

THE CATHEDRAL OF ST. PETER

Upon this Rock I will build my church! Mt. 16:18

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SUNDAY MASSES / MISAS DOMINICALES

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.—Español

WEEKDAY MASSES / MISA DIARIA

Monday through Friday 8:00a.m.
Rosary: Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m.
Primer Viernes del Mes 6:30 p.m.
Primer Sábado del Mes 8:00 a.m.

HOLY DAYS / DIAS DE OBLIGACIÓN

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CHURCH OFFICE HRS / HORARIO DE LA OFICINA: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. —1:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Monday—Friday) (Lunes-Viernes)

BULLETIN DEADLINE / FECHA LIMITE DEL BOLETIN: Monday Noon/Lunes al medio día



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SACRAMENTO DE RECONCILIACION:

Saturday/ Sábados 3:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. Sunday/Domingos 11:15 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

MARRIAGES / MATRIMONIOS:

Please contact Father Saiki at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date. Por favor contacte a Padre Saiki con seis meses de an-ticipación de la fecha deseada.

BAPTISMS / BAUTIZOS:

Held every Second weekend of the Month, to arrange for Baptism please contact the Parish Office.

Se llevan acabo cada Segundo fin de semana del Mes, para organizar un Bautismo llame a la oficina.



FROM THE DESK OF FATHER SAIKI

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Merry Christmas to you and your families! This is such a joyous time, celebrating the great reality that the Lord is with us! While we celebrate with our families, this time is an opportunity to reflect on the great gift that is Emmanuel, God with us! God is indeed with us. He took on human flesh, was born nearly 2,000 years ago, walked among us, sharing in all our experiences, in particular our sufferings. He did all of this out of love for us, to rescue us, to restore us on our path to Heaven.

While we commemorate that powerful event from 2,000 years ago, we also reflect on God with us in our lives. As God is outside of time, we celebrate His birth as a new event here and now. This is profoundly true in our participation in the Eucharist. He comes to us at each and every Mass. He offers Himself totally and completely to us each time we receive Him. His gift of Himself is not simply a ceremonial communion, but real companionship. He wants to be with us in our experiences, in our joys, in our struggles. He wants to experience everything we do, to help us sanctify our daily lives, to make all we do holy and help us on our path to heaven. With the great gift of God with us, body, blood, soul, and divinity, we have everything we need to overcome temptation, to resist sin, and to persevere on our path to Heaven no matter the chaos, struggle, or darkness we see in the world around us.

This is such a cause for joy! God is with us! Not just in a poetic or symbolic way, but truly, spiritually, physically, God is with us! I hope and pray that this Christmas everyone will experience all the grace of the season, and that this time of celebration will renew our hope and joy as we move to the new year!

Yours in the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Father Saiki

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas,

¡Feliz Navidad a ustedes y a sus familias! ¡Este es un momento tan gozoso, como celebramos la gran realidad de que el Señor está con nosotros! Mientras celebramos con nuestras familias, este tiempo es una oportunidad para reflexionar sobre el gran regalo que es Emmanuel, ¡Dios con nosotros! De hecho, Dios está con nosotros. Él tomó carne humana, nació hace casi 2,000 años, caminó entre nosotros, compartiendo todas nuestras experiencias, en particular nuestros sufrimientos. Él hizo todo esto por amor a nosotros, para rescatarnos, para restaurarnos en nuestro camino al Cielo.

Mientras conmemoramos ese poderoso evento de hace 2000 años, también reflexionamos sobre Dios con nosotros en nuestras vidas. Como Dios está fuera del tiempo, celebramos Su nacimiento como un nuevo acontecimiento aquí y ahora. Esto es profundamente cierto en nuestra participación en la Eucaristía. Él viene a nosotros en cada Misa. Se ofrece total y completamente a nosotros cada vez que lo recibimos. Su entrega de sí mismo no es simplemente una comunión ceremonial, sino un verdadero compañerismo. Él quiere estar con nosotros en nuestras experiencias, en nuestras alegrías, en nuestras luchas. Él quiere experimentar todo lo que hacemos, ayudarnos a santificar nuestra vida diaria, santificar todo lo que hacemos y ayudarnos en nuestro camino al cielo. Con el gran regalo de Dios con nosotros, cuerpo, sangre, alma y divinidad, tenemos todo lo que necesitamos para vencer la tentación, resistir el pecado y perseverar en nuestro camino hacia el Cielo sin importar el caos, la lucha o la oscuridad que veamos en el mundo que nos rodea.

¡Este es un gran motivo de alegría! ¡Dios está con nosotros! No sólo de manera poética o simbólica, sino verdaderamente, espiritual y físicamente, ¡Dios está con nosotros! Espero y oro para que esta Navidad todos experimenten toda la gracia de la temporada, y que este tiempo de celebración renueve nuestra esperanza y alegría a medida que avanzamos hacia el nuevo año.

