

# Church of The Holy Cross

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**Rectory: 341-5618**

La información en español  
se encuentra en la página 4.

## PARISH STAFF

Pastoral Associate: Robert Bacic

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Director: Sandy Schluter

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## Holy Cross Catholic School

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Principal: Bobbie Beverlin

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Debbie Williams, 642-3708

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## Parish Center Manager

Allison Carney, 244-5970

## MASSES:

**Saturday** 7:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m. (Sunday Mass)

**Sunday** 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a.m., and 2:00 p.m. (Spanish)

**Nursery** - 9:00, 11:00 a.m., and 2:00 p.m. Masses

**Weekdays** Mon., Wed., Fri. 9:00 a.m.

Tues. & Thurs. 6:30 a.m.

Tues. 6:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Tues. & Thurs. (School days only): 8:15 a.m. in the school

## RECONCILIATIONS:

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:**

**BAPTISMS:**

## MARRIAGES:

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:**

**Saturday**, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. and **Wednesday**, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

**Semi-annually, Fall & Spring, and by appointment**

**4th Sunday each month**

(Parent classes 3rd Tuesday each month. Call the office to register.)

Six months notice required. Call the office for information.

**Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs. 8:30am-5:00pm; Fri., 8:30am-12:00noon**

*PREGNANT? NEED HELP? All calls confidential. Gabriel Project, 913-602-0306*

**FROM FR. MIKE:**

Dear Parishioners,

I continue to learn more about my new home. For example, usually I jog about three times a week. I just run in the neighborhood. It's good exercise. But that way I also explore the labyrinth of streets that surround the church. It's a good way to familiarize myself with the area.

I also have been poking into various corners in the rectory, the church building, the parish grounds. It's quite a complex. I was especially impressed by the beautiful garden at the base of the monumental cross standing in front of the church.

God knows each one of us by name. I have been working at meeting parishioners, but I have a long ways to go. There are a lot of people who belong to the parish. I appreciate those who wear their name tag. It helps me, as well as anyone else who might be new to the parish. (If you don't have one yet, you can buy a name tag from the parish office.) When it comes to learning to names, you must admit that you have an advantage. You can get away with just calling me "Father." But I have all those names to memorize. It will take time. Fr. Mike

**Why Do Catholics Do That?** An Inquiry into the Catholic Faith is now forming. This is an opportunity for people who are not Catholic to have their questions about the Church answered in a safe & supportive atmosphere. The group will meet on Sunday mornings, beginning in September. For more information call or email Robert Bacic at 381-2755 [rbacic@holycrossopks.org](mailto:rbacic@holycrossopks.org). Requests for information are kept confidential.

**READINGS & FAITH SHARING QUESTIONS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time:**

1Kings 19-9a, 11-13a; Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:22-33.

**Questions for Adults:** How was Elijah's experience of God in the First Reading similar to or different from Peter's in the Gospel?

**For Children:** Where is your favorite place to pray?

**Please Pray for Those Asking for Prayers:** Bob Bray, Tim Eccles, Kevin Haeusser, Jodi Langley, William Park, Jennifer Presser, Ginny Shepard, & Mike Swearingen.

**REST IN PEACE:** Prayers are requested for **Stephen Kramerich**, father of Colette Morrissey; **Trenton Paul Schroeder**, infant son of Travis & Amy Schroeder; and **Jim Zaenger**, husband of Lynn Zaenger.

## Religious Education

**ENROLLMENT** for faith formation opportunities for children in Grades 1-6 is taking place now. This includes preparation for First Holy Communion. We are here on Tuesdays 4:00-7:30pm. Enrollment forms & info can be found on the website. Go to Faith Formation, then Elementary. Or, contact Julie Dresser at 913-381-2757, ext.119 or email [jdresser@holycrossopks.org](mailto:jdresser@holycrossopks.org) anytime.

**CATECHISTS** and other volunteers are needed for our fall classes for children in Grades 1-6. Inquire now for resources and training. Contact Julie Dresser at 913-381-2755, ext.119 or email [jdresser@holycrossopks.org](mailto:jdresser@holycrossopks.org).

## Confirmation

Enrollment for Confirmation & other sacramental prep for middle & high school students is underway. If your student was in program last year, look for an email with the registration form. We will also have the form available on our website. Grade school & middle/high school programs will use the same form this year, but fee payments will still be separated. To connect to our website, go to [www.HolyCrossOPKS.org](http://www.HolyCrossOPKS.org), click on Faith Formation to find link to Middle School and High School Sacramental Prep.

