



*St. Sabina
Catholic
Church
Belton, MO*



*August 16, 2015
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



**Congratulations to Anna Cristina, daughter of
Cooper & Cristina, who was baptized on Sunday
August 2nd.**

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm (Confessions at 3:00pm - 3:30pm)
Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am in English, 12:30pm in Spanish

Wellness Center 816-979-3090

Jeannine Midgett 816-979-3093
Patricia Moreno 816-979-3092

MASS SCHEDULE

INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 17-21, 2015

Mon. 8am †Lola Barrios
 Tues. 6pm †Teresa Link
 Wed. 8am †Cardinal William Wakefield Baum
 10am †Jim & Vera Hamburg (Foxwood Spring)
 Thurs. 8am †Robert J. Lewis
 Friday 8am †Lola Barrios

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 2015

4:00pm Intentions of the Parish Family
 †Rita Cain

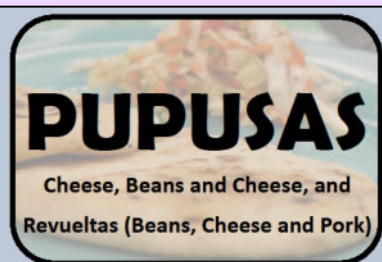
SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2015

8:00am †Rita Miller
 10:30am †Charlie Carrollo
 12:30pm Spanish †Maria Silvia Morataya
 †Martin Gonzalez



NEXT WEEKEND

PUPUSA SALE - AUGUST 23 There will be samples to try so you can purchase your favorite variety. The cost will be \$2 each and you can purchase them to go.

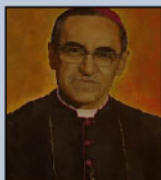


August 23 9am - 2pm

St. Sabina Catholic Church

700 Trevis Ave.
 Belton, MO 64012
 816-979-3150

**ALL FUNDS WILL BE
 USED FOR OUR 2016
 CELEBRATION IN
 HONOR OF
 BISHOP OSCAR
 ROMERO**



PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, August 16 - Domingo, 16 de Agosto

Diocesan Life & Justice Collection

11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano

Monday, August 17 - Lunes, 17 de Agosto

8:00am Mass

5:30pm Marian Prayer Group

7:00pm Boy Scouts - Gym

7:00pm Parish Picnic Planning Meeting

Tuesday, August 18 - Martes, 18 de Agosto

4:30pm Confessions

6:00pm Mass

7:00pm Boy Scout Committee Meeting

Wednesday, August 19 - Miércoles, 19 de Agosto

8:00am Mass

9:00am Legion of Mary

10:00am Mass at Foxwood Springs

7:00pm Knights Officers Meeting

7:00pm Adult Faith Formation Facilitator Training

Thursday, August 20 - Jueves, 20 de Agosto

8:00am Mass

9:30am Quilters

6:00pm Harvesters

Friday, August 21 - Viernes, 21 de Agosto

8:00am Mass

Saturday, August 22 - Sábado, 22 de Agosto

1:00pm Wedding: David Lopez & Brenda Arenivas

3:00pm Confessions

4:00pm Mass

Sunday, August 23 - Domingo, 23 de Agosto

9:00am Pupusa Sale after Masses

11:00am Ensayo del Coro Hispano

STEWARDSHIP

"Just as the living Father sent me and I have life because of the Father, so also the one who feeds on me will have life because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven. Unlike your ancestors who ate and still died, whoever eats this bread will live forever."

John 6: 57-58

When the Lord says in today's Gospel "This is the bread that came down from Heaven... whoever eats this bread will live forever," He is addressing a need we have that is much deeper than physical hunger. He is also telling us that the reward for eating this bread - for taking it into our inner being, for changing our mind and heart because of it - is eternal life. Blessed Mother Teresa said, "The hunger for love is much more difficult to remove than the hunger for bread." This is the hunger we need to deal with in our faith lives, for when we love, we are beginning to satisfy that spiritual hunger to which the Lord refers. - See more at www.catholicsteward.com/blog/

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - AUG 9

Envelopes/Sobres:	\$10,971.23
Plate/Canasta:	\$ 698.86
Maintenance-Upkeep:	\$ 736.25

THANK YOU FROM STUDENT IN ANAPRA

Hello, I hope you all find yourselves doing well. I want to tell you that I am about to graduate with my engineering degree. Right now I am working on my internship in a maquiladora company called TE Connectivity. I really like everything that is done in this company. I am working on a website project. I am almost done with my internship. My last day will be July 30, and after I will look for work in another company, or if they give me an opportunity to work in TE Connectivity, well I would stay to work.

