

Welcome to

Holy Trinity Parish

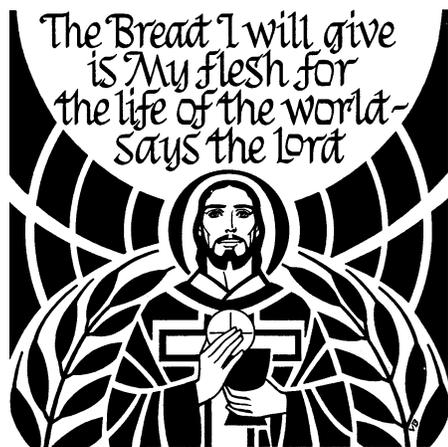
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Twelve Apostles Parish

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 12, 2018



The Letter to the Ephesians urges us to be mindful that part of our life together in the Eucharist means being kind to one another, compassionate and forgiving, just as Christ has forgiven us. What can we do this week to show our kindness, compassion and forgiving attitude toward others in our family of faith? How can we be even better stewards of our faith community as, what St. Paul refers to as "Imitators of God?"

International Catholic Stewardship Council E-news July 2018

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday 5:00 PM – Twelve Apostles Church
Sunday 7:30 AM – Holy Trinity Church
9:00 AM – Twelve Apostles Church
10:45 AM – Holy Trinity Church

Weekday Mass times are listed inside the bulletin.

Confessions heard: Saturdays: 3:15-3:45 PM at Holy Trinity; 4:15-4:45 PM at XII Apostles; & anytime by appt.

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the pastor, preferably before going to the hospital, to receive this Sacrament.

Parish Staff:

Father Steven C. Rogers - x203, pastorHT-XII@kc.rr.com
Mrs. Julie Hoffman, Office Manager - x201, secyHT-XII@kc.rr.com
Mrs. Katie (Troup) Daughtrey -x304, Director of Child and Youth Faith Formation: ymht-xii@kc.rr.com
Mrs. Elaine Wright/Judy Sloan, Child Care Coordinators (offered during 7:30am & 10:45am Masses at Holy Trinity)
Ms. Jenn Swanson, Secretary - x202
Mr. Gary Loveless, Holy Trinity Janitor
Mrs. Maureen Vernon, Parishes' Safe Environment Coordinator

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected *sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult* to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816.812.2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact Victim Advocate Kathleen Chastain at 816.392.0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

Office Hours: M, W, Th, F – 9AM-Noon, 1-4PM (closed Tuesdays); PSR Office Hours: M & W–10AM-Noon, 1-4PM
Bulletin deadline: 8am Wednesday. Please notify us of change of address, phone, email, etc.

New Parishioners: Welcome! Holy Trinity and Twelve Apostles have been serving the northern Platte County area since 1842 and 2008, respectively. **We welcome all guests and newcomers to our parish families!** Newcomers are asked to register at the earliest opportunity. Forms are available in the back of church or from the parish office. We look forward to knowing you!

Is A Wedding or Baptism in Your Plans? Congratulations! Remember: sacramental preparation is required prior to these events. You must be a registered parishioner for the past year or have a letter from your previous pastor before dates are scheduled.

Weddings: Parishioners wanting to be married should contact Fr. Rogers nine months in advance.

Baptism: Expectant parents should contact the parish office comfortably prior to the baby's birth for baptism preparation.

First Penance/Eucharist, Confirmation: Children preparing for these sacraments must have completed the prior year of religious education.

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 12, 2018
Readings: p.197 in *Breaking Bread***

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 11

5:00pm--XII +Diane Smitko

Sunday, August 12

7:30am-HT +Mary Kay Vossler

9:00am--XII Parishioners of Twelve Apostles & Holy Trinity

10:45am-HT +John Bollin

Feast of the Assumption Masses: holy day of obligation

Tue, Aug. 14, 6:00pm-XII **NO VIGIL MASS**

Wed, Aug. 15, 6:30AM--XII Private Intention

Wed, Aug. 15, 7:00pm--HT +Ed Chomicki

Thu, Aug. 16, 6pm-XII Private Intention

Fri, Aug. 17, 8am-HT +Audrey Decha

Saturday, August 18

5:00pm--XII Private Intention

Sunday, August 19

7:30am-HT Parishioners of Holy Trinity

9:00am--XII Parishioners of Twelve Apostles

10:45am-HT +The DeMeo Family

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is Wed., August 15 & is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times above.

