

Church of The Holy Cross

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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.

Pastor: Rev. Mike Stubbs
Hispanic Ministry: Rev. David Garavito
Rectory: 341-5618

PARISH STAFF

Development & Stewardship Director: Robert Bacic
Director Liturgy & Music: Rick Worms
Parish Manager: Mark Engen
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Receptionists: Barb Williams & Lina Byrum

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Session Coordinator: Karla Melgar
Assistant: Michelle Rieger
Confirmation Coordinator: Sandy Schluter

Youth Ministries: 205-0825

Director: Sandy Schluter

Catechist for Hispanic Adult Formation:

Sr. Maria Orozco, S.C.L., 381-2755

El boletín *Encuentro* en español
se encuentra en la página 6.

Holy Cross Catholic School

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School Office: 381-7408
E-Mail: gradeschool@holycrosscatholicsschool.com
Principal: Bobbie Beverlin
Secretaries: Anita Lemmon & Martha Beisser

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Director: Penny Miller
Assistant Director: Stefanie Bridges

Advocate for Annulments:

Rebeca Richmond, 671-8722

Parish Center Manager

Allison Carney, 244-5970

MASSES:

Weekend Sat. Vigil 5:00 p.m., Sun. 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. | First Sat. 7:30 a.m.

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

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

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

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Semi-annually in the Fall & Spring, and by appointment.

BAPTISMS: Usually the 4th Sunday of the month during 5:00 p.m. and 11:00 a.m. Masses. (Parent classes normally the 3rd Tuesday each month.)
Contact the office to confirm times and to register.

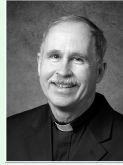
MARRIAGES: Six months notice required. Call the office for information.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Mon.—Thurs. 8:30 to 5:00 p.m. & Fri., 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

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

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we celebrate our parish festival. We celebrate the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross. This is important, not only because our parish is named after the Holy Cross, but also because the cross stands for the central mystery of our faith, the paschal mystery of Jesus' death and resurrection. By dying on the cross, Jesus showed his love for us. By raising Jesus to new life, God affirmed the worth of his sacrifice.



Since the Holy Cross is the central mystery of our faith, it is appropriate that this weekend also mark the kick-off of the Year of Faith. Throughout this year, we will have the opportunity to grow deeper in our faith. I encourage you to take advantage of the resources offered to you to do that.

-Fr. Mike

READINGS & FAITH SHARING QUESTIONS

FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Wisdom 2:12,17-20, James 3:16-4:3, Mark 9:30-37 *Faith Sharing Question for Adults:* Jesus teaches that lasting happiness is to be found in service to all. In what ways are you a servant of others? How do you think Jesus' relationship with his Father enabled him to serve even those who crucified him? *For Children:* Have you ever wanted something that one of your friends had? How did it make you feel and act toward that person? How do you think Jesus wants you to feel and act toward your friend?

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE:

	Sept 9, 2012	Fiscal YTD
Needed for Sept.	\$22,238	261,891
Collected	43,375	291,289
Over/(Under)	21,137	29,398
Special Donations	611	

Mass Intentions For The Week 

Monday	9:00 a.m.	Spec Int—Linda Tensley
Tuesday	6:30 a.m.	Leona Plumberg
	8:15 a.m.	Bob Gutierrez (at school)
	6:00 p.m.	Marjorie Riggan (Spanish)
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Spec Int—Ann Patterson
Thursday	6:30 a.m.	Marie Kaney
	8:15 a.m.	Kevin Haeusser (at school)
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Mary Ellen Alfino
Saturday	7:30 a.m.	No Mass
	5:00 p.m.	Betty Hauber
	Sunday	7:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.		Mike Peterson
11:00 a.m.		Ted Freed
	2:00 p.m.	People of the Parish (Spanish)



ADORATION CHAPEL: *It is possible to give without loving, but it is impossible to love without giving. (R. Brounstein)* **Open Hours:** Sun. 2-3 am, 9-10 am; Thurs 2-3 am; Sat noon-1pm.

