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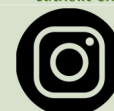
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Congratulations to Cameron James, son of Ryan and Diana, and Claire Elise, daughter of Mark and Kristen, who were baptized on Saturday, October 22! Congratulations to Calvin Clark, son of John and Kayla, who was baptized on Sunday, October 23!

¡Felicidades a Cameron James, hijo de Ryan y Diana, y Claire Elise, hija de Mark y Kristen, quienes se bautizaron el sábado 22 de octubre! ¡Felicidades a Calvin Clark, hijo de John y Kayla, quien fue bautizado el domingo 23 de octubre!

Weekend Masses

Saturdays at 4:00pm (English)
Sundays at 8:00am and 10:30am (English)
Sundays at 12:30pm (Spanish)

Daily Masses (English)

Tuesdays at 11:00am
Wednesday-Friday at 8:00am

Confessions

Saturdays 3:00-3:30pm
Or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

First Fridays, 8:30am-8:00pm

Online Masses

Sundays at 8:00am (Facebook-live)
Posted to website immediately after
Sundays at 12:30pm (Spanish-Facebook-live)
Posted to website immediately after

Misas Dominicales

Sábado a las 4:00pm (Inglés)
Domingo a las 8:00am y las 10:30am (Inglés)
Domingo a las 12:30pm (Español)

Misas Diarias (Inglés)

Martes a las 11:00am
Miércoles a Viernes a las 8:00am

Confesiones

Sábado de 3:00-3:30pm
O con cita

Adoración Eucarística

Primer Viernes del Mes, 8:30am-8:00pm

Misas en Línea

Domingo a las 8:00am (inglés-Facebook)
Publicado en nuestro sitio web después
Domingo a las 12:30pm (español-Facebook)
Publicado en nuestro sitio web después

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time—31° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

October 30, 2022



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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 Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org 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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or true.francis@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 <https://kcsj catholic.org/the-office-of-child-and-youth-protection/>.

Mass Intentions for the Week Peticiónes de la Semana

Intentions for November 1-4, 2022

Tues.	11am	Open
	7pm	Open
Wed.	7pm	†Pablo José Zayas
Thur.	8am	Open
Fri.	8am	Open

Saturday, November 5, 2022

4:00pm Intentions of Our Parish Family

Sunday, November 6, 2022

8:00am	†Leonard Meiron
10:30am	†Herb Zaccagnini
12:30pm Spanish	†Efren Jaimes Astudillo

Special Remembrances/Conmemoraciones Especiales:

†Carmen Barrios, †Clarence Reynolds, †Cory Smith,
†Sofía Córtez Blanco, †Efren Jaimes Hijo, †Ricardo Lopez

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

†**Patty Carr**, wife of Patrick Carr, sister of Karen Poole

†**Brian Torres**, hijo de Pedro Torres y Perla Hernandez

†**Art Zeitelhack**, husband of Patty Zeitelhack

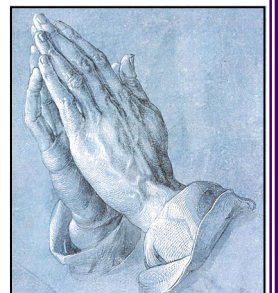
†**Adan Flores Cedillo**, tío de Elizabeth Cedillo e hijos, Rosa Salayandia Cedillo e hijos, y Rebeca Nunez e hijos

†**Carlos Alfonso Angulo**, amigo de Raúl Félix

†**Gloria Barlow**, sister of Gail Schmidt

†**Scott Sellmeyer**, nephew of Chuck and Mary Sellmeyer

†**Matt Meiron**, son of Nancy Meiron



Sunday, October 30 - Domingo, 30 de Octubre

Stewardship Renewal/Ministry Fair
Renovación de Corresponsabilidad/Feria de Ministerios

9:00am PSR and Parents Lounge
11:00am Escuela de Religión
11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano
6:00pm Ensayo de Matachines
6:00pm Trunk or Treat

Monday, October 31 - Lunes, 31 de Octubre

4:00pm Uplift
7:00pm Boy Scouts
7:00pm Cub Scouts

Tuesday, November 1 - Martes, 1 de Noviembre

All Saints Day/Día de Todos los Santos
11:00am All Saints Mass
7:00pm Bilingual All Saints Mass/Misa Bilingüe
7:00pm Confirmation and High School Youth Group

Wednesday, November 2 - Miércoles, 2 de Noviembre

All Souls Day/Día de Todos los Fieles Difuntos
9:00am Legion of Mary
6:30pm Parish Rosary
7:00pm All Souls Mass and Reception
7:00pm Junior High Youth Group
8:00pm Choir Rehearsal (4:00 and 10:30 groups)
8:00pm Knights Council Meeting