*God, you have taught me from my youth; to this day I proclaim your wondrous deeds. Psalms 71:17.* Would you like to help more in our parish community? Consider one of our youth programs, and experience their energy, enthusiasm, & inquisitive thinking when it comes to our faith. Volunteer with our Religious Ed or Youth Ministry programs this fall. More information to follow, but feel free to contact Sandy at 205-0825 for any info on Confirmation & sacramental prep for Grades 7-12, High School Youth Ministry, or Middle School Youth Ministry.

## Youth Ministry

*For questions regarding Middle and High School Rel. Ed or Youth Ministry, Sandy can be reached quickly & easily by email at [sschluter@holycrossopks.org](mailto:sschluter@holycrossopks.org) or call/text 205-0825.*

**Holy Cross Highschoolers** ... Go to Facebook for information on our next meeting date and time. Add Sandra K. Schluter as your friend to learn the latest in KCYM news.

**Mission 2011:** 30 High School Students and 7 chaperones returned safe from our mission to Twin Cities, MN. We thank our parish for all the prayers and support. We will be sharing our experiences after masses on July 31st. The Holy Spirit moved through us all week long, and we look forward to sharing our story with those who helped make it happen. Thanks again!!

**UPLIFT...**Adults or Teens interested in service projects should reserve their space for PROJECT UPLIFT...an outreach to the homeless of Kansas City. Holy Cross Volunteers are needed the **1<sup>st</sup> MONDAY** of every month. We are taking volunteers for **Sept.5 and Oct.3.** Call Sandy at **381-2757x118** or email at [sschluter@holycrossopks.org](mailto:sschluter@holycrossopks.org) to volunteer. We depart from Holy Cross at **4:30 pm** and return around 9:00 pm. Eat dinner before you meet at HC, bring bottled water to drink, and dress appropriately for the weather! **Remember, people in need are counting on us, so if you sign up, be sure to keep your commitment! Thanks!**

**Let's help Fr. Mike move!** WE NEED TEENS in need of parish service hours, who also like to lift heavy things to help move Fr. Mike's belongings on Tues., Aug.2. We will plan to begin at 7:30am but contact Sandy for details as we will have a group to load and one to unload, depending on our number of volunteers. And if you are a teen-at-heart who just likes to help with a move, give me a call, too. We could find something for you to carry.

**SAVE THE DATE: Our parish festival will be held Sun., Sept.18, on church grounds.** Come share food, fun and fellowship with your parish family. Call Carol at 913-244-6443 to volunteer or offer suggestions.

**Call the Church Office today to reserve your week to welcome our Parish Traveling Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe into your home & your heart.**

**CHANGE IS COMING!** Are you ready? Pick up a copy of the CD "A Walk Through the New Translation. Dr. Edward Sri is a speaker you will enjoy listening to. I think everyone will enjoy this CD. Let me know. Call Brenda, 913-649-6442.

**ADORATION CHAPEL:** "Without prayer, there is no experience of God." (Pope Benedict XVI) The hour from noon until 1 p.m. on Saturday is now open! Can you help? Call Anne, 649-2049.

**1st Saturday Mass and Devotions** will be held on Sat., Aug.6. Rosary will be prayed at 7:05 a.m. followed by Mass at 7:30 a.m.

**SAVE THE DATE: Holy Cross Parish/Jack Weikamp Memorial Golf Tournament, Sept.9,** Deer Creek Country Club, 12:30 shotgun start, Hereford House Diner. Contact Allison Carney at 244-5970 with questions.

**Archdiocesan Night at LIVESTRONG Sporting Park,** Sporting KC vs. KC Dallas, Aug.27, Game starts at 4:30pm, Tailgating starts 4:30pm, LIVESTRONG Sporting Park at the Legends, just off I-35 at State Ave. (west) in Kansas City, KS. **For info:** Email: Rick Cheek or call (913)647-0351. **To buy tickets:** E-mail: Scott Burleson or call (913) 951-3556.

## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN CORNER

"Our Family, Our Future"

### UPDATE:

Total Pledged: \$2,093,302

Total Received: \$1,864,575

### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE:

	July 24, 2011	Fiscal YTD
Needed	\$30,200	\$120,800
Collected	17,428	96,344
Over/(Under)	(12,772)	(24,456)
Special Donations	6378	

## Holy Cross School News

Holy Cross Catholic School and Early Education Center are currently enrolling for the 2011-2012 school year. We offer a quality academic experience strongly rooted in the Catholic faith. To find out more about our elementary school (K-8th grade) or to schedule a tour call the school office at 913-381-7408. For info about the Early Education Center please call 913-381-7151. Holy Cross Catholic school - Building Faith - Inspiring Minds

**After School Care Coordinator needed for Holy Cross Catholic School for 2011-2012 school year.** ASC Coordinator is in charge of planning activities & snacks for children, working with school secretary on recordkeeping & collecting fees, & scheduling staff. ASC is open 3:15-5:30 on regular school days. You will be required to work some half & full days. For more info, please call school office at 913-381-7408

Stay up-to-date with information about the school. Go to [www.holycrosscatholicsschool.com](http://www.holycrosscatholicsschool.com) where you can link to the Principal's Weblog, our Facebook page and Twitter. Click the "Family Login" button to see our newsletter and calendar.

Summer office hours are Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. You may purchase SCRIP certificates and Trash Bags during these hours.

## Mass Intentions For The Week



<b>Monday</b>	9:00 a.m. Esperanza Braceros
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:30 a.m. Margaret Spaniol 6:00 p.m. Philiphe Trung (Spanish)
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:00 a.m. Elizabeth & Mary Tighe
<b>Thursday</b>	6:30 a.m. Joseph Moran
<b>Friday</b>	9:00 a.m. Joe Edmonds
<b>Saturday</b>	7:30 a.m. Giuse Khoa 5:00 p.m. Virginia Kerkvliet
<b>Sunday</b>	7:30 a.m. Marilyn Bockelman 9:00 a.m. Ralph Allen 11:00 a.m. James Plumberg 2:00 p.m. People of the Parish (Spanish)

**FATHER/DAUGHTER DANCE.** Mark your calendar now for the Father/Daughter Dance which will be held on Sat., Aug.27, in the Parish Activity Center. The dance, which has been a popular event at Holy Cross for several years, is being organized by St.Mary's Circle. Watch the bulletin for further information.

Kansas City, MO, has the honor of hosting this year's **Ladies of Charity (LOC) National Assembly** to be held at the Crown Center Hyatt Regency Hotel, Sept.15-17. This year's theme—*Journey to Change: Embrace It, Drive It, Change It*—challenges each member of the organization to respond proactively to our world as it undergoes rapid and myriad changes locally, nationally, and internationally. LOC is a global organization of 250,000 members who serve those less fortunate with humility, simplicity and charity in 52 countries around the world. In the U.S. alone, 8000 ladies serve in 68 associations in 21 states and the District of Columbia. The National Assembly will comprise an array of speakers and workshops focusing on systemic change that will touch people spiritually and engage their interests in serving the needy and underprivileged. For further information log onto <http://aic.ladiesofcharity.us/assembly>.

**Parishioners are invited to attend the following Life Care Seminars and Lunch at Santa Marta on:**

1. Wed., Aug.17, beginning at 10:30 a.m..
2. Tues., Aug.30, beginning at 10:30 a.m.  
RSVP by calling (913) 323-7110.

Please join us in praying the **ROSARY before daily Mass** every Mon.-Sat. We will **begin 20 minutes before each Mass**. On Mondays only, we will begin at 8:30am with Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions followed by the rosary. On Fridays we will pray the Rosary for Life.

**Holy Cross parishioners pray the Rosary at 9:30am on the first Saturday of every month at Planned Parenthood, 4401 W. 109th St., just southeast of 435 & Roe in Fox Hill Office Park. Come join us.**

## Gospel of Life Update

“God, give us the courage to protect every unborn life. For the child is God’s greatest gift for the family, for a nation, and for the world.” *Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta*, upon receiving the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979. Please pray to end abortion.

A traveling Image of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be visiting Holy Cross Parish August 2-10. Please plan to join us for this nine-day Novena in honor of Our Blessed Mother every evening at 7 p.m. in the church.

Our parish is currently supporting four expectant moms through the Gabriel Project. Please remember to keep these mothers and their families in your prayers.