Partners Needed: Sun. 10-11am every other week; Fri: 8-9 am. Please call Anne, 649-2049 to sign up.

Please Pray for Those Asking for Prayers: Mary Ann Borbeck, Kevin Coyne, Tami, Joyce Ferwalt, J. C. Frederes, Walter Fuhrmann, Donna Heit, Tom Hill, Ellen Jiskra, Bob Kobe, Brian Martinek, Officer Bill Oothout, Bill Root, and Rick Zila.

Welcome to Church of the Holy Cross! We invite you to join the parish! Fill out the form below and we will deliver a welcome and registration packet to you.

Name: _____
 Address: _____

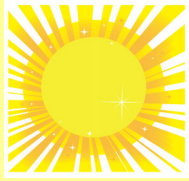
 City/State/Zip Code
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

Drop in collection basket, bring or mail to:
 Church of the Holy Cross
 8311 W 93rd St.
 Overland Park, KS 66212
 913-381-2755

Parish Finances 101

Sun., Sept. 30, Lickteig Hall
 After the 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am Masses

Join us for a review of the parish's 2011-2012 financial report and a discussion of our financial goals for the coming year.

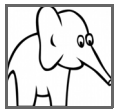


Sunshine Club Social Hour and Dinner: Wed, **Sept 26** at **4:00pm** at Bravo's, north side of Town Center Plaza. They will allow us lunch prices. Please sign up or call Mary

648-1482



Today is the Day!!! Our **Parish Festival** will be **today, Sunday, Sept. 16** on the church grounds. Come share food, fun and fellowship with your parish family!



St. Helen's Circle is sponsoring a **White Elephant** booth at the **Parish Festival** on Sun., **Sept. 16**. For one (1) non-perishable item for **Catholic Charities** or one (1) ticket,

you can pick up a one ticket White Elephant item which may be something "You just can't live without"! See you at the festival!



Visit the **QUILTERS & CRAFTERS** booth at the festival today! We have items for babies, bridal showers, the kitchen, aprons and thread. Reasonable prices and good variety! Come shop with us!



St. Mary's Food Kitchen: We need **4 to 5 volunteers** to help at St. Mary's Kitchen on the **3rd Friday** of each month. So we do not have

too many volunteers or not enough, we are asking that you sign up. If you are able to help out on a relatively consistent basis, please call Wayne Guelbert, 913-492-1857, for more information or to sign up.

JUSTICE AND CHARITY: If you are interested in justice and charity and would be willing to attend one meeting to assess our parish's **social justice and charitable activities** call or email Shirley Maxwell (913.897.2127, samaxwell@sbcglobal.net)



The **Knights of Columbus** are glad to present their **Fall Breakfast** schedule: Sun, **Oct 14-** Omelet Breakfast , Sun **Nov 11 -** Pancake Breakfast. The suggested donation is \$6.00 per adult and \$4.00 for children under 12. We look forward to you

joining us!

Catholicism: The Journey of a Lifetime

From the sacred lands of Israel to the beating heart of Uganda, from the glorious shrines of Italy, France and Spain to the streets of Mexico, Kolkata and New York City, the mystery of Catholicism is revealed. This video series by **Fr. Robert Barron** will be presented on **Wednesday evenings, 7:00pm, September 12** through **November 14th**. Contact the church office to register.



Baby Bottle Boomerang: Mother Teresa Circle wishes to say a special "**Thank You!**" to all who contributed to and helped with this years baby Bottle Boomerang. We raised **\$2068.43** for the **Wyandotte Pregnancy Center**. As baby bottles are still coming in, it's never too late to bring in yours! Any questions, contact Kathleen Dickinson 642-1171.