Thursday, November 3 - Jueves, 3 de Noviembre

9:30am Piecemakers Quilt Group
7:00pm RCIA/RICA

Friday, November 4 - Viernes, 4 de Noviembre

8:30am Adoration/Adoración
7:00pm Ensayo de Matachines

Saturday, November 5 - Sábado, 5 de Noviembre

3:00pm Confessions

Sunday, November 6 - Domingo, 6 de Noviembre

9:00am PSR and Parents Lounge
9:30am PSR Parent Meeting—First Reconciliation
11:00am Escuela de Religión
11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano
11:30am Reunión de Padres Sobre la Primera Reconciliación
2:00pm Ensayo para la Obra de Guadalupe
6:00pm Ensayo de Matachines

happy birthday

Jan Adams	Victor Mata Franco
Javier Aguirre	Patricia McCollum
Jose Andrade	Dylan Melendez
Martina Arreola	Brhandon Menjivar
Margaret Bannerman	Luis Meza
Melinda Baty	Roselin Molina
Norma Chinchilla	Dave Morris
Jennifer Coots	Sabastian Nunez
Makaylyn Crosby	Miguel Pacheco
Marcilyn Crosby	Alba Prieto
Marilyn Crosby	Kirstie Roberts
Jeff Dierk	Jonatan Rodriguez
Abby Emerick	Rafael Ruiz
Gabriela Fuentes	Luis Salcido
Oscar Garcia	Maggie Sanchez
George Green	Megan Speer
Daniella Guardado	Dennis Squires
David Haefe	Amber Stegner
Finnley Hampton	Jayson Tobias
Andrew Hoy	Manuel Trejo
Jose Huerta	Saul Valtierra
Sophia Kille	Carlos Velazquez
Emily King	Terry Vleisides
Mary Klenda	Lauren Walker
Tessa Loveless	Mikie Wartell
Gary Lueckenotto	Ella Wathor
Clare Makulilo	Tara Wedemeyer
Rigoberto Marquez	

Happy Anniversary

Arturo and Josephine Piñon	45 Years!	11/5/1977
John and Kathy Shields	41 Years!	11/6/1981
Greg and Dawn Gebauer	37 Years!	11/2/1985
Armando Tenorio and Guadalupe Benitez	19 Years!	11/3/2003
Paulo Fabian and Beatriz Bravo	17 Years!	11/6/2005
Kevin and Maribel Ward	14 Years!	11/5/2008
Sergio and Ana Jimenez	10 Years!	11/2/2012
Jon and Whitney Kirchhoff	10 Years!	11/3/2012
Joshua Mackall and Gina Torrey	6 Years!	11/5/2016
Francisco Torres and Korayma Flores	5 Years!	11/4/2017



*Baptism Prep, Saturday, October 8
Platicas Pre-bautismales, 8 de octubre*

Lector Workbooks

Lectors: The *Workbook for Lectors* for 2023 is available for pickup in the sacristy. Please take the book with your name on it. If you are able to make a donation of \$10 to help defray the cost of the books, it is greatly appreciated, but if you cannot make the donation, please take a book anyway. Thank you!

Why Do We Have an Area of Remembrance at St. Sabina?

Throughout the entire month of November, we join the church in remembering those men and women who lived Christian lives of faith and now enjoy the promise of eternal life made to them at their baptism. We offer the worship of our sorrow, and feel the solidarity of the saints who made the way to heaven through the suffering of life on earth.

WE INVITE YOU TO BRING A PICTURE of your deceased loved ones beginning the weekend of Oct. 29-30. The Area of Remembrance will remain in the north alcove until the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday, November 20.

Career Roundtable Job Club

The Catholic Career Roundtable (CCR) job club hosts weekly workshops on Saturdays from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 12800 W. 75th St. in Shawnee, Kansas. This is an informal meeting to help and support people in their searches for meaningful work. In these workshops, attendees discuss the fundamentals of transitioning to new careers and techniques to find new jobs in today's business climate. For more information, send an email to: catholiccareerroundtablekc@gmail.com, or call Sam Incorvia 913-669-7386. Our website, www.catholiccareerroundtable.com, will have updated information.

Manual para Proclamadores de la Palabra

Lectores: El *Manual para Proclamadores de la Palabra* del 2023 está disponible para recoger en la sacristía. Por favor, tome el libro con su nombre. Si puede hacer una donación de \$10 para ayudar a sufragar el costo de los libros, se lo agradecemos mucho, pero si no puede hacer la donación, llévese su libro de todos modos. ¡Gracias!

¿Por Qué Tenemos un Área de Conmemoración en Sta. Sabina?

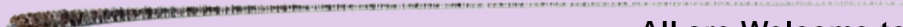
Durante todo el mes de noviembre, nos unimos a la iglesia para recordar a aquellos hombres y mujeres que vivieron vidas cristianas de fe y ahora disfrutan de la promesa de vida eterna que se les hizo en su bautismo. Ofrecemos la adoración de nuestra tristeza y sentimos la solidaridad de los santos que hicieron el camino al cielo a través del sufrimiento de la vida en la tierra.

