

[Jesus] said to the crowd,
"Take care to guard against
all greed, for though one may
be rich, one's life does not
consist of possessions."

LUKE 12:15

Remember This

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Remember this: Jesus said, "one's life does not consist of possessions." But, if not that, what then?

Think back upon your memories: the first warm day of spring, when the fireworks of new life exploded upon you; laughing so hard that your sides hurt, and you and your friends could not stop laughing even to breathe; walking barefoot in the dewy grass; your best friend telling you you're best friends; learning to finally ride a bike no-handed and thinking that you moved up a rung on the ladder of awesomeness; the first time you dared to risk reaching for the hand of someone you discovered you liked more than anyone else; the unbelievable wonder at the birth of your child; making googly faces at a burbling baby, and the baby googling back; your child snuggling into

bed with you at two in the morning because she's frightened by the thunderstorm; talking with friends on and on into the night and wishing it could go on for forever; a cold beer, the reward for cutting the grass on a dizzying summer afternoon; being young with an abundance of dreams of what might be; growing old and thinking life was worth it all.

Remember this: there is so much more to life than one's possessions. We all know this, and yet we forget. Perhaps in forgetting, we might be surprised again and again by the beauty of what cannot be purchased and so recognize the loving touch of our God. ●

Reflect

***What is more important to me than possessions?
Does my life reflect this?***

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St. Mary's Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
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Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 18760 Rogers Road, Atchison KS 66002

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Sacraments

Reconciliation Saturday & Sunday 30 min before Mass, Wednesdays 6-7pm St. Joseph
Marriage Six-month notice required
18 months if annulments needed
Anointing Please let us know of any hospital admissions
Baptism For Baptismal dates call the office;
one Baptismal Class required

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sat.	Aug 2	5:00 pm	Corpus Christi
†	Carl and Joan Noll		
Sat.	Aug 2	7:00pm	St. Joseph
†	Gloria and Rodrigo Jucutan		
Sun.	Aug 3	8:00am	St. Joseph
†	John David Sidoti		
Sun.	Aug 3	10:00am	St. Mary's
	Mass for the People		
Mon.	Aug 4	No Mass	
Tue.	Aug 5	8:00am	St. Mary's
†	Bernard Noll		
Wed.	Aug 6	8:00am	St. Joseph
†	Jeannie Pollard		
Thu.	Aug 7	8:00am	St. Mary's
	Gail Schmitz		
Fri.	Aug 8	8:00am	St. Joseph
†	Jon Larson		
Sat.	Aug 9	5:00 pm	Corpus Christi
†	Tina Gaspard		
Sat.	Aug 9	7:00 pm	St. Joseph
	Mass for the People		
Sun.	Aug 10	8:00 am	St. Joseph
	Kenny and Mary Ann Weishaar		
Sun.	Aug 10	10:00 am	St. Mary's
†	Kenneth and Brad Glassel		

Feast of the Assumption Holy Day masses

Thursday, August 14-7:00pm, St. Mary's
Friday, August 15-8:00am St. Joseph

Would you like to start receiving the bulletin via email? Call or email the parish office to get added to the email list.

Virtus Training session

Monday, August 11: 6:00-9:00pm, St. Joseph School
We are pleased to offer a local Virtus Training session led by Sr. Maria Heppler, OSB. All religious education families should plan on at least one adult attending, if not already Virtus trained. To register, go to virtusonline.org and follow the prompts to register. If you need help, contact the parish office.

12th Annual Pitching for Priests Softball Game **Summer Classic!**

Priests from the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph VS.

Priests from the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas
Friday, August 8, 2025 at 7:00 pm

Tailgating begins at 3:00 pm, Gates open at 6:00 pm

Kids Field Run at 6:20 pm

Legends Field Ballpark

1800 Village West Pkwy, Kansas City, KS 66111

This is a FREE event with donations accepted.

For more information or to make a donation visit catholicradio.com

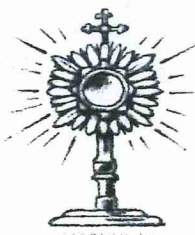
Mass Swap: Sat, Sept 6- 5pm@ St. Mary's

Sun, Sept. 7- 10am@ Corpus Christi

Corpus Christi Picnic: Sunday September 7

Mass@ 10:00am, Chicken Dinner @11:30am

Bingo, Raffle, Kids games, Silent Auction, Pie Auction, and more. Come and enjoy food, fun, and fellowship!!



Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions

St. Joseph
Wednesdays, 6-7pm
Corpus Christi
3rd Saturday of month, 4-4:45pm
St. Mary's
3rd Sunday of month, 11am- 12pm

Bulletin Deadline: Noon Wednesday

Parish office hours this week: Mon and Fri 8:30am-2:30pm

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Kyle Perkis	Jeremy Heinen
Bob Heinen	Virginia Grollmes
Emma Dockweiler	Rosella Hollis
Janet Schmidt	Chris Heinen
Tim Hosler	Heidi Rutar
Phil Heuertz	Dolores Miller
Roxie Herring	Dorothy Herring
Jenna Amack	

Also pray for those serving in the Military, those with health issues and those who have no one to pray for them.

