

# Saint James Catholic Community

*Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 17, 2022*

**CLOSER**

God • Church • Community  
Together We Can Do Great Things



*The Lord said to her in reply,  
"Martha, Martha,  
you are anxious and worried about many things.  
There is need of only one thing.  
Mary has chosen the better part  
and it will not be taken from her."*

## **St. James Catholic Church**

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Office (816) 781-4343

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00am-12:00noon  
School (816) 781-4428

On the web @ [www.stjames-liberty.org](http://www.stjames-liberty.org)

<https://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/stjamesliberty/>

## **Mass Schedule:**

**Weekdays:** Monday - Friday, 8:15am

**Saturday,** 5:00pm

**Sunday,** 8:00am, 10:30am, 5:00pm

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4pm and Anytime by request

## Our Pastoral Team

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## Mission Statement

We, the community of St. James, are a prayerful and Eucharistic people who treasure our Catholic traditions. We strive to grow in our faith by being good stewards of the gifts God has given us; sharing God's truth with all. As the Body of Christ, we are called to love and serve everyone, especially the marginalized, with joy and hospitality.



## Kits For Kids Hygiene Drive

Love INC is helping to assist families and children in need with basic hygiene items for back to school with their annual Kits for Kids drive.

These kits are distributed in cooperation with area schools and given out in early August.

Each kit will contain one of the following items and be packaged together in a gallon zip lock bag.

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| Full-size shampoo      | Full-size conditioner |
| Bar of soap            | Full-size deodorant   |
| Toothpaste             | Toothbrush            |
| Travel packs of tissue |                       |

Your donation of one or more of the above items will go a long way in filling the kits.

Please bring your donations to the Narthex during the following times this weekend.

Saturday, July 16 from 6 - 7pm

Sunday, July 17 from 9am - 12noon

Thanks in Advance For Your Donations

### Annual Survey of Active Ministries at St. James



We are asking that all leaders of the many and myriad ministries here at St. James let us know how your ministry impacted the community and parish.

Please report on activities between July 1, 2021, and June 30, 2022.

If you are the leader of more than one ministry you can combine all into one report or you can complete the survey for each ministry separately.



To complete the survey, click on this QR code or go to the St. James website.

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](mailto: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 Whitney True-Francis, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 816.392.0011 or [true.francis@diocesekcsj.org](mailto:true.francis@diocesekcsj.org) for more information.

## From the Pastor's Pen

On October 16, 1962, the bishops at the Second Vatican Council selected the reform of the sacred Liturgy of the Church as the first task. The Commission that began the work included experts with a wide knowledge of the field as well as pastoral leaders from around the world. The Pope himself declared that the liturgical movement had proved to be "a providential movement of the Holy Spirit in the Church." The schema that was presented was rooted in solid biblical ground. Four months were spent in writing and re-writing the schema. Debate on the schema began on October 22 and lasted until November 13. More than 325 Council fathers spoke in the sessions. On November 14, the final document was accepted by a vote of 2,147 to 4. It was a document that would have far-reaching effects in the lives of the faithful.

The document makes clear that the Church is the whole People of God. It calls on the whole people of God to actively participate in the rites, taking certain roles previously reserved to the clergy. The participation was to be active, conscious, and informed, a whole new role for the laypeople. The Council also declared that baptism, followed by Confirmation, is the essential and basic sacrament of ministry. Before, ministry was seen as belonging solely to the ordained; the Council fathers made clear that ministry belongs to all the baptized. The document also affirms that local parishes and dioceses do constitute a full expression of the Church rather than mere geographical divisions. It allows for the use of appropriate local customs and languages in the celebration of the rites and provides for cultural adaptation. The document calls for a wider use of Scripture, for preaching based on the Scripture, for study of the Scripture not only by seminarians but by all the People of God.

The liturgy is the summit and source of Christian life. It is the very source of life, the fount from which grace is poured over us, the place where we go for reconciliation. The faithful who come to the Liturgy must be well-disposed, ready to participate, and actively engaged in the rites. Those who participate must have the opportunity to take part fully, to understand what they are doing, and to be enriched by its effects. The full and active participation by all the people is the aim to be considered before all else.

