

ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH BULLETIN

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**2nd Sunday in
Ordinary time
Jan. 27, 2019**

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MASS – Sat. Feb. 2, 2019, Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart and 6:30 p.m. at St. James; **Sunday, Feb. 3, 2019 at 8:30 a.m. here at St. Augustine**; Sacred Heart at 10:30 a.m.; Confessions here at St. Augustine before the 8:30 a.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS AT SH on Tues. Wed. & Thurs. afternoons from 4:15 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. prior to 5:15 Mass. Confessions times Sat. & Sun. 3:30 p.m. and 10:00 a.m. prior to Mass will be remain as well.

FIRST FRIDAY 24 HOUR ADORATION will be held on Friday, February 1 from 8:00 a.m. Friday to 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning

“GO, EAT RICH FOODS and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared...” (Nehemiah 8:10) Ezra’s instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need without expecting anything in return.

LECTOR - Feb. 3 – Ben Rettele; Feb. 10 – David Wehner; Feb. 17 – Dennis Rettele

SERVERS - Feb. 3 – Erin & Anthony Deters; Feb. 10 – Jonathan & Caleb Renyer; Feb. 17 – Emma Popkess & Luke Renyer

OFFERTORY GIFTS - Feb. 3 – Herman Renyers; Feb. 10 – Don Haverkamp; Feb. 17 – Greg Renyers

USHERS - Feb. 3 – Brian McClain & Dwaine Baumgartner; Feb. 10 – Adam Renyer & Bob Buser Feb. 17 – Andy Renyer & Gary Plattner

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION - Feb. 3 - Rod Winkler; Feb. 10 – Denise Plattner; Feb. 17 – Teresa Baumgartner

MASS INTENTIONS – **Tues. evening masses at SH at 5:15p.m. have been cancelled, but 6:00 p.m. Mass at St. Augustine will continue; Tues. Jan. 29 here at 6:00 p.m. – LeRoy Jurgensmeier**; Wed. Jan. 30 at 8:00 a.m. at SJ – Eldon & Doris Mulroy+; at 5:15 p.m. at SH – Lee Ukele; Thurs. Jan. 31 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – Mary Cooper+; Fri. Feb. 1 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – Wilfred & Rosella Bergman+; Vigil Mass Sat. at 4:00 p.m. at SH – Cecilia Kohake+; at 6:30 p.m. at SJ – Adam Bloom+; **Sun. Feb. 3 at 8:30 a.m. here - parishioners of the 3 parishes**; at 10:30 a.m. at SH – Clyde & Joan Wenger+

MASS INTENTIONS ARE NEEDED FOR OUR MASSES HERE AT ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH

CHURCH CLEANERS AND CHOIR LOFT - Jan. 27 – Barbara Rettele, **Sharon Winkler**, Sarah Renyer; Feb. 3 – Amanda Rettele, **Jessica Ploeger**, Kayla Lock

CHURCH HALL AND KITCHEN CLEANERS through the month of Jan. – Barbara Rettele, Sharon Winkler, **Sarah Renyer**; **FEBRUARY** – Amanda Rettele, Jessica Ploeger, **Kayla Lock**

LAST SUNDAY’S COLLECTION - \$24.00 Plate; \$335.00 Envelope; Thanks for your generosity!

MONEY COUNTERS FOR JAN. – Jean Renyer, Janelle Popkess, Andy Renyer; **FEB.**- Janelle Popkess, Andy Renyer, Dennis Rettele

REMEMBER WE PRAY THE ROSARY BEFORE MASS – Please volunteer and sign up on sheet below the bulletin board.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY will be Sunday, Feb. 3 with Ervin Deters (Group I) in charge. This includes Ben Rettele, Don Haverkamp, David Wehner, Rod Winkler, Jim Renyer, Rodney Lierz, Larry Lierz and Alex Lock.