Suyo en el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús, Padre Saiki

EVENTS & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, December 25

NATIVITY OF THE LORD—CHRISTMAS

12:00 a.m. MISA DE GALLO (MIDNIGHT MASS)

9:00 a.m. Christmas Mass

+ Francisco Castillejos

OFFICE CLOSED

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26

SAINT STEPHEN

8:00 a.m. NO MASS No Adoration—No Habra Adoracion

OFFICE CLOSED

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27

SAINT JOHN, APOSTLE 8:00 a.m. NO MASS OFFICE CLOSED

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28

THE HOLY INNOCENTS

8:00 a.m. Mass + Mark Huppe 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Office Hours 7:00 p.m. — Baptismal Prep Class

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29

8:00 a.m. Mass Cancer Survivors 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. Office Hours

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30

4:00 p.m. Mass + Paul Serrano, Jr.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, & JOSEPH

8:00 a.m. Mass + Diane Bahr

10:00 a.m. Mass Parishioners of the

CATHEDRAL OF ST. PETER

12:00 p.m. Mass Elizabeth Delgado

JANUARY 1 SOLEMNITY OF MARY,

THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

(NOT A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

December 30

4:00 p.m. Fr. Pham
Lector: Julie Hawkins
Ministers: Deacon Wilson

Music: TBD

December 31

8:00 a.m. Fr. Pham
Lector: George Gallup
Ministers: Deacon Hill

Music: McKiernan/Von Fange

10:00 a.m. Fr. Saiki
Lector: Lisa Kelly
Ministers: Deacon Hill

Music: Taylor

12:00 p.m. Fr. Saiki

Lector: Patty Vela/Marisa Mamahua

Ministro: Diacono Pruneda

Coro: Martinez/Oregel

Collection for weekend December 17

Envelopes	\$2,774.00
Plate	\$1,721.55
Online Giving	\$847.60
TOTAL	\$5,343.15

SUPPORT THE CATHEDRAL BY SCANNING THE OR CODE AND OFFER A GIFT ONLINE!



PRAYER LINE

Parish Prayer Line number is 913-621-3315

SUNDAY READINGS:

-1st Reading: Sir 3: 2-6, 12, 14

-PSALM:

"Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways" "Dichoso el que teme al Señor"

-2ND READING: COL 3: 12-21

-Gospel/Evangelio: Lk 2: 22-4

FR. PHAM FAREWELL

Fr. Dominic Pham, who has been with us since the summer of 2020, will be moving his residence to a parish closer to KU Medical where he serves as chaplain. We are so grateful to Fr. Pham for his great generosity and kindness to us over the last three and a half years. We invite you to join us in thanking him and bid him farewell. This will take place on our Coffee and Donuts Sunday, December 31 after the 8 a.m. Mass.

(Note: We will be having our Coffee and Donuts after all our Mass Times on December 31)

El Padre Dominic Pham, que ha estado con nosotros desde el verano de 2020, trasladará su residencia a una parroquia más cercana a KU Medical, donde se desempeña como capellán. Estamos muy agradecidos al P. Pham por su gran generosidad y amabilidad hacia nosotros durante los últimos tres años y medio. Te invitamos a unirte a nosotros para agradecerle y despedirte de él. Esto tendrá lugar en nuestro fin de semana de Café y Donas el domingo 31 de diciembre después de la Misa de las 8 a.m.

(Nota: tendremos nuestro domingo de café y donas después de todas nuestras misas el día 31)

R.C.I.A

Interested in learning about the Catholic Church or have questions?

Come join others who desire to learn more about the Catholic faith. Class is Free and the Cathedral will supply the training materials. We meet every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. at the new parish office location 424 N. 15th.

If you are over 18 years of age, or have been Baptized but have not received either First Holy Communion or Confirmation; you are invited to join us for the RCIA program.

If you are interested or have any questions, please contact the parish office.

R.C.I.A

¿Está interesado en aprender sobre la Iglesia Católica o tiene preguntas?

Únase a otros que desean aprender más sobre la fe católica. La clase es gratuita y la Catedral proporcionará los materiales de formación. Nos reunimos todos los miércoles a las 7:00 p.m. en la nueva oficina parroquial ubicada en 424 N. 15th.

Si es mayor de 18 años, o ha sido Bautizado pero no ha recibido ni la Primera Comunión ni la Confirmación; Estás invitado a unirte a nosotros en el programa de RICA.

Si estas interesado o tienes alguna pregunta, comuníquese con la oficina parroquial.