The Gabriel Project provides spiritual, emotional, & material help for any woman facing a unplanned pregnancy. Please call 602-0306.

Hurting from abortion?? Call Project Rachel, (913) 621-2199.

The **BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP** will meet on Tues., Aug.2, at 9:30am in Room 1 in Lickteig Hall. For more info call Kathy at 381-9549.

The **Holy Cross Bereavement Support Group** will hold its monthly meeting on Fri., Aug.5, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. We will meet in the Fr. Lickteig Hall. For more info call Pete Obert, 451-3374, or Kay Spaniol 226-8745.

**Sign up now for the *Christ Renews His Parish* fall renewal weekends**, Sept.24 & 25 for men and Oct.8 & 9 for women. Pick up a brochure in the narthex or you can sign up now online! Go to the Holy Cross website, click on “Christ Renews His Parish” and follow the links to sign up. Any questions? Contact Joe Kincaid, 901-0445.

Dear Holy Cross Catholic Church,

Please accept our belated but no less heartfelt “Thank You” for supporting our families the week of May 22

Your kindness and willingness to help means so much to us and to our guest families. Please convey our gratitude to all involved. With Heartfelt Thanks,

Your Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) Family

The Archdiocese of Kansas City in KS Pro-Life Office & The Diocese of Wichita Respect Life & Social Justice Office **Are sponsoring a Nine-Day Novena of Prayers and Masses** from Aug.7 to Aug.15 (Assumption of the blessed Virgin Mary). We are asking our Diocesan families to offer up their prayers, sacrifices, Holy Communion, Rosaries, fasts, and Holy Hours with the intention of **making Kansas Abortion-Free**. Abortion Clinic Developments: There are three major abortion clinics in the KC metro area in KS. 1) Two of the abortion clinics in KC were recently forced to close due to the new health dept. regulations. But they were able to re-open due to a federal judge filing. 2) Planned Parenthood in Overland Park is facing 107 civil and criminal charges. 3) KS withholds \$300,000 in Title X monies from Planned Parenthood. 4) In Wichita a “doctor” is attempting to open an abortion clinic. **Please join in the novena from Aug.7 to Aug.15 with the intention of making Kansas Abortion-Free!!**



**MISAS EN ESPAÑOL:**  
**todos los domingos a las 2:00 p.m. y los martes a las 6:00 p.m.**

**MISAS EN INGLÉS:**  
 sábados 5:00 p.m.  
 y domingos 7:30 a.m.,  
 9:00 a.m. y 11:00 a.m.  
 Los invitamos a participar en cualquiera de estas liturgias.

**RECONCILIACIÓN:**  
 sábados, 3:30 a 4:30pm;  
 martes, 5:30 p.m., antes de la Misa en español; y  
 miércoles, 5:30-6:30pm.

**MATRIMONIO:** Llame a la parroquia 6 meses antes de la fecha en que desea casarse para tener una entrevista con un sacerdote.

**BAUTISMO:** Segundo sábado 11 a.m., y tercer domingo de cada mes después de la Misa de las 2:00 p.m. Padres y padrinos deben asistir a una clase de preparación. Favor de anotarse con anticipación, llamando a la oficina de la iglesia, 381-2755.

**SERVICIOS EN ESPAÑOL:** Para hablar en español, llamen a la oficina de la iglesia, **381-2755:** lunes, miércoles y jueves 2-5 pm.; martes 2-7pm. Pueden llamar también a los Sacerdotes, al 341-5618 y dejarles un mensaje.

## “Encuentro”

### ANUNCIOS

#### **DEL PADRE MIKE:**

Continúo aprendiendo más y más cosas sobre mi nuevo hogar. Por ejemplo, usualmente me gusta correr tres veces en la semana dentro del barrio, es muy buen ejercicio. Pero a la misma vez, también exploro el laberinto de calles que rodean a la iglesia. Es una forma buena de familiarizarme con el área.

También he estado mirando con curiosidad las varias esquinas de la rectoría, el edificio de la iglesia y el área de la parroquia. Es un complejo admirable. Me impresionó especialmente el área del Jardín de Oraciones, frente a una cruz muy impresionante, al frente de la iglesia.