LES INVITAMOS A TRAER UNA FOTO de sus seres queridos difuntos a partir del fin de semana del 29/30 de octubre. El Área de Conmemoración permanecerá en el lado norte del espacio de reunión hasta la Fiesta de Cristo Rey, el domingo 20 de noviembre.



Ministry Fair, October 23
Feria de Ministerios, 23 de octubre

Wellness Center



All are Welcome to Join the Early Steppers Walking Club

Tuesdays and Thursdays
8am-9am
St Sabina Gym
WALK-INS WELCOME

- Come out of the cold
- Bring a friend
- Bring a water bottle
- Wear your walking shoes

For more information call the Wellness Center 816 979-3090.

Nursing Home Mass Schedule

November 9	10:30am	Benton House
November 16	10:00am	Foxwood Spring
November 23	11:00am	Carnegie Village

Ministry to the Homebound

Visit the Sick



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At St. Sabina there are many dedicated Eucharistic Ministers who visit our brothers and sisters confined to their homes or care facilities because of illness or advanced years. These Special Ministers to the Sick and Homebound help ensure the homebound remain connected to the Church and

Sacraments. We provide in-home visits with Communion, Communion to the Catholics in care facilities, senior living facilities in Northern Cass County, and Belton Regional Hospital. If you are interested and would like more information contact Kris Larkey at 816-979-3151 or kris@stsabinaparish.org, or Berenice at 816-979-3150 or Berenice@stsabinaparish.org.

Ministerio a los Confinados a Casa

En Sta. Sabina hay muchos Ministros Eucarísticos

dedicados quienes visitan a nuestros hermanos y hermanas confinados a casa o centros de cuidado debido a una enfermedad o la edad avanzada. Estos Ministros Especiales para los Enfermos y los Confinados a casa ayudan a asegurar que los confinados a casa permanezcan conectados con la

Iglesia y los Sacramentos. Brindamos visitas a domicilio con Comunión, Comunión a los católicos en centros de atención e instalaciones para personas mayores en el norte del condado de Cass y el Hospital regional de Belton. Si está interesado y desea obtener más información, comuníquese con Kris Larkey al 816-979-3151 o kris@stsabinaparish.org, o Berenice al 816-979-3150 o berenice@stsabinaparish.org



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Prayer Requests/Peticiones de Oración

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Steve Ayers
Mary Bardwell
Bill Beaver
Emma Beaver
Dennis Berg
Jean Berg
Marion Biondo
Mary Pat Biondo
Betty Bremenkamp
John Bremenkamp
Veronica Burks
Leona Bybee
Joyce Callahan
Pat Carr
Par Castaneda
Jeremy Cikan
Steve Circo
Georgiana Cobb
Lena Collins
Bob Coomer
Marianne Crooks
Donna Dailey
Jack Davis
Harold Dawes
Doris Deschenes
Irene Down
Jeannine Edmonds

Terry Eppert
Mary Jo Fischer
Larry Foster
John Frezza
Al Gebauer
Daniel Haake
Ginny Hailey
Keith Hall
Diane Hansen
Cherie Hatfield
Jack Henningsen
Marilyn Henningsen
Kenneth Jones
Santa Ibarra
Bob Kottenbrock
Don Kueck
Susan Lager
Winnie Mayerchack
Gene McEwen
Nancy Meiron
Norabel Molina
Jack Obermeier
Dennis O'Reilly
Jennifer O'Reilly
Ron Parker
Lois Pusateri
Lidia Amanda Quiroz Lugo
Abigail Ragsdale

Agustin Rivera
Alfonso Rivera
Anna Ryan
Larry Scali
Mary Margaret Schmidt
Rudy Schmidt
Deryl Sellmeyer
Barry Sellmeyer
Mary Spear
Dani Stinger
Kaylee Stinger
Richard Sweaney
Omar Valdez Quiroz
Denise Vargo Wallace
Helen Vonderohe
Donna West
Ron West
Mary Wickstrum



As we near the end of our liturgical year, our readings begin to focus on the end times, the time of final judgment and reckoning concerning how we have acted towards others. Our second reading from 2 Thessalonians speaks from the perspective of that final judgment, petitioning God to make us “worthy of his calling and powerfully bring to fulfillment every good purpose and every effort of faith....”

The Zacchaeus gospel story comes at the end of the Lucan journey of Jesus to Jerusalem. Luke fills this part of Jesus’ journey with stories and events that show God’s care and concern for those whom others despise and condemn. **The Lucan passages for these past few Sundays have stressed that concern. The Zacchaeus account is unique to Luke, dramatically highlighting Luke’s gospel message.**



This memorable story presents a delightful character named Zacchaeus, whose physical size – he is short – symbolizes the exclusion he suffers on the social and religious level. He is a chief tax collector who would have been hated, despised and ostracized by others. He desires to see Jesus. Since he is short, he runs ahead of the crowd and climbs a sycamore tree. This would have subjected him to ridicule but he pays no attention to it. **As Jesus passes by, he calls out to the man in the tree and invites himself to stay at Zacchaeus’ house.**

