

† Church of the Holy Cross

Holy Cross is a diverse community, welcoming and accepting, united in Catholic faith, and committed to forming people in the image of Christ to better serve the Lord and our neighbor.



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Fr. Ray May
620-803-2395

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Tim McEvoy

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm,
Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am,
10:30 am, 12:30 pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday-Saturday: 8:30am
Wednesday: 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:50 pm and
Wednesday: 5:30 - 7:00 pm
First Saturday after 8:30am Mass

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday:
8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Friday: 8:30 am to 12:00 pm

Holy Cross Catholic School

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon 9/26

8:30 am † Maria Thom

Tues 9/27

8:30 am NO MASS

Wed 9/28

8:30 am NO MASS

7:00 pm NO MASS

Thurs 9/29

8:30 am NO MASS

Fri 9/30

8:30 am † Prila Palacios

Sat 10/1

8:30 am † Teresita Antonio

4:00 pm † Bunny Ingalls

Sun 10/2

7:00 am † Vern Hopkins

8:30 am Spec Int– Jean Murry

10:30 am People of the Parish

12:30 pm † Pedro Alvarez

Readings for Next Sunday:

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Habakkuk 1:2-3, 2:2-4 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14
Luke 16:19-31*

Please pray for those in need of our prayers,

Ray Ciesielski, Judith Ann Wood, Maria Payne, Joseph Decelles, Patricia Honas, Debbie Park, John Manning, Karen Lamartina, Katlyn Lamartina and children, Mary Murphy, Pat Martin, MaryAnn O'Connor, Lindsay Walsh, Victor Lamartina

If you would like to have a name added to this list, please email us at churchoffice@holycrossopks.org or call the parish office.

Welcome to Holy Cross!

We invite you to join the parish. To register as a parishioner go to www.holycrossopks.org then click on *Home* and then select *Parish Registration Form*. Once we receive your registration, someone will reach out to you about how to become more active in the parish.

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Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office to schedule an anointing.

Baptisms

Baptisms in English will be offered after the 4pm mass once a month. Please contact the parish office to register.

Baptism Prep Class

Baptism prep classes are offered the first Wednesday of each month. Please contact the office to register.

Matrimony

If you are interested in getting married through the Catholic Church, please contact the Parish office for information. We ask for at least a 6 month notice.

RCIA

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church or you are an adult needing to receive a sacrament, please contact Dave West 816-560-7853.

Homebound Ministry

If you or a loved one are unable to make it to Mass on Sunday, we will bring Communion to you. Please call Margi Foley at 913-381-8145, or the Church Office at 913-381-2755 so that we can take care of your needs.

Legion of Mary

If you are interested in giving one hour a week to charitable work and prayer contact Phil Gough 913-952-2280 for the English speaking Legion or Teresa Aguilar 913-325-9677 for the Spanish speaking Legion.

Stewardship of Treasure as of August 31, 2022

Ordinary Collection:	\$61,234.39
ACH Collection:	\$ 8,851.01
Monthly We Share:	\$ 21,116.50
Total Contributions Received:	\$ 91,201.90

Whether you give online or by using contribution envelopes, you are a blessing to our parish and we are grateful to God for you!



Welcome to The Parish

Cesar & Atasha Serrano

James Williams

Morgan Riederer

Judy Ray

Alexander Ray

Mary Ann Fisher

Gabriel Caceres

Vianny Vilchez de Caceres

Sunshine Club Breakfast

All those 50 and older are invited to the Sunshine Club monthly breakfast and meeting. Please join us on October 2nd after the 8:30 mass for breakfast and a short meeting. Cost for breakfast is \$3.00. We would like to invite anyone that is not a current member to please consider join the Holy Cross Sunshine Club. For questions and to RSVP contact Pat Sheldon at 816-522-1801, pat.sheldon@yahoo.com

“We are Family...This is Our Home” Program

Thank you for celebrating Commitment Sunday with us this weekend. Your commitment to our parish through our “We are Family...This is Our Home” Program will continue to bring life to our community. If completing your Commitment Card was not possible at Mass, you may visit our parish website at www.holycrossopks.org and complete an electronic Commitment Card or you can mail your card to the church.

Our goal is 100% participation! Thank you for your generosity and support of Church of the Holy Cross!

