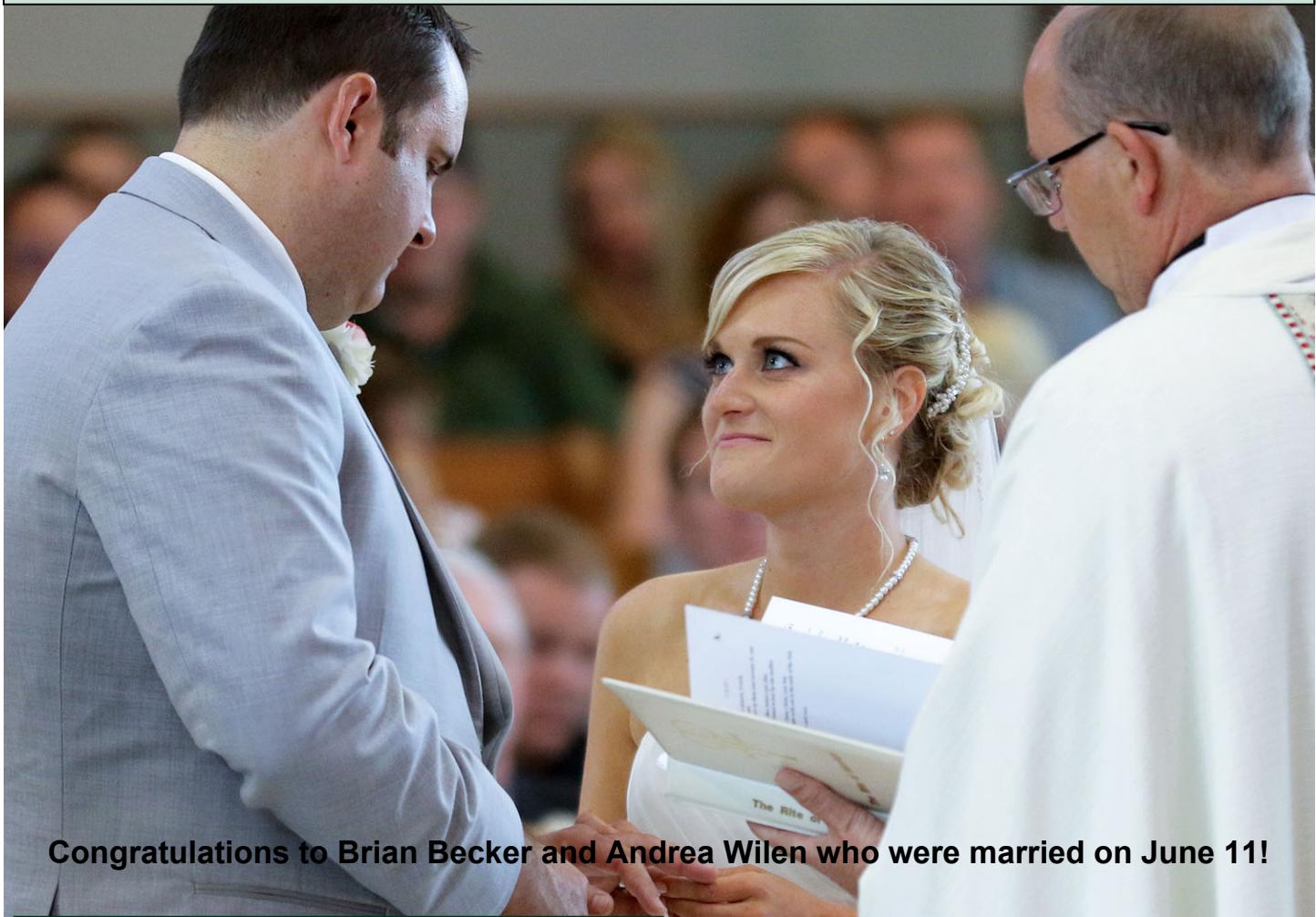


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Office Hours: 9:00am-5:00pm, Monday - Thursday and 9:00am-1:00pm, Friday



Congratulations to Brian Becker and Andrea Wilen who were married on June 11!

Mass Times

Saturday: 4:00pm in English

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

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

"A SERVICE OF LAMENT" Today, Sunday, June 26, 2:00pm at the Cathedral - Our Diocesan Church's Apology for Sins Committed - A Prayer Service Supporting One Another in Healing Broken Hearts, Burdens of Pain, and Promises of Grace. Every member of this diocese and all people of the community at large are invited to a **Service of Lament... the ripple effect of sexual abuse impacts all members of the Body of Christ.** You are invited to attend, June 26th, 2:00pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, 416 W 12th St., KCMO. Reception following the service.

