

SAIN JOHN PAUL II

CATHOLIC CHURCH

March 27, 2022



4th Sunday

O F L E N T

"He said to him, 'My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours.'" - Lk 15:31

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WEEKEND MASS

Saturday Vigil

4:00 PM

Sunday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM &

11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday-Wednesday

5:30 PM

Thursday-Friday

7:00 AM

CONFESSION

Located in Cry Room

Saturday

3:00-3:45 PM

Wednesday

6:00-7:00 PM

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Saint John Paul II Catholic Church is called to open doors to Jesus Christ through authentic witness in the home, joyful hope in worship, and fruitful service to our neighbors, offering the opportunity not to have more but to be more.

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Sunday, April 3 at 7:30 p.m.
St. Paul, 21650 W. 115th Ter.

Monday, April 4 at 7:00 p.m.
Holy Spirit, 11300 W. 103rd St.

Tuesday, April 5 at 7:00 p.m.
Prince of Peace, 16000 W. 143rd St.

Thursday, April 7 at 7:00 p.m.
Divine Mercy, 555 W. Main, Gardner

Sunday, April 10 at 3:00 p.m.
St. John Paul II

This Friday...

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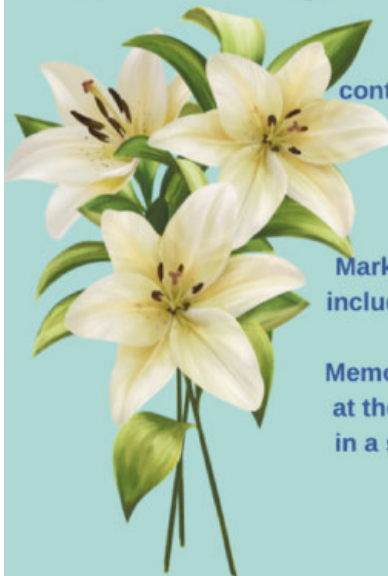
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Fried Cod, Grilled White Fish, Woodfire pizza,
homemade mac-n-cheese, coleslaw, & dessert.



Easter Flower Memorials



Memorialize your loved one by contributing to the Easter Flower Memorials. Flowers are purchased for our Easter celebration and will adorn our worship space.

Mark your envelope *Easter Flower Memorial*, include your donation and include the name(s) of whom you wish to memorialize. Memorials will be remembered in the intention at the 9 a.m. Mass on Easter Day and included in a special bulletin insert. Please place your donation in the collection basket or mail to the church office.

It's the Fourth Sunday of Lent also known as Laetare Sunday. *Laetare* is Latin for *rejoice*. Today marks the half way point of Lent. How are you doing on your Lenten obligation of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving?



"The starting point for 'missionary effort must be our attitude of reverence from the very essence of human nature' (John 2:25), a reverence for what is present in our innermost being concerning life's deepest and weightiest problems; it is reverence for the inner working of the Spirit, who 'blows where it will.' (John 3:8)"

— John Paul II

Taken from "On Our Pilgrimage to Eternity,
99 Sayings by John Paul II"



QUICK CALENDAR

Saturday, March 26

Vigil Fourth Sunday of Lent
4:00 pm † Betty Stuart

Sunday, March 27

Fourth Sunday of Lent
Laetare Sunday
7:30 am L/D KofC Members & their families
9:00 am The People of the Parish
11:00 am † Elwood Ehni

Monday, March 28

Fourth Monday of Lent
NO Mass

Tuesday, March 29

Fourth Tuesday of Lent
5:30 pm Anthony Heuertz

Wednesday, March 30

Fourth Wednesday of Lent
5:30 pm *Success of the Open Wide the Doors to Christ*
Capital Campaign

Thursday, March 31

Fourth Thursday of Lent
7:00 am † Paul Tuyen Trieu

Friday, April 1

Fourth Friday of Lent
Day of Abstinence
7:00 am Daniel Ecklund

Saturday, April 2

St. Francis of Paola, Hermit
Vigil Fifth Sunday of Lent
4:00 pm † Eric Natrass

Sunday, April 3

Fifth Sunday of Lent
7:30 am Increase of Vocations
9:00 am † Allan Davis
11:00 am The People of the Parish

