



# Saint John Francis Regis Parish

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[www.stregischurch.org](http://www.stregischurch.org)

Fr. Emmanuel Lopez, Pastor

June 14, 2026

## *Come Home to Communion*

### Weekend Masses

*Saturday:* 3:00PM in English

*Sunday:* 8:30AM & 10:30AM in English  
& 5:00PM in Spanish

### Daily Mass

*Tuesday - Friday:* 8:30AM

*Tuesday - 7:00PM* in Spanish

### Confessions

*Sat:* 2:00PM & *Wed:* 6:00PM

& by appointment

### Eucharistic Adoration

*Wednesday:* 6:00-7:00PM

### **Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8AM-3PM**

Parish Office	(816) 761-1608
Emergencies	761-1608
School Office	763-5837
Religious Education	761-1608
FAX	966-1350

### **Parish Staff**

Fr. Emmanuel Lopez	Ext. 302
Deacon Ken Albers	
Deacon Richard Gross	
Deacon Juan Rodriguez	
Jeanette Armstrong, Principal	Ext. 313
Diane Banks, Music Ministry	(816) 765-9464
Roger Cashman, Maintenance	Ext. 307
Esmeralda Lopez, Hispanic Ministry	Ext. 303
Colleen Melchior, Office Manager	Ext. 301
Jessica Cruz, School Secretary	Ext. 311
Rachel Samson, DRE & Faith Formation	Ext. 306
Eric Stice, Business Manager	Ext. 304
Missionary Servants of the Word	(816) 588-7609
Diocesan Ombudsman	(816) 812-2500
Victim Advocate	(816) 392-0011

### **Parish Council**

Deacon Ken Albers	Deacon Richard Gross
Mike Apprill	Fr. Emmanuel Lopez
Abraham Benavides	Deanna Perry
Glen Ernstmann	Randy Seever
Robin Fisher	John Wood

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

# THE HARVEST IS ABUNDANT.

— MATTHEW 9:37 —



Inspired by Sr. Maximilian Kolbe

**Monstrance On Pilgrimage**

**IN HIS PRESENCE**

*A powerful Eucharistic Encounter with Jesus through the heart of Mary*

ADORATION WITH MONSTRANCE // DEVOTIONAL MUSIC // LECTIO DIVINA // MISSION PRESENTATION

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a EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Movement



**EUCARISTIC SPEAKER**  
Fr. Andrew Marshall  
ADORATIO CHAPLAIN

**JUNE 24**  
7 - 8:30 pm  
**St. Regis Parish Hall**

**THOUGHTS FROM FR. EMMANUEL**

Friends, as the United States of America commemorates the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence in 2026, the USCCB joins this celebration by lifting up the contributions of Catholics and the impact of our faith on the history of this country.

In a historic moment, the U.S. bishops just consecrated the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on **June 11, 2026**, and invite all parishes to join in this consecration and do the same at the church and at home!

Here is the prayer of consecration:

O Most Sacred Heart of Jesus,  
You know the longings of our hearts, and you desire that we enjoy friendship with you.

From your pierced side, you have poured out the well-spring of life, for which we thirst.

Your heart burns with a love for all people to return to a right relationship with you.

We celebrate the abundant gifts you have given this nation, founded on the self-evident truths that our Creator has endowed all people with the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

We make reparation for the offenses against you and against human dignity that have taken place in this nation.

May our hearts be united to yours, so that our families and communities enjoy peace and happiness; may broken relationships be reconciled, injustices repaired, and the wounds of our land be healed.

May your holy Catholic Church serve as a sign, pointing all people to your infinite love.

O Desire of Nations and Center of History, we ask you to bless these United States of America.

Who live and reign with God the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us!  
Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!

Fr Emmanuel Lopez

**ON VACATION?**

When you are out of town, Mass times can be found on the following website: <http://www.masstimes.org>. Just enter the town or city where you are going. It gives you the names of the nearby churches, their Mass times and website information if available.

**Parish Support**  
**May 25-31, 2026**

<u>Contribution Income</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Weekly Offertory	\$ 3,485
Plate	\$ 1,676
Online Giving	\$ 2,694
IRA Distribution	\$ _____
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 7,855</b>

Any parishioner who has questions regarding the parish finances can email: [estice@stregischurch.org](mailto:estice@stregischurch.org)

**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**

Next week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects Catholics with Christ in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Kansas City-St. Joseph diocese to fund local communication efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! Learn more at [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).