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Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Intentions for June 27-July 1, 2016

Mon.	8am	†Rita Maersch
Tues.	6pm	†George Bleier & his deceased family
Wed.	8am	†Vernita Linenberger
Thurs.	8am	†Wilma Gaines
Friday	8am	†Shawn Crumley

Saturday, July 2, 2016

4:00pm	†Lola Barrios †Vernita Linenberger
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Sunday, July 3, 2016

8:00am	Intentions of the Parish Family Intentions of the Tornado Victims of Holly Springs, MS
10:30am	†Ella Hemmen †Pat Simpson
12:30pm Spanish	†Adolfo Sanchez †Beverly Moreno

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

†Bob Armstrong, brother of Dick Armstrong
†Joe Cikan, brother of John Cikan
†Catalina Alfaro, mother of Jose Lopez
†Ed Northington, father of Kelly White
†Martha Velazquez, sister of Gil Hernandez



Calendar/Parish Happenings

Sunday, June 26 - Domingo, 26 de Junio

9:30am Summer Choir Practice

Monday, June 27 - Lunes, 27 de Junio

5:30pm Marian Prayer Group

7:00pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, June 28 - Martes, 28 de Junio

4:30pm Confessions

6:00pm Entrenamiento de Guías para TOV

7:00pm English as a Second Language
Inglés Como Segunda Lengua

Wednesday, June 29 - Miércoles, 29 de Junio

9:00am Legion of Mary

Thursday, June 30 - Jueves, 30 de Junio

9:30am Quilters

7:00pm Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers Retreat

Friday, July 1 - Viernes, 1 de Julio

8:30am Adoration

9:00am Altar Society Cleaning

5:00pm Ensayo de Quinceañera—Lopez Perales

Saturday, July 2 - Sábado, 2 de Julio

1:00pm Quinceañera—Ana Jundy Lopez Perales

3:00pm Confessions

3:20pm Summer Choir Practice

Sunday, July 3 - Domingo, 3 de Julio

9:30am Summer Choir Practice

Life Line Screening - July 23

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at **St Sabina Catholic Church in the gym on July 23, 2016**. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners.**

New Daily Mass Schedule

Effective July 1, our new daily Mass schedule will be:

Monday 8am Communion Service

Tuesday 6pm Daily Mass

Wednesday Nursing home Mass (see bulletin)

Thursday 8am Daily Mass

Friday 8am Daily Mass

Please note that we will have Confessions every Saturday from 3:00 - 3:30pm, or by appointment.

Over 55 Thanks

Thank you to Belton's Mitchell Theatre, Johnson Farms, Owen Lumber and an anonymous parishioner for donating door prizes for our Over 55 Bingo and Pot Luck. Thanks to all those that attended.

Below are pictured the Bingo winners from our Over 55 gathering on June 16!



Parish Happenings and Information

Please take note:

We want to make all parishioners aware that the Belton Code of Ordinances states that nowhere within the city are people allowed to "beg" or ask for money. If someone asks you for money in our parking lot when you come to attend Mass, please direct them to any staff member at that Mass, or to the parish office during office hours, rather than giving them money. A staff member is present after every Mass for any questions or concerns. You can find us in the South Alcove of the Gathering Space. We will direct them to the appropriate resources.

Parents Lounge

Are you looking for a group that offers discussion on "parent-generated" topics, socialization, and participation in creating family friendly events at the parish? If you answered yes to any of these, then Parents Lounge is for you!

Parents Lounge is not meeting on a regular weekly basis over the summer but we will have some fun family events to stay in touch, our next get together will be:

Parents Lounge Spray Park Family Fun

Grab the kiddos, swimsuits, sunscreen, and a packed lunch if you like and head to the spray park in Grandview (John Anderson Park 4701 E 135th St Grandview, MO 64030)! Plan to get wet in the water and also enjoy the playground from 1pm-4pm on July 24th.

Parish families enjoyed bowling with the Parents



Lounge at their last Summer event on May 22. Be sure to join them for the next one at the spray park in July!

Lost and Found Items

The parish has found a set of car keys and a wallet, and these items are in the parish office. Please call Kris in the parish office to inquire about these two items. All other lost and found items are kept in the main sacristy of the church. If you're missing an item, please stop by the sacristy to check to see if your lost item has been turned in.

Prayer of Pope Francis for the Jubilee

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.

Show us your face and we will be saved.

Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money; the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal, and assured Paradise to the repentant thief.

Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us, the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman:

"If you knew the gift of God!"