No Weekday Mass: Sept 27-29

The priests will be at the Annual Priest Convocation on Tues, Sept 27 to Thurs Sept 29. There will be no Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Also, no confession on Wed, Sept 28. Please keep our priests in your prayers during this time.

Altar Server Training

There will be a training session for anyone in 5th grade and older who wishes to be an altar server for the Sunday Masses. Training will be on Sunday, October 2 at 2:00pm in the church. For questions, please contact Rich Lundstrom at 816-522-1090

Thursday Morning Bible Study

St. Jerome, whose feast we celebrate this month, wrote that "Ignorance of the Scripture is ignorance of Christ." Many Catholics say they do not know or understand the Old Testament, which is the foundation of the New. Every Thursday morning after Mass (about 9:15am) a group meets to study the Bible in Room 5. Bring your own Bible or use one of ours. Come when you can; we are very flexible. You will also get to spend some time with a great group of parishioners! See you Thursday! Deacon Tim

Calling All Health Care Providers and First Responders !!!



We have a emergency response team, primarily used during mass to provide basic assessment and triage when someone faints, does not feel well, etc.

We are looking for additional members for our team (Doctors, nurses, Advance Practice Providers, EMT, paramedic, etc). If interested or curious, please contact Diane Cunningham 913-530-4208.



Holy Cross PTO is hosting Beer, Bacon & BBQ

Sat, October 8, 7-10:00 pm in Pflumm Hall & gym

Potluck: Bacon apps, BBQ, dessert, beer, wine, dancing & raffles

Contact pto@holycrosscatholicsschool.com to purchase tickets.

Stephen Ministry

"Bear one another's burdens, and in this way fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2

Stephen Ministers provide Care and support to hurting people by bringing God's love to them through confidential conversation and prayer. If you are hurting in any way, for any reason, or know of someone who is hurting, please call to arrange a confidential meeting to get further information. Tom Bryon (816) 863-3027, Jim Gisler (913) 940-2519, Susie Coultis (913) 484-1190.

Perpetual Adoration

Adoration Chapel is available to anyone, any time. Jesus is always there, ready for you.

To be a scheduled adorer, contact Ruth Kuse at 913-963-3700 or ruthkuse@gmail.com



**Family Faith Formation Program
Grades K-12**

Office Hours:

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

For information or questions, contact Patricia at pargueta@holycrossopks.org or 913-428-3117

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Have you never been confirmed? Are you not a Catholic, but come to Mass with your Catholic spouse and want a deeper connection to Christ? Do you know someone who is interested in learning about the Catholic faith?

Classes are starting now. It's not too late to join.

For more information call David West at 816-560-7853.



The Campaign for 40 Days of Life will be Sept. 28-Nov. 6. Come to our opening rally on Sunday, Sept. 25 at 4:00 p.m. It takes place at The Center for Women's Health at 4840 College Blvd. Then come any day 7am-7pm to pray to end abortion. You can sign up at www.40daysforlife.com/overlandpark. Questions or to sign up, contact Elisa Fernholz at elisa.fernholz@gmail.com or 913-515-9493

St. Mary's Food Kitchen


On Friday, Sept 16, Holy Cross parishioners provided 231 sack lunches to those who are homeless and less fortunate. Thank you so much to everyone who makes this possible!

Catechism Corner

What is the effect of episcopal ordination?

Episcopal ordination confers the fullness of sacrament of Holy Orders. It makes the bishop a legitimate successor of the apostles and integrates him into the episcopal college to share with the Pope and the other bishops care for all the churches. It confers on him the offices of teaching, sanctifying, and ruling.

Further reading: CCC 1557-1558



Ladies Brunch - Friendship Tea

Saturday, October 8

10:30 am

Lickteig Hall

Come hear Sherry Kuehl speak on
"How Female Friendships Shape Us and Save Us"



Tickets are \$15 each

RSVP by contacting

Donna Heit at donnamheit@gmail.com or 913-402-6843

or

Maxine Rodriguez at maxine@rmckc.com or 913-915-6238



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PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

Sunday, September 25

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one. This nationwide event is coordinated and sponsored by the USA Council of Serra International.

Pray for your priests, pray for vocations, thank your priest, invite your priest to dinner, and/or send a card or letter to a retired priest.

