

Saint Sabina Catholic Church

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Office Hours: 9:00am-5:00pm, Monday - Thursday and 9:00am-1:00pm, Friday



Mass Times

Saturday: 4:00pm in English
(Confessions at 3:00pm - 3:30pm)

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am in English,
12:30pm in Spanish

**Visit our website for Holy Day and special
Mass times**

Pictured are Patricia Carr, Sandy Littler, Cecelia Berryman, Nancy Meiron, Anita Barton, and Margaret Vargo preparing for their performance at the Valentine Dinner and Dance!

Valentine Dinner and Dance Feb 13 from 5-11pm

This event will be sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and the Ladies Auxiliary. There will be a catered dinner by Affordable Elegance, adult beverages, entertainment (singing nuns, village people and a surprise singer), lots of door prizes and some special drawings. Come have a great time with us!
Cost: \$50 per couple, \$25 single

Wellness Center

A LONG WINTER'S NAP

THE POWER NAP: 15 MINUTES-Sara Mednick, PhD author of *Take a Nap! Change Your Life* says that you'll get a decent amount of stage II sleep, which is great for memory improvement. To fall asleep faster, try progressive muscle relaxation: Tense and release all the muscles in your body, starting from your toes and working your way up.

THE SOLID SNOOZE: 30 MINUTES-Naps are best about six hours after you wake—that's when your circadian rhythm dips and sleepiness rises. You'll get plenty of stage II sleep and should be able to pop right up when the alarm goes off. You usually reach deep sleep after the first half hour. By stopping the nap at the 30 minute mark, you'll be more likely to avoid feeling groggy.

THE FULL REFRESHER: 90 MINUTES-This is the gold standard for napping because you can get through a full sleep cycle. Research shows that a nap of this length can provide as many cognitive benefits and as much refreshment as a full night of rest (as long as it's supplementing, not replacing, your nightly rest). But don't do it within four hours of your bedtime, says Mednick, or you could have trouble falling asleep later.

WE OFFER ONE-ON-ONE COACHING TO HELP YOU MEET YOUR WELLNESS GOALS. COME ON IN!

Wellness Center Class Schedule

Monday: Intermediate Yoga 1- 2pm
Gentle Yoga 2 - 3pm
Yoga 6 - 7pm

Tuesday: Stretch & Strength1 - 2pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2 - 3pm

Wednesday: Intermediate Yoga 1- 2pm
Gentle Yoga 2 - 3pm
Strength & Restore 6 - 7pm

Thursday: Stretch & Strength 1- 2pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2 - 3pm
ReFit® 5 - 6pm

Friday: Intermediate Yoga 1- 2pm
Gentle Yoga 2 - 3pm
Circuit Training 5 - 6pm

Saturday: Open Workout 8:30 - 11:30am
Health Screenings 8:30 - 11:30am
Refit® 10 - 11am

Parish Happenings

Fish Fries

Our Knights of Columbus are hosting their famous fish fries again this Lenten season. Menu includes fried fish, baked fish, hush puppies, French fries, corn on the cob, garlic potatoes, coleslaw and meatless spaghetti. Desserts will be provided by our Ladies Auxiliary. Prices are:

Adults (12 and older) \$10.00
Seniors (55 and older) \$ 9.00
Children (ages 5-11) \$ 6.00
Family \$34.00

(immediate family living under the same roof)

The fish fries will be held on Fridays, February 12 - March 18th from 5-7pm in the gym.

The Power of Praying for Your Adult Children, Part II

Our concern for our children does not go away when they reach adulthood - especially as the world becomes more confusing and challenging for all of us. In "The Power of Praying for Your Adult Children, Part II", we will find new ways to confidently lift these concerns up to God and find the peace we desire. This class is for new or returning parents. Tuesdays during Lent at 7pm. Contact Deacon Mike at the parish office to sign up.

Bilingual Story Time

The Belton Library is coming to St. Sabina the second Thursday of every month to present story time in English and Spanish for pre-school age children. Please plan on joining us on February 11th at 10am in the Juan Diego Room in the



Education Wing. After bilingual story time, parents and children are invited to stay for an hour of playtime, giving both children and parents an opportunity for fellowship and fun. Parents can bring a toy for the kids to play with if they wish. Please note that parents must stay with their children for both story time and playtime.

Romero Celebration - March 13th - 12:30pm

On Sunday, March 13th our Salvadoran Community will host our parish's annual celebration in honor of Blessed Bishop Oscar Romero. Mass will begin at 12:30pm and Bishop Gregorio Rosa Chavez will celebrate the Mass.

Bishop Gregorio Rosa Chávez is the Auxiliary Bishop from San Salvador. Bishop Rosa Chávez feels a deep personal connection to Blessed Romero. Many see him as the carrier of Romero's torch of justice and peace. Bishop Rosa Chávez is profoundly connected to the struggles of his people. Bishop Rosa Chávez has been the guest speaker at the Romero Celebrations in Kansas City in 2008, 2010 and 2013. We are humbled that he accepted the invitation once again to join us on this 36th anniversary.