You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy: let the Church be your visible face in the world, its Lord risen and glorified. You willed that your ministers would also be clothed in weakness in order that they may feel compassion for those in ignorance and error: let everyone who approaches them feel sought after, loved, and forgiven by God.

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this of you, Lord Jesus, through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy; you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.

Amen.



Year of Mercy at St. Sabina

'I have decided to announce an Extraordinary Jubilee which has at its centre the mercy of God. It will be a Holy Year of Mercy. We want to live in the light of the word of the Lord: "Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful" (cf. Lk 6:36).'
-Pope Francis

For more information on the Year of Mercy in our parish and diocese visit: stsabinaparish.org/year-

Pastoral Care

Nursing Home Mass Schedule

Jun 29 8:00am	St. Sabina (5th Wednesday)
July 6 10:30am	Beautiful Savior
July 13 10:00am	Rehab of Raymore (communion service)

Adult Grief Recovery Group at St. Sabina We are currently taking registrations for our Adult Grief Recovery Group. The group will begin on Tue., Aug. 16, 2016, at 1:30pm-3:00pm and meets for six consecutive weeks. This group encourages you to "put words to your grief" in a safe, non-judgmental place. Advanced registration is required. Confidentiality is expected. Registration deadline is Tue., Aug. 9th. To register or for more information contact Marta Roper in the parish office at 816-979-3154 or by email at marta@stsabinaparish.org.

Anointing of the Sick?

If you suffer from a chronic illness, the affect of advanced years or have an upcoming surgery and wish to receive this sacrament let Fr Jeff know before the Mass you attend and he will be glad to anoint you after Mass. If you would like to schedule it in advance or make an appointment for a weekday contact Marta Roper in the parish office at 816-979-3154.

Prayer Requests/Peticiones de Oración

Felipe Abarca	Wendy Gomez	Cynthia Peterman
Dick Anthony	Connie Harper	Leona Ragsdale
Suzie Ashbaugh	Jason Hart	Linda Regnier
Polleth Bautista	Jeanette Hart	Austin Richards
Beverly Bell	Cherie Hatfield	Kathy Shields
Yesika Benavides	Laverne Harlow	Patricia Smith
Sheryll Bentley	Bart Henke	Joe Stanley
John Bidondo	Mabel Hopkins	Noah Stanley
Allie Biondo	Josie Johnson	Jean Tate
Lonny Borchers	Kelly Jordon	Ruth Tayler
Richard Borris	Ashley Junkunc	Angel Thomas
Mark Butler	Kelsey Krum	Daryl Vonderohe
Hilda Burchett	August LeBoeuf	Marie Wilburn
John Caoile	Beverly Little	Gerry Westbrock
Delfina Chavez	Jo Locke	Bob Westfall
Barbara Clark	Msgr. J Mancuso	Mary Westfall
Trish Clark	Dodie Maurer	Judy Wheeler
Marvin Cohen	Bob McDonald	Emy Yeater
Rosemary Cooney	Gloria McLaughlin	Carmitia Yust
Joseph Coots	Denise Mehlo	Pablo Zayas
Donna Dailey	Carol Miller	
Paul DeMar	Lawrence Meissen	
Nolan Dickerson	Mona Neighbors	
Frances DiGeorge	Sherril Nevins	
Butch Ford	Johnnie Nicholes	
Emily Frezza	Jane Nouryeh	
Dick Garnier	Gary Palmer	
Antonio Garcia	Thelma Palmer	



Wellness Center

Anatomy of a Slipup

On health choice slipups, Dr. Barbara Fredrickson, PhD, director of the Positive Emotions and Psychophysiology Lab at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, says "You will give in to temptation-but that doesn't mean you should ditch your goal entirely. Resilience doesn't come from willpower; it comes from thinking positively, which you can train yourself to do."

1. MOMENTS BEFORE YOUR SLIPUP. Something happens to you and you are ready to do something to make the feeling go away. You're ready to indulge in exactly the thing you've sworn off like impulse shopping or junk food. When we associate a reward with an activity, our brain is wired to make it happen.

2. DURING THE SLIPUP. Take the time to slow down and mindfully enjoy and appreciate the experience. Focus on the good feelings not a sense of failure.

3. MOMENTS AFTER THE SLIPUP. How you talk to yourself can mean the difference between moving on from your mistake or making it ten times worse. Try saying to yourself, Yes, I got off track, but I don't need to make it worse. I can learn from this event and make plans for a healthier choice next time. And there will be a next time.

