

# Redemptorist Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

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July 11, 2010

Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00am to 5:00pm & Saturday: 9:00am to 5:00pm



## Mass Schedule

### Weekend Mass Times

**Saturday: 8:00am and 5:00pm**

**Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 5:00pm**

### Week Day Mass Times

**Monday - Friday**

**7:00am and 11:00am**

**Tuesday Novenas and Evening Mass**

**Novena after 11:00am Mass**

**Novena after 5:30pm Mass**

**First Friday of the Month**

**5:30pm**

### Eucharistic Adoration

**First Friday of the month:**

**11:30am to 5:15 pm**

**Holy Days: 5:30pm Vigil:**

**7:00, 11:00am and 5:30pm on the Holy Day**

### Confessions

One half-hour before all weekday Masses

Saturday: 3:00pm - 5:00pm & 7:30pm - 8:00pm

**NO CONFESSIONS ON HOLY DAY OR SUNDAYS**

## Parish Priest and Brothers

Rev. Stephen Benden, C.Ss.R.	Pastor
Rev. Terrence McCloskey, C.Ss.R.	Rector
Rev. Robert Lindsey, C.Ss.R.	Associate
Rev. Frank Kriski, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Rev. Patrick Power, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Rev. Edward Morgan, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Rev. Jack Willett, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Rev. Richard Quinn, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Brother Charles Long, C.Ss.R.	In Residence
Brother John Matthys, C.Ss.R.	In Residence

## Parish Office

Marla Mirabile Parish Administrator 816.561.3771  
Eileen Franke, Sylvia Heskett Secretary/Receptionist

## Cristo Rey High School

Sr. Vickie Perkins/Mary Kallman 816.457.6044

## Our Lady of the Angels School

Mary Delac, Principal 816.931.1693

## Redemptorist Center

Diana Kennedy, Director, Redemptorist Center

Trish Duffy, Assistant Director 816.931.9942

## Donations by appointment only.

### Senior Center

Br. John Matthys, Director 816.931.9942

### Parish Council President

Dr. Lillian Pardo 913.722.5913

### C.C.D. Registration

Barbara Cosgrove 816.756.1505

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John Lathrop 913.314.8514

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Barbara Cosgrove 816.756.1505

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Lee Luna 816.474.4222

### Redemptorist Decorating Committee

April Bier April\_bier@yahoo.com 816.305.4440

### Altar Rosary Society

Lucila Rider 816.522.3854

Maintenance Martin Cline 816.561.3771

### Diocesan Victim Advocate

Leslie Guillot 816.361.2666



**Monday, July 12, 2010**

- 7:00 Kenneth Mack Sr
- 11:00 Paul & Diane Barber 50th Anniversary

**Tuesday, July 13, 2010**

- 7:00 No Intention
- 11:00 John J Sullivan Jr +
- 5:30 Living/Deceased Meshcon Family

**Wednesday, July 14, 2010**

- 7:00 Margaret Keene +
- 11:00 Pat Messbarger

**Thursday, July 15, 2010**

- 7:00 No Intention
- 11:00 Nina Anderson

**Friday, July 16, 2010**

- 7:00 Redemptorist Foundation
- 11:00 Jared Dressman

**Saturday, July 17, 2010**

- 8:00 All Souls Remembrance
- 5:00 Father John Rossiter +

**Sunday, July 18, 2010**

- 7:30 Living/Deceased Audley Family
- 9:30 Charles Stack +
- 11:30 People of the Parish
- 5:00 Catherine "Kitty" Ditzler +

**Redemptorist Chapel Masses**

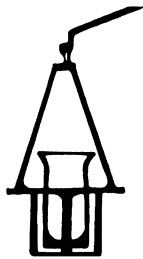
- Bob Kilker +
- Marie Gargotta +
- Rosemarie Hickey +
- Nori Tab Tab +
- Susan Madina
- Robert Merrigan
- Maureen Anne Palmer +
- Father John Rossiter +



- Nina Anderson,
- Ed Growney,
- Margaret (Stewart)
- Heckman,
- Mario Macato,
- Bob Miller,
- Dean Morris,
- Amy Murphy,
- Anna Parra,



and all those of our parish who may be sick, homebound or hospitalized.