### Ice Cream Social

June 13 & 14

Stop by after Mass for ice cream and fellowship

### Fiesta de Helados

13 y 14 de junio

Pasa después de la misa por un Helado y convivencia

### FEED YOUR FAITH

What is Acedia? **Feed Your Faith** invites you to learn with us about a modern-day epidemic: **Acedia – the Diabolical in Disguise**. In our culture today, we face an epidemic. What is its origin? Why does it happen? And does faith hold the answers? This documentary explores the spiritual causes of sadness and depression. It is important for all of us to find the answers to these questions as we see the effects of Acedia on the people we love. Join us at 5:30 in the MEC tomorrow night, June 15, for dinner, prayers, then find out the root causes of Acedia.



### FATHER'S DAY PICNIC

Sunday, June 21 at 1:30pm. All are invited. Food supplied. Bring your own drinks.



### Holy Donuts

Friday, June 19 at 9am

in the Gathering Space



ather's Day is **Sunday, June 21st**. We will honor and remember all of our fathers at the Masses the weekend of June 20/21. Please be sure to include your living and deceased father in our special Father's Day display by printing their name on the Father's Day envelope in your June packet. You can make a contribution in their name and place your envelope in the regular collection at Masses or bring it to the Parish Office. We ask that all envelopes are returned no later than **Wednesday, June 17**. Let us keep our fathers in prayer.

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED

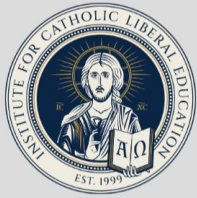
If you are interested in becoming a Liturgical Minister (Sacristan, Mass Coordinator, Eucharistic Minister, Lector or Altar Server) please call the Parish Office at 816-761-1608. We will be happy to set you up for the training that you may need.



### Missionary Servants of the Word

(L to R) Jose Demetrio Gerardo Gerson Abraham Perez Velasquez Gonzalez Cabrera Gabriel

# Academy Corner



## Staff Summer Learning

St. Regis Academy was pleased to welcome The Institute of Catholic Liberal Education for two days of training to kick off the summer! We were thrilled to learn more about how to deepen our teaching practices and were affirmed in the many steps St. Regis has already taken to foster a Catholic Liberal Arts education.



## Save The Dates

- Monday, August 3 - Friday, August 7: Used Uniform Sales
- Sunday, August 16 - 10:30am Back to School Mass
  - 12:00pm - Supply Drop off and PTO Picnic
- Wednesday, August 19 - 1<sup>st</sup> Day of School (12:15pm Dismissal)
- Wednesday, August 26 - Cookie Dough Fundraiser Begins
- Wednesday, September 2 - Protecting God's Children Class (English and Spanish classes offered)
- Sunday, September 13 - 12:00pm Back to School Breakfast Fundraiser

2026-2027

Enrollment

There is still time!

Preschool (3 years old) -8<sup>th</sup> Grade



## LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

The Liturgical Minister Schedule for **July and August** has been emailed out to Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers and Greeters. A hard copy of the schedule is available on the table in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions about the schedule, please call Colleen in the Parish Office. If you have a conflict with a particular weekend you are scheduled for a ministry, we ask that you please find a substitute. Thank you for serving our parish through these ministries.

## GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATION

The Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on **Sunday, September 11, 2026**, at 11am with a reception to follow. Bishop James Johnston will preside at the Mass honoring the Golden Wedding couples. The event is for the couples and their immediate family. The celebration includes those couples whose 50th Wedding Anniversary falls between January 1, 2026 and December 31, 2026. If you were married in 1976, please call the parish office so that you can be acknowledged even if you cannot attend.



**ALTAR SERVERS APPRECIATION DAY!**  
**(Día de agradecimiento a los monaguillos!)**

**When:** Sunday June 28, 2026

**Cuando:** Domingo 28 de Junio

**Time:** 3-5pm Parish Hall

**Horario:** 3-5pm Salon Parroquial

We will have pizza and Games you can't miss it! **RSVP at the Parish Office**

**(Tendremos Pizza y Juegos no se lo pueden perder!) Reservar en la oficina parroquial**

### THOUGHTS FROM FR. EMMANUEL

Amigos, mientras los Estados Unidos de América conmemoran el 250º aniversario de la firma de la Declaración de Independencia en 2026, la USCCB se une a esta celebración elevando las contribuciones de los católicos y el impacto de nuestra fe en la historia de este país.