4. A DAY LATER. Keep up the positive self-talk, and you'll be less likely to fall into the same trap again. Self-compassion means not calling it a disastrous slipup but a little detour. Keep an eye on the prize of greater self-mastery and overall wellness. This is a lifelong path not a program you graduate from.

Wellness Center Class Schedule

Monday:	Intermediate Yoga 1-2pm Gentle Yoga 2-3pm
Tuesday:	Stretch & Strength 1-2pm Gentle Stretch & Strength 2-3pm
Wednesday:	Intermediate Yoga 1-2pm Gentle Yoga 2-3pm
Thursday:	Strength & Restore 6-7pm Stretch & Strength 1-2pm Gentle Stretch & Strength 2-3pm
Friday:	ReFit® 5-6pm Intermediate Yoga 1-2pm Gentle Yoga 2-3pm
Saturday:	Circuit Training 5-6pm Open Workout 8:30-11:30am Health Screenings 8:30-1:30am ReFit® 10-11am



Area Information

Seniors at Work Program

Catholic Charities' Seniors@Work program provides job training and placement for seniors (55 years and older) who have limited financial resources. Participants receive paid job training, assistance with job placement, job participation skills and resume development, and personalized help in setting and meeting goals. To be eligible, applicants must be 55 years of age or older and employable, a resident of Cass, Clay, Jackson, Ray or Lafayette County in MO, and meet income eligibility requirements. For more information, please contact Michael Spaw at 816-659-8258 or mspaw@ccharities.com, or call Deanna at 816-348-7410.

Married couples, do you want to rekindle that love you had on your wedding day?



"Before our Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, all Jim and I ever talked about was kids, his job, the house and money. I wondered what happened to the couple that talked on the phone for hours after being together all day during our courtship. On our Weekend we rediscovered that couple!"

The next Weekend in Kansas City is

Sept. 30-Oct. 2, 2016

For more information or to apply, please visit our website: www.wwme4youandme.org or call Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066 or email tonybarbz@prodigy.net

Baptism Congratulations

Valeria Rocha Gonzalez, daughter of Gerardo Rocha and Florina Gonzalez



Quinceañera Congratulations

Congratulations to **Jakeline Pocasangre**, daughter of Maria Edith Pocasangre, who celebrated her Quinceañera on June 25th!

Congratulations to **Ana Judy Lopez**, the daughter of Daniel and Maira Lopez, who celebrates her Quinceañera on July 2nd!

happy birthday

Marisa Arnold	Bob Henderson	Zoey Prieve
Jennifer Arreola	Diego Hernandez	Charles Proctor
Samantha Barker	Archie Herndon	Selena Ramos
Sylvia Barrera	Pedro Herrera	Karen Rhodes
George Barrios	Carmen Hinojos	Lori Richardson
Evelinda Benitez	Melchor Hinojos	Ruby Rodelo
Blanca Bonilla	Kimberly Hogard-Robbins	Montserrat Rodriguez
Blaine Buice	Landon Holloway	Hunter Romero
Joyce Callahan	Tara Jones	Joseph Rustemeyer
Pablo Calles	Chris Kallas	Ann Ryan
Pat Carr	Pat Kallas	Neria Sanchez
Osvaldo Castillo	William Lopez	Lupita Santillanes
Mary Cikan	Kathy Maderos	Janet Schneider
Jason Cooper	Jeremy Mansur	Austin Speer
JoAnne Davis	Damian Martinez	Mark Stegner
Melody DeRosear	Leslie McDowell	Austin Strickler
Joshua Figge	Michael Menjivar	Meghan Taylor
Randy Frey	James Miederhoff	Jacob Thompson
Luis Fuentes	Paul Miller	Luis Torres
Diana Galant	Corey Morgan	Yasmin Valenzuela
Alfredo Gonzalez	Joan Murphy	Abel Velasco
Kimberly Grantham	Erika Noriega-Guerrero	Christy Walt
Kristen Grantham	Aaron Norris	Brandi Welch
Ray Graves	Jesus Palomares	Elijah Whiteley
Julian Guillermo	Tucker Perkins	Terry Whitsell
Angelie Gutierrez	Glen Peterman	Bob Woolrich
Nickolas Heinerikson		Paula Zuniga

