

SAVE THE DATE: St. Joseph School will be hosting our 20th Annual MARDI GRAS fundraising event on **Saturday, March 2nd, from 6:00-11:00pm.
See bulletin below for full details!!!**

Open House at Saint Joseph School

Saint Joseph School will be hosting an **Open House** for prospective families on, January 27th, from 12:00-2:00 pm. Details below.

We still have **Walmart and Target Gift Cards available for purchase!!!** If you shop at these stores please purchase your gift cards here and help the Corporal Works of Mercy Committee in their ministry to the poor. Don't forget, your Walmart Gift Cards can also be used at Sam's Club!!!

Enroll your Kroger Rewards Card now! See below for directions.

Don't Forget To Purchase Your Grocery Gift Cards! Remember 100% of the profit from the sales is distributed by our Corporal Works of Mercy Committee to help the needy in our community. **LOOK IN THE BULLETIN FOR MORE UPCOMING NEWS & CHANGES...** Kroger has moved their Knoxville Food Stores from the Atlanta Region to the Nashville Region, we are now asking that you go in and update your Rewards Card once again to St. Albert the Great Catholic Church.

Prayers have been requested for the following individuals; please keep them and all the relatives of our members who need our prayers this week

Frank Schmelz
Molly Nicholson
Caroline McSween
Donna Ragle
Ryan & Rachael Willis
Jose Garcia
Connie Ramsey

Don Lerch
Tom & Summer Githens
Bonnie & Jim Gombos
Leonard Nugent
Sylvia McMahan
Theresa Ostrom
Carrieanne Behan

Ramond Flores
Stephanie Stevens
Carol Maples
Megan McMurray Dugan
Carolyn DiMasi



The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time **January 19th & 20th, 2019**

Saint Albert the Great Parish

(Established July 1, 2007)

Participant in the Safe Environment Program

7200 Brickey Lane

Knoxville, TN 37918

Office: 865/689-7011

Office e-mail: office@satgknox.org

Parish Website: www.satgknox.org

Pastor:

Fr. Chris Michelson frchris@satgknox.org

Sacramental Associates:

Msgr. Bill Gahagan (retired)

Msgr. Pat Garrity (retired)

Fr. Bill McKenzie (retired)

Deacons:

Patrick Murphy-Racey pat@pmpphoto.com

Bob Smearing smearingr@gmail.com

Mike Duncan mduncan1711@gmail.com

Mike Eiffe mikeandjoan@comcast.net

Receptionist & Secretary

Jennifer McCleary office@satgknox.org

Ministries Coordinator & Music Director

Maria Armento maria@satgknox.org

Facilities Manager

Richard Piety 207-9924

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:30am-2pm.

Mass Times

Monday - Friday 9am

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday 9 am & 11am

Confessions:

Saturday 4-4:30pm

Anytime by appointment

Catholic Schools:

Saint Joseph Elementary 689-3424

Knoxville Catholic High 560-0313

Please pray for Parishioners discerning a Religious Vocation

Seminarian

Deacon Mark Schuster

Saint Meinrad School of Theology

200 Hill Drive

Saint Meinrad, IN 47577

markschuster@gmail.com

Dear Parishioners,

As you come to church this weekend you will notice a change in our altar furniture arrangement. Bishop Stika has made the determination that he wants all tabernacles in our diocese to be placed directly behind the altar. He believes this sends a clearer message that Christ should always be the center of our church and of our lives. While I don't like celebrating Mass standing in front of the tabernacle, we are now unified as a diocese in the placement of our tabernacles.

You will also notice that we have placed two statues in the niche designed for our tabernacle. You are aware of the closing of Physicians Regional (the old Saint Mary's). The Sisters of Mercy who have so faithfully served us for so many years have been finding new homes for the religious items that were part of the hospital. We are blest to have received these statues which will remind us of the legacy of the Sisters of Mercy in our area, as well as, the wonderful service of our dearly departed Sister Marie. These statues were donated to Saint Mary's by the nursing class of 1962.

