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MASSES

WEEKDAY: Mon & Fri 8:15am,
Tues, Wed, Thu 6:15am & 8:15am
First Sat 8:15am
WEEKEND: Sat 4pm, Sun, 7:30am, 9am & 11am
MASS ONLINE CONTINUES

RECONCILIATION

Individual Confessions: by appointment and Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5-6pm
Saturdays, 3-3:45pm
First Saturdays, 7:15-8am

OUR CLERGY

Father Justin Hoye, Pastor
Father Pius Wesonga, AJ, Associate Pastor
In Residence: Father Paul Sappington

AT THE PARISH OFFICE

Office Hours:
Mon. & Wed. 8:45am-1pm, 2-3:30pm*
Tues. & Thurs. 8:45am-1pm, 2-5pm*
Friday 8:45am-1pm
* lunch hour 1-2pm

Parish Office 816-942-2492
Office directory at stmkc.com and p.9

AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

Linda Crosthwait Principal
Tracy Stewart Assistant Principal
Office hours: Mon.-Thurs., 8am-3:45pm;
Fri., 8:30am-3:30pm

School Office 816-942-5581
School fax 816-941-2450
School email directory at stmkcschool.org

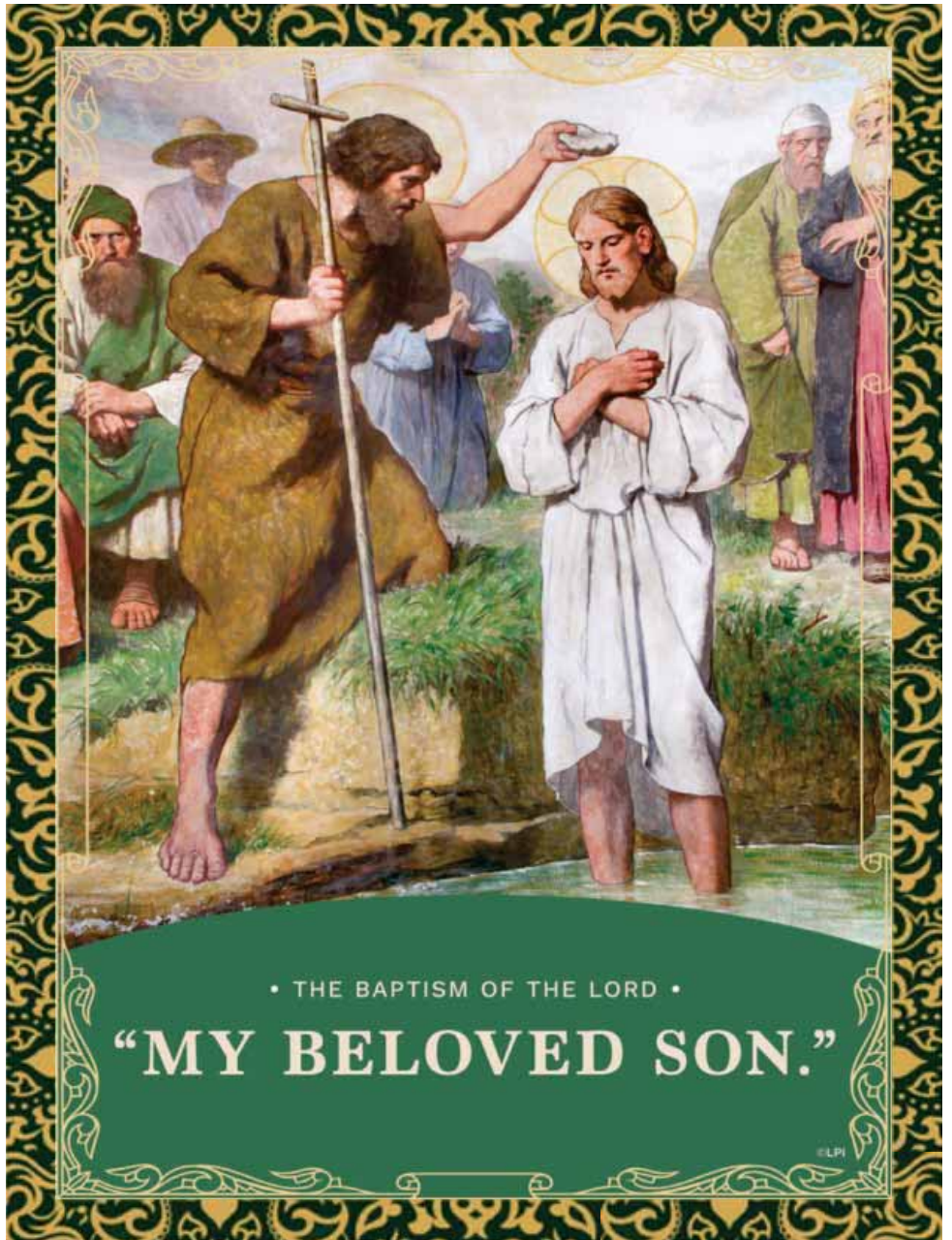
SCHOOL TOURS: contact Principal Linda Crosthwait at 816-942-5581 or crosthwait_linda@stmcyclones.org

