



ST JOHN
THE EVANGELIST
CATHOLIC CHURCH

*OUR LADY
OF THE ROSARY,*

.....
PRAY FOR US!

WELCOME TO SAINT JOHN

Saint John the Evangelist, a Catholic Capuchin Franciscan Parish, welcomes all who are called to be disciples of Jesus Christ and proclaims His Gospel through prayer, worship, His Word, and the sacraments. Members, inspired by the Holy Spirit through faith formation and spiritual renewal, witness to the Gospel in lives of justice and charity, build up families and children through education, hospitality and fellowship, and serve those in need with compassion.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY CELEBRATED OCTOBER 30-31 AT ST. JOHN

Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in our October 30-31 collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

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Phone.....785-843-0109
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Monday-Friday8:30 am - 4:00 pm
After 2:30 pm please call staff members' direct extension.
Thank you.

Weekend Masses

Saturday.....8:00 am, 4:30 pm
Sunday7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am,
.....1:00 pm (Spanish), 5:00 pm

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday - Friday: 7:30 am; Friday 12:10 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

In the Padre Pio Chapel (inside the north church entrance)
Wednesday 11:00 am-12:00 pm
Saturday3:00 pm- 4:00 pm
Other by appointment

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PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Masses

Monday - Friday: 7:30 am
Friday: 12:10 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am,
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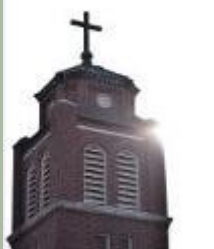
Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday: 11:00 am – Noon
Saturday: 3:00-4:00 pm
Or by appointment

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

Please contact the parish office for a registration form at **785-843-0109** or complete the online registration on the parish website: sjevangelist.com

WELCOME!



THANK YOU

To the brains and brawn behind
the Fall Fling 2021.

VALUE THEM BOTH PRESENTATION IN EUDORA

We would like to invite the members of your church to attend a short presentation on the Value Them Both Constitutional Amendment that will be held on **Wednesday, October 27 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Hall at Holy Family Catholic Church in Eudora.**



Passage of the Value Them Both amendment on August 2, 2022 will reverse the Kansas Supreme Court's ruling that has paved the way for unlimited abortion up

until the moment of birth in our state and paid for with our tax dollars. It will protect the pro-life laws that value both women and children and are saving 15 lives a day.

FOCUS MISSIONARY VISIT



The weekend of **October 23-24**, Father Eric Cadin will be visiting our parish on behalf of Fellowship of Catholic University Students (FOCUS). Fr. Eric is the Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Boston where he works to create a culture of vocations with parish youth groups, high schools, colleges, and young professionals. Fr. Eric grew up in Saint Francis Xavier Parish in South Weymouth where he attended the parochial school. He went on to the Roxbury Latin School and then Harvard College. He was ordained in 2012. FOCUS is a national organization serving college students on more than 180 campuses across the United States and five international locations. Almost 800 FOCUS missionaries on these campuses invite students into a relationship with Christ and His Church, while equipping them for a lifetime of Catholic evangelization. Fr. Eric is excited to be with you soon and share the hope of the New Evangelization! To learn more, please visit: www.focus.org.

VIRTUAL BROWN ROBE BENEFIT SATELLITE EVENT

Saturday, October 16 You are invited to a very special evening to celebrate the lives and ministries of the Capuchin Franciscans. Bring your phone to participate in the online auction bidding fun.

WHERE: St. John the Evangelist (Church basement), 1234 Kentucky St, Lawrence, KS 66044

TIME: 7:00 pm Doors Open Cocktails & Appetizers | 7:30 pm Online Silent Auction & Free Raffle Event Begins (drawings every 10 to 15 minutes) | 8:30 pm Brown Robe Virtual Event | 9:30-9:45 pm Online Silent Auction & Event Closes

COST: Complimentary

RSVP: Simon Parish Center **785-843-0109**,
TIME IS RUNNING OUT TO RSVP.

Event limited to 60 people. A reservation is needed to attend.

DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT (DEVELOPMENT & STEWARDSHIP)

St. John Church and School in Lawrence seeks a full-time Director of Advancement (Development & Stewardship). The Director will develop and ad-minister development plans to ensure the long-term viability of the Church and School. The Director will oversee all advancement activities necessary by building relationships with a broad range of parishioners, parents, alumni, volun-teers and community members. Candidates with three to five years of fundraising experience and bilingual (English and Spanish) are preferred. Please see full job description and requirements at:

www.sjevangelist.com. This position is eligible for an Archdiocesan benefits package. Position will be open until filled. Please send cover letter and resume to Fr. John Cousins at: frjohn@sjevangelist.com or mail to 1229 Vermont Street, Lawrence, KS 66044.

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ST. JOHN SCHOOL MIDDLE SCHOOL SHADOW DAY

Experience life as an Eagle!

4th-7th graders

Friday, October 22nd

Lunch Provided

Drop-off 8:15am

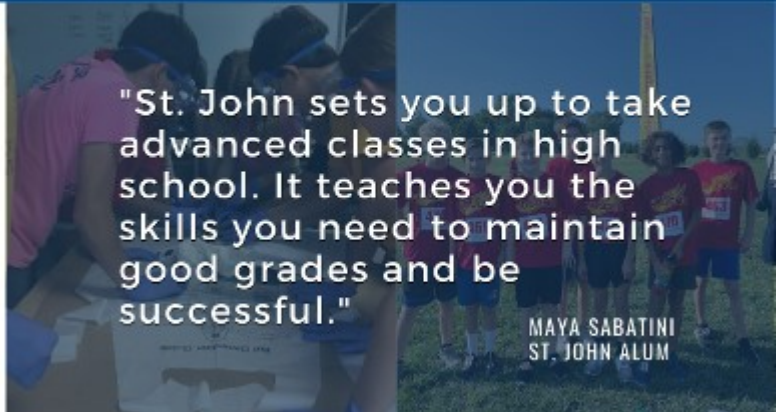
St. John Church Basement

Pick-up 2:30pm

St. John Church Basement

Open house, Q&A for parents

REGISTER ONLINE AT WHYSTJOHN.COM



DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE

BOOKENDS BEFORE/ AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Our Before and After School Care program is looking for staff members for our morning and afternoon shifts. Staff members will be responsible for the supervision of students. Staff members will need to be willing to help with homework, engage the students in fun activities, and provide consistent supervision. Before school hours are from 7:00 - 8:05 am and After school hours will be from 3:30-6:00 pm. We are looking for college students who might have flexible hours or someone who might want a part-time job and would love to have the opportunity to work with kids. If you are interested, please send your email: creffett@sj eagles.com.

SCHOOL MISSION

Faith-Knowledge-Service-Growth

All St. John Catholic School students will be challenged to grow in their faith and knowledge, learn to show respect and compassion for themselves and others, and live their beliefs through service in their community and the world.



St. John Catholic School
*Benefit
Auction*

11 NOVEMBER **13** THIRTEENTH **'21** YEAR 2021

ANNUAL ST. JOHN AUCTION

The Annual St. John Auction has been scheduled for **November 13**. We are currently in the process of gathering items to be auctioned. If you or someone you know would like to donate an item, please visit: sjevangelist.com/school/auction, call **785-842-3445**, or email: auction@sj eagles.com

FOCUS ON THE WORD

GOSPEL MEDITATION

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“What do you wish me to do for you?” Whether we realize it, this is a question God is always asking. It’s an important question because the answer we provide will reveal a great deal about where our hearts lie. Our requests of God can often appear very noble and altruistic. They consist of requests for healing for someone in need of prayers, successful resolution of a personal conflict, assistance in overcoming a disease and myriad other desires for both ourselves and others. We are especially concerned about those we love and can easily find ourselves bringing their struggles to God for a hearing in our prayer.