Blessed Óscar Arnulfo Romero (August 15, 1917 - March 24, 1980) was a prominent Roman Catholic priest in El Salvador during the 1960s and 1970s, becoming Archbishop of San Salvador in 1977. After witnessing numerous violations of human rights, he began to speak out on behalf of the poor and the victims of repression. This led to numerous conflicts, both with the government in El Salvador and within the Catholic Church. After speaking out against U.S. military support for the government of El Salvador, and calling for soldiers to disobey orders to fire on innocent civilians, Archbishop Romero was shot dead while celebrating Mass at the small chapel of the cancer hospital where he lived.

St. Sabina Parish Mission

700 Trevis Ave. Belton, MO 64012

February 20-24, 2016

Led by Fr. Bill Rhinehart, C.M. of the Vincentian Parish Mission Center.

Are you so involved in scurrying around with business, children, family, social activities that you have little time for quiet contemplation with God? A Mission is a time of special grace when God calls us into a deeper relationship with Him, a time for personal growth, a time to listen to God, a time of spiritual refreshment and invigoration. Make time for God and join us at St. Sabina this Lent for our Parish Mission.

Who is a Mission for?

The Mission is for all people, from inactive to very active. It is for all ages and for any stage in life - youth, adult, married, single, divorced, separated, widow, etc. We particularly invite those who want to know more about how the church can take an active role in the everyday experiences of work, leisure, family and politics. You are encouraged to invite friends, neighbors, family members and co-workers to attend.



Schedule & Themes:

Sat/Sun Feb 20-21

Fr. Bill speaks at weekend Masses
4:00PM Saturday; 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM Sunday
Theme: "The What & Why of a Mission"



Monday Feb 22

7:00PM Mass with mission talk, followed by reception in Parish Hall
Theme: "Trust Me - Past, Present, Moving On"

Tuesday, Feb 23

7:00PM Mass with mission talk, followed by reception in Parish Hall
Theme: "Perseverance in Prayer - Not the Facts"

Wed, Feb 24

7:00PM Mass with mission talk, followed by reception in Parish Hall
Theme: "Ask for Mercy - Be at Peace"

Calendar

Sunday, February 7 - Domingo, 7 de Febrero

Donut Sunday	
9:00am	Parents Lounge
9:00am	Parish School of Religion
11:00am	Escuela Parroquial de Religion
1:00pm	Reflexión del Evangelio (RICA)
1:00pm	Search Team Meeting

Thursday, February 11 - Jueves, 11 de Febrero

8:00am	Mass
9:30am	Quilters
10:00am	Laudato Si: On Care for Our Common Home
10:00am	Bilingual Story Time/Cuentos Bilingües
6:30pm	Cub Scouts Committee Meeting
7:00pm	RCIA/RICA
8:00pm	Choir Practice (8:00 Choir)

Monday, February 8 - Lunes, 8 de Febrero

8:00am	Mass
5:30pm	Marian Prayer Group
6:00pm	Cub Scouts
7:00pm	Boy Scouts
7:00pm	Sing a New Song: Psalms in the Sunday Lectionary

Friday, February 12 - Viernes, 12 de Febrero

8:00am	Mass
5:00pm	Fish Fry
6:00pm	Stations of the Cross
7:00pm	Via Crucis

Tuesday, February 9 - Martes, 9 de Febrero

4:30pm	Confessions
6:00pm	Mass
6:00pm	Girl Scouts
7:00pm	Foundations of Living Stones

Saturday, February 13 - Sábado, 13 de Febrero

10:00am	Pláticas Pre-Bautismales
10:00am	Rite of Election (Cathedral)
3:00pm	Confessions
6:00pm	Valentine Dinner and Dance

Wednesday, February 10 - Miércoles, 10 de Febrero

Ash Wednesday	
8:00am	Mass
9:00am	Legion of Mary
10:00am	Mass at Rehab Center of Raymore
10:00am	Sing a New Song: Psalms in the Sunday Lectionary
6:00pm	Choir Rehearsal
7:00pm	Laudato Si: On Care for Our Common Home
7:00pm	Mass/Misa (Bilingual/Bilingüe)

Sunday, February 14 - Domingo, 14 de Febrero

1:00pm	Reflexión del Evangelio (RICA)
1:00pm	Financial Peace University

Special Ministers to the Sick & Homebound -Ash Wed

Ash Wednesday is February 10th this year. Please plan on visiting your homebound with blessed ashes this year. If you have questions please contact Marta in the parish office at 979-3154 or marta@stsabinaparish.org.

Wholehearted Living in the Midst of Grief:

A Grief Support Group Exploring Love, Loss and Connection

Brent Doster, Bereavement Coordinator of Catholic Community Hospice, will be offering a grief support group session on Tuesday, February 9th, from 7:00pm-8:30pm at St Thomas More Church. The group will participate in an interactive conversation exploring the nature of love and grief as we approach Valentine's Day. We will share in ways in which our love transforms, connects and continues to shape our lives, even after the death of a loved one, toward hope and healing. If you have lost a loved one and would like to attend this single session support group, please RSVP to Brent Doster at 913-433-2058. This event will be held in the Office Living Room. St Thomas More is located at 11822 Holmes Road, KCMO 64131.

Parkinson's Support Group

Beginning Wednesday, February 17th Carnegie Village will host a support group for those living with Parkinson's Disease. The group will meet every 3rd Wednesday of the month from 6-7pm. Please RSVP to 816-331-7848. This is open to the public and will include hosts from the aging and healthcare professions.