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

All employees and volunteers working with minors are required to:

- Create an account at virtus.org
- Attend a Protecting God's Children workshop
- Complete a mandated reporter training
- Submit to a background check
- Read the online Policy on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry

For more Safe Environment information, including reporting and victim resources, see page 10.



UNBOUND

a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 17 developing countries.



Next weekend we welcome
Rev. Joseph Uecker C.P.P.S.



THE PASTOR'S PEN

Faithful People of Saint Thomas More,

This is our last weekend celebrating the Christmas Season, and I thank all of our staff and volunteers who made our campus and liturgies beautiful expressions of joy!

This weekend is the celebration of the Baptism of Jesus, an event that propelled Jesus into the desert in preparation for his public ministry. We too, in baptism, are thrust into the world as witnesses and testifiers to the power of God, but we often feel overwhelmed and muted in our efforts to proclaim good things. STM is participating in a diocesan-wide initiative that begins next week with two small groups (one Thursday afternoons, and the other Thursday evenings) that will help us re-appreciate the gift of our faith, and equip us to better share it in our lives.

Isaiah 49 is a six week series - completed ahead of Lent - and while you can sign up at stmkc.com, our Evangelization and Discipleship Coordinator, Hayley, will be in the Narthex after all Masses this weekend to encourage parishioners to sign up. Thank you to those who have already registered, and to those open to hearing more about how God wants to activate their baptism in astounding ways!

Next weekend, Father Joseph Uecker, a member of the Precious Blood community, will be with us, as part of the Unbound Ministry. It has been seven years since the ministry was at STM, and many of our parishioners over the years have supported the ministry by financially "adopting" children or the elderly in one of 17 countries where they operate. Thank you for your welcome of Father Joseph, and to the priests who will be helping at STM this month while Father Pius is back in Uganda.

Father Justin

P.S. Our annual auction is just three weeks away! To purchase tickets, make a donation or for more information, visit STMAUCTION.ORG.

SAINT THOMAS MORE PARISH Annual Stewardship

STM Annual Stewardship & Diocesan Annual Appeal

A sincere thanks to all who have returned their 2025 pledge forms!

Annual Stewardship Pledge Report Goal: 100% Participation

As of 1/8/25, 442 households (33%) returned pledge forms.

PLEDGE
ONLINE



STMKC.COM/PLEDGE

Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)

Goal: 100% response rate

As of 1/3/25 :

- 185 STM households pledged \$165,435 (145%)
- Across the diocese 4,239 households pledged \$1,644,046 toward a \$2 million goal (82%).

One Family **RESTORED IN CHRIST, EQUIPPED FOR MISSION**



Healing Our Family

Tending wounds and accompanying hearts to freedom in Christ

Come Home to Communion



Daily Masses

Monday, 8:15am
 Tuesday, 6:15 & 8:15am
 Wednesday, 6:15 & 8:15am
 Thursday, 6:15 & 8:15am
 Friday, 8:15am
 First Saturday, 8:15am

Sign Interpreted services: 2nd Sundays at 11am

Masses are recorded daily; find them at stmkc.com or youtube.stmkc.com.