Sunday, March 27

Second Collection for Ukraine at all Masses
10:00a RCIA, Conference Room
11:30a CYF Class, 1st & 2nd grades
6:00p CYF Class, 7th & 8th grades

Monday, March 28

7:00p Women of JP2 Meeting

Tuesday, March 29

7:00p Neocatechumenal Way, Social Hall
7:00p RCIA, Conference Room

Wednesday, March 30

6:00p Adoration & Benediction
6:00p CYF class, 7th & 8th grade
7:00p Resound, Conference Room

Thursday, March 31

7:00p Young Adults Group, Conference Room

Friday, April 1

5:00p KofC Fish Fry until 7p
6:00p Stations of the Cross
7:00p Neocatechumenal Way, Social Hall

Saturday, April 2

Catholic Charities Food Drive

Sunday, April 3

Catholic Charities Food Drive at all Masses
11:30a CYF Class, 1st & 2nd grades
4:00p Discipleship Presentation
6:00p CYF Class, 7th & 8th grades

Looking ahead...

- April 10:** Donuts & Coffee
- April 10:** 7th Grade Pre-Confirmation retreat to Benedictine
- April 10:** First Communion retreat
- April 10:** Lenten Penance Service
- April 17:** Easter Sunday
- April 21:** First Communion practice
- April 22:** St. Mary's Food Kitchen
- April 23:** Pietra Fitness
- April 24:** First Holy Communion at the 11a Mass
- May 8:** Confirmation Practice
- May 12:** Confirmation
- May 14:** Confirmation retreat to Prairie Star Ranch
- May 15:** Donuts & Coffee
- May 15:** Discipleship Presentation
- May 21:** George Rhodes Transitional Diaconate ordination
- May 21:** Pietra Fitness
- May 22:** Dcn. George Rhodes Transitional Diaconate Reception
- May 27:** St. Mary's Food Kitchen

Join our faith community - and more than 12,000 Catholic communities across the United States - in a transformative Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl from the vestibule or church office entrance.



As we begin our Lenten journey, reflect on how your prayers, fasting and almsgiving can guide you. As Pope Francis explains, these are "elements which, when lived sincerely, can transform life and provide a sure foundation for dignity and fraternity." How can practicing the Lenten pillars transform your life and the lives of our sisters and brothers around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



**VALUE
THEM
BOTH**



VOTE YES!

On August 2, 2022, we will have our chance to protect women and babies in Kansas by voting in favor of the VALUE THEM BOTH Amendment to our state constitution. VALUE THEM BOTH will allow us to:

- ♥ Protect current Kansas law, which prevents babies from being aborted up to the moment of birth.
- ♥ Prevent taxpayer-funded abortion and extreme procedures such as partial-birth and live-dismemberment abortions.
- ♥ Preserve safeguards that require the abortion industry to protect women with important clinic health and safety standards.

The abortion industry will pour millions into our state in an attempt to mislead voters. **We must show them that the people of Kansas VALUE THEM BOTH.**
VOTE YES on August 2nd, 2022!

ValueThemBoth.com
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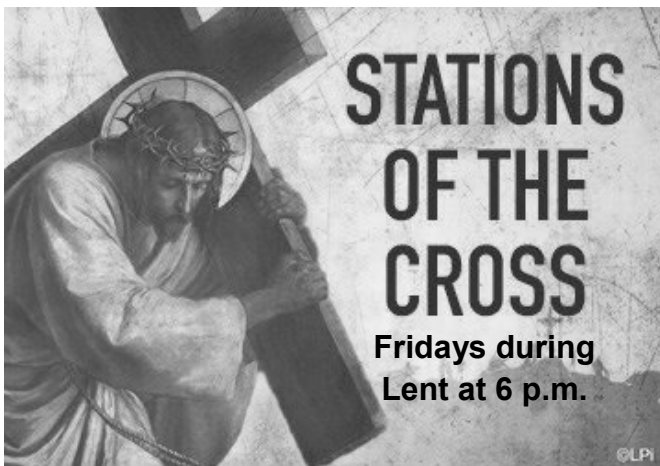
Did you notice that the church grounds and the roadway across from the church on Ridgeview look a little cleaner? Or maybe you noticed the pews and classrooms have a little shine to them?