El Señor nos conoce a cada uno por nuestros nombres. Estoy trabajando para aprenderme el nombre de ustedes, pero me falta mucho todavía. Aprecio cuando ustedes usan sus “name tags”, ya que hay muchas personas miembros de Holy Cross. Esto me ayuda a mí, como también a cualquier otra persona nueva en la parroquia. (Si no tienen sus “name tags” todavía, pueden comprar las suyas en la oficina de la iglesia. En este proceso de aprender los nombres ustedes tienen la ventaja. Siempre me pueden llamar “Padre”, pero, ¡yo tengo muchos nombres que aprenderme! Padre Mike.

**INTENCIONES PARA LAS MISAS:** Martes, 8/2, 6:00 p.m.: Philippe Trung  
 Domingo, 8/7, 2:00 p.m.: Personas de la Parroquia

**LECTURAS Y PREGUNTAS PARA COMPARTIR LA FE: 19° Domingo Ordinario**  
 1 Reyes 19:9, 11-13; Romanos 9:1-5; Mateo 14:22-33

*Preguntas para Adultos para Compartir la Fe:* ¿Cómo fue la experiencia de Dios que tuvo Elías en la Primera Lectura, similar o diferente a la experiencia que Pedro tuvo de Dios en el Evangelio?

*Preguntas para los Niños:* ¿Dónde es su lugar preferido para rezar?

#### **EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA:**

**Preparación para la Primera Comunión:** Esta preparación para niños de 1° a 6° grados empezará de nuevo en Septiembre. **Las matrículas estarán disponibles hasta Agosto 16. Habrán Representantes para ayudarlos los martes, 4-7:30 p.m. Todos los niños deberán ser matriculados cada año. Favor de traer \$65/por niño para matricularlos. Último día de matrícula es Agosto 16th, para ser incluidos en las clases de este año.**

**Certificados de la Primera Comunión:** Están disponibles llamando: 381-2757, ext.19, ó [jdresser@holycrossopks.org](mailto:jdresser@holycrossopks.org). Deben pagar su balance al recoger su certificado.

#### **CONFIRMACIÓN:**

**Matrículas para Confirmación y otros Sacramentos:** Ya empezamos a matricular estudiantes de 7°-12° grados. Si su estudiante estuvo en nuestro programa el año pasado, busquen un email con la matrícula incluida. Tendremos matrículas en nuestro website después del 5 de Julio: [www.HolyCrossOPKS.org](http://www.HolyCrossOPKS.org)., busquen Faith Formation-Middle School and High School Sacramental Prep.

**Para información sobre Confirmación:** visiten el website, [www.HolyCrossOPKS.org](http://www.HolyCrossOPKS.org), marquen Faith Formation y encontrarán Middle School y High School Sacramental Prep. También pueden llamar a Sandy Schluter: 205-0825, o el email, [sschluter@holycrossopks.org](mailto:sschluter@holycrossopks.org).

**Una imagen ambulante de la Virgen de Guadalupe visitará Holy Cross:** Agosto 2 al 10. Vengan todos a celebrar esta Novena, todas las noches, de 7 a 10pm., en la iglesia.

**RICA - Rito de Iniciación para Cristianos Adultos:** Esta preparación es para adultos mayores de 18 años que desean prepararse para recibir los sacramentos de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Este año empezaremos el 21 de Septiembre. Las clases serán los miércoles, de 7:00 a 8:30 p.m. Es necesario tener estos sacramentos para el Matrimonio. Para inscribirse, favor de llamar a la oficina de la iglesia, 381-2755.

The **quarterly meeting of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (ACCW) of KC, KS**, will be Sat., Aug.6 at 9:30 a.m. at the rectory (122 E. Warren) at Sacred Heart in Gardner. We will be discussing final details for the fall pilgrimage and the convention in October. All women of the archdiocese are invited. Any questions, call Susan Draftz at 913-367-2227 or check out our website at <https://sites.google.com/site/accwkck/home>.

