

Coronation of Our Lady Catholic Church

December 24, 2023 – Fourth Sunday of Advent



Baptism: To arrange a Baptism for your child, please contact the office.

Holy Communion: Coronation's class of First Communicants receives this beautiful sacrament annually on Divine Mercy Sunday. Please let the office know if you have a child of the appropriate age.

RCIA classes: Classes meet Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00 PM.

Confirmation: Confirmation is planned for June 6, 2024.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesdays 9:00 AM –10:00 PM.

Church: Our Church is open for private prayer during office hours.

Food Pantry: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursday – call 816-761-8812 for an appointment.

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Welcome

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

*New Here? Fill this out and
drop this in collection basket -
You may also mail it in or give
it to our clergy after Mass -
They'd love to say hello!*

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. 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@ombudsmankcsj.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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or true.francis@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

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Deacon: Rev. Mr. Joe McNeal

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Lord's Day: Sat. 4:00 PM, Sun. 10:00 AM
Daily Mass: Mon, Fri, Sat 8:00 AM
Tues, Thurs: 7:00 AM
Wed evening: 6:00 PM

Saturday Confession: Sat. 3:00 PM
Confession: Thirty minutes before Mass

Merry Christmas!

I encourage you during this Christmas Season, in a quiet moment, after the kids are in bed, after the last relatives leave, after you've drained your last eggnog, to sit down for a moment in an at least somewhat secluded place, close your eyes, and go to Bethlehem. Smell the hay and the cool, crisp winter's air. Look at the sheep, the oxen, the donkeys. Feel the warm breath of the cattle. See the young shepherd boys who gingerly approach the place where the star led them. Approach your Mother Mary and her loving spouse. Adore the Christ Child. Linger there, and love Him who made you, who became small for you. If you get the courage, ask His mother if you can hold Him for a moment. As the distractions of your life try to pull you away from this scene in your imagination, bring yourself back to the little One. Tell him, in a whisper, gently, what you need, what you want, what you are sorrowful, joyful, nervous about. Or tell Him nothing at all. Linger as long as you want. Don't forget, however, while you're there, to pray for your priest and for your parish. For without Him, they can do nothing.

May God bless you and keep you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Father Rueb

Join the Men's Group meeting every Tuesday from 6:00 AM to 7:00 AM for prayer and fellowship followed by Mass.

Join the Women's Group the first and third Wednesday of each month for Rosary, prayer and fellowship beginning after the 6:00 PM Mass.

Enjoy your angels now on display throughout the Christmas season. You may take them home after Epiphany (January 7).

Confirmation: If you have a child, sixth grade or older, who is interested in receiving the sacrament of Confirmation in 2024, please let us know and sign up in the Gathering Space. We will begin informational sessions after the first of the year.

Coronation High School teen group meets January 10 from 6:30-8:30 PM and includes a speaker/discussion, Adoration, confession, and social/dessert/gym time. Join us.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sat. 12/23—St. John of Kanty

8:00 AM Mass (+Mary Spears+)

4:00 PM Mass (Coronation Parish)

Sun. 12/24—Fourth Sunday in Advent, Year B

10:00 AM Mass (Intentions of Fr. Rueb)

Sun. 12/24--Christmas Eve

4:00 PM Mass (+Dec'd members of Mehen and Oswald families+)

Mon. 12/25—Christmas

Midnight Mass (+Rev. John Schuele+)

10:00 AM Mass (Coronation Parish)

Tues. 12/26—St. Stephen

7:00 AM Mass (+Eileen Lohkamp+)

Wed. 12/27—St. John, Apostle and Evangelist

6:00 PM Mass (+Bob and Debbie Duehren+)

9:00 AM-10:00 PM Adoration

Thur. 12/28—The Holy Innocents

7:00 AM Mass (Intentions of Fr. Rueb)

Fri. 12/29—St. Thomas Becket

8:00 AM Mass (+Christopher Tankersley+)

Sat. 12/30—

8:00 AM Mass (Altar and Rosary members)

4:00 PM Mass (Coronation Parish)

Sun. 12/31—The Holy Family,

10:00 AM Mass (Dcn. Joe McNeal)

Holy Day of Obligation

The Solemnity of Mary, January 1, is not a Holyday of Obligation. Mass will be at 8:00 AM.

First Saturday Devotion

Beginning January 6 we will celebrate First Saturday devotions to Our Blessed Mother before the 4:00 PM Saturday vigil. We will start the rosary at 3:00 PM as well as confession and devotion. Join us!

Notices

There are no scheduled meetings this week. The Parish Office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 25 and 26 and Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 1 and 2, 2024. The staff of Coronation wishes each of you a blessed Christmas season. Note: December 31 is the last date to turn any monies in to be counted for 2023.

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Peggy Love who passed away last week. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Thank You

Our heartfelt thank you to Priscilla Obasi and the African-American ladies group did an outstanding job of serving breakfast to our parish this past weekend.

Last Week's Giving to God's Work
Weekend Collection: \$2425.85