Happy Anniversary

Joyce and Dewayne Hammack	56 Years!	07-02-1960
Nancy and Kenneth Daire	49 Years!	07-01-1967
Gary and Thelma Palmer	46 Years!	07-02-1970
Richard and Terry Vanzandt	42 Years!	06-28-1974
Debbie and John Ranes	30 Years!	06-28-1986
Abraham and Damiana Ramirez	29 Years!	06-27-1987
Jerry and Marilyn Keating	27 Years!	06-29-1989
Kristi and Chris Darby	21 Years!	06-29-1995
Leslie and Lori Moss	19 Years!	06-28-1997
James and Tammy Madril	17 Years!	07-03-1999
Ruben and Minnie Ortiz	16 Years!	07-01-2000
Steve and Angela Gaither	13 Years!	06-28-2003
Sergio and Yesenia Guzman	12 Years!	07-03-2004
Doug and Cynthia West	10 Years!	07-01-2006
Matt and Christy Walt	7 Years!	07-03-2009
Megan and Ryan Coover	1 Year!	07-03-2015

School of Religion/Youth Ministry

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, vegetable peeler and can opener. Our next cooking date is June 27.



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 July 21 6-8pm. If you would like to volunteer, call or email Kirstie in the Youth Office.

Community Meals Lord of Love Lutheran Church offers a free meal to the community each Wednesday. Every third Wednesday of the month St. Sabina volunteers help prepare, serve and clean up in an effort to work together with other Christians to carry out Christ's work. Our next volunteer date is July 20. Contact Berenice Zayas in the parish office for more information or to sign up. Phone: 816-979-3150 or email: berenice@stsabinaparish.org.

Vacation Bible School!

On July 11 through the 15th we will adventure on a Cave Quest to Follow Jesus, the Light of the World! We will meet each day in the Parish Hall from 8:45am to 12:15pm. Children will learn songs, play games, have Bible adventures, make crafts and experiments and take turns preparing snacks for the whole group! There are several ways for adults to help during our adventure, too! We will need crew leaders, station leaders and many helpers to make this week a success! Registration forms are available in the Youth Office and on the website for children and volunteers! If you would like to help build the sets for this week of fun in a cave, please join us on Wednesday afternoons from 2-5pm each week beginning June 8th.

How To Keep Your Child Catholic? Try the Newman Connection!

College is often a difficult time for young Catholic students who do not meet and socialize with other likeminded Catholics. The Newman Connection Project is designed to help young men and women who are leaving home for the first time to meet people with similar beliefs and principles. All we need from you is the **Student's Name**, **University/College Name** and **City/State** the student will attend. Call Homer Radford at 816-560-2992 or email to hradford2@comcast.net and the folks at Newman Connection will help your student(s) keep connected with their faith! [<http://www.newmanconnection.com>]

Child Safety

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
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). More info at http://www.diocese-kcsj.org/content/protecting_children/

Softball for High School Youth!

Our parish will join up with a bunch of other youth groups on June 26th! We will leave St. Sabina at 2pm and return around 4:30pm. This is a fun, non competitive, slow pitch variety of softball that anyone with shoes can play! Next year's freshmen are welcome to join us! Permission slips are available on the website!



Stewardship

"As they were proceeding on their journey someone said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' Jesus answered him, 'Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head.' And to another he said, 'Follow me.' But he replied, 'Lord, let me go first and bury my father.' But he answered him, 'Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.' And another said, 'I will follow you, Lord, but first let me say farewell to my family at home.' To him Jesus said, 'No one who sets a hand to the plow and looks to what was left behind is fit for the kingdom of God.'"

Luke 9: 57-62

Whether plowing in Jesus' time either by hand or with a plow pulled by oxen, in order to plow straight rows, someone had to focus on where he was going, not on where he had been. It has not changed with our modern farm equipment today. In other words, the secret is to look forward, and to assure that you are going in a straight line. Looking back invariably made the person plowing lose focus. That is Jesus' point to us. As good stewards we must keep our focus on Him, on following Him, and on being His disciple. That allows us to move toward our goal of holiness and of being the kind of disciple He wants us to be. — See more at www.catholicsteward.com/blog/

June 19 Contributions

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$12,022.49
Plate/Canasta:	\$ 1,009.00
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 630.00
Communications:	\$ 1,007.06

Don't cancel life insurance you no longer need!

By naming our parish as beneficiary, you'll provide lasting financial support and possibly qualify for tax benefits as well. Be an angel and pass on your Catholic Heritage. It costs nothing to change the beneficiary on your policy and it can be done in less than five minutes.



prepare crafts for VBS in Anapra, Mexico this summer.
Pictured left to right: Terry, Sandy, Calvin, Charles, and



Anita prepare desserts at the community meal on Wednesday, June 15.