Pastoral Care

From Death to New Life † De la Muerte a la Nueva Vida

†Barbara Riedel, sister of Jim Ruffini

†Russ Thurman, father of Doug Thurman

†Sem. Wesley McKellar, seminarian of our diocese

†Maria de la Luz Chaves, mother of Mauro Hernandez

†Larry Schmidt, son of Rudy and Mary Margaret Schmidt

Nursing Home Mass Schedule

Feb 10 10:00am Rehabilitation of Raymore

Feb 17 10:00am Foxwood Springs

Feb 24 11:00am Carnegie Village



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Intentions for February 8-12, 2016

Mon. 8am †Russ Thurman
 Tues. 6pm †Barbara Riedel
 Wed. 8am †Erlinda Perez
 10am †Larry Schmidt (Rehab Center of Raymore)
 Thurs. 8am †Fr John Wandless
 Friday 8am †Russ Thurman

Saturday, February 13, 2016

4:00pm †Larry Long

Sunday, February 14, 2016

8:00am Intentions of the Parish Family
 10:30am †Joe and Mary Jo Falco & Family
 12:30pm Spanish †Maria de la Luz Chavez

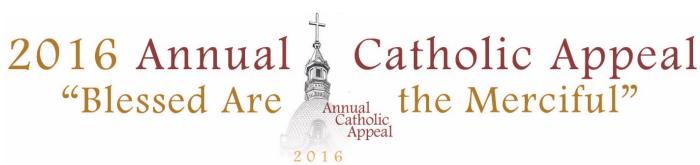
Prayer Requests Peticiones de Oración

Beverly Bell	Jason Hart	Philip Pilcher
Pauline Bellm	Jeanette Hart	Deborah Pilcher
Sheryll Bentley	Cherie Hatfield	Rosanna Pilcher
John Bidondo	Bob Heffernan	Jason Pilcher
Allie Biondo	Pat Heffernan	Joe Pusateri
Richard Borris	Bart Henke	Mary Renfro
Gretchen Butler	Mary Ellen Hermann	Marjorie Rhodes
Mark Butler	Richard Hoedl	Austin Richards
Tom Butler	Kelly Jordon	Msgr. William
Chlorine Bunch	Kelsey Krum	Schultz
Georgene Caoile	Vernita Linenberger	Kathy Shields
Marvin Cohen	Beverly Little	Patricia Smith
Joseph Coots	Jo Locke	Joe Stanley
Tyler Corlew	Gloria McLaughlin	Noah Stanley
Donna Dailey	Leonard Meiron	Teresa Starks
Paul DeMar	Alice Miller	Bill Sullivan
Frances DiGeorge	Nadine Monnig	Jean Tate
Richard Estes	Helen Muenks	Ruth Tayler
Butch Ford	Ramona Neighbors	Kaley Wagner
Pat Ford	Gary Palmer	Bob Westfall
Emily Frezza	Thelma Palmer	Mary Westfall
Dick Garnier	George Panebianco	Carmitia Yust
Laverne Harlow	Melinda Pickens	Berenice Zayas
		Pablo Zayas

Stewardship

Stewardship of Treasure - January 31

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$10,522.04
Plate/Canasta:	\$ 1,047.31
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 565.75
Flood Assistance:	\$ 80.00



2016 Annual Catholic Appeal

Thanks to all who have contributed to the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal. **As of January 25th 38 families from St. Sabina have contributed a total of \$5,745.00.** Please contribute generously to "Blessed Are the Merciful", the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal (*in past years, the Bishop's Annual Appeal*) in support of parish and diocesan programs and ministries. Go online to www.kcsjgives.org for more information or use the form available in the Catholic Key. To make a gift of appreciated stock, mutual fund shares or gifts of grain, call Greg Vranicar at 816.714.2363.

Hungering for the Journey

Join our parish family—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the US—in a life-changing Lenten

journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Rice Bowls will be available in the coming dates. Don't forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl app! Remember, what you give up for Lent changes lives.

Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund

During this Jubilee Year, Catholics are called to remember and perform Corporal Works of Mercy. These include feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless and giving alms to the poor.

The Catholic Charities Emergency Assistance Fund (CCEAF)

special collection is an opportunity to do so, by supporting our efforts to provide urgently needed food, rental and utility assistance to thousands of our brothers and sisters living in poverty throughout Northwest Missouri. CCEAF funds are distributed among nearly 40 parish-supported food pantries and emergency assistance sites in our diocese to help people with their most basic human needs. Join us in showing others the mercy of God through this authentic act of love. **Please prayerfully consider making a gift to the CCEAF special collection on Saturday, February 20 or Sunday, February 21. Or, you can give a gift now at www.CatholicCharitiesGives.org.**



Catholic Charities
Emergency Assistance Fund

School of Religion

Tour of the Church Night! This special evening is for our families preparing kids for the sacrament of First Communion. We will meet in the gym at 6:30pm and finish around 8:30pm on Tuesday, March 1st. Parents, please plan to stay with your child during this fun night and don't forget to bring a 10"x12" piece of felt, any color, with you for your child to make their banner.