Much more can be said about Vatican II's Document on the Liturgy, but my encouragement is that all Catholics should read and study the document, which can be found on-line. The Vatican II documents reflect the mind of the Church and should be observed and revered.

My prayers are with you each day, Fr. Michael

## Mass Intentions

### Week of July 18 - July 24

<b>Monday</b> 8:15am	Military Families †Fr. Capadanno †Fr. Kapaun
<b>Tuesday</b> 8:15am	†Giuse John Nam Nguyen
<b>Wednesday</b> 8:15am	Families with Children serving in the Military
<b>Thursday</b> 8:15am	Tripp Eslick
<b>Friday</b> 8:15am	<i>St. Mary Magdalene</i> Veterans and Others who suffer from PTSD
<b>Saturday</b> 5:00pm	††Helen and Bill Roach †David Roach
<b>Sunday</b> 8:00am	†John Garvey †Robert Lyons
<b>10:30am</b> <b>5:00pm</b>	†Kari Monaghan-Illian †Diane Geren



## *From Death to New Life*

### **Our prayer support is with ...**

The children, other family members  
and friends of Bill Carr who passed  
away on June 29.

***May the healing hand of our Lord  
Jesus be felt by all who are coping  
with grief and missing loved ones.***

## Contact Info

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Sat 4pm until finished; any time requested.

### **Sacrament of Baptism:**

Baptismal Preparation Classes: Once a month  
Contact Kirsten Maggi in the parish office, ext. 204 or  
kirsten.maggi@stjames-liberty.org

**Religious Education:** For Preschool through adult  
spiritual development, please notify office of needs.

**New Parishioners:** Please register at the parish office.

***We Welcome You!***

**St. James School:** PS-8th grade offered.

Call the School Office, to inquire, 781-4428

**Sacrament of Marriage:** 9 months advance notice

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please call the parish office.

**To Schedule an event in our Parish Facility:**

**email [cecilia@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:cecilia@stjames-liberty.org)**

or call the Parish Office, ext. 202.

**All Bulletin articles must be submitted by Monday**

**12Noon to: [bulletin@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:bulletin@stjames-liberty.org)**





**JOIN US FOR  
A ROYAL  
BLOOD DRIVE  
July 26**



When you donate blood, that could be just the ticket someone needs to get a second chance at life. Your ticket comes after you donate.

St. James is partnering with Community Blood Center to host a "Together Royal KC" blood drive on Tuesday, July 26th from 12:30 - 6:30pm in the Social Hall.

All presenting donors will receive a free pair of KC Royals tickets. The tickets will be sent via email within 2-4 weeks of your donation.

Appointments are encouraged and can be made online at [savealifenow.org/group](http://savealifenow.org/group) using Group Code: ES. You can also contact Nikki at 816-407-1208 or [kpower@kc.rr.com](mailto:kpower@kc.rr.com) to schedule a time that's convenient for you. Walk-ins will be welcome if space permits. For medical eligibility questions, call 1-800-688-0900.

Please join us on the 26th and help save lives in our community, and then grab your peanuts and cracker jacks for a day at the K!

**Thank you for supporting the blood drives here at St. James.**

## St. Mary Magdalene Feast Day July 22



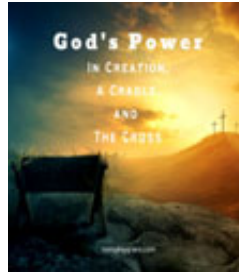
St. Mary Magdalene is one of the greatest saints of the Bible and a legendary example of God's mercy and grace.

The precise dates of her birth and death are unknown, but we do know she was present with Christ during his public ministry, death and resurrection. She is mentioned at least a dozen times in the Gospels.

She is the patroness of converts, repentant sinners, sexual temptation, pharmacists, tanners and women, and many other places and causes.