Zacchaeus’ quick response to this invitation is one of great joy and excitement. But the crowd is not pleased at all. **The nameless “they” grumble because Jesus has broken established boundaries: “he has gone to stay at the house of a sinner.”** The “they” would have considered themselves to be the righteous ones, deserving of salvation. They were convinced that God does not abide sinners. **But Jesus enlightens them on the true intent of God’s will: to seek and save the lost, the sinners, the outcasts.**

The first reading and the psalm both emphasize God’s universal mercy towards all. The first reading from the book of Wisdom reasons that since God is good, therefore all that God created is good and worthy of care, concern and respect. Even when human beings sin or give offense, God the lover of all, spares all, rebuking them “little by little...so that they may abandon their wickedness....” **Pope Francis’ focus on mercy consistently challenges us to model ourselves on God who always treats us with mercy and compassion.**

Psalm 145 proclaims that our God is good to all, rich in kindness (*hesed* or faithful covenant love), slow to anger, gracious to all, compassionate and merciful. The Hebrew words for compassionate and merciful have their root consonants, RHM, in the Hebrew word for *womb*. **God is as compassionate and merciful towards all of creation the way a mother is compassionate and merciful towards the child of her womb.** This is the gist of the first reading from Wisdom. Because of this, we joyously join in the refrain of Psalm 145 “I will praise your name forever, my king and my God.”

What is our response to those we tend to reject and condemn? If we call ourselves followers of Jesus, then how are we challenged in our dealings with such people? What is our response to the Zacchaeus moments in our lives? **The immigrants, the strangers, the asylum seekers and the outcasts in our midst today provide ideal Zacchaeus moments for all who claim to be disciples of Christ.** During this upcoming month of elections, let us ask God for the courage, the wisdom and the strength for both ourselves and the leaders we elect, that we may model ourselves on Jesus. In so doing, let us all strive to seek out and establish relationships with the lost, the despised, the condemned, and the outcasts.

Can we dare to be as inclusive as Jesus? Can we break down boundaries and be welcoming of those who are despised and rejected? Dare we be part of such an inclusive community? **That is the challenge to the nameless “they” that Luke inserts into the story.** That is also the challenge that we, the hearers of today, are asked to entertain. **As we decide on whom to vote for during this upcoming election month, dare to vote for those who will take up this challenge to help us become a rich inclusive community that models itself on Jesus, God with us.**

Biagio Mazza
Pastoral Associate

Readings



Sunday, October 30

1st Reading: Wisdom 11:22—12:2

Psalm: Psalm 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14 (see 1)

2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1:11—2:2

Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Sunday, November 6

1st Reading: 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14

Psalm: Psalm 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 (15b)

2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:16—3:5

Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

Mientras nos acercamos al final de nuestro año litúrgico, nuestras lecturas comienzan a centrarse en los tiempos finales, el día del Juicio según cómo hemos actuado hacia los demás. Nuestra segunda lectura de 2 Tesalonicenses habla desde la perspectiva de ese juicio final, pidiéndole a Dios que nos haga "dignos de la vocación a la que los ha llamado, y con su poder, lleve a efecto tanto los buenos propósitos que ustedes han formado como lo que ya han emprendido por la fe".

La historia del evangelio de Zaqueo llega al final del viaje del Jesús Lucano a Jerusalén. Lucas llena esta parte del viaje de Jesús con historias y eventos que muestran el cuidado y la preocupación de Dios por aquellos a quienes otros desprecian y condenan. **Los pasajes Lucanos de estos últimos domingos han enfatizado esa preocupación. La cuenta de Zaqueo es exclusiva de Lucas, destacando dramáticamente el mensaje del evangelio de Lucas.**

Este cuento memorable presenta a un personaje encantador llamado Zaqueo, cuyo tamaño físico, que es bajito, simboliza la exclusión que sufre a nivel social y religioso. Es el jefe de los publicanos que habría sido odiado, despreciado y condenado al ostracismo por otros. Él desea ver a Jesús. Como es bajo, corre delante de la multitud y sube a un árbol. Esto lo habría sometido al ridículo, pero no le presta atención. **Cuando Jesús pasa, llama al hombre del árbol y se invita a sí mismo a quedarse en la casa de Zaqueo.**

La respuesta rápida de Zaqueo a esta invitación es de gran alegría y emoción. Pero la multitud no está nada contenta. **Los "ellos" sin nombre se quejan porque Jesús ha roto los límites establecidos: "ha entrado a hospedarse en casa de un pecador".** Los "ellos" se habrían considerado justos, merecedores de la salvación. Estaban convencidos de que Dios no respeta a los pecadores. **Pero Jesús los ilumina sobre la verdadera intención de la voluntad de Dios: buscar y salvar a los perdidos, los pecadores, los marginados.**