The Light is on for You

Confessions are offered in the reconciliation room.

Tuesday, 5-6pm Thursday, 5-6pm
 Saturday, 3-3:45pm First Saturday, 7:15-8am
 and by appointment

Church Hours for Private Prayer

Monday - Friday, 6am-9pm
 Saturday - Sunday, 7am-9pm

Pray the Rosary with Others

Sundays, after 9am Mass

Join with the Knights of Columbus in prayer.

Mon.-Fri., after the 8:15am Mass

All are welcome to pray the rosary or the Fatima devotions with others on first Saturdays, after 8:15am Mass.

Eucharistic Exposition at STM

Sundays, Noon-9pm in the Church

Regular time spent with the Lord in Adoration can be life changing! First Sundays, Noon-1pm, has music.

Stay practical. It might not be possible for you to get to your church whenever you feel like it. But maybe you can arrive early for Mass and spend time with Jesus. Or perhaps you could arrange your schedule so that you (and even a spouse, child, or friend with you) can stop in as you're driving past the church. Even a few minutes can change your week for the better.

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and by appointment

Fresh Fire Eucharistic Adoration

Fridays (Jan. 10, Feb. 7, Mar. 28., Apr. 25), 7-9pm

Fresh Fire is a prayer experience crafted to open hearts to experience Jesus' real presence in the Eucharist by combining candlelit Eucharistic Adoration throughout, with praise and worship music, a speaker offering per-

sonal witness, and opportunities to come to the altar for a blessing and intercessory prayer.

January Prayer Intentions

Pope Francis: Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

Bishop Johnston: Let us pray for all who live and suffer in countries impacted by war, especially children and vulnerable people. For an end to war and for peace in the New Year.

Care & Support

Grief Peer Support Group

1st & 3rd Wed. (Jan. 15), 4-5pm, Bauman Room

Grief is difficult and can be experienced as a result of any kind of loss. In addition to supporting each other, we use various resources to better understand our grief. Peggy Lucas, Pastoral Associate, facilitates these groups. Attend as you are able. For more info, contact her at peggy@stmkc.com or 816-942-2492 x210.

Retrouvaille Weekend for Couples

January 27-29, 2023, Kansas City

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope.

Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and

Please hold in prayer

CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE, BULLETIN@STMKC.COM OR 942-2492 X202, TO ADD OR REMOVE NAMES FROM THE PRAYER LIST. IF YOUR NAME IS DROPPED OFF AND YOU ARE IN NEED OF ADDITIONAL PRAYERS FOR HEALING, CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE. **NAMES APPEAR EVERY OTHER WEEK.**

...our family and friends in the military:

Thomas Edwards
Seth Gulsby

John Hylander
Steve Janner

Sarah Katz
Brian Owara

Alycia Pouch
Nathan Pouch

John P. Sullivan

...our parishioners who are sick:

Patrick Adams
Roberta Aguirre
Peggy Calhoun

Bill Cusick
Beth Dierks
Carol Gretencord

Iva Hamilton
Lola Jacobs
Carol Katzer

Kathy Lawson
Laura Rupp
Ed Thomas

Kathy Vervaecke
Anita Wagner

...our family and friends who are sick:

Duane & Melinda Brown
Alissa Carter
Rachel Casady

Joy Davie
Charles Haster
Glen Horton

Jerry Job
Julie Aguirre Johnson
Richard Layton

Brian Robinson
Missy Seaman

Glnny Torchia
Lester Wells

...our family and friends who have died:

Mary Nigro; Sharon Mercier

commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. It is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages.

For more information, visit helpourmarriage.com or call 800-470-2230.

Meals for Moms

Meals can be a huge support as families welcome new babies! We're putting together an email list to support families in this way at STM. If you would like to be on the list to know when meals are needed, contact Hayley Shaver.

9 Days For Life Novena

Thursday, January 16-Friday, January 24

Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual Respect Life novena. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more. Sign up at 9daysforlife.com.

Grief Support Meeting

Saturday, January 18, after 8am Mass

The Bereavement Ministry at Cure' of Ars, 9405 Mission Rd, Leawood, KS will have a grief support meeting in the Father Burak room. For more info, call 913-649-2026.