I am very happy because as of now I am the only one of my siblings that was able to finish college. I want to thank all of you, for you have been a great support for me and my family. After I find work I hope to enroll myself into an English school. I want to learn to speak English 100%. I also want to apply for my visa and one day go to visit you and get to know your community and customs.

Well I say goodbye, I wish you all much health and happiness, and I hope one day to go visit you. Oh and I will send photos of my graduation.

-Jesús De la Rosa

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT: CAN YOU HELP OTHER PARISHIONERS?

As a result of the Love Thy Neighbor project's "Needs Survey," many members of our parish family have come to us needing help with things like transportation to church, yard work, and handy work. Can you help another member of our parish family? If you are able to help with one or more of these items, please contact Bridget Hernandez: 816-979-3159 or bridget@stsabinaparish.org. Our volunteer coordinator will keep your name on file and contact you to see if you are available to help when a need arises.

PASTORAL CARE

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE

DE LA MUERTE A LA NUEVA VIDA

† Irene Smith, friend of Georgene Caoile

† Birgetta Ferkenhoff, Rehabilitation of Raymore

† Dolores "Lola" Barrios, wife of George Barrios

† Carol Perniciaro, cousin of Bonita Mackedanz

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE. QUE DESCANSEN EN PAZ.

PRAYER REQUESTS PETICIONES DE ORACIÓN

Peg Agnew	Cathy Davis	Bill Locke
Frances Andregg	Margo Dellaguardia	Debbie Locke
Marilyn Avalos	Paul DeMar	Jo Locke
Jennie Baylor	Frances DiGeorge	Gloria McLaughlin
Mary Ann Bays	Sheila Donner	Fabiola Morales
Beverly Bell	Mary Lou Enos	Priscilla Moran
Sheryll Bentley	Richard Estes	Helen Muenks
Allie Biondo	Dick Garnier	Jerry Nowak
Joe Birkenbach	Laverne Harlow	Gary Palmer
Joan Boots	Cherie Hatfield	Leanna Peachey
Maxine Bremer	Bart Henke	Chuck Ramsey
Gretchen Butler	John Henry	Joe Stanley
Art Camara	Ella Hemmen	Noah Stanley
Elaine Cantanzaro	Mary Ellen Hermann	Jean Tate
Pamela Castor	Richard Hoedl	Bob Westfall
Georgene Caoile	Kelly Jordon	Mary Westfall
Marvin Cohen	Jerry Keating	Sarah Wilburn
Joseph Coots	Ray Kemna	Carmitia Yust
Tyler Corlew	Mary Carol King	Berenice Zayas
Mary Curtis	Vern King	Pablo Zayas

Please remember the sick and homebound
of our parish in your daily prayers!

BULLETIN PRAYER REQUEST LIST

Parishioners who are ill, or who have a family member or friend who is ill, may request to have the person remembered on the Prayer Request list published in the weekly bulletin. Names will remain on the prayer list for two months but may be resubmitted upon request. Please remember permission must be given by the individual before the name can be published. To add or remove a name from the Prayer Request list, contact Marta Roper, 979-3154 or Zuiri Pacheco in the parish office 331-4713

GRIEF RECOVERY GROUP In September we will be offering a 6 week grief recovery group. The group consists of six 1 1/2 hour sessions. Watch the bulletin for more information. If you would like to attend and have a daytime or evening preference, I would love to hear from you. Questions? Contact Marta Roper in the parish office at 816-979-3154 or marta@stsabinaparish.org.

NURSING HOME MASS SCHEDULE

Aug 19	10:00am	Foxwood Springs
Aug 26	11:00am	Carnegie Village
Sept 2	10:30am	Beautiful Savior
Sept 9	10:00am	Rehabilitation of Raymore

PARISH HAPPENINGS

2016 DELEGATION TO EL SALVADOR

Our parish will be taking its second delegation to El Salvador to learn more about the scholarship program there and to have the opportunity to meet and visit with our scholarship students and their families. We will travel to Cinquera and also to El Mozote. El Mozote was the site of one of many massacres that occurred in El Salvador during their Civil War. As of now we are planning to travel to El Salvador on January 5 and staying approximately 8 days. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Kris at 816-979-3151 or by email at kris@stsabinaparish.org.