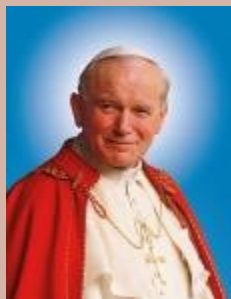
Is that really all that prayer is about? The woman in today’s Gospel, having been put in her place by Jesus, was only looking out for the wellbeing of her sons. She was doing what mothers do, protecting and securing the livelihood of her children. But she was sadly mistaken, her request was not granted. We all make this same misguided mistake from time to time. The goal of prayer is not to convince God of the worthiness of our agenda or to gain a hearing. Sometimes we believe that the more we multiply our prayers or discover the right combination

of supplications that we will receive more of God’s attention. That’s not how it works. Even though God desires to hear, know, and be an intimate part of what is on our minds, it goes much deeper.

What we need from God is a relationship. It’s a relationship that guides and immerses us in the very stuff of life and in the direction of the Gospel. This relationship sees God’s kingdom and agenda, not our own, as what is most important. It builds the strength of character necessary to bring God’s Gospel into a world that may not receive it with open arms. It may cause us discomfort and suffering. We are asked to heroically journey with God through suffering, hardship, ridicule, and even death! Ultimately, our desire from God must become our desire for God. It is only when this happens that the powerful words “thy will be done” will be found with sincerity and humility on our lips. Whatever God wishes becomes what we wish as we see this glorious union of wills. Our humble lives will then become powerful witnesses, and what happens to us in God’s eternal kingdom the result of his mercy. We become true servants and find ourselves discovering God’s definition of success. That definition has nothing at all to do with status, income, or privilege.

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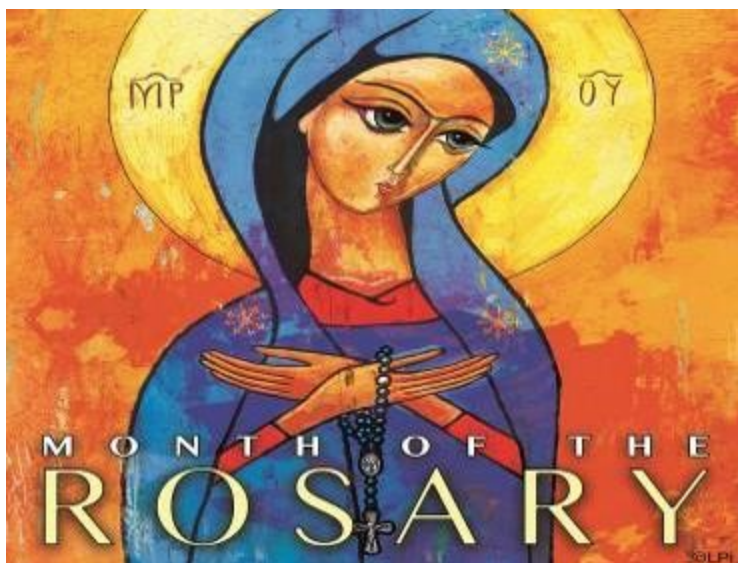
ST. JOHN PAUL II | FEAST DAY OCTOBER 22



St. John Paul II was born Karol Wojtyla in the small Polish town of Wadowice. During World War II, when the Nazis invaded Poland, Karol secretly studied for the priesthood in an underground seminary. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1946, appointed Archbishop of Krakow in 1964, and three years later he was made a cardinal. In 1978, he was elected the 264th pope, where he took the name John Paul II. St. John Paul II made evangelization a key part of his papacy and made pastoral visits to all parts of the world. In 1981, he was shot twice in an assassination attempt. Following Jesus’ example of compassion, he later met with his would-be assassin in his prison cell, where he forgave him for what he had done. St. John Paul II was well-known to be an active sportsman throughout his life, hiking and skiing well into his 60s. In 1992, his health began to decline, and it was later discovered that he suffered from Parkinson’s disease, a degenerative disorder of the central nervous system.