En un momento histórico, los obispos estadounidenses acaban de consagrar a Estados Unidos al Sagrado Corazón de Jesús el **11 de junio de 2026**, ¡e invitan a todas las parroquias a unirse a esta consagración y hacer lo mismo en la iglesia y en casa!

Aquí está la oración de la consagración:

Oh Sagrado Corazón de Jesús,

Conoces los anhelos de nuestros corazones y deseas que disfrutemos de la amistad contigo.

Desde tu lado perforado, has derramado el manantial de vida, que ansiamos.

Tu corazón arde de amor para que todas las personas vuelvan a una relación correcta contigo.

Celebramos los abundantes dones que has dado a esta nación, basados en las verdades evidentes de que nuestro Creador ha dotado a todas las personas del derecho a la vida, la libertad y la búsqueda de la felicidad.

Reparamos las ofensas contra vosotros y contra la dignidad humana que han tenido lugar en esta nación.

Que nuestros corazones estén unidos al tuyo, para que nuestras familias y comunidades disfruten de paz y felicidad; Que se reconcilien las relaciones rotas, reparen las injusticias y sanen las heridas de nuestra tierra.

Que tu santa Iglesia Católica sirva como señal, señalando a todas las personas tu amor infinito.

Oh Deseo de Naciones y Centro de la Historia, os pedimos que bendigáis a estos Estados Unidos de América.

Que vivan y reinan con Dios Padre

en la unidad del Espíritu Santo,

Dios, por siempre y por siglos.

Amén.

¡Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, ten piedad de nosotros!

¡Inmaculado Corazón de María, ruega por nosotros!

P. Emmanuel López

### CAMPAÑA DE COMUNICACIÓN CATÓLICA

La próxima semana nuestra colección especial apoya la Campaña de Comunicación Católica. Esta campaña conecta a los católicos con Cristo en Estados Unidos y países en desarrollo mediante internet, televisión, radio y medios impresos. La mitad del dinero recaudado permanece aquí, en el Kansas City-St. Joseph para financiar esfuerzos de comunicación local. ¡Tu apoyo ayuda a difundir el mensaje del evangelio! Más información en [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

### DÍA DEL PADRE

El Día del Padre es el **domingo 21 de junio**. Honraremos y recordaremos a todos nuestros padres en las misas del fin de semana del 20 y 21 de junio. Por favor, asegúrate de incluir a tu padre vivo y fallecido en nuestra exposición especial del Día del Padre imprimiendo su nombre en el sobre del Día del Padre en tu paquete de junio. Puedes hacer una donación en su nombre y colocar tu sobre en la colecta habitual durante las misas o llevarlo a la oficina parroquial. Pedimos que todos los sobres sean devueltos a más tardar el **miércoles 17 de junio**. Mantengamos a nuestros padres en oración.



### CELEBRACIÓN DE BODAS DE ORO

La misa del Aniversario de Oro se celebrará en la Catedral de la Inmaculada Concepción el **domingo 11 de septiembre de 2026**, a las 11:00, con una recepción a continuación. El obispo James Johnston presidirá la misa en honor a las parejas de bodas de oro. El evento es para las parejas y sus familiares más cercanos. La celebración incluye a aquellas parejas cuyo 50º aniversario de boda se celebra entre el 1 de enero de 2026 y el 31 de diciembre de 2026. Si te casaste en 1976, por favor llama a la oficina parroquial para que puedas ser reconocido aunque no puedas asistir.

### ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA CON CONFESIONES

Únase a nosotros para la Adoración y las Confesiones  
**todos los miércoles de 6 a 7p.m.**



### SAVE THE DATE

Save the date for the St. Regis Round-Up on **Saturday, November 7th** from 6-9pm in the Parish Hall. This will be an evening of fellowship and fundraising for our sister community, Ita Maura in El Salvador. More information to follow!

### DIOCESAN NEWS

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 If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City~St. Joseph report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, 816-213-6024 or [ombudsman@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:ombudsman@diocesekcsj.org).