TUESDAY NIGHT CONFESSIONS We now offer confessions every Tuesday from 4:30-5:30pm. Confessions are also offered every Saturday from 3-3:30pm.

LADIES NIGHT OUT FUNDRAISER!

On August 29th at 7pm we will gather the ladies of the parish and any guests they would like to bring for some drinks, snacks and shopping with Thirty-one! Thirty-one sells purses, totes, accessories and organization tools for home and work. A large portion of the profits will be donated to the Youth Program for our high school youth to attend the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis this November. For more information or to learn how to shop for this party online, please contact Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office or pick up an invitation in the back of church.

CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER - OCT 10 This year the Christmas in October workday will be held on Saturday, October 10th. If you are interested in participating, please contact either John Ryan at rayncows@aol.com or Pete Muenks at pmuenks@gmail.com or sign up in the gathering space. It is very helpful for John and Pete to know in advance how many helpers we will have so they can determine how many houses our parish volunteers will be able to help with.

SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES are groups of Christians who gather on a regular basis to build community among themselves while at the same time reaching out in concern and justice to others. Community building and manifesting God's love to others are the two feet that keep small Christian communities grounded.

SCC AT ST SABINA At St. Sabina we have 8 groups currently meeting. If you are interested in joining one of our existing groups, please contact the leader listed below. Many of our groups would like to have additional members. We are also open to forming new groups. **For more information, please contact Biagio Mazza or Kris Larkey at 816-331-4713.**

Core Leader	Meeting Time	Place	Contact Number	Contact Email
Jim Agnew	Monday PM	Homes	816-331-1427	agnewjedward@gmail.com
Nancy Amfahr	Thursday PM	Homes	816-322-3230	nandamfahr@yahoo.com
Sonja Bornheimer	Thursday PM	Homes	816-718-1664	jborn5703@aol.com
Kathy Griggs	Sunday AM	Day Chapel	816-322-7945	kgriggs@comcast.net
Joe Lager	Monday AM	Day Chapel	816-331-5333	fjlag6717@msn.com
Kris Larkey	Wednesday PM	Homes	816-979-3151	kris@stsabinaparish.org
Al Gebauer	Thursday AM	Homes	816-322-2007	didymus39@att.net
		Education		
Jim Ruffini	Tuesday AM	Wing	816-331-0643	ruffini39@aol.com

RCIA

ST. SABINA RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS – 2015-2016

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, the RCIA, is a process which welcomes all who are interested in becoming Catholic, or any Catholic wishing to deepen their understanding of the faith. The Rite involves the formation of a community that learns, shares, builds community and prays together to deepen their relationship to God and to the parish family. During the next few weeks, we will be asking if you are aware of anyone who would benefit from participation in this faith learning process. Below are some of the values that we hold as Catholic Christians, which we readily share with all who desire to journey with us through the RCIA.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in this program, please fill out the contact information sheet located in the gathering space and we will personally contact and invite all those interested to our RCIA Meal which will be held on **Thursday, August 27th, 2015 at 6:00pm.**

For more information: Contact Biagio Mazza at 816-331-4713 or by e-mail: biagio@stsabinaparish.org



PRAYER FOR THE ELECTION OF A BISHOP

O God, eternal shepherd, who govern your flock with unfailing care, grant in your boundless fatherly love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and to us show watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

REFLECTION ON THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME , YEAR B

This Sunday, Jesus concludes his discourse on the Bread of Life from John, chapter 6. Next week we will hear the reaction of the crowd and his own disciples to the Bread of Life discourse, causing some to leave and others to affirm their belief in Jesus, as the “living bread come down from heaven.”

Today's readings focus on Wisdom – both Wisdom Woman, as Wisdom is personified in our first reading from Proverbs, and Jesus as the Wisdom of God, come to feed and nourish us with his very own self. Psalm 34 is full of wisdom elements, as the psalmist blesses, praises and always seeks God's guidance, wisdom and path. The psalmist knows and affirms that God is the one who nourishes, who hears, who answers, who saves, and who delivers. Those who place their complete trust in God can assert along with us the refrain from Responsorial Psalm 34, “Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.”

