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**St. Bridget Parish**

August 31 & September 1, 2019

**ALLERGY INJECTION HOURS**

Pastoral Administrator
Owner – Jerald Dickey

203 N. ARMSTRONG
PLEASANT HILL, MO 64080
816-540-5550

** MASS SCHEDULE:**
Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am

**Weekdays:**
Monday & Friday - No Mass
Tuesday 9:00 am; Wednesday 6:00 pm; Thursday 9:00 am

**HOLY DAYS:**
See Schedule in Bulletin

**RECONCILIATION:**
Wed 5:25 – 5:55 pm & Thurs 8:25 – 8:55 am
Sun. 7:30 – 7:50 am and by appointment

**BAPTISM:**
Parent preparation session is required. Please call church office prior to the birth.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:**
Every Thursday from 10:00 am – 6:00 pm.

**ANONITING OF SICK:**
As requested after Mass and by appointment.

**MARRIAGE:**
Please call when engaged. A nine-month preparation period is required (diocesan policy). One party should be a registered, attending parishioner.

**CONFIRMATION:**
Program for High-School students, according to Diocesan guidelines.

**PRAYER CHAIN REQUEST:**
If you wish to be added to the prayer list, please contact Roberta Klein at 540-5980

**NEW PARISHIONERS:**
Welcome! Please register after Mass or stop by the Parish office for more information.

**STAFF:**
Fr. Curt Vogel, Parish Administrator
FVvqoise2015@gmail.com

Tim Long, Business Manager

Mel Thornberry, Director of Youth Religious Education & Middle School EDGE
Irish_girl7979@yahoo.com

**TBA**

Administrative Assistant

Matt & Penni Warner
High School Youth Director
Malennew92@gmail.com

**Victim Services Coordinator:**
Kathleen Chastain - (816) 392-0011

Ombudsman:
Capt. Joseph Crayon - 816.812.2500

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Phone: (816) 540-4563 • Fax (816) 540-2162
**St. Bridget Autumn Fest**

**GOOD OL’ FASHION FAMILY FUN**

SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

**DINNER:** 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

**SILENT AUCTION 11:00 AM -2:00 PM**

DINNER & RAFFLE TICKETS

Autumn Fest Beef Raffle Tickets are now available in the vestibule along with the Advance Dinner Tickets. Pre-purchased raffle tickets may be dropped off between now and September 22nd.

Advance Dinner Tickets on Sale Until September 21st:
- Family (2 Adults up to 3 Children $25
- Adult $8, Children (5-12) $5
- Children 4 and under Free

Prices Day of Event at the Door:
- Family (2 Adults up to 3 Children) $30
- Adult $9, Children (5-12) $6
- Children 4 and under Free
- Seniors (65 +) $7.00
- Seniors (65 +) $8.00

**Baskets to be offered in Silent Auction, will be displayed in the church foyer before the Autumn Fest.**

**CARRY OUT WILL ALSO BE OFFERED AT NO EXTRA COST!**

**SUNDAY COLLECTIONS WEEKEND**

August 24 & 25

**Collection** | **EFT** | **Total**
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St. Bridget Parish: $1,408.00 | $1,127.42 | $2,535.42
Dream Fund: $200.00 | $1,400.00 | $1,600.00
Youth Group: $0.00 | $1.00 | $1.00
Votive Candle: $5.00 | $5.00 | $5.00
Special Collection: $6.00 | $6.00 | $6.00
Extra Collection: $0.00 | $0.00 | $0.00

**Please remember our Dream Campaign**

August Dream Fund MTD: $3382.50

**BOOING**

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- Chocolate Syrup
- Hot Fudge
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- Cherries
- and more!
VOLUNTEERS
There are multiple opportunities throughout the year to volunteer at Catholic Charities KCSJ. If you’re looking for something rewarding to do with your free time or can only help occasionally on certain project, we are the place for you. Different times of the year find us working on various projects and often people are looking for service hour opportunities. To find out what our specific needs are, please contact Linda Hopkins, Volunteer Coordinator at 816-659-8205 or hopkins@cccharities.com.

ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF THE MISSOURI CATHOLIC CONFERENCE
The Catholic Bishops of Missouri invite you to attend the Annual Assembly of the Missouri Catholic Conference on Saturday, October 5th, in Jefferson City. Come learn about public policy from the experts who are involved in advocacy on a daily basis. The theme of this year’s gathering is “Raising the Next Generation of Catholic Advocates.” The event is free and includes lunch and childcare for children above four years of age. A youth track is available for students in middle school and up and includes a mock legislature where students can debate bills on the floor of the Missouri Senate. To register for the event, go to MOCatholic.org or call 1-800-456-1679. See you on October 5th!

K of C DICE RUN
Spirited Rider tickets will be sold following Mass this weekend.

The Pleasant Hill, Holden, Warrensburg, Blue Springs, and Lee’s Summit Councils of the Knights of Columbus are co-hosting their 9th annual Dice Run for Special Olympics Missouri.