Form for Communication with Minors Parents and guardians must now sign a form giving permission for St. Sabina staff, specifically the Youth Director, Kirstie Roberts to respond to text messages, emails and phone calls from the youth of the parish. These forms are available in the back of the church with the PSR registrations and in the Youth Office.

No PSR or Youth Group on February 14th. Have a wonderful weekend!

Children's Liturgy Sunday Children from our parish are invited to be Lectors, Ushers, Greeters and Gift Bearers at a Mass each month. Our next Mass date is Sunday, March 13th at the 10:30am Mass. Please contact Kirstie Roberts if your child would like to sign up for this ministry.

Youth Ministry

Junior High Overnight Sports Lock In! On February 20th we are packing up and heading to Legacy Park in Lee's Summit for an overnight of fun! There will be swimming, basketball, volleyball, racket ball, a movie room, game room and room for pizza and snacks. We will leave St. Sabina at 8pm on the 16th and go to St. Margaret's church for Mass and then head next door to begin the Lock In. We will return to St. Sabina at 6:30am on Sunday morning. The cost is \$20 per person. Boys are to bring a 2 liter of pop to share and girls are to bring a snack (chips or cookies) to share. You are welcome to bring a friend and everyone must have permission slips which are available in the Youth Office and on the parish website. If any parents can help with driving or chaperoning, please contact Kirstie Roberts, 816-979-3155.

Team Meetings for Search

All Peer Ministers and Adult Team members of the Search Retreat are required to attend the following meetings to prepare for the Search Retreat. Each meeting is from 1-4pm in the Parish Hall, February 14, February 21 and February 28. If you have a conflict that interferes with any of these meetings, please contact Kirstie Roberts.

High School & Confirmation Youth Group to Comedy City! On February 21st our group is heading downtown for some laughs with the VERY funny folks at Comedy City. Admission to the show is \$10. We will leave St. Sabina at 5pm and return around 8:30pm. You must have a permission slip for this event. This is for St. Sabina youth group members only. We will need parent drivers. Please contact Kirstie Roberts to sign up and if your parent can help drive. Yes, parents, this is a family friendly show!

Volunteer Opportunities

Uplift Org. If you would like to bring meals to the homeless on the 4th or 5th Monday of any month, please contact Kirstie Roberts! This ministry is open to all parishioners age 14 and older. Volunteers must report to the Uplift Warehouse by 5pm and will be finished around 9:30pm.

Uplift Cooks! Anyone who would like to help prepare a meal for the homeless is welcome to join our team on the 4th Monday of each month at 10am in the gym. We recommend that you bring a good cutting knife and vegetable peeler. Our next cooking day will be Feb 22.

Harvesters! This local food bank provides food to needy families around the KC area. Volunteers are needed to help sort food donations and pack weekend food bags for kids in our community. We will be taking a group of 5 people on the third Thursday of each month. Our next date is Feb 18, 6-8pm. If you would like to volunteer, call or email Kirstie in the Youth Office.

High School Youth and Peer Ministers to present Stations of the Cross Please contact Kirstie if you would like to help out as a reader or cross bearer at this prayer service on February 12th at 6pm. We will need at least 4 readers and 3 servers.

Child Safety

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 Victim Advocate Kathleen Chastain at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

All volunteers with youth and children must attend one Protecting God's Children workshop, submit to a background check and sign the policy on Ethics and Integrity in Ministry, (EIM).

Reflection on the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

God's presence among us in the person of Jesus transforms humanity both in meaning and purpose. Through God's touch, the ordinariness of life takes on extraordinary qualities. Through the Incarnation, all of life can and does speak to us of God's transformative presence and action. Today's readings immerse us in the ordinariness of life, which, through the eyes of faith, is experienced as life-changing for Isaiah, Paul and Simon Peter. All three are touched by God in the ordinariness of their lives, moving them to respond completely and wholeheartedly to God's invitation and call.

Being invited or called by others to do something is always scary for humans. It surfaces within us any doubts or uncertainties about our capabilities to accomplish what is being asked of us. Imagine that you are being called by God to fulfill a certain mission. How would you respond?

That is the situation today in all three of our readings. Isaiah, Paul, and Simon Peter all experience God calling them to mission. Isaiah experiences his call in the temple while Paul and Simon Peter experience their call in the very midst of everyday life experiences such as traveling and fishing. God can and usually taps us in any and all places, and through any and all people. A phone call, a chat, an encounter at work, a walk through the park, a plane or car trip – all can be potential contact points for God's call to mission.

The typical response in all three readings is one of unworthiness. Isaiah laments his sinfulness, "I am a man of unclean lips...." Paul speaks

of his status as the "least of the apostles...not fit to be called an apostle." After the miraculous catch of fish, Simon Peter asks Jesus to "depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man." Encounter with the Lord brings with it a deeper self-awareness in relation to the overwhelming mystery that is God.

God's touch raises our awareness of what is demanded of us. We are called to enter into a relationship that demands much of us in terms of authenticity, integrity, fidelity and work. If we are truly being honest with ourselves, doubts and uncertainties always arise in us when confronted with such a call. Yet our God speaks to us in the very midst of our uncertainties, assuring us that God will be with us no matter what.

