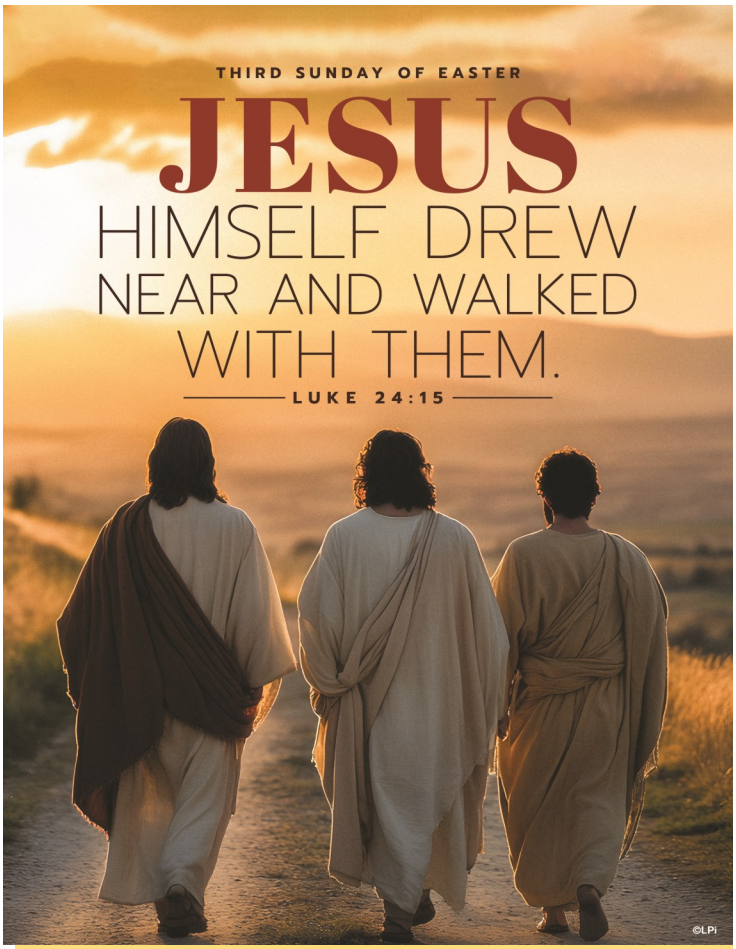
Guardian Angels Catholic Church and Our Lady of Hope School



LITURGY SCHEDULE:
Saturday.....4:00 pm
Sunday .....8:30 am and 10:30 am
Tue/Wed/Thurs.....5:30 pm
Thurs*.....8:15 am (during school year)

*This Thursday Mass is OLH School Mass

RECONCILIATION:
Tue/Wed/Thur .....4:45 pm
Saturday.....3:00 pm
Other days—call for appointment

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guardianangelskc.org
Facebook.com/Guardianangelskc

OLH School Office
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https://olhkcmo.org/

UPCOMING MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Tuesday, April 28 at 6:15 p.m.
Finance Council Meeting in the Parish Office
Tuesday, May 12 at 6:15 p.m.
Pastoral Council Meeting in the Parish Office
Thursday, May 21 at 6:00 p.m.
BUNKO in the Parish Hall
Tuesday, May 26 at 6:15 p.m.
Financial Committee Meting in the Parish Hall
Saturday, May 30 after 4:00 p.m. Mass
Holy Name Society Horse Races

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
April 19, 2026

Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2 and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51-8:1a/ Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/ Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/ Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/ Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/ Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

ROSARY SCHEDULE

Saturday—after 4:00 pm mass in the Church

Sunday—before 8:30 am mass in the Chapel

Sunday, after 10:30 am mass in

COLLECTION FOR APRIL 12, 2026

Envelopes/Mail in Donations... ……. .	$3,03100
Plate Offering..... …….	$558.00
Weekly Collection Total	**$3,589.00**

FR. CARLITO'S CORNER

Third Sunday of Easter
Luke 24:13-35—April 19, 2026

Today's Gospel tells the story of two of Jesus disciples who have left Jerusalem and are going home to Emmaus on Easter Sunday. They are both sad and confused. We can imagine the feelings of the two; their Lord whom they followed, has been killed and buried in a tomb. They struggle to make sense of what has happened, because they have heard reports that Jesus tomb was found to be empty.