Green Team Tip of the Week

Need recycling info for Cass County or the metro area. Go to [http://www.recyclespot.org/
NewCommunities/Cass-
County.aspx](http://www.recyclespot.org/NewCommunities/Cass-County.aspx)



Pictured above, volunteers helped Manos Amigas

Reflection on the Readings



As we delve directly into the season of Ordinary Time or numbered Sundays, we are challenged to take up the Paschal journey that Jesus commits himself to in the reading from Luke's gospel. Luke talks about Jesus being "resolutely determined to journey to Jerusalem." All the readings this Sunday challenge us to join Jesus with the same resolve and determination that he manifests.

Jesus' journey is not an easy one. According to Luke's account, the honeymoon experience in Galilee, the first blush of his public ministry, is now over and Jesus realizes that the next and final step is the journey to Jerusalem. Jesus knows that proclaiming God's reign involves challenging the status quo and the established authorities of his day, both political and religious. This is going to get him into trouble, yet he also believes that the journey is necessary if he is to be faithful to his mission of proclaiming God's reign to all. So he sets out on the journey that will eventually lead to his death, with a resolve, a determination and a single-mindedness that is admirable as it is difficult.

Along the way, Jesus, like Elijah in the first reading and Paul in the second, offer others the opportunity to join the journey. The offer comes with strings attached. The conditions for discipleship demand that we allow nothing to get in the way of doing the will of God. As humans we are pulled in many directions and are distracted by the many voices that surround us. If, like Jesus, we feel called to proclaim God's reign wherever we are planted, then we need to attune ourselves to only one voice. God's voice takes precedence over all other voices.

Discipleship must be wholehearted. Part time or half-hearted discipleship is a contradiction. This is why Elijah and Jesus appear to react so harshly to those who find any number of obstacles on their journey to discipleship. The call to discipleship is complete, total and without hesitation. To follow through on our call to discipleship demands that we do much work beforehand so that at the opportune time, there will be no hesitation whatsoever.

Like Elisha, to whom Elijah offers discipleship, we too need to rid ourselves of all that would distract us from resolutely carrying out God's wishes. Paul encourages us to "live by the Spirit," to "stand firm...and not submit again to the yoke of slavery." For Paul, the demands of discipleship are summed up in "one statement: You shall love your neighbor as yourself." These are the demands of following Jesus on the Paschal journey.

What would make a person take on such demands? The refrain of the responsorial psalm boldly proclaims the answer. The end result of the discipleship journey is that "You are my inheritance, O Lord." If the Lord is to be our inheritance, it is essential that we strive to set the Lord ever before us. The psalmist asserts that "with the Lord at my right hand, I shall not be disturbed," no matter the difficulties encountered on our discipleship journey. Attuning ourselves to the demands of discipleship brings with it the rewards of abundant joy, fullness of life, and peace and security in God who is indeed our one and only inheritance.

Reflect on how resolute you are in modeling yourself on Jesus. When distractions or other voices challenge your resolve to journey with Jesus, how do you respond? What help do you need to continue being faithful to your baptismal call to follow Jesus?

With the psalmist, let us pray that we make God our one and only inheritance.

**Biagio Mazza,
Pastoral Associate**

Readings



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 June 26th and July 24th at 10:30am.** All are welcome. Bring a Bible and a friend. To register for these sessions, please call Biagio at 816-979-3153.

Sunday, June 26

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21

Psalm: Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 (see 5a)

2nd Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-18

Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Sunday, July 3

1st Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14c

Psalm: Psalm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)

2nd Reading: Galatians 6:14-18

Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20



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Reflexión Sobre las Lecturas



Ya que escarbamos directamente a la temporada del Tiempo Ordinario o los Domingos numerados, tenemos el reto de tomar el camino pascual, a lo cual Jesús se compromete en la lectura del Evangelio de Lucas. Lucas habla de que Jesús "tomó la firme determinación de emprender viaje a Jersalén." Todas las lecturas de este Domingo nos desafían a unirnos a Jesús con la misma resolución y determinación que el manifieste.

El viaje de Jesús no es una tarea fácil. De acuerdo con el relato de Lucas, la experiencia de la luna de miel en Galilea, la primera vista de su ministerio público, ya ha terminado y Jesús se da cuenta de que el siguiente y último paso es el viaje a Jerusalén. Jesús sabe que el proclamar el Reino de Dios implica desafiar lo esperado y las autoridades establecidas de su época, tanto político como religioso. Esto va a meterlo en problemas, sin embargo, también cree que el viaje es necesario si va a ser fiel a su misión de proclamar el Reino de Dios a todos. Así que se embarca en el viaje que finalmente llegará a su muerte, con una resolución, una determinación y una firmeza que es tan admirable como es difícil.