DEAF MINISTRY INTERPRETED MASSES

January 1, Solemnity of Mary

10:00 a.m., St. Paul Catholic Church in Olathe 6:00 p.m., Most Pure Heart of Mary in Topeka

HEALING RETREAT FOR ADULT CHILDREN OF DIVORCE

Adult children of divorced or separated parents can come find healing at the Life-Giving Wounds retreat, January 12-14 at Savior Pastoral Center in Kansas City, KS. The weekend is presented by trained peer leaders and includes insightful talks, Reconciliation/Adoration, time for prayer and optional small groups. Limited scholarships are available upon request for residents of the Archdiocese of KCK! Spots are limited! Register today at: archkck.org/LGW Questions? Contact Brad DuPont at bdupont@archkck.org or 913-647-0301

RETROUVAILLE MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND

"Any divorce attorney will tell you that there are more divorce filings in January, than any other month. Hundreds of children in our diocese have no idea that this Christmas will be the last holiday that their family will ever spend together. Many times, a parent has started the divorce process prior to holidays, and waits patiently to serve their spouse after the holidays "for the kids". We all know someone like that." Now taking reservations for Retrouvaille's Marriage Enrichment Weekend in Kansas City! January 26-28 Register today at www.retrokc.com Registration closes January 25, 2024

Retrouvaille is a lifeline for marriages.......a program to help couples heal and renew their hurting marriages. The Retrouvaille Program is for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. A marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. A Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, where couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend. Primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect. Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love.

New Year Reflection and Planning Retreat

Middle School is a critical time for faith development! They need to see their church as vibrant, committed, and relevant. We have to answer their questions, meet them where they are at and earn the right to be heard. Please come share the day with us and our live band and painter, dialed in speakers, good food, and Mass. Who: Middle School Students of the Archdiocese and Area (& chaperones)

What: Jr. High Youth Rally 2024

Theme: "Transfigured"

When: Sunday, February 25, 2024; 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Doors open for registration and welcome at 8:30 a.m.)

Where: Prairie Star Ranch located at 1124 California Rd, Williamsburg, KS 66095 Cost: \$43/person which includes lunch (Two Guys & a Grill) Invoice will be sent upon registration. Non-refundable Friday, February 23. Transportation: Bus available for those in rural parishes (additional \$20/person).

More information Register at:

https://form.jotform.com/233485727661162

Registration deadline is:

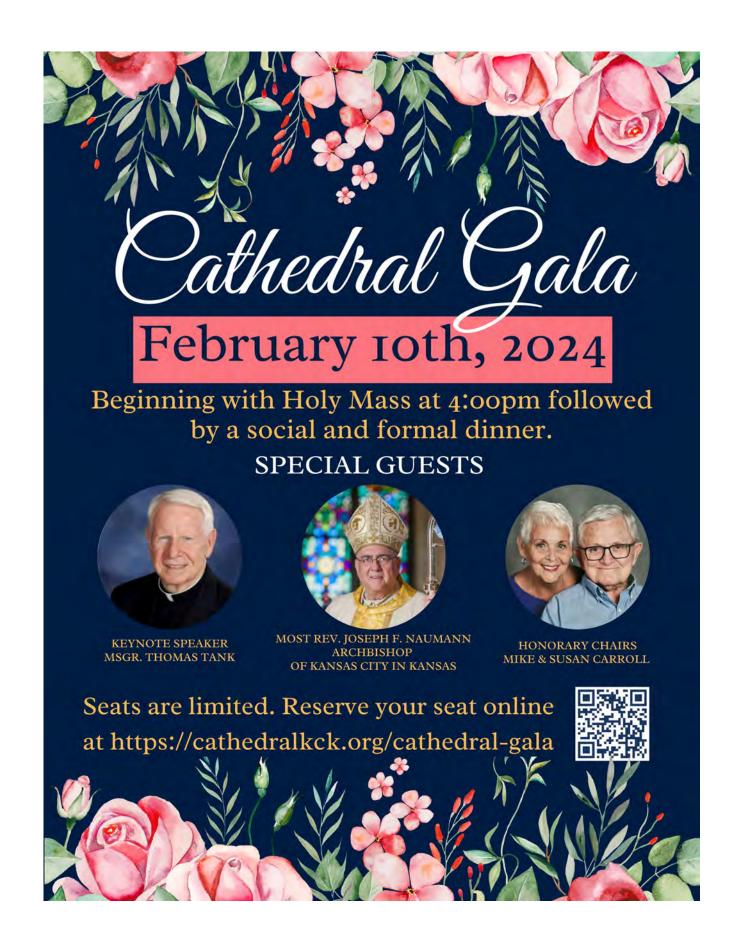
Thursday, February 22, 2024.

LIVING IN LOVE WEEKEND RETREAT

"Get the gift she won't want to return this year! Gift her a marriage retreat!" The Living in Love Weekend Retreat is back! Rediscover your marriage's joy and experience the wonder of being more in love when you join us for this incredible retreat presented by our friends at EverMore in Love. Whether you need to reconnect or you are looking to take your marriage from good to great, our in-person Weekend Immersion is for you. Plan your getaway together today! Register a https://archkck.org/family/marriage/livinginlove/What's the weekend all about? Questions?

Contact Brad DuPont: bdupont@archkck.org





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