With the sale of Tennova Regional (the old Saint Mary's) and with "HIPPA Regulations" it is becoming increasingly difficult for us to know who is in the hospital, so we can visit and bring communion. If you are going to the hospital (or know someone in the hospital) and would like communion or an anointing, **PLEASE LET US KNOW IN THE PARISH OFFICE.**

Please continue to support our Corporal Works of Mercy Committee by purchasing your grocery gift cards to Ingle's and Food City. All proceeds go to help the needy in our community. *Have a Blest Week!*

Fr. Chris

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Nourished and strengthened by the sacraments, we the parishioners of Saint Albert the Great Parish strive to: --- Be an open and transparent community where all are welcome.

- *Live joyfully the gospel message of hope and salvation given to us by Jesus.*
- *Grow in holiness through prayer, study and worship as a family of faith.*
- *Serve the needs of our community and our world.*

Parish Council

Joan Eiffe, *Chair*

Bob O'Connor, *Buildings & Grounds*

Jennifer McCleary, *Communications*

Joan Eiffe, *CWoM: Programs*

Deacon Mike Eiffe, *CWoM: Visitation Ministry*

Mike Clarke, *Faith Formation: Study*

Kelley Griffin, *Faith Formation: Social/Service*

Steve Walker, *Finance Committee*

JoAnn Rudy, *Parish Life: Community Building*

Phil Oakley, *Parish Life: Groups*

Marcy Meldahl, *Spiritual Life: Liturgical*

Maria Armento, *Spiritual Life: Devotional*

617-9595

924-0714

689-7011

617-9595

938-5825

922-5939

227-1075

548-9464

567-6762

335-9063

242-1430

689-7011

Finance Committee

Catherine Barnes 922-6710

Tim Brew 548-6117

Chad Bergman 402/770-1152

Bill Ellithorpe 444-1932

Mary Jane Pitts 693-6741

Tyler Walker 386-3440

Steve Walker, *Finance Officer*

548-9464

Parish Calendar

Sat Jan 19th St. Paula

10:30am First Reconciliation

5pm Christopher Brugger by Pat Winter

6pm Blood Pressure Checks

Sun Jan 20th 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

9&11 FF PreK-K Class

10&12 Blood Pressure Checks

11am Perry Cox by Harper and

Abbey Widener

Mon Jan 21st St. Agnes

8:30-2 Office Closed

9am Deacon Joe Armento by Peg Schrader

7pm RCIA

Tues Jan 22nd St. Vincent Saragossa

9am Alberto Rodriguez by Polly Rodriguez

7pm Boy Scout Meeting

Wed Jan 23rd St. William of Bourges

9am Bob Domaleski by Maryann Faber

And Family

6:30pm Faith Formation Classes

7pm Choir Practice

Thurs Jan 24th St. Francis de Sales

9am Marie Kustermann by Diane Whitaker

9:30am Adult Faith Formation

Fri Jan 25th The Conversion of Saint Paul

The Apostle

9am Jean Marie Brown by Molly Raab

Sat Jan 26th Sts. Timothy and Titus

9am Baptism Class-Chapel

5pm Christopher Brugger by Pat Winter

Sun Jan 27th 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

9&11 FF PreK-K Class

11am Bernadette Fitzpatrick by Paul

And Rita Sands

Something To Think About

The way to happiness....

*Keep your heart free from hate,
your mind free from worry, live
simply, expect little, give much!*

2019 Calendar Sales

Calendars Purchases: **92**

Profit for parish: **\$920**

Would you support Catholic Schools for 10 cents a day? Then buy a Catholic Schools Calendar for \$36.50 and you get 365 chances to win \$100 - \$500. And it not only supports our Catholic Schools, but our parish gets \$10 for each calendar sold. Available at the gift certificate table or office.