## Someone is Watching and Wondering



A basic teaching about God is that God is all knowing, all powerful, and always present. Given this teaching, however, I wonder, "If God is all powerful, all knowing, and always present then why does evil exist in our world? Why is there so much human suffering?

I realize an easy answer is to blame all evil on Satan, but why would God allow Satan to perpetuate evil, especially on the vulnerable and innocent. Is God powerless over Satan?

In our world power is understood as a force that can manipulate, control, or cause others to obey, therefore, strong people have power, political rulers have power, economic systems have power, the rich and famous have power, muscular bodies have power, and the playground bully has power. Yet as I understand the power of God it doesn't fit any of these descriptors. God's power is patience, beauty, mercy, and love. Think of the incarnation. God entered our world as a powerless baby, dependent on others for his every need. Think of Jesus' passion and death on the cross; totally engulfed in the obscene power of the Jewish leaders to stir up the mob and the cruel capital punishment of Rome. Jesus, the son of God, powerless on the cross. Yet, Jesus surrendered.

Do we find God as a powerless infant that we need to pick up and nurture in our lives? Adam and Eve wanted God's power and knowledge, grasping at divinity to become like God, but St. Paul writes that God emptied himself to become like we humans and in the emptying and helplessness became the greatest, transformative power. God's transformative nature can help us understand why God's power does not equate with human ideas of power or with forceful intervention. In reality, however, God is present and intervening at all times, in every situation. God is present in beauty, innocence, truth, and our helplessness. Unlike our concepts of human power, God's power is never manipulative, but is fully respectful of our freedom to choose. Like the power of a newborn to change our life, God's power is filled with beauty and innocence, love and dependent on our free-will to return His love. God's love and power is the true meaning behind the power He gifted to humanity; the power to love and serve God and one another. What seems to be God's silence and powerlessness is true power.

Your Sister in Christ Jesus, *Sandy Gagnon*

## St. Mary's Food Kitchen Volunteers On-line Sign Up Available

**Volunteers are still needed for  
Sunday, July 24.**



Please consider signing up to help serve at St. Mary's food kitchen on the fourth Sunday of each month. Your service and support would be much appreciated.

We are using Sign Up Genius to record the names of those wanting to help. .

**Scan the QR Code below  
to go to the sign up page:**



Or sign up at:

<https://tinyurl.com/SMFoodKitchen>



*Put on your  
shopping shoes-  
& head to the  
huge **Indoor  
Garage Sale** at*

**Good Shepherd Church!**

**\* Thurs. July 21, 8 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

**\* Fri. July 22, 8 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

**\* Sat. July 23, 8 – 11 a.m.**

Kitchenware \* Home Décor \* Toys \* Furniture \*  
Homeschool Materials \* Clothes for the Whole Family  
\*Tools \* Seasonal \*DVDs \*Books \* Framed Art &  
SO MUCH MORE!

Plus – shop The Boutique for 'upscale'  
items! *Shop in air-conditioned comfort*  
**18601 N 169 Hwy- Smithville**

**Fr. Alan Hartway, C.P.P.S.**

**December 16, 1949 - July 1, 2022**



Father Alan Hartway, C.P.P.S. of the United States Province of the Missionaries of the Precious Blood died on Friday, July 1, 2022 in Colorado. He was 73 years old.

He served as parochial vicar at St. James in the early 1980s.

He attended Precious Blood High School Seminary in Liberty from 1963 to 1967. He attended St. Joseph College in Rensselaer, IN from 1967 to 1971 and was Definitively Incorporated as a Missionary of the Precious Blood on October 21, 1974, and Ordained to the Priesthood on April 24, 1976.

Father Alan began his priesthood as a teacher and Dean of Students at Precious Blood Seminary in Liberty from 1976 to 1979. He then moved to Evergreen Park, IL, where he served as Chaplain at Little Company of Mary Hospital.

In 1984, Father Hartway moved to St. Mary's in Garden City, KS. He remained pastor in Garden City for nine years. Fr. Alan took on provincial duties in 1993 as director of formation and special formation for six years, and publications editor from 1994 until 2000.