DIOCESAN LIFE AND JUSTICE CAMPAIGN:

There will be a second collection **NEXT weekend, August 18-19**, for the Diocesan Life and Justice Campaign. This diocesan office educates, advocates, and evangelizes regarding human rights and respect life issues, according to the social teachings of the Church. In addition to offering resources to parishes, the office works collaboratively with other Catholic agencies and other organizations on anti-poverty efforts & other issues, both domestic & overseas.

New Director of Child & Youth Faith Formation:



Announcing Katie Troup Daughtrey, serving in a new position for both of our parishes, as the Director of Child and Youth Faith Formation. For ten years, Katie has fruitfully directed the active and dynamic program at XII Apostles, in addition to overseeing sacramental preparation for Confirmation & 1st Communion and has blessed us with youth ministry. During her tenure Katie has guided the tremendous growth in the program and devoted her remarkable gifts to helping our youth to grow & develop holy, happy & healthy relationships with God, the Catholic Church, other youth, and the community at large.

Katie cultivates hospitality, warmth and welcoming spirit in everything she does. Katie is creative, delightful, kind, joyful, & devoted to children & youth. It is good news that Katie will now expand her service and care to the enrichment of both parish programs. Let us congratulate & welcome Katie by becoming a member of her team to enrich & continue the unique & impressive programs we provide for our children & youth!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

"Men's Bible Study" continues at Holy Trinity. We meet on Mondays at 7pm in the parish hall. All men are invited; come as you are able. For information, contact Jim Sullivan at 816-213-5468 or sullivan500@gmail.com



Women of Faith Group are now reading "*Walking with God—a Journey Through the Bible*" by Time Gray & Jeff Cavins. Join the Women of Faith Group book club at 8:30am Wednesday mornings at Holy Trinity while we read & discuss together. Come as you are able!

Attention Parents, Grandparents, & anyone interested in volunteering with the children of our parish!

We will have a Virtus: Protecting God's Children class at XII Apostles **Saturday, September 8, following the 5pm Mass.** This is a required class for anyone wanting to volunteer with our children. Also highly suggested for parents & grandparents. Sign up at www.virtusonline.org. The class will take about 2 hours. ???'s Contact Katie D. at ymht-xii@kc.rr.com

Relationships:

A relationship is an art where someone gives and someone receives; beauty is created when those roles reverse. A relationship with God is a beautiful thing. God gives, we receive. Relationships with others flourish when we are willing to give as much as we have received. Together, let us create something beautiful for our children and youth. Together, let us help them to receive the greatness of God and the Holy Catholic Church by offering our gifts, blessings, witness, challenges & our humanity to guide them on their faith journey. Giving what we have received creates beauty.

Involvement is a powerful expression of faith and a tremendous way to belong & to serve God & neighbor. Both of our parishes provide unique & impressive religious education programs for children. Our mission is to continue sharing the many blessings of God has given us. We need teachers, coaches, catechists, angels in progress, compliant novices, lovers of liberty & curmudgeons on the verge of conversion, old & new alike, to facilitate learning & growing.

We need YOU! God is talking— are you listening? Don't hesitate. Don't think—DO! Today! Join God's team NOW! Get your name on the right list.

Contact Katie Daughtrey at ymht-xii@kc.rr.com or 640-2206 x304, say "Yes! I want & will be involved."

PSR REGISTRATION: Registration for our Parishes Schools of Religion (PSR) will take place after Masses on **August 11/12.**

PSR Classes are offered for children Pre-K (year before Kindergarten) through 8th grade, **Sundays, 9-10:30 am at Holy Trinity, & 10:20-11:30am at the Northland Career Center for XII Apostles, beginning Sunday, September 9.**

Please stop by the table on the bricks (HT) or in the narthex (XII), or go to www.holytrinitycatholic.org/psr or www.twelveapostlescatholic.org to register online. Register by August 12 to get a discount, & so that we will have a book ready for your child on Sept. 9!

HOLY TRINITY NEWS

Quilting-Sewing Guild: Will not be meeting in August.

Knights of Columbus Council Meeting: Thursday August 16 at 7pm in the Parish Hall.

Holy Trinity Grounds Commission— a group of 5 or more saints/sinners needed to oversee upkeep & weekly maintenance of the hallowed grounds of Holy Trinity.



Later this summer into early fall, Horticultural Impressions will complete an extensive landscaping project around the parish hall, office, & church entrance. This will include new plants & other features that will accentuate our beautiful church property. We will need faithful stewards to tenderly care for the grounds & provide assistance to the professional care crews in watering, weeding, annual planting, debris maintenance, caring for the continued health of the lawns, tending to the fountains & waterfall, entrance gardens, St. Francis memorial garden & general upkeep of all plantings on church grounds. **Interested? Call the Parish Office.**

We want to say thank you to all who worked so hard to make the Ice Cream Social a success!