La primera lectura y el salmo enfatizan la misericordia universal de Dios hacia todos. La primera lectura del libro de la Sabiduría razona que, **dado que Dios es bueno, por lo tanto, todo lo que Dios creó es bueno y merece atención, preocupación y respeto.** Incluso cuando los seres humanos pecan o ofenden, Dios, el que ama a todos, salva a todos, corrigiéndolos "poco a poco ... para que se arrepientan de sus maldades...". **El enfoque del Papa Francisco en la misericordia nos reta constantemente a modelarnos sobre Dios quien siempre nos trata con misericordia y compasión.**

El Salmo 145 proclama que nuestro Dios es bueno, compasivo (hesed o amor fiel de alianza), lento para

la ira, y misericordioso hacia todos. Las palabras hebreas para compasivo y misericordioso tienen sus consonantes raíces, RHM, en la palabra hebrea para *vientre*. **Dios es tan compasivo y misericordioso con toda la creación como la madre es compasiva y misericordiosa con el hijo de su vientre.** Esta es la esencia de la primera lectura de Sabiduría. Debido a esto, nos unimos alegremente al estribillo del Salmo 145 "bendeciré tu nombre por siempre jamás, Dios mío, mi rey".

¿Cuál es nuestra respuesta a aquellos que tendemos a rechazar y condenar? Si nos llamamos seguidores de Jesús, ¿cómo estamos desafiados en nuestros tratos con esas personas? ¿Cuál es nuestra respuesta a los momentos de Zaqueo en nuestras vidas? **Los inmigrantes, los extraños, los solicitantes de asilo y los marginados que nos rodean hoy ofrecen momentos ideales de Zaqueo para todos los que dicen ser discípulos de Cristo.** Durante este mes de elecciones, pidamos a Dios el valor, la sabiduría y la fortaleza tanto para nosotros como para los líderes que elegimos, para que podamos modelarnos en Jesús. Al hacerlo, luchemos todos por buscar y establecer relaciones con los perdidos, los despreciados, los condenados y los marginados.

¿Nos podemos atrever a ser tan acogedores como Jesús? ¿Podemos romper los límites y dar la bienvenida a aquellos que son despreciados y rechazados? ¿Se atreve usted a ser parte de una comunidad tan inclusiva? **Ese es el desafío para los "ellos" sin nombre que Lucas inserta en el cuento.** Ese es también el desafío que a nosotros, la audiencia de hoy, se nos pide que entretengamos. **Mientras decidamos por quién votar durante este mes de elecciones, atrevase a votar por aquellos que aceptarán este desafío para ayudarnos a convertirnos en una comunidad inclusiva que se modele a sí misma en Jesús, Dios con nosotros.**

Biagio Mazza
Asociado Pastoral

Lecturas



Domingo, 30 de Octubre

Primera Lectura: Sabiduría 11:22—12:2
Salmo: Salmo 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13cd-14
Segunda Lectura: 2 Tesalonicenses 1:11—2:2
Evangelio: Lucas 19:1-10

Domingo, 6 de Noviembre

Primera Lectura: 2 Macabeos 7:1-2, 9-14
Salmo: Salmo 17:1, 5-6, 8b y 15
Segunda Lectura: 2 Tesalonicenses 2:16—3:5
Evangelio: Lucas 20:27-38

Trunk or Treat!

Every year we gather a parking lot of cars together for the throwing of the candy and the bobbing of the apples! Please join us on October 30 from 6-7:30pm in the lower parking lot by the school for tricks, treats, games and a healthy hotdog dinner. *Please note this is a half hour earlier than on the published calendar.* If you would like to enter your vehicle in the Trunk or Treat, please contact Kirstie Roberts. Folks are encouraged, but not required to decorate their trunks, truck beds, hatchbacks, side cars and trailers for the decorating contest. The children are the judges and I believe them to be very fair. If you would like to volunteer as a hotdog griller or concession stand server, again, contact Kirstie Roberts.

This Week's Do You Know Video:

Each of us has talents or gifts that we either inherited, or come naturally, or we learned them through trial and error, training and discipline. As Christians we believe that all talents are God-given, for the ultimate purpose of honoring God by putting those gifts at the disposal and service of the entire human family. We are all called to discern our gifts and learn how to use them not just for ourselves but for the common good. We can help one another discern our gifts by affirming the gifts that we see in others as we encourage one another to take the risk to put those gifts at the service of the human family. How we choose to use, invest and steward our gifts reveals much about who we are and what we value. Make time to view this week's DYK video and see what stewardship of our God-given talents and gifts entails.



Trunk or Treat! ¡Cada año llenamos un estacionamiento de autos para lanzar dulces y pescar manzanas! Acompañennos el 30 de octubre de 6 a 7:30pm en el estacionamiento inferior junto a la escuela para disfrutar de trucos, golosinas, juegos y una cena



“saludable” de hot dogs. *Tenga en cuenta que esto es media hora antes de lo publicado en el calendario.* Si desea

ingresar su vehículo en Trunk or Treat, comuníquese con Kirstie Roberts. Se alienta a las personas, pero no se les exige, a decorar sus cajuelas, caja de carga, puerta trasera, sidecars y remolques para el concurso de decoración. Los niños son los jueces y creo que son muy justos. Si desea ser voluntario como asador de hot dogs o mesero del puesto de comida, nuevamente, comuníquese con Kirstie Roberts.