Over the last eight years we have raised over $29,000 for Special Olympics Missouri and we are looking to add to that total.

Join us on Saturday, September 7th for a 110-mile trek through the countryside. Leaving Pleasant Hill and stopping in Warrensburg, Odessa, and Blue Springs to roll the dice, with a final roll and lunch in Lee’s Summit. High and low score totals will win a cash prize and high rollers will win at each stop.

This dice run isn’t just for motorcycles, take this opportunity to cruise in your classic car, your hot rod, heck even your daily driver! $35-Rider $15-Passenger

Pre-Register before August 17th to guarantee a T-Shirt!

For more information or sponsorship opportunities contact:
Don Vogel (816) 786-8951
or
Mark Wells (816) 674-6258

CLIP & SAVE

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combating sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and
2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and
3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankind.org, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or chastain@diocesekc.org for more information.

WELCOME!
If you are new to our parish, please take a moment to introduce yourselves and register with us. Forms are available in the vestibule, parish office or online at https://stbridgetph.weconnect.com

Online Giving is here at St. Bridget Parish. You can easily access the web page by going to the parish website or by scanning the QR code. Online giving allows you the freedom to set up a regular monthly donation transaction, change your current transactions, or give a one-time gift to St Bridget. We have 42 families who currently utilize electronic giving every month via a checking or savings account or by using their credit card. Electronic giving is an easy and consistent method of donating to St. Bridget. Now, you can have more control of your donating activity.

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-22– Labor Day Parish Office Closed
-04 – SOR Teachers Meeting
-07 – K of C Dice Run
-07/08 – Mission Appeal Weekend
-11 – SOR, W of F, TMYI Begins
-15 – Protecting God’s Children K of C Breakfast
-22 – St. Bridget Autumn Fest
-22 – EDGE for Middle School Youth

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If you are just visiting, we pray that you have a wonderful visit and a safe return journey home.
The parish office will be closed on Monday, September 2nd for Labor Day. Our regular office hours will resume Tuesday, September 3rd.

**ST. BRIDGET AUTUMN FEST:** The date for this year’s Autumn Fest is set for Sunday, September 22nd. This is one of our biggest events and many volunteers are needed to help make it a success from the planning stage to working during the event. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Katy Crabtree or any committee member.

**FLEXIBILITY OF OFFICE HOURS:** With our parish secretary retiring, we will have an interim period as we carry out the process to hire a new secretary. Furthermore, after the new parish secretary is hired, the office staff will need a grace period as the new secretary learns their tasks and also gets into the groove of parish activity. The office staff is asking for understanding and flexibility in office hours during this process. There will be moments when the office may be closed. In advance, Thank You and please keep our parish in your prayers. May God bless you now and always.

**ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS:** Our next scheduled meeting will be Thursday, September 5th. Rosary will begin at 6:40 pm in church and our meeting will begin immediately afterwards. Altar Cloth, Hostess, & Cemetery for September: Chris Porter

**WOMEN OF FAITH NEWS:** Women of Faith will begin September 1st and follow the SOR schedule. This fall we will begin a study of the Holy Spirit using Formed. We would love for any women of the parish to join us on our faith journey!

**PROTECTING GODS CHILDREN**

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph will sponsor a Protecting God's Children Workshop on Sunday, September 15th at 9:30 am in the Adult Education Room at St. Bridget Parish Education Building. Protecting God’s Children is intended to raise awareness of child sexual abuse. Adults who attend the 3-hour session will come away with practical information about the warning signs of child abuse, ways to prevent abuse, strategies for handling suspicions of abuse, and ways to respond. If you would like to attend our session, please pre-register online at www.virtus.org, select the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, MO and follow the requests for the information which follow.

If you experience any difficulty pre-registering, please contact Laurie Jo Holmes at holmes@diocesekcsj.org or (816) 820-0656; she is happy to help sign you up for the workshop. ALL volunteers working in children’s programs of our parish are required to attend. You’re invited to join us beforehand for Mass at 8:00am and/or a quick breakfast in the Parish Hall at 9:00am.

**RCIA NEWS**

RCIA Welcomes Catholics Who Want to Learn the Faith Again

If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church, or just wanting to learn more about the Faith, RCIA classes are going to start Sunday, September 15th at 9:00am in the St. Patrick’s parish hall in Holden. Classes will be every Sunday morning, except for the 2nd Sundays of the month. To sign-up, or if you have any questions, please contact Matt or Penni Warner at matpen92@gmail.com or at (660)-233-9159 for more information.

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**K OF C Breakfast Return!**

Join the K of C for breakfast in Ledwide Hall Sunday morning, September 15th immediately following Mass.

**OLD BAY CATHOLIC CHARITY OF KANSAS CITY**

The parish will begin receiving donations for Old Bay Catholic Charity of Kansas City on Sunday, September 8th. Donations may be dropped off in the collection envelope or given to Parish Secretary Matt or Penni Warner.

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