**Fr. Mark Mertes
Meditation
Garden
Dedication**

**Join Us
During the
Parish Festival!**

**2:00 pm, Sunday
September 16**



Gospel of Life Update

"It is impossible to further the common good without acknowledging and defending the right to life, upon which all the other inalienable rights of individuals are founded and from which they develop."
~ *Gospel of Life by Pope John Paul II (#101)*

Please pray to end abortion. Pray for a culture of life. Please keep our Gabriel Project Mothers and their families in your prayers. The Gabriel Project provides spiritual, emotional, & material help for any woman facing difficulty in her pregnancy. Please call 913/602-0306. If you would like more information on how to get involved with The Gabriel Project please contact Nancy Bunker at nbunker@kc.rr.com. **Hurting from abortion??** If you have had an abortion & are still grieving, Project Rachael can help, call 913/621-2199. *All calls are confidential.*

Religious Education

Classes for children in Gr. K-6 for their religious education, including preparation for First Holy Communion, begins on September 25th for both the Afternoon Classes and the Families Growing in Faith Together sessions. **The Parent Orientation Meeting is Tuesday, September 18th at 6:45p.m.** in the church hall for parents only. For more information, contact Julie Dresser at 913-381-2757, ext. 119 or jdresser@holycrossopks.org

Children's Liturgy of the Word could use a few more leaders and shepherds in order to continue this at every Sunday 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Mass. Training is available. You choose the dates you are available to lead or shepherd. Adults and youth: please feel free to accompany the leader at any Mass to see what takes place. This is for children age 5 through 4th grade to enter more fully into this part of the Mass. Parents are invited to accompany their child at least once. Please inquire after the Masses this weekend or contact Julie Dresser at 913-381-2757, ext. 119 or jdresser@holycrossopks.org.

Confirmation

Confirmation enrollment is complete. Remember, our first class for **public school** students is **Sun, Sept 23rd**. Classes for **high school** students meet from **3:30 to 5pm**. Classes for **middle school** students meet **6 to 7:30pm**. (Note the 30 minute time change.)



Jesus rebuked Peter: "Get behind me, Satan!"

Youth Ministry

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

Middle Schooler Youth Group will begin again in **October**. We plan to begin once our Confirmation classes are well under way. Can't wait for another great year! Watch for a flier to come home in backpack mail or through Confirmation classes.

High School Youth Group... When is our first meeting?!!! **SOON!** Message Sandra K Schluter on FB for details of our 1st meeting. We WILL begin high school meetings in September. Contact Sandy for the start date. We try to have some small surprises at our kickoff so do not worry if you don't see any information right away. We are working on it! Be patient, but get excited! Its going to be a great year!



If you missed the 11am mass in August, the **youth** of Holy Cross are preparing to help with **liturgical ministries** on **Oct 14, Nov 11, and Dec 9**, all at the **11am mass**. Mark the dates on your calendars and we hope to see you there!

Service Opportunities

Servant Events for this Fall:

Light the Night Leukemia/Lymphoma Walk on Friday, **Oct 5**. We will be helping in the balloon tent beginning at **5:00 pm until 8:00 pm**. We can take up to 15 volunteers but no more. Sign up **SOON**, if you would like to attend! This is a perfect service opportunity for high school students needing service hours, Confirmation students needing to complete a service project, or anyone just looking to help out our community in need, as Christ calls us to do. We will also need some adult drivers/ chaperones for this, so **VIRTUS** trained adults or parents can sign up too. Contact Sandy by email or text to say you are interested before **Sept 15**.

Harvesters... For the 4th year in a row, we will be volunteering at Harvesters warehouse in KCMO the **Tuesday before Thanksgiving, Nov 20th**. We can take up to 20 volunteers. Again, this is perfect for service hours or Confirmation projects. **VIRTUS** trained drivers/ chaperones needed as well. This is a couple months away, but usually fills in advance. Check the calendar and contact Sandy now to sign up.