Overall chair: Molly Mathews

Food: Tom Vece, Bingo: Terry Morrison

Country Store: Lori Mathews, Silent Auction: Diane Stir

Kid's Games: Elaine Wright

A very big THANK YOU to everyone who donated prizes, purchased raffle tickets & worked the different events. Without your support each year this event could not take place. It is an opportunity to help the parish with a monetary donation (net proceeds will be in the range of \$6000) but more importantly an opportunity for fellowship & just a plain old good time. Thanks to everyone who attended & supported our efforts!

The winners of the raffle were:

1st prize—\$1000—Jesse Coleman

2nd prize—50lbs of Beef— Karen Jacobs

3rd prize--43" TV— Russell Martin

4th prize-quilt—Jim & Kathy Hall

5th prize--\$100 Walmart giftcard—Meyer Hoffman

Congratulations!



Remaining ice cream will be available for purchase after Masses this weekend.

Communion Minister Training to the Sick & Homebound
Saturday, September 29 8:30am-12:30pm
At the Catholic Center

Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving

Holy Trinity & XII Apostles Parishes remind you that we offer electronic giving as a way to automate your weekly offering. As you contemplate future contributions, consider electronic giving. Forms & info are available from the Parish Office, forms are available in the vestibules, or you can sign up at holytrinitycatholic.org or twelveapostlescatholic.org.

International Pilgrim Virgin Statue in the KC-SJ Diocese
(Sponsored by the World Apostolate of Fatima)
Monday, August 13, 2018
St. Therese North, 7207 NW Hwy 9, KCMO 64152
From: 7:30am - 7pm, Mass time: 8:30am

TWELVE APOSTLES NEWS

Parish Council Meeting: Monday August 13 at 7pm.

Mercy in Motion: THANKS to all who have volunteered their unique gifts to be a part of the Community of Caring at Twelve Apostles! Volunteers are ready & willing to also help with emergency yard work, pet care & home repairs; errands & household tasks & cleaning; assistance & support while you or a family member is hospitalized; support for those who are family caregivers; friendly visits; & help with access to community resources! If YOU have a need we are ANXIOUS to help! Fill out a pew card & place in the collection or box in the Narthex; email MercyinMotionXii@gmail.com or call 816-225-4274.

Annual St. Joseph Life Day Walk, Vigil & Rally

Sunday, October 7 at 2pm

Bishop LeBlond High School in St. Joseph, MO

go to Facebook @LifeDayStJosephMissouri for more info.

Important Dates

Open House

November 8, 2018
3:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Financial Aid Deadline

December 17, 2018

High School Placement Test

December 15, 2018
8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Shadow Days

October thru March
Monday, Tuesday, Friday

Contact Missy Little @ 453-3450 x116
to schedule a Shadow Day

Visit www.stpiusxhs-kc.com
for a calendar of events.

**2018 ST. PIUS X
2019 HIGH SCHOOL**



Warrior Proud

Blue Mass

9am Sunday, September 30

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception

We invite those in law enforcement, firefighters, and emergency responders throughout the diocese to a Blue Mass. The day after their patron saint St. Michael.

KATIE'S CORNER YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS



Youth Group: Grades 6-12

Join us for board games August 26, 1:30-3pm at Holy Trinity. We will have a large collection from 90's classics to games of today. Come join in on the fun!

Keep an eye on your mailbox - the fall schedule will be coming out soon. Fun activities coming this fall: Applefest Fundraiser, KCYC Conference (high schoolers), Cookie Sale Fundraiser, Christmas Party, and MORE!

Confirmation program:

Classes begin in 2 WEEKS! The first session is August 26. Register online before then -www.holytrinitycatholic.org/confirmation or www.twelveapostlescatholic.org/confirmation.

Register by **August 12th** to get the early bird discount!

The 1st session needs to be attended by the candidate, at least one parent, & the sponsor. August 26, 3-5pm at Holy Trinity.

**Rachel's Vineyard: Healing the Pain of Abortion,
One Weekend at a Time**

There are many post-abortive women & men in our churches today who live in silent torment. They believe that if their friends knew what they had done they would be rejected & condemned. Yet, Jesus' heart is moved & He has pity upon them as they suffer in pain & grief. If you or someone you know is suffering from an abortion decision, discover Jesus' merciful heart which brings peace & comfort. Rachel's Vineyard retreats are all about healing the pain of abortion. The next KC retreat is October 26-28, call (816) 679-4973 or rvkcmo@gmail.com for confidential information & to **start healing**.