Near the end of his papacy, it became difficult for him to speak, and his poor health and physical suffering made public appearances difficult. Still, he continued his pastoral work. He died April 2, 2005, and he was declared blessed on May 1, 2011. He became a saint on April 27, 2014.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 17

Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

Monday: 2 Tm 4:10-17/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9

Tuesday: 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20-21/Ps 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 17 [8 and 9]/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1-3, 4-6, 7-8 [8]/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5]/Lk 12:49-53

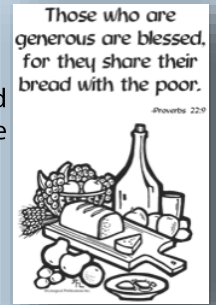
Friday: Rom 7:18-25/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 [68]/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

ST. JOHN LINK ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2021

Lawrence Interdenominational Nutrition Kitchen (LINK) is located at First Christian Church, 1000 Kentucky, and provides nutritious meals to 150 people in need. Our parish helps LINK by rotating with other Lawrence churches to furnish food and volunteers.



Name _____ Daytime Phone _____

Email _____ Evening Phone _____

FOOD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED CHECK MARK WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP

Chili - 11 batches of Chili. Each batch needs to feed 15 people. No need to bring it in a disposable pan. Simply go to LINK with your meal and volunteers will remove it immediately, you can take your pan/pot, and you are done.

I can make one batch I can make two batches

Vegetarian Chili or Casserole - 1 batch to feed 15 people. No need to bring it in a disposable pan. Simply go to LINK with your meal and volunteers will remove it immediately, you can take your pan/pot, and you are done.

I can make one batch

Bananas - 120 bananas needed. When you sign up to bring bananas, we ask that you bring 15 bananas.

I can bring 15 bananas I can bring 30 bananas

Salad - Be creative. Bring enough to serve 15 people.

I can bring one salad I can bring two salads

Salad Dressing

I can bring one bottle I can bring two bottles

Sliced Peaches - We need 4 large cans of sliced peaches.

I can bring 2 large cans I can bring 4 large cans

Green Beans

I can bring 1 can I can bring 2 cans

Shredded Cheddar Cheese - We need 5lb of cheese.

I can bring 1lb. of cheese I can bring 2 lbs. of cheese

Fritos - We need 5 large bags.

I can bring 1 bag I can bring 2 bags

Crackers - We need 3 boxes

I can bring 1 box I can bring 2 boxes

Return this form in collection plate or Parish Office, or contact: vickimcmurray1944@gmail.com

Bring items to the LINK kitchen located at First Christian Church, 1000 Kentucky, on **October 28 between 11:30 am and 12:00 pm.**

KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED CHECK MARK WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP

Help in the Kitchen - 5 volunteers needed.

11:30am-2:30pm-prep, serving and clean-up

**Can't help with
LINK this time?
That's okay because there
is another opportunity
coming up soon!**

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

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What's in it for me?

I think we've all been guilty of looking at a situation and wondering what's in it for us. It doesn't matter if it's a particular work assignment, someone at the parish asking for help with the mission trip bake sale, or your spouse asking if you'll take over the grocery shopping this week. Often, our first reaction to one of these requests is a heavy sigh and the thought: "If I do this, what will I get?"

Sometimes it surprises us to realize that the Apostles were no different. We tend to idolize these contemporaries of Christ as giants who walked with the Savior. But in reality, these individuals were merely human beings struggling to commit to the task of everyday stewardship.

In the Gospels, we see glimpses of them longing for praise and

affirmation. We see them jockeying for positions of power within the group of twelve. We see them expect earthly rewards like honor and admiration. We see them acting a lot like us.

But in the end, we see them transformed by the grace of God. Like all the saints, their holiness stems from their commitment to their call. They stumble through, and as they stumble, they keep trusting God. They keep turning to Him. They keep asking for help. They don't give up just because they keep failing at it.

We are defined by what we give when we have no hope of being reimbursed, rewarded, or recognized. The Apostles understood this, eventually, and they gave accordingly. Most of them gave their very lives.

Remember, they're just like us. If they can do it, we can too.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

PARISH PRAYER LIST

The "Prayer List" includes the most recent information that the Simon Parish Center has about a parishioner and/or their family member. Contact the Center to request someone for the "Prayer List."