One Family **RESTORED IN CHRIST, EQUIPPED FOR MISSION**



Using Resources Wisely

Aligning God's gifts for the Church's life and mission

Catholic Home Missions and Black & Indian Missions

January 11-12

A Home Mission diocese is one located in the U.S. that cannot provide basic pastoral services without outside help. Nearly 40% of U.S. dioceses including 2 of 4 in MO, are considered home missions. Your contribution supports training to build vibrant faith communities in the U.S. Visit usccb.org/home-missions for more info.

Unbound Appeal - January 19

Please welcome Rev. Joseph Uecker C.P.P.S. who will be with us to celebrate Masses and tell us about the work of Unbound, a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 17 developing countries. You will have the opportunity to sign up to "adopt" a child or senior. To learn more, call (800) 875-6564 or visit Unbound at unbound.org. Questions? Call 800-466-7672 or email ParishContact@Unbound.org.

Thank you!

People of Saint Thomas More,



Thank you for making Christmas possible for the residents and for everything you do for Journey [to New Life]. We greatly appreciate it. Have a very Merry Christmas!

~ The Residents Team

Note: Gifts were given from tags on the Giving Tree in the narthex. Journey has helped over 800 people impacted by the justice system to rebuild their lives.

Pill Bottle Collection - January 19

For the pet shelters, STM is collecting **prescription** pill bottles with the labels removed. They will be taken to the shelters on Monday, January 20. **They will not be accepted after January 19!**

December Financials

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| Regular - \$392,196.53 | Plate - \$4,270.48 |
| Facilities - \$851.36 | Christmas - \$10,363.00 |
| Education Fund - \$8,645.00 | School - \$5,463.50 |
| Religious Retirement - \$8,645.00 | |

Thank you for your continued contributions to STM!

One Family **RESTORED IN CHRIST, EQUIPPED FOR MISSION**



Growing God's Family

Activating our baptismal call to holiness and being disciple makers

SPRED Class

Monday, January 13, 6:30-8:30pm, More Hall

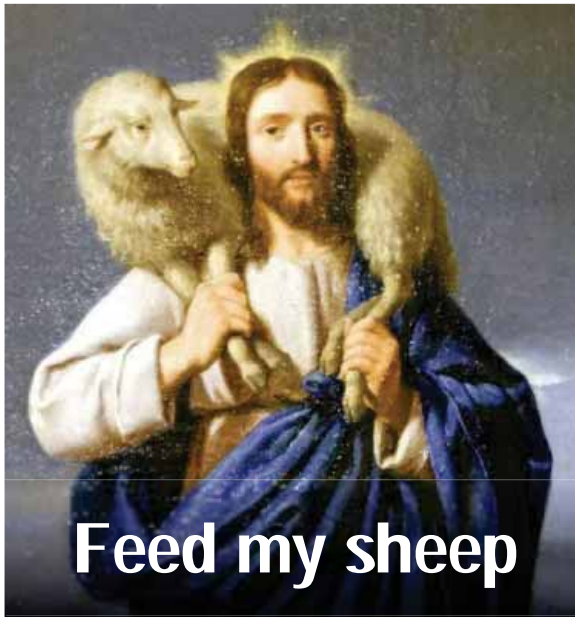
An adult group for the developmentally delayed meets about every other week to share their faith. Questions? Email Becky at bturner727@yahoo.com.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

1st & 3rd Sundays (Jan. 19, Feb. 2) , at 9am Mass

We are expanding this semester to offer two Sundays per month! Children through 2nd grade are invited to participate in Children's Liturgy of the Word. Questions? Contact Joan Sandford, joan@stmkc.com or 816-942-2492 x202.

Isaiah 49



Feed my sheep

6-WEEK SERIES

Thursdays

7-8:30PM Jan 16–Feb 20 or
1:30-3PM Jan. 23–Feb 27

Sign Up

Contact Hayley Shaver
Evangelization & Discipleship Coordinator
hayley@stmkc.com
816-942-2492 x 223

Becoming Missionary Disciples in our local community

A 6-week series on Isaiah 49 that will equip you to share your faith with others and help our parish community grow into a community of missionary disciples.