Our first reading from the book of Proverbs personifies Wisdom as a woman who built her house and prepared a lavish banquet to which she invites all the simple and those “who lack understanding.” By accepting her invitation, by eating of “my food” and drinking “the wine I have mixed,” all will “forsake foolishness... and advance in the way of understanding.” In today's liturgy, Wisdom Woman is understood as a prefigurement of Jesus, the wisdom of God who invites all to feed on him, the living bread come down from heaven. Such nourishment ultimately leads to oneness with God and to eternal life with God.

What this means is briefly spelled out in our second reading from the letter to the Ephesians. We are exhorted to “watch carefully how you live, not as foolish persons but as wise...try to understand what is the will of God...be filled with the Spirit...giving thanks always and for everything...to God the Father.” True wisdom for the people of God consists in such brief yet inclusive understanding of what we are about as Jesus' disciples. This is what it means to be nourished by Jesus, the

Bread of Life.

The gospel passage from John chapter 6 concludes Jesus' bread of life discourse with Jesus clearly emphasizing and repeating several times that if anyone desires wisdom and eternal life, then they must partake of “the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever, and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world.” For John, belief in Jesus as the wisdom of God demands that we become one with God by feeding on Jesus. When we feed on Jesus, we become more like him, and we become more willing to give of ourselves for others, just as Jesus did for us.

Feeding on Jesus means accepting the invitation from God's incarnated wisdom, Jesus, who calls us to know him personally and to model him in all our relationships. To feed on Jesus is to become more and more like him, taking on his mind, his heart and his values. Feeding on Jesus leads us to give of ourselves for others, no matter the cost. Feeding on Jesus connects us so intimately with God that eternal life is the culmination of a life lived in such deep intimacy and connection with God.

Take time this week to reflect on how you feed on Jesus in your daily comings and goings. The more you act and live like Jesus, the more you feed on him and the more you nourish yourself and others with the “living bread that came down from heaven.” Ask God for the courage to accept Jesus' invitation to eat of his flesh and drink of his blood. Only in so doing will we become the wisdom of God, living lives that are in tune with God's will and desire for all humanity.

Biagio Mazza
Pastoral Associate



SCC

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2015

1st Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6

Psalm: Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7

2nd Reading: Ephesians 5:15-20

Gospel: John 6:51-58

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2015

1st Reading: Joshua 24:1-2A, 15-17, 18b

Psalm: Psalm 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21

2nd Reading: Ephesians 5:21-32

Gospel: John 6:60-69



BIBLE STUDY

BIBLE STUDY AND SUNDAY READINGS

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 August 23rd at 10:30am.** All are welcome. Bring a Bible and a friend. To register for these sessions, please call Biagio at 816-979-3153.

YOUTH MINISTRY

NATIONAL CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE!

Our parish will be taking a group of High School youth to Indianapolis over the weekend of November 19th through the 21st. NCYC is full of amazing speakers, liturgical experiences, music groups and interactive areas for youth to meet other young Catholics from around the United States. If your child will be in 9th grade or older next school year and would like to attend this once in a lifetime conference for Catholic Youth, please contact Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office. More information is available at: <http://ncyc.nfcym.org/program/>

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH ARE GOING TO THE ZOO!

Please join us on August 16th from 12pm to 5:30pm for an afternoon of visiting all the new exhibits! You will need \$13.50 for admission and extra money if you would like to buy snacks or souvenirs. I will bring a cooler of water to share with everyone. If the weather is excessively hot or stormy we will reschedule for a later date in September. Parents are welcome to join us and help drive!

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 to help fight hunger in our community. We will be taking a group of 5 people on the third Thursday of each month. If you would like to volunteer, call or email Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office to sign up. This ministry is open to all ages! Our next date is August 20th

UPLIFT ORG. needs volunteers! If you would like to bring meals to the homeless on the 4th or 5th Monday of any month, please contact Kirstie Roberts to sign up! 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. It's recommended that you bring a good cutting knife and vegetable peeler. Our next cooking day will be August 24th.



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.

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).