If so, you have CYF Confirmation students to thank! Several students spent their Spring Break earning a few service hours by picking up trash, cleaning toys, cleaning pews and classrooms, and assisting with miscellaneous office tasks. Thank you for your time of service to the church!

Value Them Both action cards available soon!

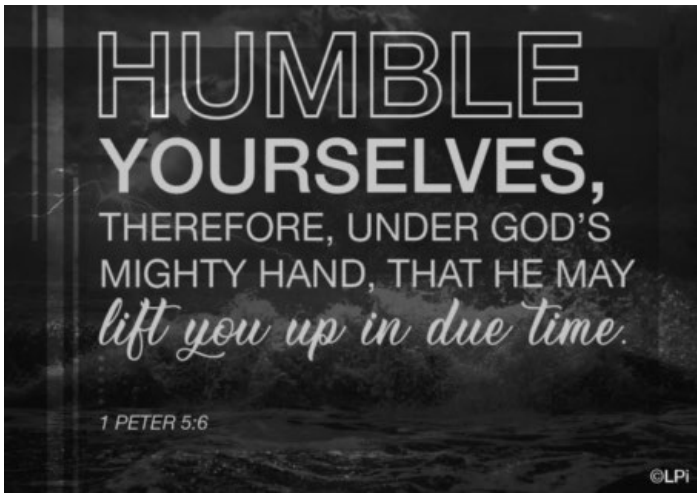
The action card is your way of requesting a yard sign, bumper sticker, and also your chance to volunteer with the Value Them Both initiative!

Our parish will host a Value Them Both speaker in June. More details to come!

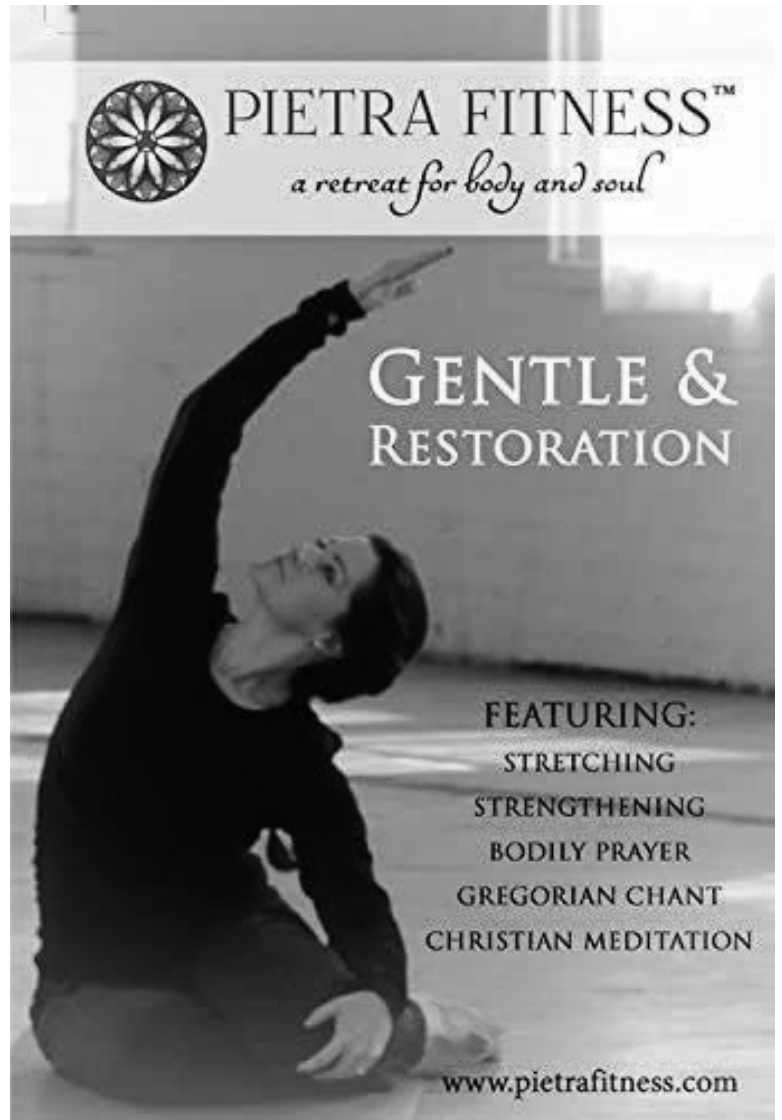


«IT IS NECESSARY TO MAKE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES LIKE THE HOLY FAMILY OF NAZARETH THAT LIVE IN HUMILITY, SIMPLICITY AND PRAISE. THE OTHER IS CHRIST.»