Holy Cross School News

Upcoming Dates

9/21 (Fri) - No School -Teacher In Service

9/26 (Wed)- Early Education Center Ice cream Social

9/ 28 (Fri) -Shine the Light at 5:30 pm

Did you know....

Holy Cross students are currently selling Entertainment Books and Trash Bags!

Please continue purchasing trash bags in the school office.

FOLLOW HOLY CROSS ONLINE!

- HC website holycrosscatholicschool.com
- HC blog holycrosscatholicschool.wordpress.com
- Facebook facebook.com/holycrossop
- Twitter @holycrossOP
- Photo gallery holycrossop.shutterfly.com

BUILDING FAITH INSPIRING MINDS

After School Care Substitute: Holy Cross Catholic School After Care Program is looking for an **occasional** substitute. Usual hours are from 3:00pm-6:00pm with occasional half or full days. Pay rate is \$9.00/hr. You must be at least 18yrs old and be willing to be VIRTUS trained. No degree is required. Please call Danielle Gardner at 913-638-1707 or email at dgardner@holycrosscatholicschool.com to apply.

“And He summoned the crowd with His disciples, and said to them, “If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross and follow Me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel’s will save it.” **Mark 8:34-35**

How do you live out the sacrifice to which Christ is calling you? Do you put your life first or do you lose your life for His sake and the gospel’s? How is your commitment to Christ evident in your life? Come join us at the next *Christ Renews His Parish* renewal weekends and let your sacrifice of time bring new life to yourself and the parish.

Men’s Weekend: Sept 29, 30
Women’s Weekend: Oct 13, 14



Sign up on line at the holycrossopks.org or call Dan Schluter at 642-5746 or Deb Castinado at 851-1074.

I will be going on a mission trip to **Guatemala City** on **Oct 10**. During my trip I will be visiting with **Fr. Bob Conroy**. If you would like to send a letter or something small, I would be happy to bring it to him! Please leave at the church office by **Fri, Oct 5** to the attention of Nancy Rhoades or call me at 492-9067.



Divine Mercy Mission– Time of Renewal at Queen of the Holy Rosary Church, 7023 W. 71st in Overland Park on **Wed. Sept 19** from **7:00-8:30 pm**. The Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception, whose community has been entrusted to spread the message and devotion of Divine Mercy, will be here with us. Call Judy Dowd at 362-7893 for more information.



The **Catholic Committee on Scouting** will sponsor an **Ad Altare Dei Religious Emblem** course for 7th & 8th grade Boy Scouts starting Sept 27 at Queen of the Holy Rosary. For more info or to register call Al Weber 913-831-4787 by Sept 24.



Do you ever want to fall out of love? Many couples have discovered that **Natural Family Planning (NFP)** helps their marriage in more ways than they have anticipated. You are encouraged to attend the course in the **Sympto-Thermal Method of NFP** at **St. Paul Parish** in Olathe on **Fri, Sept 21** at **7:00pm**. Reasonable course fee charged. Register online at www.ccli.org. Call Christine or David Downey at 837-3182 or Couple to Couple League of Kansas City at 894-3558 for more info.

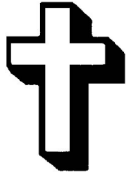
Come and See!

Do you know someone who is not Catholic and interested in learning more about the Catholic faith? Invite your friend or family member to attend the next ...

Inquiry Series

Sunday Mornings beginning in September

For more information contact Fr. Mike mstubbs@holycrossopks.org | (913) 381-2755



MISAS EN ESPAÑOL:
domingos, 2:00 p.m. y
martes, 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 li-
turgias.

RECONCILIACIÓN:
martes, 5pm.-6pm.,
y domingos, 1pm.-2pm.

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. **De-
ben 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, miérco-
les y jueves 2-5 pm.;
martes 2-6 pm. También
pueden llamar a los
Sacerdotes y dejarles
un mensaje: 341-5618.

