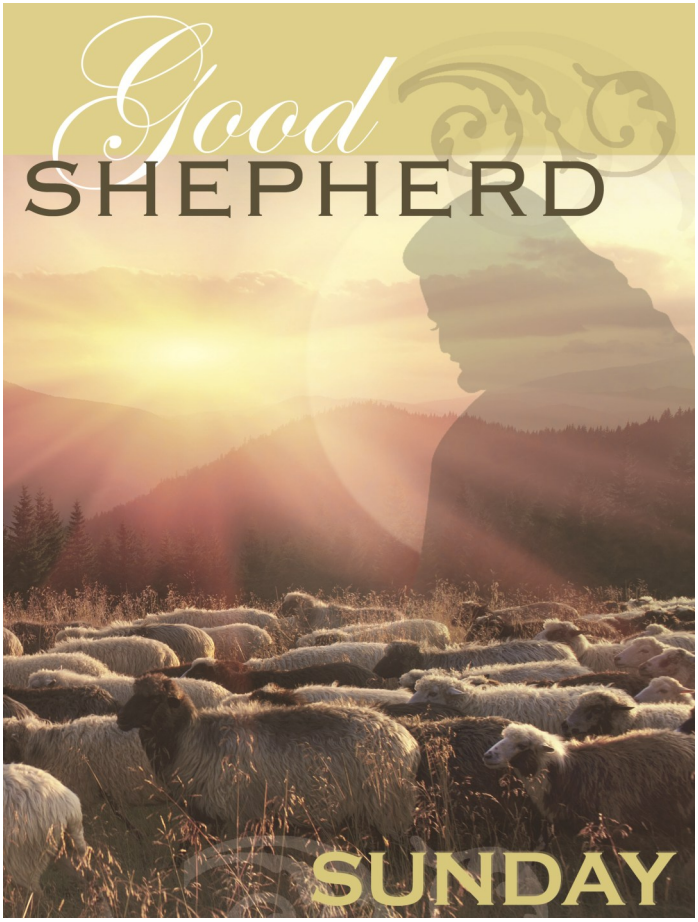
Guardian Angels Catholic Church and Our Lady of Hope School



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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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.
Finance Council Meeting in the Parish Office
Saturday, May 30 after 4:00 p.m. Mass
Holy Name Society Horse Races

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
April 26, 2026

Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:11-18 (second choice)

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24-13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

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 the Church

COLLECTION FOR APRIL 19, 2026

Envelopes/Mail in Donations... ……. .	$2,902.00
Plate Offering..... …….	$1,256.00
Weekly Collection Total	**$4,158.00**

The second collection this weekend, May 2 & 3, is for Guardian Angels Building Fund. Thank you for caring about our church.

FR. CARLITO'S CORNER

Fourth Sunday of Easter / John 10:1-10
April 26, 2026

The fourth Sunday of Easter is sometimes called Good Shepherd Sunday because the Gospel reading invites us to reflect on Jesus as the Good Shepherd.

The Gospel today takes the image of a shepherd in a surprising direction. Not only is Jesus the shepherd who guards the sheep, He is also the gate by which the sheep enter into the sheepfold. A sheepfold is basically just a pen and the sheep go into the pen each night for their protection. Two analogies are given to clarify Jesus' identity and purpose for his audience. He is a door because He is the way to salvation, and He is a good shepherd because He keeps, protects, and guides his sheep.

By faith, we accept Jesus as our Good Shepherd. Our relationship to Him is a deeply personal one. The bond of love uniting us to our Shepherd is based on love that unites God the Father and Jesus. Our new existence is founded on God's unbroken love and faithfulness to us.

So why are followers of Christ referred to as sheep? Sheep are animals that need guidance, protection, and nurturing from a shepherd. To be a sheep is to belong to Christ, the Good Shepherd. We are called to be people of peace but also people of strength, willing to commit ourselves to establish God's Kingdom of justice, peace and love, and willing to stand against violence and injustice. To be a sheep is to belong to Christ, the Good Shepherd. We do not belong to Christ when we unquestioningly accept the manipulation of our world. We do not belong to Christ when we accept abuses in our workplace or in our home or in our institutions. It is part of our mission in following our Good Shepherd to oppose evil, and assert ourselves against forces that can harm us, the people we love, and harm people who are powerless to stand up for themselves.

We are called to follow the Good Shepherd and commit to the values our Good Shepherd upholds. We are called to proclaim and defend them with our lives.

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, Kelli Seiler, Diane Stahl, Kathleen Stanton, Mary Stanton, Jennifer Starcher, Barb Storey, Henry Stuerke, Andrew Taylor, 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

Next Adult Faith Formation group will be Sunday, May 3rd from 9:30 a.m.—10:20 a.m.in the Parish Hall. The topic is **Dignity of Work** and the **Rights of Workers**. All are invited to come between Masses for this video and discussion!

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday. April 25
4:00 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Sunday, April 26
8:30 am.....Louis Wheat
10:30 am.....Rick Coates†
Tuesday, April 28
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Wednesday, April 29
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Thursday, April 30
8:15 am.....OLH School Mass
5:30 pm.....Parishioners of G.A.
Saturday, May 2
4:00 pm.....Manuel Hernandez†
Sunday, May 3
8:30 am.....Parishioners of G.A.
10:30 am.....Parishioners of G.A.

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.

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.

Ten students from Our Lady of Hope School will be making their First Holy Communion on Saturday, May 2 at the 4:00 mass.

"Lord Jesus, we receive Your body and blood with graditude. Amen"

SAVE THE DATE

The Preliminary Meeting of the Festival Committee Chairs, members and volunteers will be on Wednesday, May 20th at 6:15 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

SAVE THE DATE

Horse Race Event will be held on Saturday, May 30th from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. "Off to the Races!"

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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