Join us during Lent for a series of talks from missionaries from the Neocatechumenal Way. Meetings are Tuesdays & Fridays at 7:00 p.m. in the Social Hall. The talks last about one hour. All adults and youth are invited.



Have you ever given thought to the fact that you are an “ambassador for Christ?” An ambassador is an accredited diplomat and official representative. We are asked to be ambassadors for Christ and his message of reconciliation. Within each one of us is a prodigal son who realizes the need to return home, an elder brother who struggles with entitlement and self-pity, and a forgiving father who simply wants to celebrate love. Realizing that all of these things are operative in our hearts, we can bring credibility to God’s ministry of reconciliation. Genuine witnesses are those who not only recognize their need for wholeness, mercy, and forgiveness but also their tendency to be over self-focused and stubborn. Then, discovering freedom from all that binds them, they can then extend the love they have received to others. These ambassadors embody unity, mercy, and reconciliation and can look on others with deep compassion because they know what it is to walk in their shoes. Can God count on you to deliver this message? ©LPI



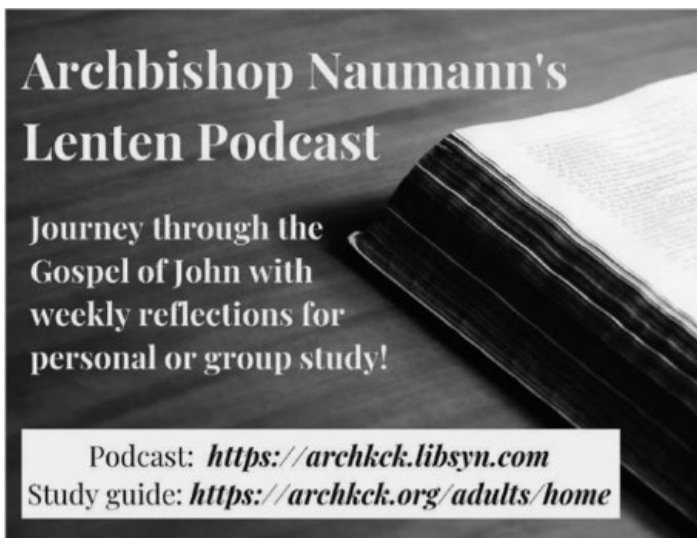
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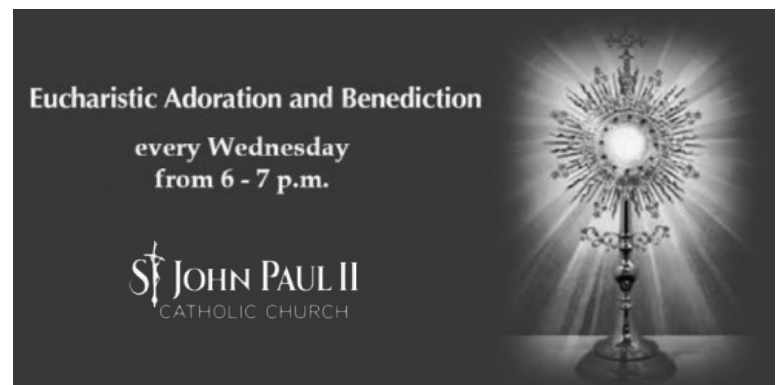
The Women of JP2 invite all women of the parish to attend an upcoming Pietra Fitness class on April 23, May 21 and June 18 beginning at 10 a.m. in the Social Hall. All fitness levels welcome! The cost is \$10 per session.



Archbishop Naumann's Lenten Podcast

Journey through the Gospel of John with weekly reflections for personal or group study!

Podcast: <https://archkek.libsyn.com>
Study guide: <https://archkek.org/adults/home>



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UPDATE TO FAMILY INFORMATION?