*Dear friends of Church of the Holy Cross: Your gifts have been a great help in making "The Little Monastery" a reality. We, the Little Sisters of the Lamb, look forward to having our first permanent home in the United States to be here in the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. We wanted to also share with you a way of keeping up with our Mission and progress on the building of The Little Monastery. We now have a website that you can visit and also share with your friends who may not have met us yet. Please visit us at [www.communityofthelambusa.org](http://www.communityofthelambusa.org). We continue to pray for you, and ask that you continue to pray for us. May God Bless Church of the Holy Cross, LSOL*

**ARCHDIOCESAN CHANT SCHOLA:** The Archdiocesan Office for Liturgy announces the formation of an archdiocesan chant schola. The mission of the schola is two-fold: to enable the study and singing of sacred chant, and to enrich the liturgical celebrations of the archdiocese with various forms of sacred chant. Rehearsals will be scheduled monthly as well as in proximity to the particular liturgies at which the schola will serve. The schola is open to both men and women, and will sing chant in both English as well as Latin. No previous chant experience is required. All interested singers are most welcome! For membership information, contact Michael Podrebarac at the archdiocesan Office for Liturgy at 913-647-0330 or [liturgy@archkck.org](mailto:liturgy@archkck.org).

**Donnelly Dinner at the Convent:** Join fellow Donnelly College alums for a bus trip to Mount St. Scholastica in Atchison, KS, on Sun., Oct.16. See old friends and former teachers, sing Vespers with the Sisters, attend Mass, have lunch and tour the Monastery. For details and reservations, contact Roger Berg, DC Alumni Relations Coordinator, at [alumni@donnelly.edu](mailto:alumni@donnelly.edu) or (913) 621-8744. Seating is limited.

**Dress Code for Mass at Holy Cross**

St. Peter's Basilica in Rome is one of the largest and most beautiful churches in the world; thousands of tourists pass through its massive doorway each month. Guests need not be Catholic to visit, but they must adhere to a strictly enforced dress code.

Holy Cross is not St. Peter's Basilica, but it is our parish church. Everyone is welcome for worship here. Please dress appropriately. Thank you.



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**Cars 4 KC Kids:** Are you considering donating a used car, truck, boat, or motorcycle? You should know that a tow can be arranged for any vehicle that you donate to Catholic Charities. Your tax-deductible donation of a vehicle helps children and families served by Catholic Charities and is an environmentally responsible way to recycle your vehicle. Cars for KC Kids is a partnership between Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas and Catholic Charities of Kansas City - St. Joseph. For more info, or if you wish to donate a vehicle, call 866-430-9499. [www.cars4kckids.com](http://www.cars4kckids.com)

**E-Bay Volunteers For TurnStyles:** Would you like to learn how to sell items on e-Bay? TurnStyles Thrift Store/ Catholic Charities, located at 9750 W. 87th St. in Overland Park, needs volunteers willing to give four hours a week to list/sell on e-Bay. Personal computer experience desired. Come and learn how to e-Bay and at the same time help generate donations for Catholic Charities. Interested? Contact Mary Kay Drees, 913-433-2080, or [mdrees@catholiccharitiesks.org](mailto:mdrees@catholiccharitiesks.org).



**WEBSITE SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE!**

- In the weeks ahead, our parish representative from Solutio, Inc., will be setting up the advertising for our website for the year.
- Please consider participating in this effort since the revenue from the ads is what makes the website possible at no cost to the parish.
- It's a great way to get your name of the families in the parish. Advertisements may be purchased for a business, family memorial, or you can sponsor an ad supporting Catholic Charities, Knights of Columbus, Vocations, etc.
- Please give these ideas some thought. We need and appreciate your help! If you are interested or just curious as to prices and want more information, please contact **Mark Arnold** at [Mark@SolutioSoftware.com](mailto:Mark@SolutioSoftware.com).

**FORMATION WORKSHOPS ON THE NEW ROMAN MISSAL:** The following workshops concerning the new Roman missal have been scheduled throughout the archdiocese thus far. They are free-of-charge and open to anyone interested in the upcoming changes to the liturgy, scheduled to begin Nov.27 of this year, especially those involved with parish liturgy and liturgical music:

Sat., Aug.20, 9-11am at St.Benedict's in Atchison;  
 Sun. Aug.21, 2-4pm, at Mater Dei (Assumption), Topeka;  
 Sat., Aug.27, 9-11am, at Holy Family in Eudora;  
 Sat., Sept.10, 9-11am at St.Aloysius in Meriden;  
 Tues., Sept.20, 7-9pm, at Curé of Ars in Leawood;  
 Tues., Sept.27, 7-9pm, at Good Shepherd in Shawnee;  
 Tues. Oct.18, 7-9pm, at Ascension in Overland Park.

