

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

CROATIAN PARISH ON STRAWBERRY HILL
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Pastoral Staff
Fr. Peter M. Jaramillo, S.S.A. Pastor
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Fr. John Melnick, S.S.A.
Sr. Mary Michael MacChesney
Phyllis Hampton, Parish Secretary

Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Church Office
913-371-0627

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913-342-3324
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Weekday Mass Including Adoration:
Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 5:15 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Confessions:
By Appointment. Call 913-371-0627

Rosary:
Saturday 4:45 p.m. and Sunday 8:30 a.m.

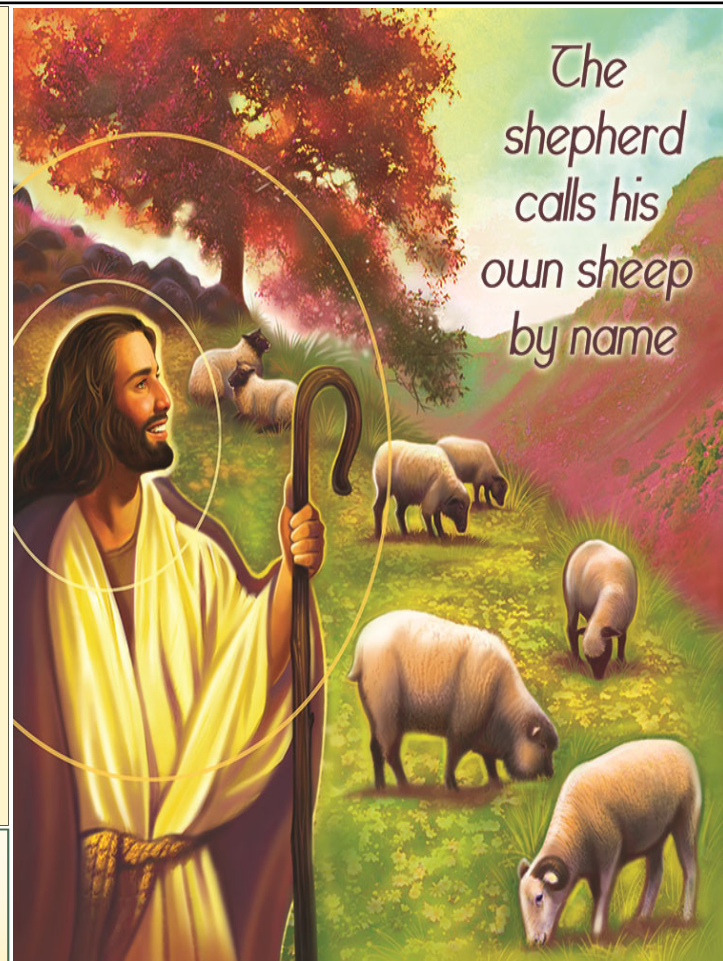
Marriage Preparation:
Notify the parish eight months prior to the wedding.

Pastoral Care of the Sick:
Crisis Prayer Line: 913-281-4448 or 913-608-5600
Anointing and Pastoral Visits: Contact Church Office

Parish Contact Information:

Finance Council President	Mark Calvert
Parish Council President	Don Taylor
Altar Society President	Kelly Moutray
St. John Catholic Club, 913-371-9690	Ken Yarnevich
St. Cecilia Choir / Organist	Matt Winterhalter

Resurrection Catholic School at the Cathedral
425 N. 15th St. KCKS 913-371-1801 Fax 913-371-2151
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Linda Higgins - School Principal



MAY 7TH, 2017
4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Thursday, May 11th

8:00 a.m. Anna Modrcin, Ana Skradski,
Walter Gasparovic

Saturday, May 13th

5:15 p.m. David Sachen, Ivan Prgomet Family,
Roza Grasa Family & Maria Dukovic

Sunday, May 14th

9:00 a.m. Parish Members

May 13 - 14, 2017

	5:15 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
Lectors	B. Palcher B. Palcher	M. Viskovic M. Calvert
Eucharistic Ministers	C. Delich C. Lally P. Campbell	B. Braun C. Braun N. Gasparovic
Cantor		Choir
Servers	L. Lally T. Lally	L. Viskovic N. Viskovic

WEEKLY COLLECTION

April 29 - 30, 2017

Week: \$ 2,955.00
Maintenance: \$ 115.00
Loose: \$ 121.00
Poor: \$ 20.00
Candle: \$ 113.50



Coffee & Donuts
Sunday, May 7th
following 9am Mass in Church Basement.
Everyone Welcome