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, at 816-714-2357 ext. 516 or [victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

**Please Remember In Your Prayers:** Aidan Jones, Dolores Dick, McCartney Weist, Teresa Foster, Joseph Gregory, Margaret Kelly, Gregory Richard, Teefey Family, Hanger Family, Daniel & Jeneth Hunter, John Stadler, Genevieve Thieme, John Minton, Ben Rosenblum, Georgiana Smith, Rosie Murphy, Vickie Young, Lou & Terrie Ramsey, Bobby Washington, Andres Foncha, Robert Harvey, Rick Martin, Julie Boisen, Kathy Gross, Marek Family, Hodge Family, Sylvia Mooney, Jerry Crowley, Jane Marzano, Kenny Thornton, Michael Sheehan, Tammy Fayard, Jennifer Buddemeyer & family, Dianne Greene, Phoebe Reiting, Mary Hunter, Martha Aquino, John Reyes, Sr., Lupita Sharkey, Yair Arvizu, Christopher Rivera, Julie Schneider, Teresa King, Thomas Severt, Dennis Reilly, Steve Beaven, Virginia Reyes, Manuel Botello, Milt Bryant, Ellen Newman, Evelyn Crews, Jerry Walker, Susie Tobin, Amir Smith, Richard Weidner, Joanne Pommerer, Isaiah Love, Otto Hill, Carrie Grantham Ellman, Ralph Ford and the many parishioners who are experiencing situational and financial hardships.

**Please Pray for our parishioners' family members serving in the military:** Tyler Griggs, Buck Roberts, Cathy Roberts, Troy & Jennifer Fraser

# HOPE

**RESTORE.  
RENEW  
RECONNECT.**

Do YOU want a stronger marriage?

- In a world that's broken, divided, and full of divorce, be **BOLD!** Make the choice to work through the tough times and stay together.
- **Marriage and family are sacred**



Scan the QR code for more information



**NO MARRIAGE IS BEYOND HOPE!**

Kansas City Weekend | June 19-21

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

The deadline to put announcements in the bulletin is 8am on Tuesday prior to the following Sunday. Send announcements to [cmelchior@stregischurch.org](mailto:cmelchior@stregischurch.org)

[HelpOurMarriage.org](http://HelpOurMarriage.org)

800-470-2230

**RETRIOUVAILLE**  
A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

## Liturgical Roles

June 20 & 21

### Lectors

- 3:00pm Jake Smith & Becky Smith
- 8:30am Pat Hanson & Rick Janet
- 10:30am Randy Seever & Theresa Van Pelt

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

- 3:00pm Marvin Chaney & Jim Filley
- 8:30am Maxine Rodriguez & Sue Quanty Smith
- 10:30am Theresa Van Pelt & Cathy Albers

### Servers

- 3:00pm Fernanda Lopez & Lupita Portillo
- 8:30am Patrick Miller & Audrey Miller
- 10:30am Tyler Divis, Madison Divis, Reagan Divis  
Norah Pacheco & Yami Villalobos

### Greeters

- 3:00pm Cliff Miller & Mary Ann Warren
- 8:30am Margarito Cruz & Ela Wilczynska
- 10:30am Elaine Allee & Alfred DeSouza

### Mass Coordinator

- 3:00pm Alex Pope
- 8:30am John Wood
- 10:30am Dennis Reilly

## Mass Intentions

### Tuesday, June 16

- 8:30am †Pam Putt by Family
- 7:00pm †Deceased Members of the Chavez Family

### Wednesday, June 17

- †Tom & Jan Brungardt by Family

### Thursday, June 18

- †Pete & Gene Riddle by Family

### Friday, June 19

- †Peter Riddle by Family

### Saturday, June 20

- 3:00pm †Rosie Jermain by John & Margaret Williams

### Sunday, June 21

- 8:30am †Louis Kovach by Teri & George Weiter
- 10:30am †Donna Arnone by Dcn. Ken & Cathy Albers
- 5:00pm People of St. John Francis Regis Parish

## Schedule of Events

### Sunday, June 14

#### Consecration to Sacred Heart of Jesus

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 12:30pm Mass/Spanish
- 5:00pm Mass/Spanish
- Food Collection
- Ice Cream Social After Masses

### Monday, June 15

#### Soup Kitchen

- 5:30pm Feed Your Faith

### Tuesday, June 16

#### St. Regis Feast Day

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Faith Enrichment
- 6:30pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Mass/Spanish

### Wednesday, June 17

- 8:30am Mass
- 6:00pm Adoration/Confessions

### Thursday, June 18

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:30am Scripture Sharing
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00pm Boy Scouts

### Friday, June 19

- 8:30am Mass
- 9:00am Holy Donuts
- 6:00pm Worship Council

### Saturday, June 20

- 2:00pm Confessions
- 3:00pm Mass

### Sunday, June 21

#### Father's Day

- 8:30am Mass
- 10:30am Mass
- 12:30pm Mass/Spanish
- 1:30pm Father's Day Picnic