SCHOOL OF RELIGION

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) REGISTRATIONS HAVE BEGUN!

Forms are now available in the back of church and in the Youth Office. If you have a child preparing for sacraments this year, please be sure to take a sacramental prep registration form as well as the PSR form. If you have any questions, please contact Kirstie Roberts in the Youth Office.

PSR begins Sunday, September 20th!

PSR TEACHERS!

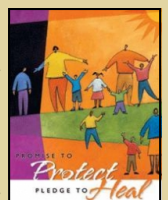
All teachers are asked to please attend an evening of renewal, supper and mini-workshop to prepare for the upcoming school year on Wednesday, September 9th at 6:30pm. Registrations for teachers for the upcoming school year are available in the back of church. Please return them to the Youth Office by no later than September 2nd.



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 Bonnie Kane at 816.392.0011 or kane@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

COLLECTION FOR ST REGIS SCHOOL-AUG 30

We will have a special collection on the weekend of August 29 and 30th for St. John Francis Regis School. The school is located at 8941 James A Reed Rd in Kansas City and offers Catholic education to children from Kindergarten through 8th grade. St. Sabina has several families whose children attend St. Regis School.

Their mission, entitled **A Catholic Vision**, states:

Believing that each child is a unique creation of God, our mission is to help educate the whole child through a Christ-centered curriculum. We believe our Catholic faith is not simply a specialized subject, but is integrated through our entire school.

LIVING STONES

Foundations for Living Stones

A Faith Formation Program for interested Adults

"Come to him, a living stone...chosen and precious in the sight of God, and, like living stones, let yourself be built into a spiritual house..." (1 Peter 2:4-5)

St. Sabina, a Catholic faith community committed to total and lifelong faith formation, is offering an adult faith formation program titled, Foundations for Living Stones. The program explores in greater depth and knowledge the basics of our faith. All the sessions focus on the ministry that we are called to in and through our baptism. Communication skills, group development, leadership skills, bible study, church history, prayer and sacraments are some of the many areas explored and examined in depth. Adult methods of learning and reflection are employed throughout.

The sessions are scheduled on Tuesday evenings, from 7-9:30 PM, beginning in late August and ending in late May. This is a 9-month commitment to deepen one's skills and knowledge so as to become a more effective and engaging minister. We hope to work collaboratively with our neighboring parishes, inviting them to be part of this mutual learning process. For a brochure or more information, please call or e-mail either Kris or Biagio at:

Biagio Mazza 816-979-3153 biagio@stsabinaparish.org
Kris Larkey 816-979-3151; kris@stsabinaparish.org

Congratulations to Amirah Julia, daughter of Pauline. She was baptized on August 2nd.



AREA INFORMATION

LOOKING FOR A JOB THAT OFFERS FLEXIBILITY, COMPETITIVE PAY AND BENEFITS?

Catholic Charities of Kansas City-St. Joseph has immediate openings for in-home caregivers. This is a great opportunity for people who want work that pays well and fits their family or part-time school schedule. Training provided. For more information or to apply, please call Jennifer Singleton at 816.659.8262.

K OF C ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT -SEP 19

Come play golf and join the fun at the Knights of Columbus' 14th Annual Paul Vargo Golf Tournament at Eagle's Landing Golf Course in Belton on September 19, 2015. It's only \$75, which includes green fees, cart, lunch, BBQ buffet dinner, golf prizes and contests. If you don't play golf, be a sponsor (\$25 cart or \$100 hole). All proceeds will benefit Missouri Special Olympics, St. Sabina Youth Group and Lord of Love Community Meals. Questions? Call Bob Coshun at 816-304-0570.

INTERPRETED MASS SCHEDULE – AUGUST

If you have questions or need more information, please contact Rhonda Scott, Coordinator of Disability and Deaf Services at 816.797.2622 or rscott@ccharities.com.

August 16th: 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter Parish, 815 East Meyer Blvd. Kansas City, MO 64131.

August 22nd: 4:00 p.m. at St. Catherine of Siena Parish, 4101 East 105th Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64137.

August 23rd: 10:30 a.m. OPEN DOOR MASS at Holy Spirit Parish, 1800 SW State Route 150, Lee's Summit, MO 64082.

August 30th: 9:30 a.m. at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, 2200 N Blue Mills Road, Independence, MO 64058.

