

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church



26th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 25, 2022 Luke 16: 19-31

Parish Office:

708 N. 4th Street, Kansas City, KS 66101

Office: (913) 371-0627

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-5pm

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Instagram: OurCroatianParish

Sacraments:

Confession at 3 pm before Saturday Mass or call for appointment

Parish Staff:

Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA, Pastor

Sr. Mary Michael MacChesney

Mr. Stuart Taylor, Music Director

Mrs. Wendy Christ, Administrative Assistant

Mass Schedule:

Saturday at 4 pm

(at Holy Family parish in September)

Sunday at 9 am

Thursday at 8 am

Parish Ministries:

Finance Council

Parish Council

Altar Society

St. John's Club

Richard Sambol

Don Taylor

Kelly Moutray

Ken Yarnevich

913-371-9690

(913) 281-4448

Prayer Line

THE HOLY ARCHANGELS...



Who are the three Archangels?

The three archangels whom the Church honors by name are St. Michael, St. Gabriel, and St. Raphael. They are also the only three angels who are mentioned by name in Sacred Scripture. The Feast of all three Archangels is on *September 29*. In the traditional calendar, this was St. Michael's feast day, with St. Gabriel's being March 24th (the day prior to the Annunciation) and St. Raphael's being October 24th. Communities which celebrate the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite still celebrate the three feasts.

<https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/seasons-and-feast-days/holy-archangels-14635>



Keeping In Touch

Every year at this time the priests of the Archdiocese gather for a "Convocation". This means that we have a speaker come to speak to us about a certain topic. The gathering is at Conception Abbey. The days are filled with prayer, Mass, sessions given by the presenter, meals together, and fraternity. One night we have a "banquet" at which some of the priests, who are very musically talented, compose and sing songs for us about our life in the Archdiocese and the presentations that we have heard. Some of these compositions can be very funny. As I am sure you have picked up by now it is a time not only of study and learning but also a time where we have fun together. This is a gathering that I look forward to each year. This year we will gather this coming week for our "Convocation." I would ask that you please pray for me and all the priests as we come together during these days and be assured that you all are carried in my prayers.

Blessings in Christ and St. Augustine,
Fr. Joseph M. Arsenault, SSA, Pastor



Thank You to **Mary Frances and Dan Jaks** for refurbishing the pew pillows in our handicap section.

George & Betty Dragush for sharing fresh produce from your garden with all the parishioners after Sunday Mass.



Happy 65th Wedding Anniversary to Vincent & Georgette Pemberton

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, Sept. 25- 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am- Deceased Members of Novak Family
Bernice Kovac
Carol Kaifes
Kucenic Family

Thursday, Sept. 29- Feast of Sts. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, the Archangels

8am- George & Nick Kucenic
Barbara Palcher
Alice Christ
Catherine Williams



Saturday, Oct. 1- St Therese of Lisieux

4pm- *Vigil Mass at St. John the Baptist*
SJB and HF parishioners



Sunday, Oct. 2- 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am- Mike Skradski
Iva & Kata Horvat
Ana, Barbara, & Mike Kraj
Vincent & Georgette (65th Wedding Ann.)

LITURGICAL MINISTRY - SEPTEMBER

September 25, 2022

Lectors: M. Viskovic, M. Piskuric
Eucharistic Ministers: A. Kucenic
Servers: I. Dordevic
Sacristans: H. Rebeck, W. Christ

October 1-2, 2022

Lectors: B. Horvat ; M. Garcia
Eucharistic Ministers: S. Morrow ; G. Garcia
Servers: A. Morrow ; A. Garcia
Sacristans: C. Kolich, J. Lally ; G. Garcia

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

	<u>Sun. 9/18/2022</u>
Envelopes/Loose:	3,823.00
Building Fund:	1165.00
Candles:	106.00
Poor Box:	7.00
Special Envelopes:	196.00
Mass Intentions:	110.00

Reminders

**The Annual Priest Convocation will begin On Monday, September 26 through Thursday, September 29 at Conception Seminary. There will be no 8:00 a.m. Masses on Thursday, September 29 at St. John the Baptist or on Friday, September 30 at Holy Family Church.*

**Please submit any bulletin news and events by Thursday morning to the Parish office by phone or email to ourcroatianparish@gmail.com*

Upcoming Events

Holy Name of Jesus Parish Ice Cream Social

Holy Name of Jesus Parish on Southwest Blvd, invites you to their annual Ice-Cream Social. Saturday, *October 1*, from 5pm to 11pm. Mass at 4pm with Social immediately after. There will be lots of good food, music, bingo, children's games and great raffle! Come celebrate "Together Again on the Boulevard"!