Parish Financial Information

(All figures based on a July 1st thru June 30th year)

Collection Report

	01/13	Budget	+/- year	This year	Last year
Regular	8,686	9,150	(17,992)	238,208	236,024
Children	37	50	28	1,463	1,356
Building	1,898	1,800	4,707	55,107	48,710
Charity	219	300	311	8,711	8,145
TOTAL	19,840	11,300	(12,911)	303,489	294,235

(Parish Debt \$1,041,959)



\$'s Pledged	\$426,000
Pledges Paid (as of 12/20/2018)	\$330,352
% of pledges paid	77.6%
Parish Portion Received	\$165,176

"ONE CHURCH FOR ONE ANOTHER"

Bishop's Appeal 2018

	Last Year	Current Year
Parish Goal	\$43,600	\$43,600
Pledged	\$44,909	\$41,904
Collected (end Nov.)	\$41,113	\$39,625
% of Pledges Paid	94.3%	90.9%

Gift Certificates

	Last Week	For Year	Last Year
Sales	2,550	84,775	72,225
Profit	128	4,239	3,611

All profit from the grocery gift certificate sales go to reach out to those in need in our community!

Mass Attendance

	12/23	12/30	01/06	01/13	Last Year
5pm	210	150	175	190	180
9am	205	230	220	180	175
11am	330	320	345	355	295
Total	745	700	740	725	650

Our Parish Family

(as of 01/15/2018)

	This yr	Last yr
Registered Families	636	617
Members	1,713	1,648

By Age 0-5	80	6-13	215	14-18	142
19-25	149	26-35	172	36-45	237
46-55	209	56-65	165	Over 65	229
		Average Age	37		

Week's Mass Readings

Sunday Reading's 1097 in Gather Hymnal

Jan 20 Is 62:1-5	1 Cor 12:4-11
	Jn 2:1-11
Jan 21 Heb 5:1-10	Mk 2:18-22
Jan 22 Heb 6:10-20	Mk 2:23-28
Jan 23 Heb 7:1-3,15-17	Mk 3:1-6
Jan 24 Heb 7:25-8:6	Mk 3:7-12
Jan 25 Acts 22:3-16	Mk 16:15-18
Jan 26 2 Tm 1:1-8	Mk 3:20-21
Jan 27 Neh 8:2-4a,5-6,8-10	1 Cor 12:12-30
	Lk 1:1-4;4:14-21

Bishop's Appeal 2019

"One Spirit In Christ"

The Bishop's Appeal 2019 begins with a mailing that many of you have received or will soon receive. This is a mailing from Bishop Stika asking for a generous pledge to this year's Appeal. Your gift not only funds many of the operations of the Diocese of Knoxville, it funds services that are of great help to the ministries here in our parish. This year, the theme of the Appeal is **ONE SPIRIT IN CHRIST**. Each Appeal gift enables the Diocese to build up the kingdom of God throughout East Tennessee. God gives us all that we have. Even when we want to believe that our successes are self-made, we know that it is God who has blessed us abundantly with all we have. He is always giving to us. His grace is always there for us. One way that we can show our gratitude is by offering our generous financial support to our parish and to our Diocese and to the Church throughout the world. The gifts that we give enable ministries, education and services that touch thousands of lives. Our parish goal is \$43,600. With your support, we can reach and exceed this goal. Please answer Bishop Stika's request and make a generous pledge. All pledges can be paid in ten installments. Thank you in advance for your support.

Stewardship Thought

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you, feel His love, peace and joy!

Do you have high blood pressure, high cholesterol, diabetes, or a family history of heart disease? If so, do not miss this opportunity for early detection of a possibly serious disease. **Stroke Scan Plus** will be at SATG on **Wednesday, February 20, 2019** to provide life-saving, wellness ultrasound screenings for **\$149** for all 7 combined ultrasound screenings (Stroke, AAA, AFIB & organs). Insurance is NOT necessary and appointments are limited. Stroke Scan will be available at the church for you to register on **Feb 16/17**, or call 1-866-935-7226 to schedule an appointment today for you or a loved one. The screenings will take in the Activities Center. Prevention is your key to quality health! www.strokescan.com

Faith Formation

PreK/K

Sundays during 9am&11am Masses

Contact Linnie Sexton 947-5425.