Platicas Pre-Bautismales - 12 de Noviembre

Normalmente cada segundo Sábado del mes de las 10am a la 1pm. (Sólo para niños de 0-6 años.) Salón Parroquial. Para niños mayores de 7 años requerirán una formación especial. **No se ofrece cuidado de niños.**

PRÓXIMOS BAUTISMOS: Llamar a Kris al 816-979-3151. Favor de llenar su aplicación para asistir a las platicas con anterioridad.

Other Local Events and Offerings

Haunted by God: The Life of Dorothy Day

Friday, November 4, 7:00 pm

St. Francis Xavier Church

1001 East 52nd Street KCMO (across from Rockhurst University)

This one-woman show performed by Lisa Wagner-Carollo, founder and executive director of StillPoint Theatre Collective, follows Servant of God (on her way to sainthood!) and co-founder of The Catholic Worker Movement Dorothy Day from her days as a 17-year-old Greenwich Village bohemian through her later years as a tireless champion of social justice. The play has toured the country since May 1990 and has been presented around the world, including at the Pax Christi International Conference in Assisi, Italy and at the Parliament of World Religions in Cape Town, South Africa. NO ADMISSION (but a free-will offering will be taken). For more information contact Mariann McCormally (mccormally@sfx-kc.org).

Breaking Open the Sin of Racism

Mondays by Zoom, Nov. 7, 21, 28 and Dec. 5

You are invited to join on Zoom for a 4-session video series and discussion hosted by the St. Elizabeth and St. Francis Xavier EmbRace Justice ministries, Mondays, Nov. 7, 21, 28 and Dec. 5, 7:00–8:30pm. The series, *Breaking Open the Sin of Racism*, was created by scholars at the University of Dayton, a Catholic Marianist university, and Chaminade Julianne Catholic High School in Dayton, Ohio for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati for use by faith organizations. You can learn more about the program here: <https://resources.catholicaoc.org/offices/catholic-social-action/racism-privilege>

The sessions will consist of 2 short video presentations each evening, with breakout discussion groups. Please RSVP to daventis1971@gmail.com to register and receive the Zoom link.

"But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, 'Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I shall give to the poor, and if I have extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house because this man too is a descendant of Abraham. For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost.'"

Luke 19:8-10

Far deeper than good manners or a superficial exchange of pleasantries, the virtue of hospitality is the outward expression of seeing people as God sees them. Jesus models this transforming hospitality in His encounter with the tax collector, Zacchaeus. He was not content exchanging a friendly hello with Zaccheus, so Jesus sought him out of the crowd and insisted on having dinner in his home. This gesture of intimacy and true fellowship was commonplace in that day and culture. Jesus saw the goodness within the man. Our Lord's open and welcoming attitude (His hospitality) called forth this goodness, and as a result, Zaccheus transformed. If we are willing to practice Christian hospitality in our daily lives, our families, workplaces, and parish also can be transformed.

— See more at www.catholicsteward.com/blog/.

"Zaqueo, poniéndose de pie, dijo a Jesús: 'Mira, Señor, voy a dar a los pobres la mitad de mis bienes, y si he defraudado a alguien, le restituiré cuatro veces más'. Jesús le dijo: 'Hoy ha llegado la salvación a esta casa, porque también él es hijo de Abraham, y el Hijo del hombre ha venido a buscar y a salvar lo que se había perdido'."

Lucas 19:8-10

Mucho más profunda que los buenos modales o un intercambio superficial de cortesías, la virtud de la hospitalidad es la expresión externa de ver a las personas como Dios las ve. Jesús modela esta hospitalidad transformadora en Su encuentro con el publicano, Zaqueo. No se contentó con intercambiar un saludo amistoso con Zaqueo, por lo que Jesús lo buscó entre la multitud e insistió en cenar en su casa. Este gesto de intimidad y verdadero compañerismo era común en esa época y cultura. Jesús vio la bondad dentro del hombre. La actitud abierta y acogedora de nuestro Señor (su hospitalidad) suscitó esta bondad y, como resultado, Zaqueo se transformó. Si estamos dispuestos a practicar la hospitalidad cristiana en nuestra vida diaria, nuestras familias, lugares de trabajo y parroquia también pueden transformarse.

— Vea mas en www.catholicsteward.com/blog/.

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Giving" button in the top right section. This will open a new window through our secure third party website.

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Contributions for the Week of October 16

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$13,880.50
Weekly Plate:	\$ 1,028.00
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 753.00

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¡Apoya a Nuestra Parroquia al Comprar por Internet!