THE CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION is hosting an Art Event at Boulevard Brewery on Thursday, February 28, 2019 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tickets are \$60 and include appetizers, drinks, and an Art Exhibit featuring local professional artists and student artists from Catholic schools throughout the Archdiocese. All proceeds benefit the Guardian Angel Scholarship Fund, which provides emergency scholarships for students at 22 Catholic schools when their families face a job loss, medical emergency or other unexpected financial crisis. For sponsorship and ticket information, visit or call 913- 647-0379.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER - As we begin the New Year we offer a few "resolutions" for married couples. Resolution #3 - Become a Better Listener. Do you ever find yourself multi-tasking while "listening" to your husband or thinking "I've heard all this before" when your wife brings up an issue? The Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you overcome these barriers to effective listening and start listening to your spouse with an open heart. The next weekend in the Kansas City area will be March 1-3, 2019. For more information, or to apply for a weekend, visit www.wwme4youandme.org, or call/email Tony & Barb Zimmerman at 816-741-4066, tonybarbz@prodigy.net For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter and how our ministry can support the couples in your parish you can contact us at the following: Local Area Leadership Couple: Rich & Wendy Lorenz, 815-761-6591, wendyteach3@yahoo.com Local Area Leadership Priest: Fr. Ron Will, 816-390-7950, rlwill2@juno.com Weekend Application Couple: Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066, tonybarbz@prodigy.net Inviting Resource Couple: Ralph & Jan Lewis, 913-909-1028, encounteredcouple@gmail.com

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION is proud to host Mike and Alicia Hernon of “The Messy Family Project” for a mini marriage retreat for couples on February 9 from 8:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Mike and Alicia will share practical and encouraging insights on the topics of parenting as a team, creating a family culture, and keeping your love alive. The retreat will include Mass and vow renewal, inspirational and relatable talks with discussion time, breakfast and lunch, and free childcare. The cost of the retreat is \$40.00 per couple. For more information or to register, go to <http://kcascension.org/messy-family> or contact Sarah Streitwieser ssreitwieser@kcascension.org Registration is requested by Feb. 3.

ARE YOU SEEKING a way to serve the Church that will bring you closer to your spouse? Do you love the Church's teachings on marriage and family? Consider mentoring the engaged. The Office of Marriage and Family Life will host a Lead Couple Come and See for perspective couples who are interested in this important ministry to the engaged. Date: Feb 2, 2019. Time: 6:30- 8:30. Location: Most Pure Heart of Mary, Topeka, KS. Appetizers, drinks, and dessert will be served. Interested couples should RSVP to Brad DuPont, bdupont@archkck.org or call 913.647.0301

SEE WHY OVER 700 COUPLES in the Archdiocese have experienced the "Living in Love" retreat. You can sign up now for the "Living in Love" retreat at Holy Spirit Parish, Overland Park, February 16-17, 2019. Register online at www.archkck.org/LivingInLove or contact Mary Anne Kierl at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345 for information.

CHRIST'S PEACE HOUSE OF PRAYER will host a weekend retreat, **Deep Conversion and Deep Prayer**, Friday evening to Sunday, February 8-10. The retreat will consist of 5 talks, Mass at the local parish on Saturday evening and daily Eucharistic Adoration. If interested in attending, please contact info@christspeace.com or call 913-773-8255.

PROJECT RACHEL Unfailing Mercy Retreat: Healing after Abortion If you or a loved one is hurting from an abortion, please join our Project Rachel ministry for a one-day "Unfailing Mercy" retreat to share God's mercy and healing after abortion. Saturday, March 2, 2019. All communication, services, and logistics are confidential. Please call, text, or email Ann Marie Alvey at 913-621-2199 or projectrachelkc@archkck.org for retreat time and location. For more information about this ministry, please visit projectrachelkc.com