The Sanctuary Candle is lit in honor of Happy Birthday Ed Rodriguez, June Smith Paddi Browne Sullivan Mickey Meshcon & Marla

**Baptisms**

Please contact a priest at least one month prior to baptism. Call the rectory for class times. 816.561.3771.

**Marriages**

Please contact a priest at least nine months prior to anticipated wedding date.

**Registration**

If you are not currently registered and wish to join Redemptorist Parish, we invite you to register in the Rectory.

**Bulletin**

Announcements for the bulletin can be submitted to the parish secretary in writing or you can e-mail: Eileen@redemptoristparishkc.org

**Please notify the Parish Office at 816.561.3771 when loved ones have returned from military duty and or recovered from an illness so we may remove your name from the list.**

**PLEASE NOTE: Names will remain on the Pray for the Sick list for only one month unless the office is notified.**

**GOD BLESS OUR TROUPS**

**Please pray for our young men and women serving in the Armed Forces**



- Anthony Basurto, Marty Cline,
- Jerry Cullen, Ben T Edwards, Steve Galli,
- Richard Herrera, Brian Jansen, Corey Johnson,
- Michael Kissinger, Mark Ludwig, Jerry Murphy,
- Tony & Mary Pittala, Andrew Quintero,
- Jimmy Stanley, Daniel Stanley, Bryan Swenson,
- Edgar Tobias, & Louis Villegas

## Pastor's Comments

Dear Parishioners,

Ten years ago I spent 2 weeks in Nigeria. Nigeria is a violent country with military walking around with machine guns. One day as we were coming from one city to another along the highway was a dead man with a burnt tire around his neck lying by the side of the road. You could tell he was dead, but I asked if we should stop and go over to the man and at least try and do something. I was told that anyone going near the body might be deemed to have an association with the man and might end up dead the same as him.

Another time I was driving by an accident here in this country like many of you have done. It was just after the accident had occurred and there was a trucker man lying there on the ground and a woman was holding his head in her lap. The emergency people were not there yet. It was very early on in my priesthood and I was traveling and did have my clerics on. I remember slowing down because of the traffic and looking to see as I went by. This is one of the things I am very ashamed of. I drove right on by without getting out and going over to see if I could help. I did not go to anoint the man. I just kept going. I guess I told myself there wasn't really anything I could do to help, but I should have stopped.

When we hear the story of the Good Samaritan we are tempted to be critical of the Priest and the Levite who did not stop and go over and at least see if they could do anything to help this man who was beaten up and lying by the side of the road, but the story really isn't about them. It is about the man who did stop to help. Let's face it, stopping to help is an inconvenience. It means that we are going to have to change our plans for the day. Sometimes stopping, the inconvenience involves 5 minutes, but it might also mean 5 hours, and getting involved with something we would really rather not do.

The man who stopped in the gospel story not only stopped to help someone, but stopped to help someone who was, at least on paper, his enemy. The Jews and Samaritans had a long and tangled history around them. They did not like each other at all, and this hatred went back hundreds of years. It would be like the Jews and the

Palestinians today. And yet the man saw beyond ethnic lines and stopped to help. He didn't just stop to help but went way beyond by bandaging the man's wounds, putting him on his donkey and finding an inn for him to stay at and then finally telling the innkeeper that he would be coming back and would pay any other bills the man had incurred in his stay there.

Now this Good Samaritan was inconvenienced in a major way in helping this man he found on the road, and he knew full well that he was helping his enemy, but that is the whole point Jesus is stressing. To truly "love the Lord your God with our whole heart, with all our being, with all our strength, and with all our mind, and love our neighbor as ourselves," is not easy. To love our family members isn't always easy, let alone loving our enemies, but there are people who do it. As much hatred and violence that we see in our world, there are Good Samaritans still out there. Probably everyday we get a chance to be a Good Samaritan. Let us not let these opportunities pass us by. The Lord may be putting these people in our lives, and us in theirs, for good reason. The world is a better place for our GOODNESS.