Catholic Charities: Help Feed Our Neighbors in Need

Our food pantries are in urgent need of food – with the rising cost of food, supply chain issues, and an increase of those accessing our food pantries (up 25% since February 2022) the need to feed our neighbors in need is critical. Supply chain issues are making it difficult to purchase what we need and our donations have been down almost 20%. Our eight food pantries and our Resource Bus program rely on the generous donations from you to feed the need in our 21 county service area. Thank you for your continued support to our neighbors in need.

How You Can Help!

- Go shopping. The most needed items this month are: canned meat, pasta, canned tomatoes, tomato/pasta sauce (no glass), rice, pancake mix, oatmeal and canned fruit. Take the list with you to the grocery store and purchase items from our most needed list and donate to your local Catholic Charities food pantry.
- Shop from our Amazon Wish List. Click “add to cart” from wherever you are and have food items delivered directly to our warehouse for distribution to our food pantries. Find our list here: <https://shorturl.at/bEFQY>

Respect Life Sunday Mass with Archbishop Naumann

October is Respect Life Month. It is a time when the Church asks the faithful to pray and reflect more deeply on the gift of life and the dignity of the human person. This year’s theme is “Called to Serve.” Learn more about this theme and our call to action to serve mothers in need at: <https://www.respectlife.org/called-to-serve>.

In addition, all are invited to celebrate together:

Respect Life Sunday Mass with Archbishop Naumann

Sunday, October 2nd, 10:30 a.m.

Cure of Ars Parish 9401 Mission Road, Leawood

Reception to follow

Encuentro

Matrimonios:

Llaman a la parroquia 6 meses antes de la fecha en que desean casarse para programar la primera entrevista con el sacerdote.

Bautismos:

El horario de las fechas en sábado será a las 10:30 am, y el horario de las fechas en domingo será después de la misa de 12:30 pm.

Favor de comunicarse a la oficina para mayores informes.

Plática Pre- Bautismal:

Padres y padrinos tomarán una clase de preparación el 1^{er} jueves a las 6:00 pm o el 1^{er} sábado del mes a las 9:30 am.

Favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial para registrarse con anticipación. Favor de no traer niños a la clase.

SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL:

Nuestra recepcionista habla español. Llamen directo a la oficina de la iglesia al **381-2755** de

Lunes a jueves de 1:00 pm a 3:00 pm

Programa de Formación Familiar en la Fe

Grados K-12

Horario de Oficina:

Lunes a jueves de 9:00 am a 3:00 pm

¡Bienvenidos a Holy Cross!

Te invitamos a formar parte de la parroquia. Para registrarte como feligrés, visita nuestra página web www.holycrossopks.org, luego haz clic en "Home" y selecciona "Parish Registration Form". También puedes pasar por la oficina parroquial para llenar un formulario. Una vez que recibamos tu registro, alguien se comunicará contigo sobre cómo ser más activo en la parroquia.



Lecturas para el Próximo Domingo:

27 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

*Habacuc 1:2-3, 2:2-4 2 Timoteo 1:6-8,13-14
Lucas 17:5-10*

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (RICA)

Eres alguien o conoces a alguien que ...

- ¿ha expresado un interés en volverse Católico?
- ¿fue bautizado Católico pero no ha celebrado los sacramentos de la Eucaristía y Confirmación?

Las clases han comenzado. Para más información o para inscribirte, comunícate Samuel 913-314-5767.

Estudio Bíblico en Español



Acompáñanos todos los viernes de 7:00 pm a 8:30 pm para un estudio bíblico en el Salón #1.

Todos son bienvenidos. Si tienes alguna pregunta o para más información, favor de llamar a la oficina parroquial.

¡Llamando a todos los proveedores de atención médica y socorristas!

Contamos con un equipo de respuesta a emergencias, que se utiliza principalmente durante la misa para brindar una evaluación básica y una clasificación cuando alguien se desmaya, no se siente bien, etc.



Estamos buscando miembros adicionales para nuestro equipo (médicos, enfermeras, proveedores de práctica avanzada, técnicos de emergencias médicas, paramédicos, etc). Si está interesado o tiene curiosidad, comuníquese con Paola Luna paola.lunam@gmail.com. Si sabe de feligreses que no vieron este aviso, páselo.

Adoración Perpetua

La Capilla de Adoración está abierta y disponible para todos, en cualquier momento. Jesús siempre está allí, listo para tí.

Para ser un adorador programado, comunícate con la oficina parroquial.

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