En el camino, Jesús, como Elías en la primera lectura y Pablo en la segunda, ofrece a los demás la oportunidad de unirse al viaje. La oferta viene con condiciones. Las condiciones del discipulado demanda que no permitimos que nada se interponga en el camino de hacer la voluntad de Dios. Como seres humanos estamos jalados en diferentes direcciones y distraídos por las muchas voces que nos rodean. Si, como Jesús, nos sentimos llamados a proclamar el Reino de Dios donde sea que estamos plantados, entonces tenemos que sintonizarnos a una sola voz. La voz de Dios tiene prioridad sobre todas las otras voces.

El discipulado debe ser sincero. El discipulado de tiempo parcial o a medias es una contradicción. Por eso Elías y Jesús parecen reaccionar con tanta dureza a aquellos que encuentran cualquier número de obstáculos en su camino hacia el discipulado. El llamado al discipulado es completo, total y sin vacilar. Seguir nuestra llamada hasta el final demanda que hacemos mucho trabajo de antemano para que en el momento oportuno, no habrá ninguna duda en absoluto.

Al igual que Eliseo, a quien Elías ofrece el discipulado, nosotros también necesitamos deshacernos de todo lo que nos distraiga de resueltamente llevar a cabo los deseos de Dios. Pablo nos anima a "vivir de acuerdo con las exigencias del Espíritu," y a "Conservar la libertad ... y no someterse de nuevo al yugo de esclavitud." Para Pablo, las demandas del discipulado se resumen en "un solo precepto: Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo ". Estas son las demandas al seguir a Jesús en el camino pascual.

¿Qué haría que una persona asuma tales demandas? El estribillo del salmo responsorial proclama audazmente la respuesta. El resultado final del viaje al discipulado es que "Tú, Señor, eres el lote de mi heredad." Si el Señor ha de ser nuestra herencia, es esencial que nos esforzamos por establecer el Señor siempre delante de nosotros. El salmista afirma que con el Señor "a mi derecha no vacilaré," sin importar las dificultades encontradas en el viaje del discipulado. Sintonizarnos a las demandas del discipulado trae consigo los beneficios de la alegría en abundancia, plenitud de la vida, y la paz y seguridad en Dios que es en verdad nuestra única herencia.

Reflexione sobre que tan resuelto está en modelarse en Jesús. Cuando distracciones u otras voces cuestionan su decisión de caminar con Jesús, ¿cómo responde? ¿Qué ayuda necesita para seguir siendo fiel a su llamado bautismal de seguir a Jesús? Con el salmista, oremos para que hagamos de Dios nuestra única herencia.

**Biagio Mazza
Asociado Pastoral**

Lecturas



Lecturas del Domingo, 26 de Junio

Primera Lectura: 1 Reyes 19:16, 19-21
Salmo: Salmo 16:1-2a y 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
Segunda Lectura: Gálatas 5:1, 13-18
Evangelio: Lucas 9:51-62

Lecturas del Domingo, 3 de Julio

Primera Lectura: Isaías 66:10-14
Salmo: Salmo 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7a, 16 y 20
Segunda Lectura: Gálatas 6:14-18
Evangelio: Lucas 10:1-12, 17-20

Escuela de Religión/Ministerio Juvenil

Escuela Bíblica de Vacaciones! El 11 de Julio hasta el día 15 vamos a aventurarnos en una Expedición de Cueva para Seguir a Jesús, la Luz del Mundo! Nos reuniremos cada día en el Salón Parroquial de 8:45am a 12:15pm. Los niños aprenderán canciones, jugarán, tendrán aventuras de la Biblia, harán manualidades y experimentos, y se turnarán para preparar bocadillos para todo el grupo! Hay varias maneras en que los adultos puedan ayudar durante nuestra aventura, también! Vamos a necesitar líderes de los grupos, líderes de las estaciones y muchos ayudantes para hacer esta semana un éxito! Los formularios de inscripción están disponibles en la Oficina de la Juventud y en la página web para los niños y los voluntarios! Si desea ayudar a construir los escenarios para esta semana de diversión en una cueva, por favor, únase a nosotros el Miércoles por la tarde de 2-5pm cada semana empezando el 8 de Junio. www.stsabinaparish.org/permission-slips/

Oportunidades para Voluntarios

Uplift Org. Si le gustaría traer comidas a las personas sin hogar en el 4º o 5º Lunes de cada mes, por favor, póngase en contacto con Kirstie Roberts! Este ministerio está abierto a todos los feligreses mayores de 14 años. Los voluntarios deben reportarse a la bodega de Uplift a las 5pm y se terminan a las 9:30pm.