We welcome Fr. Matt Link today as he preaches about the wonderful work done by the Foundation of Children and Aging. Please help one of the poor children in the pictures he has brought with him.

Have a great week,

Fr. Steve

### In Jubilatio

Come celebrate the Feast Day of St Alphonse Liguori at a sacred music concert by the Sisters in Jesus the Lord, **on Sunday, August 1, 2010, 2:00 pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church.**

Featuring music by Bach, Handel, Pachelbel, Vivaldi, and Widor, among others. Organ, flute, violin, and soprano. The soprano soloist is a member of the US Army Field Band Chorus. Concert is free.

Call 816.353.2177 for more info.

## Parish News

### Collection for Last Week July 4, 2010

Last weeks collection:

Weekly Envelopes	\$8,569.00
Weekly Plate	\$4,616.27
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$13,185.27</b>

### Altar Rosary Society

The Altar & Rosary Society is looking for shelving for our storage area. If you have sturdy shelving that you no longer use or want, please consider donating it to us.

The Altar & Rosary Society will **today July 11 after the 9:30am Mass in the Banquet Hall.** We will pray the Rosary prior to Mass on the 11th at 9:00 am.

### Looking for Mass?

Going on vacation and looking for a church: check out <http://www.massstimes.org>

### Parish Authors

Bill Quinn, A Redemptorist parishioner, and his son Scott will be delivering a multi-media presentation on "The Spanish Civil War For Beginners" on **Sunday, July 11 at the Robert Mohart Center**, corner of Linwood Boulevard and Flora Avenues. The two hour presentation **from 1—3 pm** will cover topics including handouts with timeline, maps, and a recommended reading list. It will also delve into this relatively unknown war against the Catholic Church in the lead-up and background, major figures and events, Catholic response in both Spain and the United States, and key military actions. No Charge. Bill and Scott Quinn are co-authors of "The Origin and Cause of The Spanish Civil War." published in the July and August, 2009 editions of The Angelus magazine.

"The hunger for God can only be satisfied by a love that is face to face, person to person. It is only in the eyes of another that we can find the icon of Christ

Catherine De Hueck Doherty

### Adult Continuing Education

In this second session we will watch presentations on What We Can Learn from the Church in the First Millennium, and What We Can Learn from the Medieval Church. Even if you missed the first session you are still welcome to attend the rest of the series. We will be covering two topics each night. **Tuesdays at 7:00 pm in the Banquet Hall.**

### Parishioner Book Debut and Signing

Carl DiCapo, a long time parishioner has written and co-authored the book "**Italian Gardens: A History of Kansas City Through its Favorite Restaurant**" with John David DiCapo and Frank R Hayde.

**When: Sunday July 11, 2010**

**Time: Noon-2:00 pm**

**Where: National World War 1 Museum at Liberty Memorial, Museum Store 100 West 26 Street.**

Occasionally, a place exists that captures the spirit and history of an area much larger than itself. The Italian Gardens was such a place. Through its doors came the personalities, stories, and experiences of KC. With a reputation that extended from coast-to-coast, Italian Gardens was also a destination for famous people and travelers from all walks of life. Carl, was instrumental in raising money to restore Liberty Memorial and build the National World War I Museum. He currently serves as Special Assistant to the President of the National World War I Museum.

### Adult Faith Formation (AFF)

The last four characteristics of good adult faith formation are: **Liberating** Adult formation processes help learners to think and act critically and responsibly.

**Developmental** -Adult faith formation is a lifelong process that encourages and enables adults to deeper levels of faith, understanding and discipleship lifestyles. **Integrative** -Adults are exposed to a holistic and integrated experience of church community. **Transcending** -Adult formation moves a person beyond their own personal needs and interests to a global view with a mission for the common good. If Adult Faith Formations leads with these characteristics the parish will play a pivotal role in the faith life of its members and in the community.