He moved to Colorado in 1999, to become an adjunct professor and instructor at Naropa University in Boulder. During his 17-year tenure at Naropa, he served as chair of interdisciplinary studies, while also serving as parochial vicar at Guardian Angel's Parish in Mead, CO from 2011-2013. He was assigned parish administrator there in 2013 and became pastor in 2018. Fr. Alan retired in 2019.



**St. Pius X Corner**

**Faith, Academics, Service**

Welcome to the 'St. Pius X Corner! Here you will find monthly announcements, important information, student highlights and other fun news about our school. We begin this month with a reflection from one of our fantastic SPX parents:

*"Saint Pius X High Schools offering of weekly Mass, theology class, confession, adoration, campus ministers and staff priest all help plant seeds in faith formation. These opportunities combined with academics and extracurricular activities produce well-rounded students."*

-Ann McCoy

## Save the Date ~ August 6

### Retreat For Catechists and RE Volunteers



Love. Grow. Serve.

As we begin to welcome back in-person Religious Education instruction for our parish, we must recommit ourselves as teachers of the faith to renew ourselves in Christ and through Christ to be prepared to receive our children, you and families with a welcoming spirit.

Fr. Timothy will conduct a retreat for all catechists and RE volunteers in all K -12 Religious Education Programs. We'll be fed so that we can feed our children, youth and parents.

When: Saturday, August 6, 2022

Where: Social Hall

Time: 8:30 – 12:30 p.m.

A light breakfast and lunch will be provided.

Please RSVP to:

[ernie.collins@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:ernie.collins@stjames-liberty.org)

Please add this retreat to your calendar.

## Religious Education Invitation For Catechists and Volunteers



Formation for Religious Education for our parish children and youth will begin in-person instruction in September of 2022.

Here is your invitation to actively get involved in sharing and teaching our Catholic faith.

There is a place for you.

If you are a returning volunteer or first time volunteer, you are welcome - for all levels.

Elementary, Middle School, Reconciliation and 1st Communion, Confirmation and High School Post-Confirmation.

Please contact: Ernie Collins

[ernie.collins@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:ernie.collins@stjames-liberty.org)

Questions about our Religious Education programs?

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816.781.4343, ext. 208



## What is Confirmation?

Confirmation is the third and final Sacrament of Initiation that we receive. Confirmation is necessary for completion of baptismal grace.

Through Confirmation, we are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit. We become more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed. (CCC 1285). When receiving the sacrament of Confirmation, teens renew their baptismal promises and profess their faith. This is a way for them to confirm the “yes” their parents gave during their baptism.

Confirmation is NOT “graduation” from religious education! Confirmation unites us more firmly to Christ (CCC 1303). By uniting closer to Christ, our hearts and minds are more open to His plan for us. Our High School program is designed to and encourages teens to continue to build on their relationship with Christ after Confirmation. We encourage all previously Confirmed teens to enroll in our High School program, starting in the fall. Our Confirmation schedule allows this year’s Confirmation class to naturally join the High School program following Confirmation.

Who is eligible for Confirmation? Most teens in our parish receive Confirmation their Freshman year of high school, but any high school student is eligible to enroll in the Confirmation program.

Confirmation preparation starts in September and registration is now open! Follow the QR code at the right, or visit our parish website to register or find additional information (including the schedule) for this year’s program!



Questions?

Contact Amanda Lewey, Confirmation Coordinator  
[amandaclewey@gmail.com](mailto:amandaclewey@gmail.com)