Cocineros de Uplift! Cualquier persona que le gustaría ayudar a preparar una comida para las personas sin hogar está bienvenido a unirse a nuestro equipo en el 4º Lunes de cada mes a las 10am en el gimnasio. Le recomendamos que traiga un cuchillo y pelador de verduras buenos. El próximo día de cocinar es el 27 de Junio.

Harvesters! Este banco de alimentos local proporciona alimentos a las familias necesitadas de todo el área de KC. Se necesitan voluntarios para ayudar a organizar las donaciones de alimentos y para preparar bolsas de comida para fines de semana para niños en nuestra comunidad. Vamos a llevar un grupo de 5 personas en el tercer Jueves de cada mes. Nuestra próxima fecha es el 21 de Julio de 6-8 pm. Si desea ser voluntario, llame a o mande un correo electrónico a Kirstie en la Oficina de la Juventud.

Comidas Comunitarias La Iglesia Luterana Lord of Love ofrece una comida gratis a la comunidad cada miércoles. Cada tercer miércoles del mes voluntarios de Sta. Sabina ayudan a preparar, servir y limpiar en un esfuerzo de trabajar junto con otros cristianos para llevar a cabo la obra de Cristo. Nuestra próxima fecha como voluntarios es el 20 de Julio. Contacte a Berenice Zayas en la oficina parroquial para más información.

Seguridad Infantil

La Diócesis de Kansas City-St. Joseph esta 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, diácono, 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.

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 necesitaran someterse a una verificación de antecedentes y deberán firmar la póliza sobre Éticas e Integridad en el Ministerio (EIM). Más información en <http://virtus.org>

Softball para Jóvenes de la High School!

Nuestra parroquia se unirá a otros grupos de jóvenes el 26 de Junio! Saldremos de Sta Sabina a las 2pm y volveremos a las 4:30pm. Esto es una variedad del softball divertida, no competitiva, de lanzamiento lento que cualquier persona con zapatos puede jugar! Los estudiantes entrando al primer año este otoño son bienvenidos a unirse a nosotros! Las hojas de permiso están disponibles en la página web! www.stsabinaparish.org/permission-slips/



Corresponsabilidad/Información

Reflexión de Corresponsabilidad

El Evangelio de hoy nos revela el inicio del viaje de Jesús a Jerusalén. Nosotros viajaremos con Jesús durante muchos domingos por venir, y a lo largo del camino él nos enseñará acerca de las exigencias del discipulado. Sus instrucciones pueden parecer severas o irracionales a nuestros oídos. Su respuesta a las legítimas peticiones de posponer la jornada nos recuerda que siempre hay excusas justificables para postergar la jornada o aplazar las responsabilidades del discipulado. Otros asuntos importantes requieren de nuestra atención. Algunos de nosotros deberá hacer elecciones que “estrujen” el corazón, pero hay una urgencia sobre la misión de Jesús de continuar el reino de Dios. Su solicitud es que nosotros proclamemos el Reino de Dios ahora. ¿Es ésta nuestra primera prioridad, o tenemos otras prioridades?

Life Line Screening - 23 de Julio

Life Line Screening, un proveedor líder de exámenes de salud preventivos basados en la comunidad, ofrecerá sus exámenes de salud económicos, no invasivos e indoloros en el gimnasio de la Iglesia Católica de Sta Sabina el 23 de Julio, 2016. Se ofrecerán cinco exámenes que se escanean en busca de problemas potenciales de salud relacionados con: el bloqueo de las arterias, que es una de las principales causas del infarto; aneurismas aórticas abdominales que pueden resultar a una ruptura de la aorta; endurecimiento en las arterias de las piernas, que es un fuerte predictor de enfermedad del corazón; fibrilación auricular o latido irregular del corazón que está ligado al riesgo del infarto; y un examen de densidad ósea, para hombres y mujeres, que se utiliza para evaluar el riesgo de osteoporosis. Regístrese para obtener un paquete de bienestar que incluye 4 pruebas vasculares y detección de osteoporosis de \$149 (\$139 con nuestro descuento de miembro). Todos los cinco exámenes demoran 60-90 minutos para completar. Para inscribirse en este evento y para recibir \$10 de descuento en cualquier paquete de precio más de \$129, por favor llame al 1-888-653-6441 o visite www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners.

Pláticas Pre-Bautismales- 9 de Julio

Normalmente cada Sábado Segundo de 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. Infórmate.

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Jueves	8am	Misa Diaria
Viernes	8am	Misa Diaria

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Domingo: 8:00am y 10:30am en Ingles,
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