God enters our lives in all its ordinariness and in all its weakness. God uses life's ordinariness to express God's extraordinary love and compassion. God encounters us in weakness, using our weakness to manifest God's extraordinary power and strength. Only when we understand and appreciate God's invitation and call in our lives can we richly proclaim responsorial Psalm 138, "In the sight of the angels, I will sing your praises, Lord." Psalm 138 puts the experience of God's invitation and call to mission in the context of thanksgiving.

Our baptism is our special call from God to immerse ourselves in Jesus' mission. That mission involves consistent reaching out to others in love, concern and care, modeling ourselves on Jesus. This includes all, even the

enemy and the stranger. We are assured of God's presence and strength in our response to God's call. We might object to or ignore this call, yet this is our baptismal call.

Reflect on how you use your gifts and talents in responding to God's baptismal call to carry out Jesus' mission in your life. This Sunday, we have three great models in Isaiah, Paul, and Simon Peter. Can you add your name to that list?

**Biagio
Mazza,
Pastoral
Associate**



Readings

Sunday, February 7, 2016

1st Reading: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8
Psalm: Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 (1c)
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

Sunday, February 14, 2016

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10
Psalm: Psalm 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15
(see 15b)
2nd Reading: Romans 10:8-13
Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

Bible Study



Catholics are mostly exposed to the Bible through the Sunday Lectionary Readings. In order to help us all enter into the Bible through the Sunday readings, we are offering study sessions that will provide an opportunity to read, to study background to the readings, and to reflect on how to apply the readings to our lives. **We will gather on February 7th at 10:30am.** All are welcome. Bring a Bible and a friend. To register for these sessions, please call Biagio at 816-979-3153.

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Happy Anniversary

Jerry and Colleen Dorrell	60 Years!	02-11-1956
Alfonso and Girolama Randazzo	58 Years!	02-08-1958
Vick and Gail Bland	55 Years!	02-11-1961
Thomas and Patricia Gitto	46 Years!	02-07-1970
Steve and Cecilia Imming	41 Years!	02-07-1975
Ken and Aggie Cooper	28 Years!	02-13-1988
Eric and Lori Woodfine	24 Years!	02-08-1992
Rogelio and Guadalupe Ayala	19 Years!	02-08-1997
Adan Hernandez and Maria Abarca	13 Years!	02-08-2003
Pablo and Berenice Zayas	12 Years!	02-12-2004
Erin and Ryan Heffley	9 Years!	02-09-2007



Wedding Congratulations

Congratulations to Joe and Susan Lewis on the blessing of their marriage on February 6th!!

happy birthday

Angela Aguilar, Kimberlin Alas, Avigail Arellano, Stephanie Argie, Maya Baez, Lucas Barker, Garason Barnes, Alberto Barrera, Nathan Benavides, Matthew Budnik, Amanda Carr, Cindy Cartagena, Juan Cartagena, Antonio Cartagena, Alexis Castro, Maria Cervantes, Jessica Cheney, Steve Circo, Daron Clemoens, Justina Cruz, Irene Cullen, Michael Dailey, Rodolfo Dominguez, Miriana Duarte, Jesse Duncan, Tara Fielder, Jamie Fitzpatrick, Estela Franco, Angel Gamboa, Cristina Garcia, Martha Garzon, Brylee Glenn, Jaelyn Glenn, Ed Gudenkauf, Garrett Gulick, Sergio Guzman, Derek Hamilton, Eric Hartenbower, Pat Heffernan, Lisa Henry, Dana Hille, Beth Jones, Irving Juarez, Teresa Kelly, Darrell Littler, Daniel Lopez, Madilynn Mansur, Dorothy Mazza, John Messer, Laura Monsees, Laura Morales, Rodrigo Morales, Jim Mucke, Ruben Neri, Tita Palomares, Tony Perez, Maria Perez, Maria Pino, Cesar Pulido, Abraham Ramirez, Janett Ramirez, Victor Reyes, Emely Rocha, Jairo Rodriguez, Michelle Rojo, Tom Rolli, Janette Romero, Dana Samaniego, Carrie Santiago, Molly Sell, Tony Smith, Jean Sopp, Yulianna Soriano, Maria Soto, Andrew Spiller, Carol Starforth, Donna Sullivan, Gilberto Valenzuela, Carla VanHowten, Richard Vanzandt, Melesia Velasquez, Brad Walker, Maria Xalandra

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Reflexión Sobre el Cuarto Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario , Ciclo C

La presencia de Dios entre nosotros en la persona de Jesús transforma la humanidad tanto en significado y en propósito. A través del contacto de Dios, lo ordinario de la vida adquiere cualidades extraordinarias. A través de la Encarnación, toda de la vida puede y nos habla de la presencia y acción transformadora de Dios. Las lecturas de hoy nos sumergen en lo ordinario de la vida, que, a través de los ojos de la fe, es una experiencia que cambia las vidas de Isaías, Pablo y Simón Pedro. Los tres están conmovidos por Dios en lo ordinario de sus vidas, moviéndolos a responder completamente y de todo corazón a la invitación y la llamada de Dios.

El ser invitado o llamados por otros para hacer algo siempre es aterrador para los seres humanos. Sale a la superficie dentro de nosotros cualquier duda o incertidumbre acerca de nuestras capacidades para lograr lo que se pide de nosotros. Imagínese que está siendo llamado por Dios para cumplir una determinada misión. ¿Cómo respondería?