## BLOODMONEY: A KANSAS CITY PREMEIRE TALKING POINTS

The purpose of this pro-life initiative is to raise awareness about the abortion industry and leave the audience with HOPE knowing what is being done in our community to help women and babies. Proceeds from the showing of this documentary will be given to the Wyandotte Pregnancy Clinic to fund the Mobile Sonogram Unit as well as highlight the innovative, exciting and lifesaving potential of a mobile clinic.

BloodMoney is a documentary film that exposes the truth behind the Abortion Industry. This film examines the history of abortion in America, from the inception of Planned Parenthood and the profitability of abortion clinics, to Roe V. Wade, to the denial of when life begins, to the fight to save the lives of innocent babies, to the devastating effects abortion has had on the women who have had them

Where: Bishop Miege Auditorium

When: Sunday July 18 at 2:00 pm

Reception following the film.

Ticket Prices: Adult \$10 and Student \$5.

Www.BloodMoneyFilm.com

## KC Parochial league Tackle Football

Any 5th, 6th, 7th, or 8th grade boys who are interested in playing tackle football in the Parochial League this coming fall. Please contact: Vince Fitzgerald, Parochial League Director at [vfitz@plkc.org](mailto:vfitz@plkc.org) or call 816.836.8552

## Hyde Park Children's Festival

The Pilgrim Center, The Hyde Park Neighborhood Association and the Kansas City Parks and Recreation Department will host the Hyde Park Children's Festival, a free outdoor festival in Hyde Park, 36th and Gilham Road. This free annual events includes a concert, a movie, educational activities and refreshments **beginning at 7:30 pm each Friday on July 9, 16, 23, and 30.**

### Friday, July 16

Concert Artist: Danny Cox-Folk Concert. . . 7:30pm

Film: Beetlejuice . . . . . 8:30 pm

Special Activity/Event: Fascinating Bug Display/  
Beetle Crafts Project plus "Beetlejuice: Drinks for All.

## What's New With Our Seniors?

### Regular Weekly Events

**Quilters** - The Quilters Group meets every Monday at 10:00am in the Senior Center.

**Computer Lab** - The Computer Lab is open on Mondays and Tuesday starting at 1:00pm.

**Pokeno** - Do you like to play Pokeno? Join us every Thursday at 11:00am in the Senior Center. A hot lunch is provided at 12 noon. Free of charge.

**Bingo** - Bingo Players meet every Thursday at 1:00pm.

### Upcoming Outings on Wednesdays

**Every Monday** morning a very gifted group of Ladies meet at 10:00 am in the quilters' room. Please come and join this lively group.

**The Computer Lab** is open from 1:00-3:00pm on Monday and Tuesday. If you ever wanted to improve your computer knowledge, send and receive email messages, or just play a game or two, this is the place you should be!

The Senior Center is open every Thursday in July, we play POKENO at 11:00 am and enjoy a hot luncheon at 12:00 noon and play BINGO at 1:00 pm.

**Wednesday, July 21** shopping trip to Super K Mart. We will leave the center at 10:30am and have lunch after shopping.

**Wednesday, August 4** New Theatre Restaurant for the musical: **The Buddy Holly Story**. Cost for this event is \$31. Make checks payable to Redemptorist Church. Please reserve your ticket SOON!

We have limited the number of events for the next two months so that everyone may enjoy a little summer vacation! We'll be up and running come September!