OUR DIOCESE OF KANSAS CITY-ST. JOSEPH

IS REACHING OUT TO
EVERYONE WHO HAS BEEN
IMPACTED BY ANY SEXUAL ABUSE WITH

HEALING SERVICES 7PM

In every community,
There is work to be done.
In every nation,
There are wounds to heal.
In every heart,
There is the power to do it.
- Marianne Williamson

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Healing Our Parishes through Empathy

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• 7 P.M. •

AUGUST 12TH

St. Thomas More
11822 Holmes Road
Kansas City, Missouri

SEPTEMBER 9TH

St. Elizabeth
2 E. 75th Street
Kansas City, Missouri

OCTOBER 15TH

Sacred Heart
300 S. Ridgeview Drive
Warrensburg, Missouri

NOVEMBER 11TH

Nativity of Mary
10017 E. 36th Terrace
Independence, Missouri

• 2 P.M. •

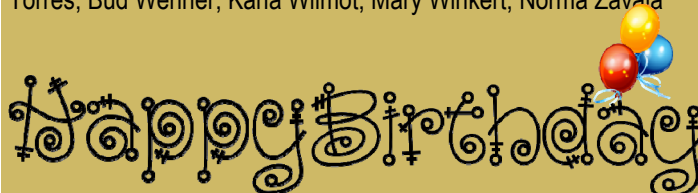
JUNE 26, 2016

Service of Lament
Jubilee of Mercy
Cathedral of the
Immaculate Conception
416 W. 12th Street
Kansas City, Missouri

PARISH HAPPENINGS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ¡FELIZ CUMPLEAÑOS!

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HAPPY ANNIVERSARY! ¡FELIZ ANIVERSARIO!

Toby & Tracy Coyle	3 Years!	08/18/2012
Ray & Marie Graves	6 Years!	08/22/2009
Alfredo Aguilar & Dora Estrada	10 Years!	08/21/2005
Martin & Teresa Bays	11 Years!	08/21/2004
Steve & Cynthia Circo	11 Years!	08/20/2004
Ed & Christy Gudenkauf	20 Years!	08/19/1995
Eric & Amber Hartenbower	21 Years!	08/20/1994
George & Helen Panebianco	27 Years!	08/20/1988
Rutilo & Martha Lopez	29 Years!	08/06/1986
Matt & Kathleen Coleman	29 Years!	08/16/1986
Fernando & Maria Martinez	37 Years!	08/17/1978
Dave & Anne Morris	40 Years!	08/16/1975
Jerry & Lilly Pointer	40 Years!	08/16/1975
Bob & Ilene Burns	52 Years!	08/17/1963
Jim & Nancy Ruffini	53 Years!	08/19/1962
Leonard & Nancy Meiron	58 Years!	08/17/1957



CONGRATULATIONS

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to David Lopez and Brenda Arenivas who will be married on Saturday, August 22nd.



WELLNESS CENTER

MAKE PEACE WITH YOUR INNER CRITIC

Try this for one week: every time you have a thought that is negative about yourself, simply notice it, don't follow it and let it go, then see what happens. Often times, this is all it takes to quiet that inner critic. We can't control our thoughts but what we can do is have more control over what we do with them. Making this a practice is an "inner technology" that is called Mindfulness. It is a way of responding to your inner and outer world with more choice. So the next time you find yourself reacting to a disturbing thought, stop, take a deep breath, connect with how your body feels, then just watch. Don't make any judgements about any of it; simply let it all be as it is. You might be surprised at how quickly the disturbance resolves. The more we can practice mindfulness, the more peace of mind we will have in our day.

The Wellness Center is here to support your health and wellness, body, mind and spirit! Drop in to see how we might be able to support you on your journey to wellbeing.