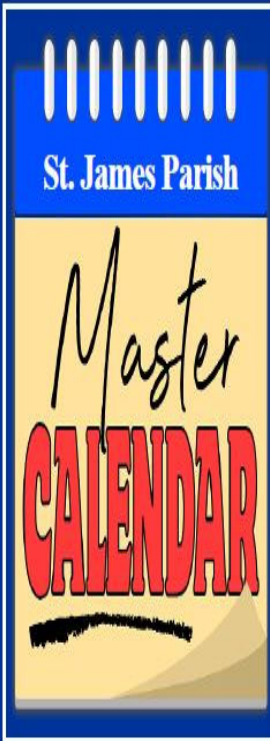


## FUNERAL CHOIR ANNOUNCEMENT

I am excited to announce a new arm of our Music Ministry at St. James, the creation of a funeral choir. The funeral choir will lend support to family and friends of the deceased by providing strong musical leadership at funeral liturgies. This ministry is open to everyone. The choir will meet 45 minutes prior to the service to rehearse music. If you feel called to be part of this rewarding ministry, please email Danny:

**[danny@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:danny@stjames-liberty.org)**

**Please Remember!**  
**Get It Put On The Parish Master Calendar**




Anything, including events, food drives, meetings, etc. held on our St. James Campus has to be on our Parish Master Calendar.

**Contact**  
**Jeanne Greenwald**  
781-4343 x200  
[Stjamesoffice@stjames-liberty.org](mailto:Stjamesoffice@stjames-liberty.org)

**Or fill out the form  
in the Parish Office**

**Save The Date - September 10**



**4th Annual "In His Real Presence"  
Eucharistic Congress**  
**Diocese of Kansas City - St. Joseph**  
**Details on St. James Website**

**Volunteers Needed**

**This event is being held at St. James on  
Saturday, September 10**

We will need volunteers for the following:

- Serve at the Registration Tables  
from 6:30am - 9:00am and  
from 5:30pm - 6:30pm
- Greeters from 6:30am - 8:30am

If you can help, contact Jeanne Greenwald at:  
[Stjamesoffice@st-james-liberty.org](mailto:Stjamesoffice@st-james-liberty.org) or  
816-781-4343-x200

**Register On-Line Now on the Website  
For All K-12 Religious Education Formation Classes**

**Free Movie Night ~ Monday July 25**  
**St. Gabriel Catholic Church ~ 7:00PM**  
**"Unplanned"**

The true story of Abby Johnson who wanted to help women and believed in a woman's right to choose. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she was involved in upwards of 22,000 abortions. One day Ms. Johnson saw something that changed everything leading her to join her former enemies at 40 Days for Life and become one of the most ardent pro-life advocates in America.

Rated R, suitable for high schoolers and mature 7th/8th graders. Running time 1 hour & 50 minutes.

St. Gabriel Catholic Church - Activity Room  
 4737 N Cleveland Ave



## Come Join Us - You Are Needed!

Volunteer Training is set for Saturday, July 23, 2022. Provide support in your community for those with a life limiting illness. It may be the most rewarding part of your day.

- Provide companionship
- Offer family caregivers a break
- Veteran's visit Veteran patients
- Bring your pet to provide comfort
- Create a life journal for a patient
- Share your artistic/musical talent

Contact Kathy Fetters at 816-389-5426 or  
[kathy.fetters@crossroadshospice.com](mailto:kathy.fetters@crossroadshospice.com)

**Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday**  
**Breakfast Burrito Meal Scheduled for July 31**  
**Has Been Postponed Until August 28**



The Knights know that many of you look forward to their 5th Sunday breakfast. Regretfully, the July 5th Sunday breakfast has been postponed until the last Sunday of next month.

## Moms and Grandmoms - You Are Invited to Join "Mothers and Munchkins."



Participating provides the opportunity to make new friends, socialize, pray the rosary with other moms and grandmoms and experience the support, encouragement, joy and inspiration of this fun network of Catholic Moms and Grandmoms.

Where: City Park Playground and Splash Pad in Liberty for the month of July.

Time: Tuesdays: Mass at St. James at 8:15am, then City Park Playground from 9:30am - 11:30am.

Who: Mothers/Grandmothers with/without their kids

Kids: no age limit.

Activities: Mass, playing at the park, praying the rosary, splash pad, socialization and hopefully getting to know other women in the parish.

To join this group, use this QR Code.

For more information, contact  
 Jennifer Bishop  
 at 816-372-1187



## Join Our Prayer Shawl Ministry



Meetings are held twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:00pm in the *Room of Our Lady* (Father Mike's old office) in the *Resource Center*.