As the two walk, Jesus approaches them; they do not recognize him. Jesus asks the two what they are discussing as they walk. The disciples recount to Jesus all that has happened in Jerusalem. Jesus uses the Old Testament Scriptures to explain to them His passion, death and resurrection. Jesus questioned the disciples, because he wanted to know what they were thinking. Despite this conversation, they still fail to recognize Him. When evening comes, the two disciples invite Jesus to stay with them, before continuing on his journey. Only when the risen Jesus takes bread, blesses it and gives it to them, do they finally recognize Him. Instead of continuing the journey to Emmaus, the disciples return to Jerusalem and share their encounter with the other disciples.

Like the disciples on the road to Emmaus, we are not always aware of the presence of the risen Christ. First and foremost, this passage should remind us that Christ is walking with us through this life, even when we don't recognize Him. The two disciples were so absorbed with their own grief; they were blinded to any other reality. When misfortune and painful experiences happen to us, it is often difficult to see beyond them. We allow them to define our past, the present and even the future. This Gospel passage tells us that the risen Lord can enter into our experiences of pain, uncertainty and fear, if we allow Him in.

Secondly, this passage teaches us how to deal with others more lovingly. Jesus teaches us that it all starts simply by joining someone on their journey: by walking with them, talking with them and listening to them. It means opening ourselves to someone else's struggles.

Jesus meets people where they are. Jesus walks with you even when you don't realize it. God is close to you. If you allow God into your life, he can change your direction.

SPECIAL PRAYERS & INTENTIONS

Please pray for:

Louis Aguilar, Jr., Janet & John Altman, Josephine Alvarado, George Armendariz, Michael Batton, Bella Blevins, Mary Ann Boring, Jeanne Boucek, Pat Bowman, Linda Briones, Ginger Camerillo, Michael Carey, Lila Casperson, Kathy Cavanaugh, Diana Cervantes, Connie Chaffin, Kelly and Joseph Chambers, Livia Ciplea, Larry Clark, Aurora Davis, Elizabeth Dierks, Nancy Dixon, Ricky Foster, Lucy Garcia, Rudy Garcia, Tony Garcia, Shawn Gaupp, Jeff Griffith, Charles Guerera, Mark Guhl, Richard Hayde, Helen Henderson, Brenda Henley, Chris Hernandez, Frankie Hernandez, Linda Hernandez, Lizzie Hernandez, Susan Hoffman, Steven Hoffman, Jeff Huermann, Mary Hitchcock, Jenifer Cervantes Johnson, Kenny Jones, Adri Jordison, Freddie Juarez, Mary Ann Juarez, Kevin Koch, Jake Konzak, Isaac Kwasniak, Diane Layes, Genevieve Sumstine Lewis, Delores Lopez, Ruben Lopez, Michael Lucas, Juanita Leyva, Jack McBratney, Rita McBratney, Andy McEachron, Wendy McKellar, Harper McLean, Angie Medellin, Jimmy Miller, Carmen Murillo, Stephanie Tejada Murillo, Cathy & James Norbury, Stella Ojeda, John Orozco, Christine Osborne, Ashley Parton, Angela Pecina, Annette Perez, Jesus Perez, Pete Pierron, Sylvia Raya, Theo Stephen Ridenour, Teresa Rivera, Laura Rocha, Pete Jon Rouse, Carolyn Ruiz, Mary Beth Ryan, Rebecca Saballo, Kelli Seiler, Diane Stahl, Kathleen Stanton, Mary Stanton, Jennifer Starcher, Barb Storey, Henry Stuerke, Andrew Taylor, Christine Vaca, Louie Vaca, Augustine Valdivia, Rosina Valdivia, Melissa Vasquez, Joyce Veach, Socorro Velo, Carl Walston, Michael Weaver, Mark Wilborn, Jacob Wilstse, Jim Wood, Katrina Worth, Ashley Wright, Millie Wyatt. *To add a name to our prayer list, contact the parish office.*

FAITH FORMATION
SUNDAY, APRIL 19

Our next Faith Formation group will be Sunday, April 19th from 9:30 am—10:20 am. Continuing with our themes of Catholic Social Teaching, the next topic is **Rights and Responsibilities.** All are invited to come to the Parish Hall between Masses for this video and discussion!