WINNERS OF THE SLIMDOWN CHALLENGE

The Winners in the Team category

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Jim Agnew
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3rd Place - \$25.00 Altar Society Gift Certificate each

Elnora Corbin
Ron Roper
Kathy Spencer
Terri Standley

The Winners in the Individual category

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2nd Place - \$50.00 FitBit or bicycle, Tiffany Mayerchak

3rd Place - \$25.00 Altar Society Gift Certificate, Sandy Katzer

WELLNESS CENTER CLASS SCHEDULE

Monday:

Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Yoga 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Tuesday:

Strength & Stretch 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2:00 - 3:00pm

Wednesday:

Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Restorative Yoga 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Thursday:

Stretch & Strength 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Stretch & Strength 2:00 - 3:00pm
Strength & Stretch 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Friday:

Yoga Basics 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Gentle Yoga 2:00 - 3:00 pm
Boxing Beats 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Saturday:

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TESORO:

GRACIAS DE UN ESTUDIANTE EN ANAPRA

Hola, espero se encuentran muy bien todos ustedes, quiero contarles que estoy a punto de graduarme de mi ingeniería, en estos momentos me encuentro realizando mis prácticas profesionales dentro de una empresa maquiladora, se llama TE Connectivity, me gusta mucho todo lo que se hace en esta compañía. Estoy realizando un proyecto de una página web, ya casi termino con las prácticas, y el día 30 de Julio terminaré mis prácticas, y ya después buscaré trabajo en otra empresa, o si me dan oportunidad de trabajo en TE Connectivity pues me quedaría a trabajar.

Estoy muy feliz ya que hasta ahorita soy el único de mis hermanos que lograra terminar la universidad, quiero darles las gracias a todos ustedes, ya que han sido un gran apoyo para mi y mi familia, después de que consiga trabajo espero meterme a una escuela de Inglés, quiero aprender a hablar Inglés al 100% también quiero tramitar mi visa y algún día ir a visitarlos y conocer su comunidad, así como sus costumbres.

Bueno me despido, les deseo mucha salud y felicidad, y espero un día ir a visitarlos, ha, y también les mandaré fotos de mi graduación.

-Jesús De la Rosa

TIEMPO Y TALENTO:

¿PUEDE AYUDAR A OTROS FELIGRESES?

Como resultado de la "Encuesta de Necesidades" del proyecto Ama al Próximo, muchos miembros de nuestra familia parroquial nos han informado que necesitan ayuda con cosas como el transporte a la iglesia, el trabajo del jardín, y el trabajo práctico. ¿Puede usted ayudar a otro miembro de nuestra familia parroquial? Si a usted le gustaría ayudar con una, o más, de estas necesidades por favor póngase en contacto con Bridget Hernández: 816-979-3159 o bridget@stsabinaparish.org. Nuestro coordinador de voluntarios, mantendrá su nombre archivado y estará en contacto con usted para ver si está disponible para ayudar cuando surge una necesidad.

LECTURAS

LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO, 16 DE AGOSTO

Primera Lectura: Proverbios 9:1-6

Salmo: Salmo 33:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15

Segunda Lectura: Efesios 5:15-20

Evangelio: Juan 6:51-58

LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO, 23 DE AGOSTO

Primera Lectura: Josué 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b

Salmo: Salmo 33:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23

Segunda Lectura: Efesios 5:21-32

Evangelio: Juan 6:55, 60-69

INFORMACION

CONFESIONES LOS MARTES

Comenzando el Martes, 11 de Agosto ofreceremos confesiones los Martes por la tarde de 4:30-5:30pm.

2016 DELEGACION A EL SALVADOR

Nuestra parroquia llevara a su segunda delegación a El Salvador para aprender mas sobre el programa de becas allí y para tener la oportunidad de conocer a nuestro estudiantes becados y a sus familias. Viajaremos a Cinquera y a El Mozote. El pueblo de Mozote fue uno de los muchos donde ocurrieron masacres durante la Guerra Civil en El Salvador. Por ahora, planeamos viajar a El Salvador el 5 de Enero y quedarnos aproximadamente 8 días.

Si usted esta interesado o quiere mas información, por favor comuníquese con Kris al 816-979-3151 o por correo electrónico, kris@stsabinaparish.org.

RITO DE INICIACION CRISTIANA DE ADULTOS

Estamos tomando nombres de las personas quienes están interesadas en unirse a la iglesia Católica. Si a usted le gustaría que invitáramos a alguien a nuestro programa de Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos, por favor llene una forma de referencia, que se encuentran en el espacio de juntas en la parte de atrás de la iglesia. O comuníquese con Biagio o con Kris en la oficina parroquial para darle su referencia.