¿Sabía que es probable que sus compras en Amazon sean elegibles para proveer una donación para nuestra parroquia? Por favor, tenga esta en cuenta cuando hace sus compras por internet. El último trimestre, recibimos donaciones basadas en **más de \$30,500** de sus compras y más de \$264,700 de sus compras, ¡acumulativamente! Para apoyarnos de esta manera, asegúrese de hacer sus compras en Amazon a través de smile.amazon.com y seleccione "St. Sabina Catholic Church, Belton" como su organización benéfica preferida. ¡Gracias a los 132 compradores que nos han elegido como organización benéfica!



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Donating shares of publicly traded appreciated stock or mutual funds held more than 12 months can be a meaningful gift for your parish. The tax benefits could make it less costly than a comparable cash gift. Capital gains tax is not assessed, and the fair market value of the gift is deductible if you exceed the threshold for deductions. Contact Kris at kris@stsabinaparish.org for more information.

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Hand Chime Choir

What are Hand Chimes?

They sound a lot like hand bells, but are lighter and easier to play.

Hand chimes are held at the bottom and played by moving your arm and wrist so that the clapper strikes the chime.



Who can play?

Children and adults can enjoy playing hand chimes.

It is helpful to have some music reading experience, but not necessary. We can teach you what you need to know.

When will the Hand Chime Choir play?

The first event the Hand Chimes will play for is Christmas Eve Mass at 4:00 PM. Other events will be planned once we establish a group of players.

Rehearsals will be Wednesday evenings at 6:00 PM starting November 9, 2022.

Interested?

Contact Susan Ratigan at susan@stsabinaparish.org or 816-979-3158. Stop by the Music Ministry display at the Ministry Fair for more information!

Quarterly Financial Report

Income	1st Quarter (July-Sept)
Weekly Env	\$154,860.29
Weekly Plate	\$ 12,209.99
Holy Days	\$ -
Maint/Upkeep	\$ 11,854.50
Gifts	\$ 17,023.27
Fund Raising/Misc.	\$ 289.74
Operational	\$ 8,593.16
Ministry & Program	\$ 141.00
Religious Ed	\$ 3,695.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 353.92
Total Income	\$209,020.87
Expenses	1st Quarter
Salaries/Ben/FICA	\$141,029.33
Utilities	\$ 19,962.05
Facilities	\$ 13,493.70
Operational	\$ 7,384.41
Prayer & Worship	\$ 1,075.85
Monthly Diocese	\$ 47,775.00
Religious Ed	\$ 587.05
Youth Ministry	\$ 761.35
Pastoral Ministry	\$ -
Extraordinary Exp	\$ 3,200.00
Total Expenses	\$235,268.74
Net Income	\$ (26,247.87)

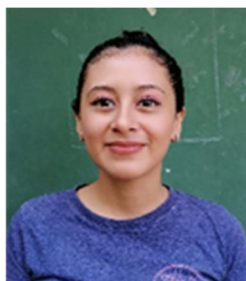
Meet Our Scholarship Students in El Salvador

Major: Nursing

School: Catholic University of El Salvador, Ilobasco

Expected Graduation: May 2024

Karla's parents both received a high-school education. Her dad is an electrician and her mother makes and sells artisan crafts. Since being a scholarship recipient, Karla has been helping to give workshops for the younger members of her community. Since she is studying nursing, she has carried out workshops teaching about STDs, prevention, symptoms and treatments. Once a week, she, along with other nursing students, visit the sick and assist them with medications. After graduation, along with a job in nursing, Karla wants to continue offering workshops in first aid, dehydration, and other medical topics.



Conozca a Nuestros Becados en El Salvador

Carrera: Enfermería

Escuela: Universidad Católica de El Salvador, Ilobasco

Año de Graduación: Mayo del 2024

Los padres de Karla recibieron educación secundaria. Su papá es electricista y su mamá hace y vende artesanías. Desde que recibió una beca, Karla ha estado ayudando a dar talleres para los miembros más jóvenes de su comunidad. Como estudia enfermería ha realizado talleres de enseñanza sobre ETS, prevención, síntomas y tratamientos. Una vez por semana, ella, junto con otros estudiantes de enfermería, visita a los enfermos y los ayuda con medicamentos. Después de graduarse, junto con un trabajo en enfermería, Karla quiere seguir ofreciendo talleres de primeros auxilios, deshidratación y otros temas médicos.

Karla
Barahona
Casco Urbano,
Cinquera

Formation for Hospitality Minister, Eucharistic Minister, and Lector

Monday, November 7 at 7:00-8:30 PM in the Parish Hall

Getting involved during Mass is a great way to get to know other parish members and to offer yourself in service.

The great thing about serving at Mass is you are already here! It doesn't take much additional time once you are prepared.

What do these ministers do?

Hospitality Minister: Ministers of hospitality help create a sense of welcome as they greet all who enter the church and offer a friendly smile. They also pass out bulletins and help with other "people" oriented tasks.



Lector: Lectors minister to our community by proclaiming Scripture at Mass and other parish functions.

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or Eucharistic Minister: Eucharistic Ministers serve the parish by assisting the priest with the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass.