Meetings & Parish Events

May 7, 2017 - Coffee & Donuts
Following 9:00 a.m. mass

May 8, 2017 - Food Kitchen

May 14, 2017 - Mothers Day Breakfast
\$5.00 each - School Auditorium
Tickets - St. John's Club

May 18, 2017 - 8th grade Graduation
Resurrection Grade School
7:00 p.m. - St. John the Baptist Church

May 21, 2017 - 9:00 a.m. Mass
All School Students K - College
Please help Celebrate Mass
Coffee & Donuts following mass

May 25, 2017 - 8:00 a.m. Mass
Holy Day of Obligation

May 30, 2017 - Festival Meeting
5:30 p.m.
Church Basement

June 3, 2017 - Croatian Day Picnic

June 4, 2017 - Coffee & Donuts
Following 9:00 a.m. Mass

June 12, 2017 - Food Kitchen



Let's Celebrate!!!
St. John Senior Citizen's Group
is 43 Years Young!
Meeting, Wednesday,
May 10th, 2017
11:00 a.m. Church Basement.

No Altar Society Meeting
May 21st, 2017
Watch bulletin for future date.



If you have a family member who is hospitalized or homebound and would like to have a visit or receive communion, please contact the Church Office. Hospitals do not inform us of a parishioner being admitted to the hospital. Call Phyllis at 913-371-0627.



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The fact that many monastic churches do not have a prominent tabernacle shapes the patterns of liturgical prayer. Monastic communities often protect the ancient value of

"receiving from the same sacrifice," meaning that the communicants are assured that what they eat and drink in the Holy Mysteries actually comes from the same celebration. It surprises many to learn that the Church does not foresee, nor does it provide for, Communion of the faithful from the reserved Sacrament. Liturgical laws have long defended your right to receive from the same sacrifice, the same Mass, that you attend.

At one time, of course, the bread for the Eucharist was the ordinary bread of the day, except unleavened, probably prepared at home. It was broken and distributed to the faithful. Early on the loaf itself was referred to as the hostia in Latin, meaning the "sacrifice," the same word for the sacrificial animal in Jewish worship, and for Jesus as the Lamb of God. By giving his life on the cross, Jesus became the hostia for us. To this day in the Greek Church, one of the tasks of the priest's wife is to bake the bread for the Divine Liturgy, sometimes in a bakery oven dedicated to that purpose and called a "Bethlehem." Today's familiar individual hosts first appeared in the eleventh century at about the time when tabernacles were coming into use. The turn away from "bready" bread allowed the hosts to be reserved since they did not spoil like regular bread, and made the annual "Easter duty" counts easier.

--Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

COUNTING SHEEP

Every person can tell how many goats or sheep one possesses, but not how many friends.

--Cicero

PRAY WITH US

Proclamation by Mark Holland, Mayor/CEO of Unified Government of Wyandotte County / Kansas City KS. Do hereby proclaim, Sunday, May 7, 2017 as a "Day of Prayer."

Mother's Day Breakfast - May 14th, 2017

Following 9:00 a.m. mass.

Tickets \$5:00 each

Purchase tickets from Kenny at the St. Johns Club.

FYI

We are planning to have a student mass at St. John's Church on May 21st at 9:00 a.m. Mass.

Please help by being a Lector, Eucharistic minister, Cantor, Server or Usher.

Contact Michelle Garcia at mygarcia@wycokck.org

Holy Family Church is helping to raise money for the homeless on May 21st from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m..

Chicken Dinners \$12.00 each

Call 913-371-1561 for more information

Resurrection Catholic School News

Tuesday, May 9th, 6:00 p.m - 7:00 p.m.

Kindergarten - Parent and child night at Resurrection School, for incoming kindergarten students. Dinner , parent information and student activities provided.

For more information call Mrs. Billings or Mrs. Torres at 913-371-8101

Save the Date

Taste of Kansas City, Kansas

January 27, 2018

Resurrection Catholic School

425 N. 15th St. Kansas City, KS

Leadership Camp for Girls

Summer Leadership Camp at the University of St. Mary in Leavenworth KS for 6th, 7th & 8th grade girls.

June 19 - 21, 2017

More information call 913-758-6508 or 816-718-2660

Thank you...

I thank you very much for all the love and support wished me over the past months. I appreciate the cards and prayers. I hope to see you in church at the 5:15 p.m. or 9:00 a.m. mass.

Your friend.

Bob Braun (pooch)

HEAVEN

The goal of religion is not to get us into heaven--but to get heaven into us.

--Anonymous