NAVIDAD EN OCTUBRE - 10 DE OCT



Este año, nuestro día de trabajo para Navidad en Octubre será el Sábado, 10 de Octubre. Si usted esta interesado en participar, por favor comuníquese con John Ryan a su correo rayncows@aol.com o con Pete Muenks a su correo pmuenks@gmail.com o también puede enlistarse en el espacio de reunión de la parte de atrás de la iglesia. Es muy útil para John y Pete saber antes de ese día cuantos ayudantes tendremos para determinar cuantas casas podremos ayudar este año.

ORACION

ORACION POR LA ELECCION DE UN OBISPO

O Dios, pastor eterno, que gobiernas de tu rebaño con cuidado infalible; concede en tu amor paternal sin limites a un pastor para tu Iglesia, un pastor quien te agrade por su santidad y para mostrarnos atención vigilante. Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo, quien vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos.
Amen.

INFORMACION

FELICIDADES DE BODA

Felicidades a David Lopez y a Brenda Arenivas, ellos se casaran el Sábado, 22 de Agosto.

VENTA DE PUPUSAS

El Domingo, 23 de Agosto nuestra comunidad Salvadoreña estará vendiendo pupusas después de las Misas. Las pupusas son un platillo tradicional de El Salvador, son echas de tortilla de maíz, en por lo general están llenas de variaciones de queso, puerco, y frijoles refritos. Habrán muestras para que usted pueda comprar su variedad favorita.



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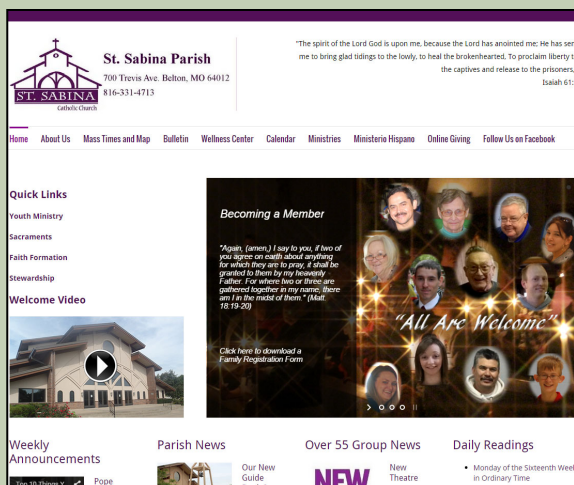
PLATICAS PRE-BAUTISMALES – 12 DE SEPTIEMBRE

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 BAPTISMOS: Llamar Kris al 816-979-3151. Favor de llenar su aplicación antes de asistir a las platicas. **No se ofrece cuidado de niños.**

NUEVA PÁGINA WEB DE LA PARROQUIA

Hemos remodelado nuestra página web! En nuestra página podrá encontrar noticias, oportunidades de voluntariado, hojas de permiso y los formularios de inscripción para sus hijos, información sobre el ministerio hispano, y mucho, mucho más. Por favor, échale un vistazo ya que creemos que nuestra página nueva será una herramienta útil para los feligreses: www.stsabinaparish.org.



ATADO A SU CASA DEBIDO A ENFERMEDAD O VEJEZ?

Si usted o un miembro de su familia esta atado a su casa debido a enfermedad crónica o vejez y le gustaría recibir la Sagrada Comunión por favor póngase en contacto con María Palomares al 816-838-1138 o con Kris Larkey en la oficina parroquial al 816-979-3151 o kris@stsabinaparish.org.

HOSPITALIZADO

Si usted esta hospitalizado y le desea hacernos saber, por favor llame o que un miembro de su familia se comuniquen con nosotros. Llámeme a María Palomares al 816-838-1138 o con Kris Larkey en la oficina parroquial al 816-979-3151 o por correo electrónico: kris@stsabinaparish.org. Debido a las leyes de privacidad, los hospitales no pueden contactarnos al menos que usted se los pida.

TALLERES DE ORACIÓN Y VIDA

Comienza el **Martes, 25 de Agosto** del 2015, de 7 a 9 de la noche en los cuartos de clases. Participantes aprenderán 14 diferentes maneras de orar.

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Horario de las Misas del fin de semana

Sábado: 4:00pm (Confesiones de las 3:00pm - 3:30pm)

Domingo: 8:00am, 10:30am en Ingles, 12:30pm Misa en Español

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