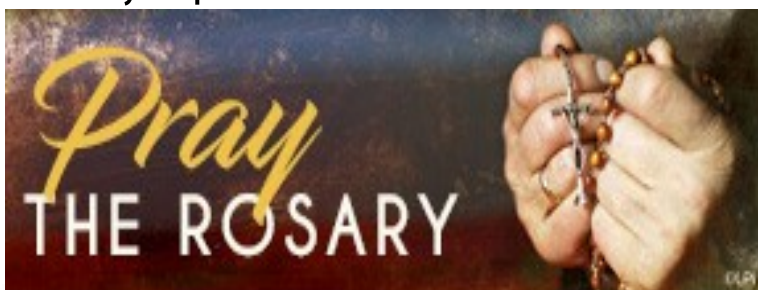
Thank you on behalf of the families of those individuals for whom we pray.

Steven Avila
Janice Badger
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Chris Besler
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Donna Callaghan
Bob Carlson
Jim Colson
Ricky Dalton
Hank Desch
Linda Erp
Sharron F.
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Joanne Feist
Colette Fisher
Lori Fleming
Linda Flyer
Danielle Foote
Mark Fortun
Janet Fox
Rudy Fritz
Michael Jay Gomez
Bonnie Griggs
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Lonna Hamm
Caeson Hatch
Christian Heady
Luke Henry
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Charles Hermann
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Maureen Hirt
Janet Ikenberry
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Augustus Nelson
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Danny Nguyen
Theophilus Obiefule
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Jeffrey Owens
Julie Patterson
Mike Reilly
Joel Rivera
Virginia Romero
Jon Rossillon
Greg Schurer
Carole Scott
Mary Kay Seidl
Pete Sethatut
Christine Shipley
Richard Short
Shawn Short
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Scott Smith
Linda Snyder

Joseph Soza
Cameron Stupansky
Jack Taylor
Deloris Tharp
Amelia Tinio
Fleda Umscheid
Oren Van Walleghem
Cindy Vasquez

Lou Volpe
Marilyn Wagnitz
Jeanette Walker
Ted Walker
Susan Williams
Jon Yarnell
Dena Yepa



OCTOBER 18 – OCTOBER 24

Mon.: 7:30 am.....Eileen & Leo Ellenbeckert
Tues.: 7:30 am.....Mary Vannicolat
Wed.: 7:30 am.....Jeffrey Owens
Thurs.: 7:30 am Jim Bensont
Fri.: 7:30 am.....Kent Beisnert
12:10 pmEnd To The Pandemic
Sat.: 8:00 amYouth of the Parish
4:30 pmFoster Care & Adoption Ministry
Sun.: 7:00 am Judy Gnibust
9:00amSouls in Purgatory
11:00 am.....Laura Carrikert
1:00 pm (Sp.).....Martha's Intentions
5:00 pmParishioners of St. John

EVERYDAY REFLECTIONS

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Psychics and Mediums

Are Catholics allowed to visit psychics? Why or why not?

It's part of human nature to experience some sense of unease and fear about the future. This can lead some people to seek out the services of psychics or consult horoscopes or turn to other occult practices or resources (e.g. Ouija boards or tarot cards). The Catechism of the Catholic Church is very clear that Catholics should avoid such practices: "Consulting horoscopes, astrology, palm reading, interpretation of omens and lots, the phenomena of clairvoyance, and recourse to mediums all

conceal a desire for power over time, history, and, in the last analysis, other human beings, as well as a wish to conciliate hidden powers. They contradict the honor, respect, and loving fear that we owe to God alone" (no. 2116).

Despite the uncertainties we might feel, we are called to have faith and trust in God, confident of God's desire for what is best for us. This means that we are called to surrender, to pray and to reflect on how we can best move into the future in hope, knowing that God is with us.

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SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL ACTION

By The Social Concerns for Peace and Justice Committee



Over the years, we've shared information with you in this column concerning the importance of climate care and sustainability. We've given you some practical information, but we're ramping that

up over the next several weeks. We'll start with concrete ways to live a more sustainable lifestyle. Then we'll get you some information about where sustainable products can be located/purchased, as many of them have not yet made their way into the mainstream marketplace, as they are newer and smaller companies, and methods of their manufacturing are constantly growing and changing. We hope you will find this information useful.

Ways to Live a More Eco-Friendly Lifestyle

6. Compostable cutlery and bowls

If you don't want to haul cutlery around and would rather get disposable plates, cups, and spoons, get compostable ones.