Esa es la situación en los tres lecturas de hoy. Los tres: Isaías, Pablo y Simón Pedro experimentan Dios llamándoles a una misión. Isaías experimenta su llamada en el templo, mientras que Pablo y Simón Pedro experimentan sus llamadas en el mismo medio de experiencias de la vida cotidiana como el viajar y el pescar. Dios puede y, por lo general, nos nombra en cualquier y todos los lugares, y a través de cualquier y todas las personas. Una llamada telefónica, una charla, un encuentro en el trabajo, un paseo por el parque, un viaje por avión o automóvil todo puede ser puntos potenciales de contacto para la llamada de Dios a la misión.

La respuesta típica en las tres lecturas es una de indignidad. Isaías se lamenta de su pecado: "Yo soy un hombre de labios impuros" Pablo habla de su estatus como el "último de los apóstoles ... no apto para ser llamado apóstol." Despues de la pesca milagrosa, Simon Pedro le pide a Jesús: "Apártate de mí, Señor, que soy un hombre pecador." El encuentro con el Señor trae consigo una auto-conciencia más profunda en relación con el misterio abrumador que es Dios.

El contacto de Dios eleva nuestra conciencia de lo que se exige de nosotros. Estamos llamados a entrar en una relación que exige mucho de nosotros en cuanto a la autenticidad, la integridad, la fidelidad y el trabajo. Si realmente estamos siendo honestos con nosotros mismos, dudas e incertidumbres siempre surgen en nosotros cuando nos enfrentamos a una

llamada de este tipo. Sin embargo, nuestro Dios nos habla en medio de nuestras incertidumbres, asegurándonos de que Dios estará con nosotros sin importar como.

Dios entra en nuestras vidas en toda sus cotidianidades y en toda sus debilidades. Dios usa la cotidianidad de la vida para expresar su extraordinario amor y compasión. Dios nos encuentra en la debilidad, usando nuestra debilidad para manifestar su extraordinario poder y fuerza. Sólo cuando entendemos y apreciamos la invitación y llamada de Dios en nuestras vidas podemos ricamente proclamar el Salmo responsorial 138, "Delante de los ángeles, tañaré para ti, Señor." El Salmo 138 pone la experiencia de la invitación y la llamada la misión de Dios en el contexto de acción de gracias.

Nuestro bautismo es una llamado especial de Dios para sumergirnos en la misión de Jesús. Esta misión involucra el estiramiento del brazo consistente a otros en amor, preocupación y cariño, el modelado de nosotros en Jesús. Esto incluye a todos, hasta al enemigo y al extranjero. Estamos asegurados de la presencia y la fuerza de Dios en nuestra respuesta a la llamada de Dios. Podríamos objetar o ignorar esta llamada, sin embargo, este es nuestra llamada bautismal.

Reflexione sobre cómo utiliza sus dones y talentos para responder a la llamada bautismal de Dios para

llover a cabo la misión de Jesús en su vida. Este domingo, tenemos tres grandes modelos en Isaías, Pablo y Simón Pedro. ¿Puede usted añadir su nombre a esa lista?



Biagio Mazza
Asociado Pastoral

Lecturas



Lecturas del Domingo, 7 de Febrero

Primera Lectura: Isaías 6:1-2, 3-8
Salmo: Salmo 138:1-2a, 2bc-3, 4-5, 7c-8
Segunda Lectura: 1 Corintios 15:1-11
Evangelio: Lucas 5:1-11

Lecturas del Domingo, 14 de Febrero

Primera Lectura: Deuteronomio 26:4-10
Salmo: Salmo 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15
Segunda Lectura: Romanos 10:8-13
Evangelio: Lucas 4:1-13

Escuela de Religión

No habrán clases de Primer Comunión o de Jóvenes

El 14 de Febrero no tendremos clases de Primera Comunión, ni tendremos clases de jóvenes esa tarde.

Formas de Comunicación con Menores

Padres y guardianes favor de llenar una forma dándole permiso al personal de Santa Sabina, especialmente a la directora de los Jóvenes, Kirstie Roberts, para que ella pueda responder a cualquier mensaje de texto, correo electrónico o llamadas de teléfono de parte de los jóvenes de nuestra parroquia. Estas formas están disponibles en la Oficina.

Noticias de Primera Comunión!

Padres! Si usted no asistió a la reunión el mes pasado, por favor póngase en contacto con Kirstie Roberts para obtener su manual para los padres y para recibir información sobre

el proceso de preparación.

Recorrido de la Iglesia! Esta noche especial es para nuestras familias quienes están preparando a sus niños para el sacramento de la Primera Comunión. Nos reuniremos en el gimnasio a las 6:30pm y terminaremos a las 8:30pm el Martes, 1 de Marzo. Padres, por favor planean quedarse con su hijo durante esta noche de diversión y no se olvide de traer un pedazo 10"x12" de fieltro, de cualquier color, para que su hijo pueda hacer su bandera.