Any questions? Please call Brother John at the Center 816.931.9942



# Facility Calendar of Events

July 2010

In the Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
11 12:30 Baptism Fr Matt all Masses	12	13 5:30 Mass/ Novena	14	15	16 5p Rehearsal 6:30p Rehearsal	17 11a Baptism 1:30p Wedding 6:30p Wedding
18	19	20 5:30 Mass/ Novena	21	22	23 5p Rehearsal 6:30p Rehearsal	24 1:30p Wedding 5p Baptism 6:30 Wedding

July 2010

In the Hall/Gym

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
11 12:30-3p Gym 3-5p Gym	12 9p Gym	13 7p Adult Ed	14 6p Boy Scouts 6p PC	15	16 7:30-8:30a Lawyers Guild	17
18 12:30-3p Gym 3-5p Gym 6p Gym	19 6:30-8:30p AFF 9p Gym	20 7p Adult Ed	21	22	23	24

July 2010

In the Senior Center

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
11 8:30a AA Meeting	12 5:30p AA Meeting	13	114	15 5:30p AA Meeting	16	17
18 8:30a AA Meeting 10:30-3p St Dymtha 4-6:30p Lay Domicans	19 5:30p AA Meeting	20 6p Sr Ctr Bd Mt	21	22 5:30p AA Meeting	23 6p Girl Scouts	24

# CONNECT!

Uniting Word &  
World.....

The story of the good Samaritan has become one of the favorites for Christians over the years. You only have to look at classical paintings, stained glass windows, or prints in family Bibles to see how often the parable is illustrated. Our familiarity with the story has drained off some of the impact that would have instantly hit the first readers of Luke's Gospel. Let me put it this way: if you were in trouble, how would you react if the person who came to help you was an Iranian or North Korean official, an illegal immigrant, or the member of an ethnic group that you may have recently disparaged? So who is your neighbor?

"For us, everything is renewed in Jesus Christ."

Ven. Emmanuel D'Alzon

## Other Opportunities for Growth

### Catholic Lawyers Guild of Kansas City

The Guild welcomes all attorneys, legal professionals, law students, and professors to join us **at Noon on Friday, July 16, 2010** for our Lunch Lecture at the Kansas City Club at 918 Baltimore in downtown Kansas City. Stephen Minnis, J.D., President of Benedictine College, will speak on "**The Importance of Mission in Catholic Higher Education.**" Cost is \$15, payable to the Kansas City Club, which includes a plated salad, entrée, and drink, and parking across the street. Please RSVP and direct questions or topic or speaker suggestions to the Guild by emailing Eddie Greim at [edgreim@gbmglaw.com](mailto:edgreim@gbmglaw.com).

### UMB Job Opportunities

UMB has immediate openings for Tellers and Retail Specialists. If interested please complete an online application and assessments at [careers.umb.com](http://careers.umb.com).

## Liturgical Roles

7/10-11	Lectors	E. Ministers
5:00pm	Betty Wood Kendra Brigham	Susan & David Vandergriff Pat Larison Luisa Shepherd
7:30am	Joe Forcucci Br Charles Long	Evelyn Acosta Kristen Ball Chad Cillessen Eileen Franke
9:30am	Barbara Rizzo Pete McCluskey	Neal Volz Krist Bauer Eileen McKeon Amy Basurto Jerry Tubbs Monica Palacio
11:30am	Denise Briones Lyle Johnson	Carl & Debbie Capra Richard Aguilar Pat McDonald
5:00pm	Mark Reichle Kathleen Fenton	Kelly Schwalbe Rick Folker Kathy Kane Nancy Miller

7/17-18	Lectors	E. Ministers
5:00pm	Mary Finn Sara Mosbacher	Rachel Avila Sr Vickie Perkins Debra Klug Peg Mosbacher
7:30am	Mel Metzinger Sherry Burns	Br Charles Long Barbara Jung David & Rebekah Perron
9:30am	Rachel & Jason McBride	Carl & Judy Brenneman Elizabeth Brown John Lopez Betty Szafranski Susan Montague
11:30am	Cynthia Clark Campbell Kyle Shull	John Rayos Tom Brusnahan Roland Cretel Richard Aguilar
5:00pm	John & Kathy Kane	Virgil Burke Kathleen Fenton Nichole Jansen Joe Opreza