World Wide Marriage Encounter Weekend

How many hours have you devoted to making your marriage the best it can be? Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and give your relationship the attention it deserves.

Weekends in KC are: **August 24-26 and September 14-16.**
For info/apply, www.wwme4youandme.org, or 816-741-4066

Offerings from the Sophia Center, Atchison KS

**Coffee and Silence: A Prayerful Day Away
Friday, August 17, 9:00 am-4:00 PM**

Before summer slips away, come enjoy a day of prayer and reflection at Sophia Center in Atchison, Kansas! Treat yourself to a day of silent prayer, reading, contemplative walking, and rest. Coffee will be provided; bring a sack lunch & enjoy a prayerful day away!

For info/register, 913-360-6173 or sophiaspiritualitycenter.org.

Save the Date: **October 4, 2018**

Vision 2020: See What We Can do Together
Annual Banquet Benefiting

the Parkville Women's Clinic & the Mission for Life.

At the Brass on Baltimore—catered by Garozzo's Ristorante

For more information go to : PWC4life.us
816-746-4855

**Holy Family Knights of Columbus 6th Annual
Car Show & Breakfast Saturday, August 25, 8am-noon.**

A family-friendly community event. The Ladies Auxiliary will hold a bake sale & there will be a free train rides for the kids!

Breakfast will be served for a good-will donation:
Bacon & Eggs; Biscuits & Gravy; Sausage & Hash Browns;
Pancakes & Fruit; Coffee & Juice

All donations will benefit Knights of Columbus charities

If interested in participating in the car show, no pre-registration is necessary.

"Coping with Life Alone" - Peer-To-Peer Grief Support

"*Coping with Life Alone @*" is a grief support program that meets each week for 7 weeks. The program helps those who have lost a love relationship due to death, divorce or separation, move through the experience of grief and loss into a future with renewed hope.

Upcoming program dates and location:

Kansas City, MO—**Sundays, September 9—October 21**, at St Patrick Church, lower level. 1357 NE 42nd Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64116. Sessions will be from 2:00-4:00 pm. Contact Donna at (816-305-3760), for info & registration.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS & VISITORS!

Welcome to Holy Trinity & Twelve Apostles! If you are just visiting, we pray that you have a wonderful visit and a safe return journey. If you are new to our parish, please take a moment to introduce yourselves and register with us.

Registration forms are available in the vestibule of the churches or from the parish office (816-640-2206).

THRIVE MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Engaged couples: Remaining dates for 2018 —
September 21-23, & November 9-11
(locations TBD).

Register at www.kcsjfamily.org/thrive. \$200 per couple (fulfills steps 3, 4, & 5 of the marriage prep process).

Help us keep God's house in order

Tissues and bulletins are sometimes left behind in the pews; missalettes are sometimes not put back in order. Cereal, crackers, or other snacks are often found on the seats and the floor after Masses – we welcome our little ones who are kept busy & quiet by these means, but we ask all to please be considerate of those who are coming to Mass after you and those who clean our spaces. Help us keep God's house in order by checking the space around you before you leave. Thank you!

**Nature's Call Campout—Largest Catholic Campout
sponsored and supported by City on a Hill (young adults)**

Where: Hickory Ridge Marina, Pomme De Terre Lake
When: August 31st - September 3rd **Cost:** \$20
What to bring? This event is BYOE: Bring your own everything. This includes food, camping supplies, boats & water gear. See naturescall.camp for more details. We encourage attendees who have camping gear to carpool or group up with individuals who might not have a tent or other supplies. Events over the weekend include Mass, confessions, watermelon water polo, pick up sports, cliff jumping, an iron chef competition, boating, jam sessions and a live band.

Questions, email naturescallcampout@gmail.com.

**Bow Ties for Babies—Alexandra's House Gala
October 5**

Have you or do you know someone who may be pregnant & know their baby will die during pregnancy or soon after birth due to a prenatal diagnosis, or has a newborn & has received a terminal diagnosis? Are you a family who has experienced an unexpected loss of a child due to miscarriage, fetal demise, stillbirth, SIDS, or any cause? There is a place in KC known as Alexandra's House & offers healing & support for parents & families, free of charge, during pregnancy & after the death of a child. To help support this nonprofit & its services, the Friends of Alexandra's House hosts a gala called Bow Ties for Babies.

This year's event will be held on October 5 at the The Venue in Leawood with a silent & live auction and dinner. Tickets are \$150 per person.

Visit bowtiesforbabies.com or call 913-486-9788. Visit www.alex&rashouse.com to learn about our ministry.