus Christ himself said so. At the Last Supper, Jesus said, “Take it, this is my body.” And then he took a chalice of wine and said, “This is my blood of the covenant.” Also, in John Chapter 6 Jesus said to the Jews, “Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood will have eternal life and I will raise him up on the last day.” The word Jesus uses for "to eat" in the original Greek of the Gospel of John is “trogon” which literally means to chew with one’s teeth and eat something as food. So Jesus wanted the disciples to hear without a doubt that Jesus was saying we are to literally eat his flesh that he gives to us in this most holy Sacrament. Many of his followers turned away because they would not accept Jesus’ teaching. Jesus asked his apostles, “Do you also want to turn away?” Peter answered and said, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life!” Jesus also said "My flesh is true food and my blood is real drink." St. Cyril of Alexandria who died in 444 A.D. says, “Do not doubt whether this is true, but rather receive the words of the Savior in faith, for since He is the truth, He cannot lie.” Beyond the words of our Savior, if we need any other proof that the Eucharist is really the Body and Blood of Christ, we have hundreds of Eucharistic miracles beginning in the year 750 in Lanciano, Italy, the first recorded Eucharistic miracle, where the Eucharist turned to living flesh during the Mass, and you still can go to see it today. St. John Paul II wrote, “The Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to making amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease.” On Mondays at St. James we have Eucharistic Adoration from 8:30am-7:00pm with Benediction at 7:00pm. I would like to encourage all of us to make some time to stop in the Church on Mondays to be with our Lord. Let us thank God for the gift of the Body and Blood of His Son that He gave to be our spiritual food for the journey and let us come to adoration to adore Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ

June 22, 2025

1PM Celebration of Mass at St. Patrick’s Church in Kansas City, MO (1357 NE 42nd Terrace)

Followed by a Procession to St. Pius concluding with Benediction

Most Reverend James V. Johnston, Jr., D.D. Celebrant

NEW OFFICE HOURS

Saint James Catholic *School Office* will be offering an opportunity to register your student for the upcoming school year! Call or stop by during the hours of 8:30AM-3:30PM, Tuesday through Thursday during the summer break!

The Parish Office Hrs:

Mon., 8:00AM - 4:00PM

Tues.—Thurs., 11:30AM - 4:00PM

Fri., 8:00AM - 1:00PM

SAVE THE DATE

Serve It Up SJCA Volleyball

Tournament

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ACADEMY/LB ALUMNI AND FRIENDS WELCOME

July 26th @ Volleys

More Details Coming Soon

Proceeds go to LB Alumni Group

Visit the Jubilee Year Pilgrimage Sites

As we are halfway through the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope, remember that there are three designated pilgrimage sites in the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph: [the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception at Conception Abbey](#), the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Kansas City and the Cathedral of St. Joseph in St. Joseph. Those not able to pilgrimage to Rome may obtain a [Jubilee Indulgence](#) by making a pious pilgrimage to a sacred Jubilee site. Find a full list of national pilgrimage sites visit <https://www.usccb.org/jubilee2025/>

The Saint Monica Club is a city-wide apostolate founded in 2021 to pray for priests, vocations, and those away from the Catholic Faith. Join us in praying the rosary and Litany of the Saints on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month from 6:20-6:45PM at St. James Church. For more information or to receive reminders, text THEMONICACLUB to 84576 or visit www.themonicacclub.com

PRAYING WITH THE PSALMS

Join us Thursdays at 3:00 PM in the Church basement for Bible Study. Led by Matthew Cline, the course will focus on deepening our personal prayer life through the example of the writers in the Book of Psalms.

Weekly Offerings:

COLLECTION PLATE:	\$8,193.57
MASS INTENTIONS/ MEMORIALS:	\$0.00
BUILDING & REPAIR FUND:	\$499.00
ONLINE GIVING:	\$250.00

Thank You!

TOTAL: \$8,942.57


JUNE TOTAL: \$18,358.14

THIS WEEK’S 2ND COLLECTION

- CHURCH REPAIR
- UTILITIES

MIR HOUSE

Sign up for a ‘We Adore Him’ account to view the current schedule, sign up for hours, request automatic substitutes, receive reminders for your holy hour, and get updates! Sign up by scanning the QR code (using a cell phone camera) in upper right corner or by visiting: mirhouseofprayer.weadorehim.com/en/signup



Biblical Faith Formation with the *Missionary Servants of the Word*

SAINT JAMES (CHURCH BASEMENT)

Wednesdays: 5PM - 6PM


Saturdays: 5:30PM - 6:30PM

SAINT PATRICK (CHURCH BASEMENT)

Thursdays: 5PM-6PM

Saturdays: 10AM - 11AM

- Course 1: The History of Salvation
- Course 2: Life in the Spirit
- Course 3: Prayer
- Course 4: The Sacraments and Evangelization



House Blessings & Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus:

JUNE is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I would be happy to visit your homes, to bless them, and to consecrate your homes to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Please contact me or the parish office.

—Fr. Jonathan Davis



Bishop Johnston: For those graduating from high school and college; that God’s grace light the way forward and bring strength and wisdom in a time of transition.

Holy Father: Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