These workshops provide an opportunity to learn about the history of liturgical celebrations in the vernacular, the rationale behind the new translation itself, and the meaning and mystery of the Mass as expressed in the rites and music of the Eucharistic liturgy of the Roman Rite.

If you are a Catholic male of Irish descent, join us today to enrich your faith and your heritage in a brotherhood of like-minded men. Apply for membership in the **Ancient order of Hibernians, Fr. Donnelly Div. #1, Kansas**, and start to enjoy the fellowship of our monthly meetings, involvement in meaningful charitable events, and involvement in the Irish Community here in the Kansas City area. Soon you'll be a part of the friendship, unity, and Christian charity that is the ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS in America. To contact, please visit us at [www.ksaoh.org](http://www.ksaoh.org) or Membership Director Larry Shepard at 913-205-6904 or [mickeydowd@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mickeydowd@sbcglobal.net).

**YOU CAN SAVE A LIFE!** Are you the perfect match for someone? Find out by joining **National Bone Marrow Donor Program**. You may be able to save the life of someone battling cancer. A match was just found for St.Thomas Aquinas graduate, Meghan Woody, and you could be the match for another cancer fighter like Meghan. It's simple! Just a swab of your inner cheek will determine your tissue type and put you in the national registry. Donors must be between ages of 18-60. Please come to **Church of the Ascension** during weekend of Aug.6-7. We will have a bone marrow registry drive after each of the masses in the lower level of the church. You will need a **valid driver's license** and your **social security number**. For more info about becoming a donor, visit HYPERLINK "<http://www.BeTheMatch.org>" [www.BeTheMatch.org](http://www.BeTheMatch.org). If you are medically ineligible, you can still help! Monetary donations can assist in covering processing costs of each donor's tissues. (Each donor processing costs organization \$100) Any monetary donations are greatly appreciated. *For they are life to those who find them, and health to all their flesh.*: Proverbs 4:22

The following **FREE** programs are offered at **KEELER WOMEN'S CENTER**, at 2220 Central, KC,KS (in the Catholic Charities building.), a ministry of the Benedictine Sisters, whose mission is to empower women in the urban core through education, advocacy, personal and spiritual development. Call 906-8990 or register on-line at [www.mountosb.org/kwc/](http://www.mountosb.org/kwc/)

**United Cerebral Palsy of KC is looking for program assistants** who are compassionate, patient, have a commitment to regular attendance, and a "gentleness of spirit." If these describe you and if you are looking for work, join Diane Walker, Director of Human Resources on Thurs., Aug.11, 10-11:30 a.m. at Keeler Women's Center, 2220 Central Ave., KCK to find out about job opportunities at UCP and to schedule an interview. Call 8913-906-8990 to reserve a spot.

**Effective Parenting**, a 3-part parenting program will be offered on Wednesdays, Aug.10, 17, & 24, 9:30-11:00 a.m. Presented by Nona Boyd and offered in partnership with Wyandot Center.

**Keeler Women's Center**, a ministry of the Benedictine Sisters of Mount St.Scholastica, needs daytime volunteers to assist with hospitality, answering phone, and (sometimes) childcare. If interested, call for more info.

**All Addictions Group**, a support group for women dealing with any kind of addiction, at any stage of recovery, meets on Tues evenings, 6-7pm,

Keeler Women's Center, 2220 Central Ave., KCK, is offering **free haircuts and trims** to women preparing for an interview or seeking employment. Call 913-906-8990 to schedule an appointment with a licensed beautician and Keeler volunteer.

Keeler Women's Center offers **regular opportunities for women to deepen their relationship with God, to relax and nurture the body God has given them**. Call 913-906-8990 for information or to schedule an appointment for spiritual direction, massage or Healing Touch. Programs and services are free. Donations always welcome.

**Job Corps is looking for young men and women, ages 16-24**, who are looking for a bright future. Educational opportunities include earning a high school diploma or GED, and/or taking advantage of classes at a community college. Career training and real life work experience include carpentry, cement masonry, construction craft labor, culinary arts, plumbing, security services, facilities management, dental assistant, nurse assistant/home health aide, etc. Come to a presentation by Diane Rodgers of Job Corps to find out about requirements and perks (lots of perks) on Wed., Aug.17, 1:30-2:30 p.m., at Keeler Women's Center, 2220 Central Ave., KCK. Call 913-906-8990 to register.