Have you recently had a baby, moved to a new address, got a new phone number or email address? These changes may be made through our website at jp2kc.org. See "Update Parishioner Information" under the **Connect** tab.

SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Please see our website (jp2kc.org) for information regarding the following sacramental needs.

Becoming Catholic	Mass intentions
Funeral	New parishioner
Infant baptism	Religious education
Marriage	Sacramental emergency

Thank you for your commitment to St. John Paul II Parish. Our parish operations are sustained by your generosity. In order to maintain stability and fulfill our parish's mission, we need your consistent financial support. St. John Paul II Parish offers the following giving options:

- Automatic Bank Withdrawal (ACH) - the form to sign up is found at JP2KC.org under the Give menu.
- Online Giving via checking/savings account or credit card - these donations can be recurring or one-time.
- USPS Mail to the Parish Office (18335 W. 168th Terrace, Olathe, KS 66062).
- Text-to-give (833-979-1388) Normal text message rates from your carrier may apply.
- Visit GIVE at JP2KC.org for complete details on all of these giving options. Thank you for your commitment to our parish!

The Archdiocese remains committed to investigating any allegation of abuse of a minor made against any member of the clergy or any Church employee or volunteer — no matter the age of the incident or the current age of the victim. If you suspect abuse, immediately report to civil authorities: (1) Call the Kansas Protection Report Center at (800)922-5330 or report online at Reporting Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of Adult and Child - Prevention and Protection Services (ks.gov). (2) Contact law enforcement if anyone is in immediate danger or injured. If the suspected abuse involves a cleric, employee, or volunteer of the Archdiocese, call the Archdiocesan Report Line at (913) 647-3051 or visit archkck.org/reportabuse. **We care about survivors of abuse.** Victim Care Advocate: (913) 298-9244.

Catholic Charities Food Drive

APRIL 2 & 3

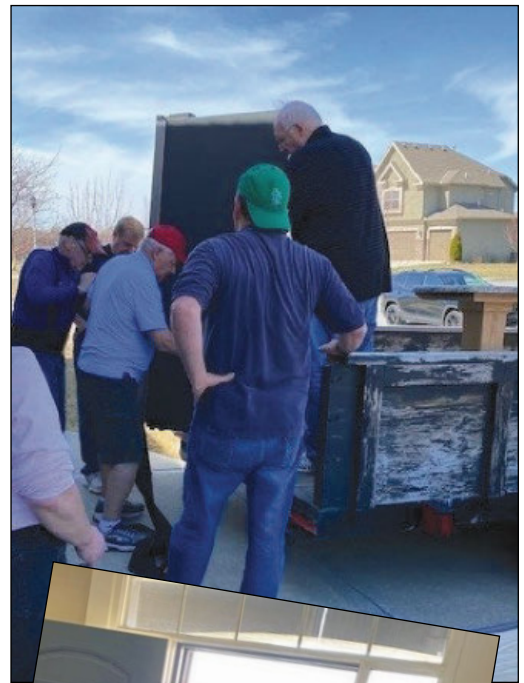
Bring your food donation to Mass and place it in the food truck parked in the parking lot!

Thank you in advance for your generosity!



This is Catholic Charities' list of preferred food donations:

- **Canned Food:** Vegetables, Soup, Stews, Fruit, Peanut Butter, Beans, Tuna, Chili, Canned Chicken, Canned Salmon, Canned Beans, *preferably low-sodium items*.
- **Boxed and Bagged Food:** Cereals (preferably whole grain and low sugar content), Crackers, Macaroni and Cheese, Flour, Pasta, Pancake Mix, Rice (brown, white or basmati), Sugar, Breakfast items, Snack Bars, Gluten Free items, Dry Beans, Nuts.
- **Toiletries:** Toothpaste/toothbrush, Toilet Paper, Shampoo, Body Soap, Deodorant.
- **PROHIBITED:** No Homemade food items. No Glass jars please as they can break during handling. No food items that require refrigeration.



Thank you to everyone who helped last Sunday afternoon to move large items from the former rectory on Lind Rd. to the new rectory adjacent to the church on Ridgeview Rd.





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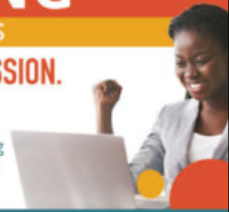
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