# ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

**CROATIAN PARISH ON STRAWBERRY HILL**
**708 N. 4th Kansas City, Kansas 66101**
**OLDEST CROATIAN CHURCH WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI - 1900**
**www.stjohnthebaptistcatholicchurch.com**

**Pastoral Staff**

Fr. Peter M. Jaramillo, S.S.A. Pastor
Fr. Joseph Arsenault, S.S.A.
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

**FAX & E-mail**
913-342-3324
ourcroatianparish@gmail.com

**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:**

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| 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
Www.resurrectionkck.eduK12.net
Linda Higgins - School Principal

## 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
## OCTOBER 15TH, 2017

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**Thursday, October 19th**
8:00 a.m. David Podrebarac,
Christopher Hartmann

**Saturday, October 21st**
5:15 p.m. Robert & Leroy Braun,
Nikola & Magda Sestric,
Ana Kucenic, Miho & Milka Car,
Miho & Ana Cavlovic.

**Sunday, October 22th**
9:00 a.m. Parish Members

| October 21 - 22, 2017 | | |
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| | **5:15 p.m.** | **9:00 a.m.** |
| **Lectors** | B. Palcher<br>B. Palcher | T. Dordevic<br>M. Tomasic<br>Petitions: M. MIkesic |
| **Eucharistic Ministers** | C. Delich<br>C. Lally<br>P. Campbell | K. Dordevic<br>T. Subasic<br>I. Garcia |
| **Cantor** | | Choir |
| **Servers** | T. Lally<br>L. Lally | E. Grey<br>A. Garcia<br>M. Kucenic |
| **Ushers** | | I. Dordevic, J. Grey<br>M. Viskovic, A. Morrow |
| **Gift Bearers** | | Kl. Dordevic, S. Subacic,<br>Molly Kucenic |

## WEEKLY COLLECTION

**October 7 & 8, 2017**

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| Week: | $ 3,783.00 |
| Maintenance: | $ 480.00 |
| Poor: | $ 19.00 |
| Candle: | $ 138.00 |
| Leaven: | $ 51.00 |
| Loose: | $ 95.00 |

## Meetings & Parish Events

**October 16, 23 & 30, 2017 -** Volleyball
School Auditorium

**October 15, 2017 -** Altar Society Meeting
Following 9:00 a.m. Mass

**October 20, 2017 -** Heart of Redeemer
5 - 10 p.m. School

**October 21, 2017 -** Apple Strudel
8:00 a.m. - Church basement

**October 22, 2017 -** 9:00 a.m. Youth Mass
Coffee & Donuts served following mass

**October 23, 2017 -** St. John's Catholic Club Meeting
At 7:00 p.m. - Officers will meet at 6:00 p.m.
Food and drinks provided after the meeting.

**October 27, 2017 -** School Auditorium Rental

**October 28, 2017 -** Bingo!!!
Church Basement - after 5:00 p.m. mass

**November 1, 2017 - All Saints Day**
10:00 a.m. mass

**November 2, 2017 - All Souls Day**
Special mass to remember those that died this past year.

**YOUR ACTIONS COUNT**

Knowledge may give weight, but accomplishments give luster, and many more people see than weigh.
--Earl of Chesterfield

**Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary**

During the month of October we encourage the promotion of the Rosary.
St. John's parish will have a Rosary with Adoration Thursdays after 8:00 a.m. mass.
St. Mary-St. Anthony will pray the Rosary before 4:00 p.m. mass on Saturday and the youth in Catechesis will be praying the Rosary on Wednesdays at their gatherings.

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

In 1971, the Vatican Congregation for Divine Worship completed a survey of the presidents of the national liturgical commissions around the world. How were children doing in the liturgical reform? Probably to their surprise, the cardinals learned of special weekday Masses for children designed to teach them how to participate on Sunday, Masses with separate components for children. The decision was made quickly to develop adaptations for Masses where children were a majority of the assembly. Changes would include a simpler structure, understandable texts, a simplified Lectionary, more active participation, and most surprisingly, new Eucharistic Prayers. By 1973 the work was done, and with very specific advice from Pope Paul VI, including the need for two new Eucharistic Prayers, the Directory for Masses with Children was published on December 20, a timely Christmas gift for the children of the world.

The prayers are the first to be written fresh in a modern language--not Latin, but French and German--then translated into English, Italian, and Spanish. With a sense of caution, these new prayers were approved for three years, until 1977, but it soon became apparent that they had truly been embraced.

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

**Pancake breakfast to benefit Sisters, Servants of Mary**

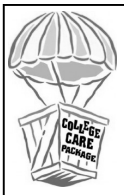
Pancake and sausage breakfast, Sunday, October 29, 2017 from 8:00a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at St. Patrick's Parish Center, 1086 N. 94th St. Kansas City, KS.

$6.00 for adults; $4.00 for children under 10 years old. Bake sale, variety booth & raffles. Call 913-371-3423 for more information.

Resurrection Catholic School's Fall raffle fundraiser is going on now. Tickets are $5.00 each. Prizes include a 55" Samsung Smart Television, a PS4 Playstation 4 Console, and a Fire HD8 Table with Alexa. Anyone 18+ can purchase raffle tickets for a chance to win this prizes. Drawing will take place at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, October 20 in the Parish Center. You do not need to be present to win. Come by the school office at 425 N. 15th St. KCKS. to purchase tickets. Thank you for your support!

**A Saint of Mercy for Our Violent Times'**
**Retreat to focus on St. Therese of Lisieux**

The author of books and materials on St. Therese of Lisieux will facilitate a one-day retreat at Marillac Center, Leavenworth, KS. on Saturday Nov. 4, 2017 from 9am-3:30pm. Brother Joseph Schmidt, a DeLaSalle Christian Brother, will share his insights on this modern saint as a model of mercy for today's world. Donation for retreat is $40 (inclusive of lunch). Scholarships are available. Registration deadline: Oct 30. Contact us at 913-758-6552 for more information or to register.




**St. John's Catholic Church**
**College Care Packages**
**Sign Up Your Favorite College Student Now!**

Time to build this year's mailing list for our college student care packages! Send your favorite college student's name and address to Beckie Mikesic or call 913-669-3280. Calling all St. John's parishioners, clubs and groups; I am in need of monetary donations to help with shipping/mailings and items purchase, prayer cards, saint medals, gift cards and goodies. I will then mail to your college students 3 mailing; Halloween/Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter that will be filled with church bulletins, faith items, gift cards, snacks, pens, candy and more!

***This is a favorite parish project and we hope your college student's parish enjoys it as well!***

**Come help us make strudels**

We need your help. We'll be making strudels in the church basement on Saturday, Oct. 21st, beginning at 8:00 a.m. No experience necessary. Lunch provided. A chance to visit with fellow parishioners and meet new friends.

**Bingo Bash - Chili Supper**

October 28th, 2017 following 5:15 p.m. mass

Church basement sponsored by Croatian American Social Club. Everyone Welcome!

**Food Kitchen**

We served 275 people October 9th. Thank you for the help and all the baked items. We had a great showing what we are loving & caring people. All part of God's kingdom.

**Next Food Kitchen - Monday, November 13th, 2017.**

**The Little Ones** Jim Burrows

On this mountain the LORD of hosts
will provide for all peoples
a feast of rich food and choice wines, juicy,
rich food and pure, choice wines. Is 25:6