Topics

Understanding the Lost

Knowing who you are seeking to reach.

Mobilizing the 1%

All you need is a few missionary disciples at the beginning.

A System for Intentional Accompaniment

No one does anything alone.

The Indispensable Action of the Holy Spirit

Engaging with the principal agent of evangelization.

Skills for Intentional Accompaniment

Leading people towards conversion.



Offered throughout our diocese by the Office of Catechesis and Faith Formation



Living Waters

Relational Integrity through
the Broken Body of Christ

How does Jesus transform our brokenness
into a gift to His Church?

We can begin by applying His mercy to the ways we fail to love well: our sexual sin, sins against us, giving too much, or withholding ourselves altogether. We will seek wholeness through honest admission of our brokenness. This confidential, in-depth prayer/healing group is for men and women, marrieds, and singles.

Topics we will explore include:

Discovering the Father's love as
the foundation for all our loves

Integrating the good fits of our
gender and sexuality

Overcoming habitual sin through
the help of Christ's members

Receiving healing from sexual
abuse and distortions

Doing our part to prepare a
pure Bride for Jesus

Mondays (7p-9:30p):

Jan 20, 27; Feb 3, 10, 17, 24;
Mar 3, 17, 24, 31; Apr 7, 14,
28; May 5

Saturdays (9a-1p):

Jan 18th, Feb 1, Mar 22

Cost: \$200

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816-683-1794

Scan QR code or
contact email
above to apply





Sunday Q&A

Your Faith in Focus

ANTICIPATING THE CROSS

Why did Jesus have to be baptized?

The short answer is this, he did it for us. Jesus went down to the Jordan to be baptized by John not because he needed it, but because we do. This baptism of repentance was not incidental. It is part of the righteousness of God that Jesus came to accomplish. Jesus, in Jordan's waters, took on humanity's sin. Pope Benedict XVI wrote:

Jesus loaded the burden of all mankind's guilt upon his shoulders; he bore it down to the depths of the Jordan. He inaugurated his public activity by stepping into the place of sinners. His inaugural gesture is an anticipation of the Cross.¹

Jesus made it clear that his death and his life were for us.

From then on, Jesus does the work of the Cross. When we contemplate the Cross,

we may only think of Christ's Passion. While the Passion is important, Christ did not begin his work of salvation when he stood in front of Pilate. Jesus made it clear at the Jordan that not only is his death for us, but his life as well.

¹ Joseph Ratzinger, Pope Benedict XVI, *Jesus of Nazareth: The Infancy Narratives* (Doubleday, 2007), 18.

“To Do ... the Will of Him Who Sent Me”

All four Gospels agree that immediately after his baptism, the Holy Spirit descended upon Jesus ... and something changed. Before the Jordan, Jesus was almost indistinguishable from the other carpenters of his time. Nobody thought there was anything remarkable about him. Before the Jordan, he did little worth writing about. But after the Jordan, his life was extraordinary. He baffled family members. People who knew him said, “Is not this the carpenter's son? Is not his mother called Mary?” (Matthew 13:55). Jesus stated, “I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me” (John 6:38). At the Jordan, it seems the Holy Spirit began to lead Christ in a new way. Christ made himself reliant on the Spirit and went forth to do the Father's will ... for us.

G.I.F.T. Growing in Faith Together

Tuesdays, 9-10:30am, Bauman Room of More Hall

Women gather each week to break open the Sunday readings. All are welcome to join in! Questions? Email Becky at bturner727@yahoo.com.

Considering becoming Catholic?

Inquiry: Tuesdays, 6:15-7:30pm, More Hall A

Jan. 14: Sacrament of Initiation: Baptism

Sessions are for those from other Christian traditions or those with no religious background. Journey with other individuals to learn more about the Catholic Church and to discern God's invitations offered through the Catholic Church. Sessions are open to adults and children, baptized and not. They are also open to Catholics who would like to take advantage of this formation opportunity. Questions? Contact Father Justin, 816-942-2492 x204 or frjhoye@stmkc.com.