Coffee and Donut Sunday

The event will be hosted by St. John's Catholic Club in the church basement after the 9am Mass on Sunday October 2nd. Please come and join the parish for fellowship and updates from other parishioners.

Altar Society Fall Apple Strudel Sale

Orders can be made on Sept 24th. We will make 200 strudels for the holidays, with an order limit of 5/person.

The cost is \$15 per strudel. Please contact Joanne Lally 913-281-4448 or staragena@kc.rr.com to place your order. The strudels will be ready for pick up the weekend of November 19th from 2-5 pm and following Mass on November 20th. We will also have the SJB Strawberry Boutique open during the pick-up weekend. Homemade jewelry, t-shirts, and other items will be available for purchase. All proceeds from the boutique go to the Parish.

Strawberry Hill Altar Societies Golf Tournament

The tournament will be held on *Monday, Oct. 3rd* at the Sunflower Hills Golf Course in Bonner Springs. The 4 person scramble will begin with a shotgun start at 1:00 pm. The cost is \$100/golfer and includes green fees, cart rental, snacks, dinner, prizes, and all beverages. We welcome anyone who would like to play (even if you don't have a team-we will create a team)! We will also welcome any volunteers to help! Everyone is invited to participate in the raffle. All Proceeds from the tournament benefit the SJB, HF, and SMSA Altar Societies and the services they provide to the Parishes and Community. If you have any questions, please contact *Kelly Moutray* at 816-863-4414 or email kelmoutray@gmail.com.

Food Kitchen

Desserts, volunteers and donations are appreciated. Desserts are to be dropped off in the church basement on *October 9th*. Please place a note on top that indicates Food Kitchen. Please pick up baking pans you left from last time. Meet us at the *Willa Gill Center* at 8:30am if interested in volunteering on *Monday October 10th*.

Religious Education Classes For Adults

Becoming a Catholic and living the faith classes begin *October 13 weekly on Thursdays from 6:30pm-7:30pm at Holy Family School* for adults who desire Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation, or a better understanding of the faith. Classes end on Thursday March 30. Call 913-371-0627 for preregistration.

Religious Education Classes for Grades 1-8

Religious Education Classes grades 1-8 will be held at Holy Family School on Saturdays weekly beginning on October 10th thru May 13, for Pre-registration call 913-371-0624.

Biblical Foundations On The Eucharist

Classes will be led by Sr. Marie Kathleen on Thursdays from 10am-11am beginning October 13- December 15 at Holy Family School. If interested please call 913-371-0627.



Strawberry Hill Altar Societies

GOLF TOURNAMENT

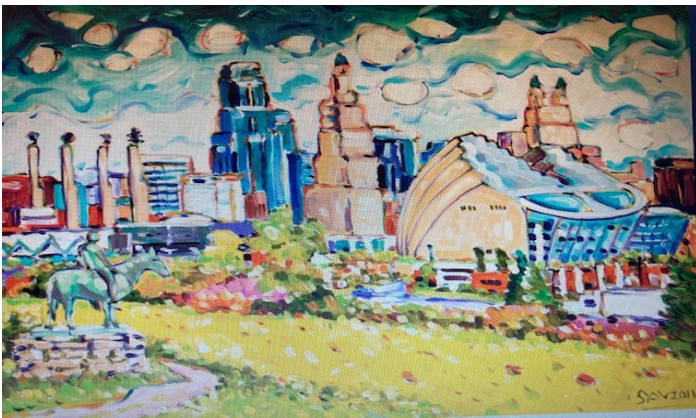
The 3rd Annual Strawberry Hill Golf Tournament will take place on Monday October 3rd. We have some wonderful prints from SAV-ART and a Professional Photo of KC Post Superbowl Win as raffle items that everyone is invited to purchase a chance in advance. The cost is \$5/each or 6/\$25. There will be additional items for raffle the day of the event and we invite everyone to come to Sunflower Hills to see what else we have. Please return your tickets and money to your church office.. Here is a peek at the prints available:



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