Todas las personas que son voluntarios con los jóvenes o niños de nuestra parroquia deben atender a un taller llamado Protegiendo a los Niños de Dios, también necesitarán someterse a una verificación de antecedentes y deberán firmar la póliza sobre Éticas e Integridad en el Ministerio. (EIM)

Ministerio Juvenil

Noche de Padrinos de Confirmación

Su siguiente noche de Padrinos de Confirmación será el Miércoles, 24 de Febrero de 7-8:30pm. Un padrino de Confirmación es un adulto Confirmado en la fe Católica, que no sean los padres del joven y que estén en buenos términos con su Iglesia.

Noche de Deportes para los Jóvenes de Junior High!

El 20 de Febrero tomaremos un viaje a Legacy Park en Lee's Summit para una noche de diversión! Habrá natación, baloncesto, voleibol, racket ball, una sala de cine, sala de juegos y sala de pizza y bocadillos. Saldremos de Santa Sabina a las 8pm el 20 de Febrero e iremos a la iglesia St. Margaret para la Misa esa noche y después iremos al parque Legacy que se encuentra al lado de la iglesia. Regresaremos a Santa Sabina el Domingo a las 6:30am. El costo por persona será \$20. Los muchachos deben traer dos litros de soda para compartir y las muchachas un bocadillo como chips o galletas para compartir. Le invitamos a traer a un amigo, todas las personas que asistan deben tener una forma de permiso firmada por sus padres, estas formas se encuentran en la oficina y también en nuestra pagina web.

Grupo de Jóvenes de High School y Confirmación Irá a Comedia City!

El 21 de Febrero nuestro grupo se irá al centro de la ciudad para reír un poco con la gente MUY graciosa de Comedy City. La entrada al espectáculo es de \$10. Saldremos de Santa Sabina a las 5pm y regresaremos a las 8:30pm. Necesitas un permiso de tus padres para poder ir a este evento. Esto es sólo para los miembros del grupo de jóvenes de Sta. Sabina. Vamos a necesitar padres para manejar. Por favor, póngate en contacto con Kirstie Roberts para inscribirte o si tu padre puede manejar. Sí, padres, este es un espectáculo familiar!

Jóvenes de High School o Confirmación

Sus juntas serán el 24 de Enero y el 21 de Febrero en el salón Parroquial 7-8:30pm.

Jóvenes de Junior High

Vamos a necesitar por lo menos 4 lectores y 3 servidores.

Seguridad Infantil

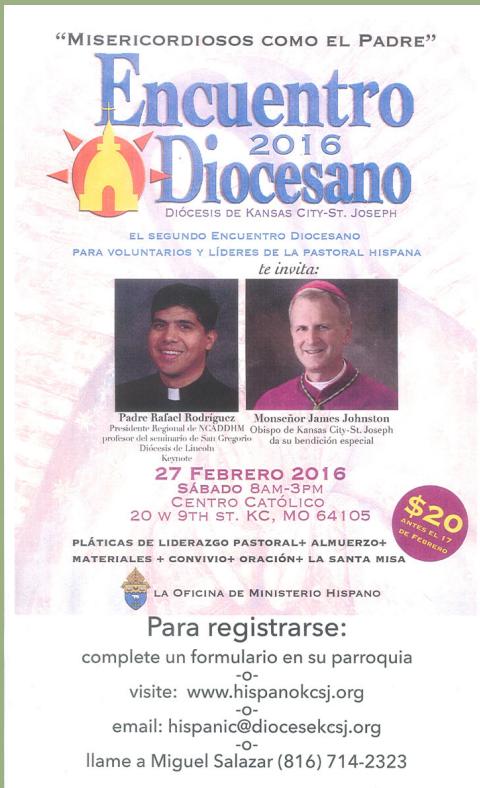
La Diócesis de Kansas City-St. Joseph está comprometida a luchar contra el abuso sexual en la Iglesia. Si usted es víctima de abuso sexual, o si usted observa o sospecha de abuso sexual, por favor:

- 1) Llame a línea directa de Abuso Infantil en Missouri al 1.800.392.3738 (si la víctima tiene menos de 18 años de edad), y
- 2) Póngase en contacto con su departamento de policía local o llame al 911, y
- 3) Despues de informarle a las autoridades de la orden civil y de leyes, reporte el abuso sexual del menor o del adulto vulnerable al Defensor del Pueblo Diocesano, Jenifer Valenti, al 816.812.2500 o a su correo electrónico, jennifervalenti@att.net, si el abuso implica a un sacerdote, diacono, empleado o voluntario de la Diócesis de Kansas City-St. Joseph

La Diócesis tiene un sincero compromiso con los recursos del cuidado y la curación para las víctimas de abuso sexual y a sus familias. Por favor póngase en contacto con la Defensora de Victimas, Kathleen Chastain al 816.392.0011 o chastain@diocesekcsj.org para mas información.



Información de la Zona



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Alcohólicos Anónimos

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Para mas información, llame 816-721-0594 o 816-682-7210. Cree tener problemas con las bebidas alcohólicas? Venga, nosotros te podemos ayudar.