La Iglesia Holy Cross es una comunidad diversa y acogedora, unida en la fe Católica, comprometida en formar a la gente en la imagen de Cristo para servir mejor al Señor y al prójimo.

“Encuentro”

Queridos feligreses:

Este fin de semana celebramos nuestro Festival de la Parroquia. Celebramos la fiesta de la Exaltación de la Santa Cruz. Esto es importante, no sólo porque nuestra parroquia fue llamada así, la Santa Cruz, sino también porque la cruz es el misterio central de nuestra fe, el misterio pascual de la muerte y resurrección de Jesús. Muriendo en la cruz, Jesús nos enseñó su amor por nosotros. Cuando Jesús fue elevado a la nueva vida, Dios afirmó el valor de su sacrificio.

Ya que Holy Cross es el misterio central de nuestra fe, es también apropiado que este fin de semana marque el comienzo del Año de Fe. A través de este año, tendremos la oportunidad de crecer más profundamente en nuestra fe. Los animo a aprovechar los recursos ofrecidos a todos para lograr este profundo conocimiento de nuestra fe. **Fr. Mike**

INTENCIONES PARA LAS MISAS: Martes 9/18, 6:00 p.m.: Marjorie Riggin
Domingo 9/23, 2:00 p.m.: Personas de la Parroquia

**LECTURAS Y PREGUNTAS PARA COMPARTIR LA FE: 25° Domingo
Ordinario:** Sabiduría 2:12, 17-20; Santiago 3:16, 4:3; Marcos 9:30-37

Pregunta para compartir la fe con adultos: Jesús nos enseña que la felicidad duradera la encontramos cuando servimos a los demás. ¿De qué manera son ustedes servidores del prójimo? ¿Cómo piensan ustedes que la relación de Jesús con su Padre le ayudaba a servir inclusive a aquéllos que lo crucificaron?

Para los niños: ¿Alguna vez han querido algo que su amigo tiene? ¿Cómo les hizo sentir y actuar hacia esta persona? ¿Cómo piensan ustedes que Jesús quiere que actúen y sientan hacia su amigo?

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA:

Clases de Catecismo para niños en los Grados K-6: Estas clases que incluyen la Preparación para la Primera Comunión, empezarán **Sept. 25**, para los dos Programas, el de por las tardes y el de las Familias Creciendo Juntos en la Fe. **La Reunión de Orientación para Padres (solamente), es el martes, Sept. 18, 6:45p.m.** Para preguntas, llamen a Karla Melgar, 381-2755, ext.140, ó kmelgar@holycrossopks.org

CONFIRMACIÓN:

Las clases de Confirmación ya están completas. Si sus estudiantes estuvieron en el programa el año pasado, Pueden llamar a Karla Melgar, 381-2755, ext.140.

La primera clase de Confirmación será el domingo, 23 de Septiembre. Los estudiantes de Escuela Superior se reunirán de 3:30-5pm. Los estudiantes de Escuela Intermedia se reunirán de 6-7:30pm. (Noten la media hora de diferencia).

Ministerio Juvenil: Para preguntas sobre Educación Religiosa para estudiantes de Escuela Intermedia o Superior, se pueden comunicar con Sandy Schluter por email: sschluter@holycrossopks.org, o pueden llamarla o text al: 205-0825

Retiro de Convalidación y Pre-Matrimonial: Para parejas que estén interesadas en casarse por la iglesia. **Es necesario asistir a un Retiro de 2 días.** El próximo se llevará acabo **Septiembre 29 y 30, de 8am.-4pm., en el Ministerio Hispano, 2215 Parallel Ave., KCKS 66104.** El costo es \$60/pareja, incluyendo libro y comidas. **NO habrá cuidado de niños.** Llamen a la oficina del Ministerio para inscribirse: 913/281-6644.