Grades 1-6

(Confirmation Grade 6)

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm

Contact Robyn Wilson 388-8311.

Grades 7-9

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm

Contact Angie Nelson 742-2553.

Grades 9-12

1/30, 2/13, 2/27, 3/13, 3/27

6:30-7:30pm

Adult

Thursdays after 9am Mass

Contact Deacon Mike Eiffe 938-5825.

R.C.I.A.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or becoming Catholic?

Contact Mike Clarke 250-3228

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASSES

Register by contacting the office at 689-7011 or Deacon Mike Eiffe at 938-5825.

Liturgy

If you would like to learn more about our Liturgical Ministries, please contact our coordinators!

Maria Armento (<i>Music</i>)	689-7011
Vic Chargualaf (<i>Readers</i>)	679-6006
Fred Coats (<i>Greeters</i>)	377-3522
Marcy Meldahl (<i>EMC</i>)	242-1430
Phillip May (<i>Ushers</i>)	938-5972
Richard Turner (<i>Altar Servers</i>)	654-6704
Kathy Walker (<i>Art & Environment</i>)	406-3411

Parish Announcement

Corporal Works of Mercy will be **collecting tomato & chicken noodle soup at all masses the weekend of Feb 2nd & 3rd** The soup will benefit the Ladies of Charity, local food pantries and our food baskets here at SATG. Thank you for your generosity.

Visitation Ministry: If you or somebody you know is homebound, we have a group of dedicated volunteers who would love to visit. Please contact Deacon Mike (938-5825) to make arrangements.



Use your Kroger Plus Card & help us Grow!!!

Supporting our church has never been easier-just shop at Kroger and scan your Plus Card! Here's how to enroll:

*Visit

www.kroger.com/communityrewards.com

*Scroll down to find your location (St. Albert the Great) and click "Enroll Now"

*Sign in to your online account, or create an account

*Find and select our organization (**NPO # is FC542**), and click "Save"

****Remember, you'll need to re-enroll every August****

Diocesan Announcements

Catholic Teens United is a new program in the Diocese of Knoxville for our Catholic teens, from 8th grade to college. Our next **CTU** gathering is Sunday, **February 10th, from 2-4pm** at **St. John Neumann Catholic Church** in Farragut. Tell your friends and come see what it's all about!

Knoxville Catholic High School

For a campus tour, contact:

Joni Punch, Admissions, 560-0502

St. Joseph School

Mr. Andy Zengel, Principal

www.sjsknox.org

865/689-3424

SJS will be having their annual 8th Grade Pancake Breakfast Fund Raiser at Aubrey's on Saturday, **February 23rd from 8-10am**. **Tickets will be available for purchase the weekend of Feb. 9/10** after all masses. Please come out and support our SJS 8th Graders!!



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Annual MARDI GRAS fundraising event on **Saturday, March 2nd, from 6:00-11:00pm**, in the French Quarter (aka SJS Gym & Performing Arts Center). Come and enjoy a fabulous dinner buffet (provided by **Wilson Catering**), silent & live auction, music, dancing & lighting provided by the award-winning **Ogle Entertainment**. To purchase a table or buy individual tickets, please call Tara Herber in the SJS office at **865-689-3424 (\$50/ticket, \$400/8-top table, & \$500/10-top table)**. Anyone interested in sponsoring the event or donating auction items and/or door prizes, please call Howie Sompayrac at **865-804-8977**. We appreciate your support!

St. JOSEPH

SCHOOL founded - 1963



ADMISSIONS OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, January 27th, 12:00 - 2:00 pm

**Now accepting applications
for School Year 2019-2020**

1810 Howard Drive, Knoxville, TN 37918

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