School of Religion (SOR)

Wednesdays, 6:15-7:30pm, More Hall A

School of Religion provides catechesis for grade school children, grades 1-8, who do not attend Catholic school. Visit stmkc.com to register online. Click on the "School of Religion" box. Questions? Email Susan at aquiel2000@yahoo.com.

Encounter Regional Conference

January 16-18 (Thursday evening-Saturday night)

Ignite your faith and encounter God's transformative power at the Encounter Regional Conference! at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in KCMO. We seek to gather leaders in the Church to encounter God's refreshment, encouragement and impartation of greater anointing for ministry. Expect to experience the presence of God through the celebration of the sacraments, Eucharistic adoration, Spirit-led worship, inspiring keynote speakers, healing service, prophetic ministry, and fellowship. Visit encounterministries.us for more information and tickets.

City On A Hill (COAH) Young Adult Events

Visit kansascityonahill.org/ for more info. Click on Get Involved to sign up for *The Loop*, a weekly email.

Tuesdays at the Boulevard

Thursday, January 21, 6:30-10:30pm

Bring your friends to Sacred Heart-Guadalupe Church for Mass at 6:30pm; doors will open and confession will be available at 5:30pm. After Mass, we walk over to Boulevard Brewery. \$20 at the door (cash or card) includes delicious pizza and Boulevard's finest brews! Wine, soda, GF, DF and veggie options will be available.

"The Big Game" CCS Annual Social!

Sun., February 9, Sharks Bar & Billiards (Shawnee)

Enjoy friendship, food and football! 4:30pm community & friendship, 5pm dinner (provided by CCS), 5:30 kickoff. Be sure to RSVP at ccs@kansascityonahill.org.

Parish Calendar of Events

Mon., Jan. 13 - SPRED, 6:30-8:30pm, More Hall B/D

Tue., Jan. 14 - GIFT, 9-10:30am, Bauman Room

OCIA, 6:15-7:30pm, More Hall A

Guatemala Action Group mtg., 6pm, Huhmann

Wed., Jan. 15 - Uplift, 1:30-3pm, More Hall Kitchen

Grief Peer Support, 4-5pm, Bauman Room

School of Religion, 6:15-7:30pm

Thu., Jan. 16 - Isaiah 49 series, 7-8pm, More Hall

Choir Rehearsal, 7pm, Church

Knights of Columbus, 7:15pm, More Hall

Sat., Jan. 18 - Living Waters, 9am-1pm, Church

Cub Scout Pinewood Derby, 5-8pm, More Hall

Sat.-Sun., Jan. 18-19 - Unbound Appeal

Sun, Jan. 19 - Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9am Mass

OCIC, 10-11am, More Hall A

Mon., Jan. 20 - Martin Luther King, Jr Day

Living Waters, 7-9:30pm, Church

Tue., Jan. 21 - GIFT, 9-10:30am, Bauman Room

OCIA, 6:15-7:30pm, More Hall A

Wed., Jan. 22 - School of Religion, 6:15-7:30pm

Thu., Jan. 23 - Isaiah 49, 1:30-2:30pm, More Hall

Isaiah 49, 7-8pm, More Hall

Choir Rehearsal, 7pm, Church

Sat., Jan. 25 - Boy Scout Pinewood Derby, 1-2pm

STM School

Linda Crosthwait, Principal



816-942-5581 STMKC.COM/SCHOOL

School Dates

Mon., Jan. 13 - Auction mtg. 6:30pm, More Hall C

Tue., Jan. 14 - School Adoration, 2-3pm

Home & School mtg., 6:30pm, More Hall C

Mon., Jan. 20 - No School

Auction mtg., 6:30pm, More Hall C

Sun., Jan. 26 - Catholic Schools Week begins

STM School Open House, 10am-1pm

Football Frenzy Winners

Week 17

\$500 (174) - Ed Mulley

\$250 (158) - Bill Tritt
 \$100 (157) - Janet McCormick
 \$75 (153) - Keri Hanrahan; Keith Strack
 \$75 (21) - Jacob Ismert; Pete Furey

Week 18

\$500 (161) - Susan Harlow
 \$250 (158) - Brian Ismert
 \$100 (154) - Tom Koke
 \$50 (151) - Molly Mohart
 \$25 (147) - Pat Sterner
 \$50 (36) - Lacie Faison
 \$25 (38) - Dominick Prinster

Hey, STM community!