Encuentro Diocesano 2016

Le invitamos al Segundo Encuentro Diocesano para voluntarios y líderes del Ministerio Hispano el Sábado, 27 de Febrero del 2016, 8am-3pm en el Centro Católico. El día incluirá pláticas de liderazgo pastoral, almuerzo, materiales, convivio, oración y la Santa Misa. Padre Rafael Rodriguez, Presidente Regional de National Catholic Association of Diocesan Directors of Hispanic Ministry va a dar la presentación inaugural. Para registrarse, anote su nombre en el espacio de reunión o habla con Kris o Berenice, y favor de pagar \$20 antes del 17 de Febrero. Todos los miembros del coro, ministros de comunión, lectores, y los que ayudan en el Ministerio Hispano son bienvenidos a asistir.

Corresponsabilidad

Campaña Católica Anual—2016

Gracias a todos los que han contribuido a la Campaña Católica Anual 2016. A partir del 25 de Enero 38 familias de Santa Sabina han contribuido un total de \$ 5,745.00. Por favor, contribuyan generosamente al "Bienaventurados los misericordiosos", la Campaña Católica Anual 2016 (en los últimos años, la Campaña Anual del Obispo) en apoyo de los programas y ministerios parroquianos y diocesanos. Visite www.kcsjgives.org para obtener más información o contribuir a esta campaña

Fondo de Asistencia de Emergencia de Caridades Católicas

Durante este año jubilar, los católicos estamos llamados a recordar y realizar Obras de Misericordia Corporales. Estos incluyen dar de comer al hambriento, dar techo y limosna a los pobres.

La colecta especial del Fondo de Asistencia de Emergencia de Caridades Católicas (CCEAF) es una oportunidad para hacer eso, apoyando a nuestros esfuerzos para proporcionar alimentos de urgencia, alquiler y asistencia de servicios públicos a miles de nuestros hermanos y hermanas que viven en la pobreza en todo el noroeste de Missouri. Fondos CCEAF se distribuyen cerca de 40 bancos de alimentos apoyados por parroquias y sitios de asistencia de emergencia en nuestra diócesis para ayudar a la gente con las necesidades humanas mas básicas.

Únase a nosotros en mostrar a otros la misericordia de Dios a través de este auténtico acto de amor. Por favor considere en oración hacer un regalo a la colecta especial CCEAF el Sábado 20 de Febrero o Domingo, 21 de Febrero. O, usted puede dar un regalo ahora en www.CatholicCharitiesGives.org.



Año de Misericordia en Sta. Sabina

'Por eso he decidido convocar un Jubileo extraordinario que tenga en el centro la misericordia de Dios. Será un Año santo de la misericordia. Lo queremos vivir a la luz de la Palabra del Señor: "Sed misericordiosos como el Padre" (cf. Lc 6, 36).'
-Papa Francisco

Para más información sobre el Año de la Misericordia en nuestra parroquia y diócesis, visite www.stsabinaparish.org/ano-de-misericordia/.

Información Parroquial



Misión Parroquial de Sta Sabina - 20-24 de Febrero

Guiado por el P. Bill Rhinehart, C.M.
del Centro de Misión Vicenciana
para Parroquias.

Horario y temas:

Sáb / Dom 20 a 21 de Feb – P. Bill habla en Misas
Tema: “El qué y por qué de una Misión”

Lunes 22 de Feb 7:00pm – Misa con la plática de la misión, seguida de una recepción en el Salón Parroquial

Tema: “Confía en mí – Pasado, Presente, siguiendo adelante”

Martes, 23 de Feb 7:00pm – Misa con la plática de la misión, seguida de una recepción en el Salón Parroquial

Tema: “La perseverancia en la oración – no los hechos”

Miércoles, 24 de Feb 7:00pm – Misa con la plática de la misión, seguida de una recepción en el Salón Parroquial

Tema: “Pide Misericordia – está en paz”

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Cuentos Bilingües

La Biblioteca de Belton viene a Santa Sabina el segundo Jueves de cada mes para presentar la hora del cuento en Inglés y Español para niños en edad preescolar. Por favor planee unirse a nosotros el 11 de Febrero a las 10am en la Sala Juan Diego en el Área de Educación. Después de la hora de cuentos bilingüe, se les invita a los padres y los niños a quedar por una hora de juegos, dando a los niños y a los

padres una oportunidad para el compañerismo y la diversión. Pueden traer un juguete para jugar si gusten. Tenga en cuenta que los padres deben permanecer con sus hijos, tanto para la hora del cuento y la hora del juego.



Pláticas

Pláticas Pre-bautismales - 13 de Febrero

Normalmente cada Segundo Sábado del mes de las 10 am a 1 pm (Sólo para Niños de 0-6 años) Salón de juntas. Sótano de la Parroquia. Para niños mayores de 7 años requerirán una formación especial.

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: llamar Kris al 816-979-3151. Favor de llenar su aplicación antes de asistir a las pláticas. **No se ofrece cuidado de niños.**

Felicitaciones de Boda

Felicidades a Joe y Susan Lewis en la bendición de su matrimonio el 6 de Febrero!!

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(Confesiones de 3:00pm - 3:30pm)

Domingo: 8:00am and 10:30am en Ingles,
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Misas especiales y Días Santos

Comidas de Pescado

Ya viene la Cuaresma, lo que significa que empezarán las comidas de pescado los viernes.

Todos los Viernes del Cuaresma (12 de Feb-18 de Mar) desde las 5-7pm en el gimnasio.

Los precios son:

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