Homebound Communion

The Pastoral Council would like to begin distributing communion to our homebound parishoners who would like to receive Holy Communion after weekend masses. If you know of anyone, please call the parish office with their name and location.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday. April 18
4:00 pm.....Leslie Mendoza Camacho†
Sunday, April 19
8:30 am.....Yoli Barbosa†
10:30 am.....Candace Colorado†
Tuesday, April 21
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Wednesday, April 22
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Thursday, April 23
8:15 am.....OLH School Mass
5:30 pm.....M. Davis†
Saturday, April 25
4:00 pm.....Parishoners of G.A.
Sunday, April 26
8:30 am.....Louis Wheat
10:30 am.....Rick Coates†

SACRAMENTS & OTHER INFORMATION

New Parishioners
Welcome! Please register by downloading a registration form from our website, or contact the parish office. We are glad you are here!

Baptism
Contact the parish office to schedule the baptismal class and the date of the baptism.

Weddings & Quinceañera
Contact the parish office to schedule a date (preferably nine months before your proposed date).

Sick or Hospitalized
Contact the parish office when your loved one is sick or admitted to the hospital.

Funeral
For funeral arrangements, contact the church office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Confessions regularly before 5:30pm Mass, Saturday at 3:00pm and also by appointment. Please call the church office for appointment if you can't make it on scheduled days.

Religious Education, Confirmation & RCIA
Contact the church office or send an email at office@guardianangelskc.org.

Thene for 2026: Our Power, Our Planet
Reduce, Reuse and Recycle

Happy Earth Day
Wednesday, April 22

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

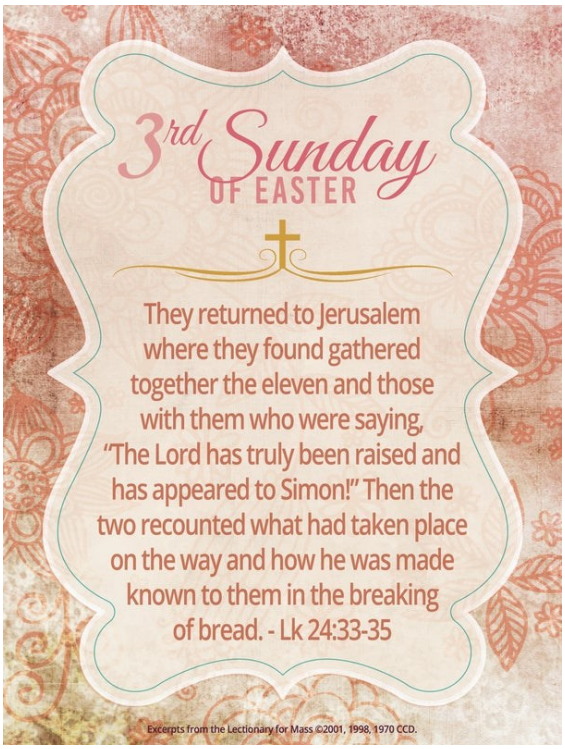
Ryan Asbury (Air National Guard), Ryan Edenburn (Marines), Sam Fair (Air Force), Carlos Garcia III (Navy), Mason Grado (Marines), Daniel Hitchcock (Army), Jonathan Hitchcock (Army), Stephen Hitchcock (Army), Nate Hitchcock (Army), Nick Malott (Army), Sarah Martinez (Army), Joshua May (Army), Dylan Palmer (Marines), Joe Penniston, (Marines), Thomas Reyes (Marines), Geoff Schultz (Air Force), Michael Sparks (Navy). James Sutherland (Army), Garrett Trowbridge (Army), Connor Wiltse (Air Force), Brian D. Zahner (Army).

Sexual Abuse

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting 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. If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org at 816-213-6024.

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, at 816-714-2357 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.



SAVE THE DATE

The Holy Name Society will be having their horse race event on Saturday, May 30. The event will take place after the 4:00 p.m. mass . More details to follow.

Condolences

Christine Vaca, a longtime parishioner and our parish secretary, passed away this week. Arrangements pending.

STEWARDSHIP OF GUARDIAN ANGELS CHURCH

We are doing repairs of all our facilities a little at a time. Thank you for caring about our church!!

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