7. Carry your own containers for take-out

When you buy takeout, request to use your reusable containers instead of disposable ones. You can get stainless steel containers from camping supply stores so you have a good supply for your takeout.

8. Say no to plastic produce bags

Plastic bags are a huge mess for the environment. Buy a couple of environmentally friendly and reusable grocery bags. Throw in one in every bag you carry to work and in your car so you have one every time you go shopping.

9. Use eco-friendly cleaning cloths

Instead of using paper towels or disposable cloths go for eco-friendly wipe materials such as the compressed natural

cellulose sponges. Cloth towels are also great as they are reusable and totally green.

10. Get a safety razor

The US alone throws out 2 billion non-recyclable razors. Don't contribute to this waste. Use zero waste razors that are all-metal and have recyclable blades. You also get to spend very little to refill zero waste razors as compared to refilling plastic razors.

11. Stop using cotton buds

You only use cotton buds once and throw them out, right? Imagine how much plastic waste is accumulated through the use of cotton buds. Give them up for the sake of the environment.

12. Use plastic-free feminine hygiene products

There are some pretty good plastic-free options such as washable cloth pads and liners. Plastic-free pads and liners are made from organic cotton. The washable and reusable Diva Cup is also a great eco-friendly option.

13. Get some wire pegs for clothes

Plastic pegs are not only bad for the environment but snap easily anyway. Wire pegs are the better alternative even though more expensive than plastic ones. They, however, last so long you won't be replacing them in years to come.

14. Use eco-friendly cleaning products

Start buying non-toxic natural cleaning products instead of chemical-based products. Chemical-based products may clean your home faster but will greatly harm your family, pets and the environment. A few good brand options include Method, Seventh Generation, and Common Good.

15. Non-toxic beauty

Take care of your skin and save the environment by using non-toxic beauty products. Such products don't contain any chemicals, parabens, phthalates or genetically modified ingredients. 100% Pure, RMS Beauty, and Alima Pure are some great all-natural beauty brands giving synthetic makeup brands a run for their money.

CUENTO NÚMERO 5

Quando muchos carros, jinetes y caballos se hundieron en el mar (Éxodo 14, 15-31)

¿Han oído hablar ustedes del paso de los judíos por el mar Rojo? Eso sucedió hace muchísimos siglos, tantos, que ni me acuerdo de como sucedieron las cosas, pero algo si ocurrió y se los voy a contar tal y como me lo narró mi abuela, una vieja con poca ciencia de las ciencias, pero si con sabiduría de las cosas de los hombres y de los menesteres de Dios.

Un día, cuando yo era un chico muy chico, tomo la Biblia en sus manos y me dijo:

-Hubo un tiempo en que un pueblo, que se llamaba "Pueblo de Dios", estuvo cuatro siglos cautivo en una tierra denominada Egipto (porque allí viven los egipcios, gente que anda todo el día en camellos); país donde en cada esquina uno se tropieza con pirámides y faraones embalsamados, conocidos popularmente como "momias". Pues bien (¡quédate quieto y no te muevas tanto, si no, te quedas sin historia!), aquel pueblo trabajaba duro y parejo en Egipto, en las tareas más difíciles y menos gratas. Eran explotados por sus opresores y muy maltratados. Entonces, uno de sus cabecillas, de nombre Moisés, amaba mucho a los suyos y pensaba de qué modo podría liberarlos de tantas penurias. Eran mucho mas dolorosas que cuando a vos te vino el empacho y te retorciás de dolor de panza, o cuando te quebraste la pierna al caerte del potrillo que tu padre te había regalado y que se asustó por culpa tuya... ¿Te acuerdas? No voy a entrar en detalles, pues el cuentito saldría demasiado largo, pero el buen Moisés hablaba a cada rato con Dios, de modo tan fácil como habla mi prima con su vecina, doña Gladys, la peluquera... Palabra iba, palabra venia, charlaba seriamente con el Faraón, patrón de Egipto, y le dijo que diosito mandaba que se fueran de esa tierra y que debía dejarlos partir, sin oponerse. El Faraón grito algo parecido a: - ¡Rayos y centellas! ¡Me c... en tu diosito! ¡Aquí mando yo y se hace lo que quiero! ¡Ustedes son una manga de vagos que no quieren trabajar! Todo esto se lo decía de modo duro, y clavándole los ojos encima, sin pestañar. ¿Te das cuenta del julepe que habrá tenido Moisés, no? El Faraón dio órdenes a los capataces para que exigieran mas rendimiento a los pobres judíos. No les concedieron ni el derecho al pataleo ("a protesta" diríamos hoy...). Pero, apuro un poco la narración: Dios envió a Egipto una serie de plagas y pestes que ni te quiero contar lo que fue eso: ¡Como para alquilar balcones! Hubo de todo y en cantidad. Al final, el gran jefe egipcio, para sacárselos de encima, los dejo ir. Mas, al poco tiempo, se dio cuenta de que perdía mano de obra barata, ya que solo les pagaba con unos téis y unas galletas, mientras que los egipcios estaban protegidos por el Sindicato y cobraban más. ¡Entonces, los hizo perseguir con la caballería, los tanques y cañones! Dios les dijo a los judíos:

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EL DOMINGO DE LA MISIÓN MUNDIAL CELEBRADO DEL 30 AL 31 DE OCTUBRE EN ST. JOHN

El Papa Francisco invita a toda la Iglesia a apoyar a las diócesis en África, Asia, las Islas del Pacifico y partes de América Latina y Europa, donde sacerdotes, líderes religiosos y líderes laicos sirven a las comunidades más vulnerables del mundo. Por favor sigan orando por las misiones del Papa y sean generosos en la colecta de la semana entrante para la Sociedad para la Propagación de la Fe.

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CADA LUNES EN TODO EL AÑO

A las 8 de la noche rezamos el Santo Rosario, para pedir pos nuestras necesidades y por los que amamos; también si alguno de sus parientes fallece podemos hacer el novenario, nos vemos los lunes en LA CAPILLA DEL PADRE PIO, frente a las veladoras.

LA FE SE PUEDE ALIMENTAR

Hermano, a veces te sientes triste o con necesidad de Dios, ven yo te puedo acompañar a orar, nos podemos ver en la Iglesia o en la oficina. Estoy para ayudarte. Oro por todos, bendiciones María Mota.

Preparación al matrimonio por la Iglesia Católica, solo para parejas que viven juntos y tienen niños.

Adultos que necesitan los sacramentos de confirmación y primera comunión.

CATECISMO EN ESPAÑOL

Las Inscripciones son en agosto. Por favor para mas información llamar a Maria Mota.

CONFESIONES

Sábado de 3:00 pm a 4:00 pm y Miercoles de 11:00 am a 12:00 pm Habrá confesiones en español para quien lo necesite, y pueda recibir este sacramento.

LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 17 DE OCTUBRE

Domingo: Is 53, 10-11/Sal 32, 4-5. 18-19. 20. 22 [22]/Heb 4, 14-16/Mc 10, 35-45 o 10, 42-45

Lunes: 2 Tm 4, 10-17/Sal 144, 10-11. 12-13. 17-18 [12]/Lc 10, 1-9

Martes: Rom 5, 12. 15. 17-19. 20-21/Sal 39, 7-8. 8-9. 10. 17 [8 y 9]/Lc 12, 35-38

Miércoles: Rom 6, 12-18/Sal 123, 1-3. 4-6. 7-8 [8]/Lc 12, 39-48

Jueves: Rom 6, 19-23/Sal 1, 1-2. 3. 4 y 6 [Sal 40, 5]/Lc 12, 49-53

Viernes: Rom 7, 18-25/Sal 118, 66. 68. 76. 77. 93. 94 [68]/Lc 12, 54-59

Sábado: Rom 8, 1-11/Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6 [cfr. 6]/Lc 13, 1-9

Domingo siguiente: Jr 31, 7-9/Sal 125, 1-2. 2-3. 4-5. 6 [3]/Heb 5, 1-6/Mc 10, 46-52