Serie “Catolicismo”: El Año de la Fe, empezará próximamente. El Padre Robert Barron narrará esta serie en *español*, aquí en Holy Cross, **el domingo 30 de septiembre, de 9am.-1:30pm.** ¡No se la pierda! Está muy bien hecha y valdrá su tiempo.

6 Week Grief Support Group: Join this group with Mark Fenton, who has been a Hospice Chaplain for 15 years, as the facilitator. This group starts **Mon, Sept 24, 6:30-8:00pm** at **Good Shepherd Catholic Church**, Shawnee KS. This program is **FREE**. Call Penny Volmer 563-5304 for more information.



Annual **Catholic Charismatic** retreat is **Sept 29 and 30** at Sanctuary of Hope. Registration is at **8:30am, Saturday** morning and the retreat extends through the evening. Sunday begins at 9:00 am ending with Mass at noon. **Deacon Don Poole** will direct the retreat. For more information call Ruth Hogan 649-2026.



“Give Yourself Continually To Prayer and The Ministry Of The Word” The annual Gospel Choir concert will be held at **Our Lady and St. Rose Church** 8th & Quindaro Blvd, 2300 N. 8th Street, Kansas City, KS on

Sunday, **Sept 30th at 3:00pm.**

Project Andrew: A Vocation Evening for Young Men Archbishop Naumann is hosting a **free**, informative vocation evening for men in high school. **Sunday, Oct 7 from 4:00-7:00pm** at **Savior Pastoral Center**. Come learn how Christ personally calls men, enjoy a great dinner, pray with Archbishop Naumann and ask him questions. Parents are invited too! For more details and to register go to www.kckvocations.com or email vocation@archkck.org

Family Day
At day to eat dinner with your children.

CASA, the National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University’s **Family Day— A Day to Eat Dinner with your Children** is a national movement that reminds parents that what your children really want at the dinner table is **YOU!** **Family Day** will be celebrated nationwide on **Mon, Sept 24**. CASA’s research has consistently found that children who have frequent family dinners are less likely to smoke, drink, and use drugs and they do better in school.

Festivals

St. Joseph Parish, 11311 Johnson Drive, Shawnee, annual **Fall Festival** will be Friday evening, **Sept. 21**. Events include a picnic dinner (5:00-7:00pm) in McDevitt Hall. Dinners are \$8 for fried chicken or bratwurst, 3 sides, beverage and dessert. Also having bingo, face painting, inflatables and other children’s games, magician, mouse races in a “Rat-tucky Derby”, family dance party and several raffles. More info call Mike or Tandy 492-3356.

Auxiliary of St. Joseph Medical Center is sponsoring a **Fall Bazaar** on **Sept 27 & 28** from **7:00am to 4:00 pm** in the lower level of the hospital atrium. Items for sale include jewelry, candles, scarves, rosaries, collegiate items, bake sale and more. Proceeds help support SJMC projects.

Vendors Wanted: St. Joseph Ladies Guild Craft and Gift Bazaar will be held **Sat, Oct 27** from **9:00am—3:00pm** in McDevitt Hall at St. Joseph Church, Shawnee. If you wish to be a craft vendor, tables start at \$30. Only 50 tables are available. For more information or to reserve a table call Shannon Foley 302-8505 or email at shannon@adafundraising.com

Church of the Ascension is looking for fabulous **vendors** for the **9th Annual Ascension Marketplace**. It will be **Fri, Nov 16** and **Sat, Nov 17th**. For more info go to www.kcascension.org under Events tab or call Francie Kwapiszeski 681-3348 ext 134

The **Cure’ of Ars Singles** will host its annual **HARVEST MOON DANCE** on Saturday, **September 29, from 7:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.** in the school cafeteria at 9401 Mission Road, Leawood, KS. Attendees are generally in their 40’s to 60’s. The cost of \$15 at the door includes meat hors d’oeuvres, desserts, wine, beer, soda, and bottled water. (913) 631-6873.