August Appointments

Ushers: Pat Sieve, Taylor Allen, Brooks Glassel

Lay Ministers: Marley Hamon, Larry Martin, Brandi Varner

August 10th

Lector: RaeAnn Allen

Musicians: Dianna Welsh

Servers: Emma Welsh, Waylon Allen

Gifts: Eric Belveal Family

Finances: Larry martin, Chad Mooradian

Sacristan: Julie Sieve

Contributions

July 27, 2025

Masses.....	10.00
Plate.....	159.00
Support.....	1545.00
Total	\$1714.00

St Mary's Immaculate Conception Parish Mission Statement

- Study our **FAITH**
- Practice our **FAITH**
- Support our parish and community in **FAITH**
- Evangelize our **FAITH**

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JULY 2025
RICK AND JEANIE FRAKES

Bulletin additions or corrections: Contact Crystal Clark 785-806-0262 (text or call)
email calebcystal@hotmail.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS meeting-Sunday, August 3rd after Mass.

DO YOU NEED SOME EXTRA CASH?

The Altar Society is looking for someone to clean the church basement (kitchen, bathrooms, classrooms, great room) monthly. For details, contact Crystal Clark at 785-806-0262 (text or call).

CCD TEACHERS NEEDED Please consider sharing your talents! If anyone is interested in helping with the K-12th CCD religious education program, please contact JoLina at 785-224-3726.

Please don't feel that you aren't qualified to teach the youth...teacher guides and moral support are provided! Thank you!

HANDICAP ACCESS LIFT

This week the terrazzo floor was cut and framing has begun on the "shaft-way". The east wall was cut for the exterior door from the parking lot. Pledges are being solicited and can be dropped into the collection. Donations can be also made on Sat., Sept. 20th at the Give Back to Valley Day to the Knights of Columbus fund. Designated donations can be directed to the Handicap Lift fund.

WHAT IS A QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION (QCD)?

If you are age 70½ or older, you can make a qualified charitable distribution (QCD) from your [individual retirement account \(IRA\)](#) to a qualified charity. A qualified charitable distribution is not taxed, so the charity receives 100% of your donation. QCDs may also count toward the [required minimum distributions \(RMDs\)](#) that are required depending on your age. You can set up monthly, quarterly or yearly donations to any charity of your choice. It is an excellent way to donate to your Church or any other charity. Check with your tax professional to see if a QCD is advisable for you.

This Week on Formed

Week of August 03, 2025

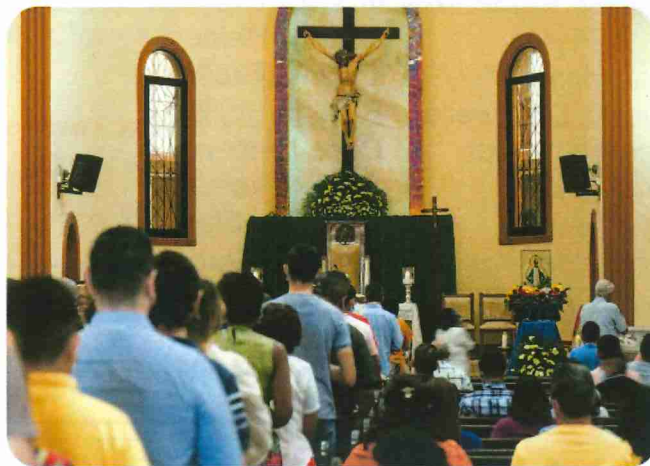


The Transfiguration | Sacred Art

Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down with Raffaello Sanzio's painting, "The Transfiguration," to discuss its theological meaning and how it can speak to us today.

Dear Padre,

Sometimes after Mass, I go to the late service at a "Bible church" with the rest of my family. Once a month, this church serves communion, but they make it clear that it is only as a memory of Jesus and the Last Supper, and that Jesus is not present at communion. Is it OK to receive this communion?



The Catholic understanding of Holy Communion includes not only the understanding of Communion as the Body and Blood of Christ, but it includes something more. Communion is a statement of belief and a statement of belonging. When Catholics participate in the sacrament, they are identifying with divinity as well as with the community of believers who are joined together in "one mind and in one spirit." It is an act of unity, a real "communion." Even though the Bible church clearly teaches a different theology of communion, it would seem to me that, for a Catholic, the fullest meaning and understanding of Communion is important and worth witnessing to. For this reason, I would refrain from participating in communion at the Bible church. Do so quietly and respectfully, because what is being celebrated is important; it just does not have the full meaning that you understand is necessary. ●

Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / DearPadre.org

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
August 4	August 5	August 6	August 7	August 8	August 9	August 10
St. John Vianney, Priest	Weekday	Transfiguration of the Lord	Weekday	St. Dominic, Priest	Weekday	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Nm 11:4b-15	Nm 12:1-13	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14	Nm 20:1-13	Dt 4:32-40	Dt 6:4-13	Wis 18:6-9
Mt 14:13-21	Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14	2 Pt 1:16-19	Mt 16:13-23	Mt 16:24-28	Mt 17:14-20	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12
		Lk 9:28b-36				Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Covetousness of goods, the desire to have goods, does not satisfy the heart, but rather causes more hunger!... Be careful! Love...is the source of true happiness, whereas the exaggerated search for material goods and wealth is often a source of anxiety, adversity, abuse of power, war. Many wars begin from covetousness.

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