How Can I Register?

Scan to register!



Just scan this QR code to fill out a Google Form to register for the November 7th session. Or email or call Susan Ratigan at susan@stsabinaparish.org 816-979-3158.

November 7 is the initial preparation for all, no matter what ministry you prefer. You can help select the date for a second session specific to your preferred ministry.

Veterans Dinner

Saturday, November 19th at 12pm

Location: St. Sabina Parish Hall

To all our Veterans of St. Sabina Catholic Church. The Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary is preparing a spaghetti and meatball dinner to show our appreciation for your service to our country. Join us and maybe share some of your most memorable good experiences with us. Look forward to seeing all of you!

Please RSVP: Nancy – (816) 820-6109.

Cemetery Sunday - November 6

The Catholic Cemeteries of the Kansas City – St. Joseph Diocese invite you to a day of Faith, Remembrance, Prayer and Visitation at each of their four cemeteries. Prayer Services will begin at 2:00 pm at all cemeteries on November 6.

Mount Olivet, Kansas City: 7601 Blue Ridge Blvd., Kansas City, MO 64138

Resurrection Cemetery: 5001 NE Cookingham Rd., Kansas City, MO 64156

Mount St. Mary's Cemetery: 2201 Cleveland Ave., Kansas City, MO 64127

Mount Olivet, St. Joseph: 26th & Lover's Lane, St. Joseph, MO 64506



In God's Image -A Peace and Justice Column On Serving Moms in Need



A Imagen de Dios -Una Columna de Paz y Justicia Sobre Sirviendo a las Madres Necesitadas

A PRAYER FOR PREGNANT MOTHERS

O Blessed Mother, you received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son, with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers facing difficulties.

Guide us as we strive to make our parish communities places of welcome and assistance for mothers in need. Help us become instruments of God's love and compassion.

Mary, Mother of the Church, graciously help us build a culture of life and a civilization of love, together with all people of good will, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life.* Amen.

ORACIÓN POR LAS EMBARAZADAS

Oh Madre Santa, recibiste la buena nueva de la encarnación de Cristo, tu Hijo, con fe y confianza. Concede tu protección a todas las embarazadas que enfrentan dificultades.

Guíanos en nuestro esfuerzo por hacer de nuestras comunidades parroquiales lugares de acogida y asistencia para las madres necesitadas. Ayúdanos a convertirnos en instrumentos del amor y la compasión del Dios bondadoso.

María, Madre de la Iglesia, ayúdanos a crear la cultura de la vida y la civilización de amor, junto con todas las personas de buena voluntad, para alabanza y gloria de Dios Creador, y amante de la vida.* Amén.



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2022 Christmas In October Ministry Report

On October 8th, St Sabina participated in Kansas City's Christmas In October program assisting the elderly, disabled and veterans on limited incomes in fixing up their homes and yards. We chose a house that the homeowner needed to have her backyard cleaned out. There were trees, stumps, logs, vines, bushes, and other vegetation as well as poison ivy vines clinging to the house and the privacy fence. Except for the large trees and a few bushes, we cut all the vegetation away, collected leaves, and emptied a storage shed of its weather-damaged items. Our efforts filled a 20 cubic yard dumpster to its brim.

The following parish members participated: Ed Yeater, Sam Incorvia, Louise McNelly (and her wood chipper), Nico Dominguez, Dale Amfahr, Ruben Oropeza, Steve and Sharon Tumberger and their granddaughter, Addison Smith, and Mary Claypool. Thanks to Chris and John Ryan who provided lunch to the volunteers.

Informe del Ministerio de Navidad en Octubre

El 8 de octubre, Santa Sabina participó en el programa Navidad en Octubre de Kansas City para ayudar a los ancianos, discapacitados y veteranos con ingresos limitados a arreglar sus casas y jardines. Elegimos una casa que necesitaba limpiar su patio trasero. Había árboles, tocones, troncos, enredaderas, arbustos y otra vegetación, así como enredaderas de hiedra venenosa que se aferraban a la casa y la cerca de privacidad. Excepto por los árboles grandes y algunos arbustos, cortamos toda la vegetación, recolectamos hojas y vaciamos un cobertizo de almacenamiento de los artículos dañados por el clima. Nuestros esfuerzos llenaron hasta el borde un contenedor de basura de 20 yardas cúbicas.

Participaron los siguientes miembros de la parroquia: Ed Yeater, Sam Incorvia, Louise McNelly (y su astilladora de madera), Nico Domínguez, Dale Amfahr, Ruben Oropeza, Steve y Sharon Tumberger y su nieta, Addison Smith y Mary Claypool. Gracias a Chris y John Ryan quienes proporcionaron el almuerzo a los voluntarios.



Green Team Tip of the Week

Let your creativity loose and make your own wrapping paper from old maps, newspapers, craft paper etc. for all occasions. <https://greenabilitymagazine.com/blog/2021/12/try-9-easy-ideas-reduce-holiday-waste>.

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