Do you own a small business? Our auction relies on donations from families, parishioners, and businesses in the surrounding community! We are still looking for items for our live and silent auctions. If you have any items, leads, or ideas please reach out to us! No gift is too big or too small! What would you bid on?



Suggestions include vacation homes, video games, dining experiences, services, electronics, kid items, airline miles, artwork, private transportation, adult experiences, sporting event tickets, barware, concert tickets, bottles of liquor/wine, venue rentals. Contact Jaqui, jacobson.jaqui@gmail.com, with questions or to donate. We appreciate you!

St. Michael the Archangel High School presents...

Information Night at STM!

Tuesday, January 21, 6:30pm, More Hall

Curious about what St. Michael the Archangel Catholic High School (SMA) has to offer?

SMA is hosting this social event for parents and students of all grade levels. We invite you to come meet senior leadership at SMA, as well as several STM parents whose children attend SMA, to learn about SMA's mission, academics, faith formation, athletics, and inclusive education program.



A dessert station will be set up for students, and adult beverages for parents. Please RSVP to Julie Hyde at jhyde@smacatholic.org so that we have a headcount for food and drinks.

Parish Office Staff

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|  | Peggy Lucas Pastoral Associate/Outreach x210 peggy@stmkc.com | | |

Parish Office Hours (until further notice)

Office Hours: M-W 8:45am-3:30pm; T-Th 8:45am-5pm
 F 8:45am-1pm

Finance Ministry Team

Justin Hicks, Chair
 Mark Meierhoffer
 Bruce Gregg
 Stefanie Bresette
 Laura Christopherson
Parishioner volunteers serve for three-year terms.
 Questions? Email FinanceCouncil@stmkc.com.

Diocesan Ombudsman

Joe Crayon crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org or 816-812-2500

Victim Advocate

816-392-0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org

To register as a member of Saint Thomas More Parish...

...go to stmkc.com/registration, contact the parish office or pick up a registration form on the Information table in the church narthex.

Safe Environment Information

The Diocese of Kansas City~Saint 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:

- Call the **MO Child Abuse Hotline**, 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), or **KS Protection Report Center**, 1-800-922-5330, and
- Contact your **local law enforcement agency** or call 911, and
- 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 crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org or 816-812-2500 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 at 816-392-0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, contact:

Joan Sandford, Parish Safe Environment Coordinator, safety@stmkc.com or 816-942-2492 x202, OR

Tracy Stewart, School Safe Environment Coordinator, stewart_tracy@stmcyclones.org or 816-942-5581.

Mass Intentions

Mon: 8:15AM Bernie Rupp[†]
1/13

Tues: **6:15AM Carl Moser[†]**
1/14 8:15AM Mary Sue Karl[†]

Wed: **6:15AM Joseph P Effertz[†]**
1/15 ****8:15AM Bill Waris[†]**

Thur: **6:15AM Helen Hess[†]**
1/16 8:15AM Norman & Jean Ott[†]

Fri: **8:15AM Jack McCarthy[†]**
1/17

Sat: 4:00PM BJ Spalding, Jr[†]
1/18

Sun: **7:30AM Our Parishioners**
1/19 9:00AM Betty Rice[†]
11:00AM Gerry Peters[†]




[†] Deceased

**School Mass

To request a Mass intention, stop by the parish office or call 816-942-2492. Suggested donation per Mass is \$10.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

For the daily readings, visit usccb.org/bible/reading. Have the readings sent to your email each day, hear the readings read to you, or watch a video with a reflection based on the readings.

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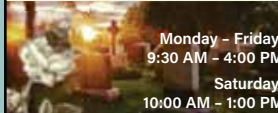
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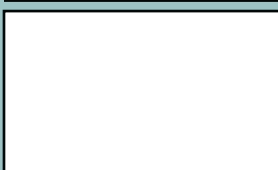
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