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- ¡No griten más, manga de forajidos! (así me lo conto mi abuela), porque ellos tenían tal susto, que chillaban como corderos degollados. Luego, Moisés recibió instrucciones de Dios: - Levanta el bastón, extiende tu mano sobre el mar y vas a ver el milagro que te hago. Pero hazlo con mucha fe. Moisés obedeció. Sopló un viento fuerte, el mar retrocedió y quedo más seco que el bolsillo de un parrandero después de la fiesta. Las aguas formaban dos columnas, a la izquierda y ala derecha. Al ver esto, los muchachos buenos (los esclavos judíos) exclamaron: - ¡Vamos locos crucemos rápido antes que Dios se arrepienta, y nos ahogemos todos! Así pasaron, corriendo como galgos y batiendo todos los récords de la época. Enseguida, Moisés, que no era nada tonto, extendió la mano de nuevo sobre mar y... ¡flor de batahola se armó! Las aguas volvieron a su lugar, y, te podrás imaginar, que se ahogaron todos. Lo único que se oían eran gritos. Después, silencio. Salieron burbujitas a la superficie, y se podían ver los cadáveres de los perseguidores, los carros con las ruedas empantanadas, los tanques dados vuelta patas p'riba, y los cañones llenos de barro.... ¡No quedo ni uno!

¿Qué te parece? ¿Te das cuenta de que hay que estar con Dios para que las cosas vayan bien? Por eso te digo que tienes que portarte como Dios manda, porque si no, es posible que te pase lo mismo que a los egipcios.

Si te metes con los judíos, te va ir bastante mal. Son los primeros amigos de Dios. Al comienzo, los podrás reventar, pero tarde o temprano, el tiro te va a salir por la culata. Dios los protege y, te gusto o no, los seguirá protegiendo... Si quieres más información, pregúntale al Faraón, por teléfono, como les fue a ellos y, si necesitas más datos, llámale también a Hitler y a alguno de sus compinches. Ellos te iluminaran mas que yo.

-Héctor Muñoz

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASS

October is Pro-Life Month! Will you reject the Culture of Death? Most methods of contraception can cause an early abortion when they fail to suppress ovulation. The Couple to Couple League can teach you the modern and reliable Sympto-Thermal Method of Natural Family Planning—100% pro-life! In an effort to give practical help to married and engaged couples to find the joy of married life without the burden of contraception, a 3-part series of classes in the Sympto-Thermal Method of Natural Family Planning will start soon. You are encouraged to attend the course at **St. John the Evangelist extra building, 200 W. 13th St., on Friday, October 22, at 6:30pm.** A reasonable course fee is charged. You may call Shannon or John Rasmussen at **785-749-1015** for more info about these or other classes in the metro area. Visit: live-the-love.org to pre-register as required for these or online classes.

MASS OF INNOCENTS



Have you or someone you know lost a child or loved one during pregnancy or in early infancy? If so, Archbishop Naumann invites you to commemorate this loss at a Mass on **Sunday, October 24, at 1:00 pm, at Holy Spirit Parish in Overland Park.**

This annual Mass gives parents, grandparents, siblings, or other loved ones the opportunity to receive consolation, whether the loss was recent or many years ago. Even if you have not personally experienced this kind of loss, you are invited to join us at this Mass to support those who have. For questions or more info, contact Brad DuPont at **913-647-0301** or bdupont@archkck.org.

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MARCH FOR LIFE 2022 YOUTH PILGRIMAGE

Together We Stand for the Unborn: Abortion is the most significant human rights abuse of our time. Will you take a stand? Join us this year for the **March for Life in Washington DC January 19-23, 2022.** We will depart on January 19, after Mass with Archbishop then join him in Washington DC for the Vigil at the Basilica and the March & Rally at the Mall. Cost is \$415 and includes hotel and transportation. Please use this link to sign up your group. More details will follow registration. Please email Rick Cheek if you have any questions: youth2@archkck.org. **MFL Registration**



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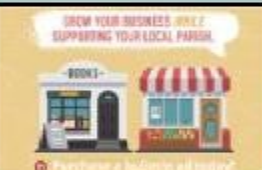
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