MADE FOR MORE with Christopher West & Mike Mangione - Brought to you by Prince of Peace, Holy Trinity, Church of the Ascension, Sacred Heart/Shawnee, the Archdiocese of Kansas City, and The Cor Project • April 4, 2019 • 7-9:30 pm • Prince of Peace Catholic Church - Olathe, KS 1,100 people attended this event in Topeka in February of 2018, and here's a 2 min video of what it was like - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=owbFBh2hRns>. Tickets will go fast, so grab your tickets NOW in the parish office or online at www.corproject.com/kc . Tickets are \$20. MADE FOR MORE is an inspired blend of teaching, live music, and art that taps the deepest desires of the human heart revealing their ultimate purpose and goal. Join Christopher West and Mike Mangione as they offer a vision of the Gospel like you've never heard through the lens of Saint John Paul II's Theology of the Body. This event is appropriate for ages 15 and up. Please contact Larissa Smith at lsmith@popolathe.org or 913-747-7746 if you would like more information.

MARRIAGE MINUTE – There's no place like home or is there? Having just celebrated Christmas and many having the chance to reconnect with family members, we can be sentimental about the experience. Still others have very strained relationships with family members and old friends particularly because of choices made to live the Catholic Faith more intentionally. If this is your situation, you share the company of Jesus in this weekend's Gospel. The strain in these relationships can cause hurt, but Jesus desires us to stand with him in confidence. To buoy your relationship with Jesus, try: • Praying for those who "persecute" you. • Forgive those who say hurtful things or ignore you. • Intentionally use words of affirmation with those who speak ill of you. Build a more joyful marriage at www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

ST. MARY'S PARISH St. Benedict Soup-R-Bowl Sunday lunch. Homemade chili, chicken noodle, and vegetable beef soup; relishes, pie; Sunday, Feb. 3, 2019 serving 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Free will offering, everyone is welcome!

ST BEDE'S PARISH KELLY, KS is having their annual pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 17 in the Parish Hall. They will be serving pancakes, sausage and eggs from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for a free will offering. All are invited!

FAITH FORMATION NEWS AND OPPORTUNITIES

CCD NOTES:

- **Meal Ministry- "Super Suppers"**- Any parishioner who would like to support our CCD faith formation efforts with our meal ministry by helping prep meals for our CCD students/families are invited to help on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m.- Please contact Jody Reel or Sarah Renyer for more details. We are currently serving a Super Supper on Wednesdays before CCD from 5:45-6:15 p.m. This new ministry for our catechists and families has been a blessing on Wednesdays and we appreciate your support.
- **NCYC BURRITO FUNDRAISER:** Burrito Making Weekend: March 30/31- More information will be out soon!
- **Breaks:** No CCD classes on Ash Wednesday (March 6) or Spring Break (March 13th)

HIGH SCHOOL WINTER YOUTH RALLY - Local Knights of Columbus presents "FORGIVENESS" Hear real life accounts of forgiveness from speaker Rick Cheek and Amber Wilhelm on **Sunday, February 17 from 1:00-6:00 p.m.** at St. Michael's in Axtell. Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m. followed by a fellowship meal. Registration forms are due back to Gina (box #136) by January 30.

JR HIGH YOUTH RALLY at Prairie Star Ranch - Get ready for a fun and faith-filled day at this year's Jr. High Youth Rally. "Witness" is this year's theme. Music by Mikey Needleman. Performance painter Mike Debus and the amazing keynote, Steve Angrisano will unpack for us being a **"Witness" in TRUTH- BEAUTY - GOODNESS**. Registration will be out soon, please save this date February 24.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK: St. John Bosco, a Father to the Fatherless, is who dedicated his priesthood to educating and housing the forgotten youth on the tough streets of Turin, Italy. Watch the inspirational tale of how he transformed the lives of countless outcasts. Watch on formed.org using our parish code: b70478

FORMED KIDS KORNER--Opus Joyous Episode 1: The Catholic Voyager This half hour Catholic adventure story is an epic quest about living with heroic virtue while fighting a spiritual battle to save the world from evil. Watch this and other children's content on formed.org using our parish code: b70478