Members of this ministry knit baptismal shawls that are presented to parents when their child is being baptized and sympathy shawls that are presented at funerals to the family members of the decedent.

Donations to purchase yarn for these shawls are always appreciated.

We welcome new members to join this group.

For more information contact Jan Mabry at [nanajanmk@gmail.com](mailto:nanajanmk@gmail.com) or 816-536-1008.

*July - The Month Of The Most Precious Blood Of Our Lord*





**Birthdays this week: Today we celebrate all that you with God's help, have accomplished.**

Nicholas Bartlett	Kendyl Brown	Frank Panetti
Anastasia Bischoff	Wilfredo Crespo	Wayne Seiler
Anthony Doering	Mary Disciacca	Jeffrey Bowles
Clint Elliott	Amy Dymond	Mary Brown
William Gray	Donald Evans	Jillian Downing
Michael Hernandez	David Greufe	Conner Herrman
Carilee Lakebrink	Brittany Miller	Bradley Jones
Jay Miller	Virginia Miller	Luisa Juarez
Rachel	NatTherese	Laura May
Mundhenke	Armstrong	Julian Mayes
Charles Ortman	alie Begulia	Maggie Neises
Benjamin Probst	Michael Bell	Richard Razniak
Amy Ricono	Patricia Greathouse	Sandra Reiser
John Roberts	Kyle Holt	Cristin Rogers
Jacob Sorrell	Terri Messina	Judith Sapko
Jane Stadler	Genevieve	Pamela Smitka
Julie Adams	Michaelis	Bradley Sutherland
Mark Adams	Reece Miller	Samuel Torno
Edward Caballero	Judy Ratchford	Alivia Amberg
Sharon Callahan	David Schauer	Mia Barbosa
Amanda Crocker	Ellie Stewart	Jill Coulter
Jude Crossett	Salvatore Terranella	Lois Crownover
Jennifer Downing	Gregory Avey	Colleen Danner
Debra Feldhaus	Nancy Barrington	Vincent Giambrone
Rebecca Gibson	Stacy Bayless	Tate Guenther
Barbara Henry	Brandon Bednar	Dwain Jones
Robin Huber	Gibson Brown	Haydn Kelly
Jeffrey Lea	Ann Fisher	Regina Pricer
Amanda North	Bart Gaddis	John Sapko
Marin Schaub	Ashley George	Cecilia Smith
Benjamin Unterreiner	Amanda Lewey	Mia Sola
John Vernickas	Madelyn Lohkamp	Phillip Stewart
Mateo Villegas	Cooper Maddox	Patricia Williams
Stephanie Boryla	Carol Martin	

## St. James School News

# ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

WWW.SJSLIBERTY.COM

# ENROLLING NOW

## SJS Facts & Information

Early Education Program

Kindergarten - 8th Grade Program

Weekly Mass/Prayer Service

School Hours: 7:45-3:10

Morning and Aftercare Available

Uniforms are Worn K-8th Grade

Registered Nurse & Full Time HealthRoom  
Aide

1:1 Chromebooks for K-8th Grade

Rotating Enrichment Classes for  
Preschool-8th Grade:

(Spanish, Art, PE, Music, Technology, Library)

Small Class Sizes (Avg. Class Size is 15)

SJS School Band Starting in 5th Grade

Iowa Basic Standardized Testing Aligned for  
High Academic Achievement

**School Office Closed  
In July**

**Reopens Starting August 1  
8:00am - 3:00pm**



**Veterans are a huge part of our mission here  
at CCKCSJ. #ToServeAndToLift.**

Whether it is through Housing case management, Employment Services, our Healthcare Navigator, one-on-one counseling, or emergency assistance, we strive to see our Veteran communities' lives restored to the "dignity of self-reliance" once again.

Learn more about how you can be  
a part of that mission here:

<https://catholiccharities-kcsj.org/veteran-services/>

# We Pray to our Lord Jesus for healing

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