



**“Jesus, Mary, Joseph, I give Thee  
my heart, my soul, and my life  
– oh, yes, my life, generously.”**

*-Dying words of St Rose Philippine Duchesne*

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# St. Rose Philippine

## Catholic Church

5035 Rainbow Blvd • Westwood, KS 66205

### Mass Schedule

*(see inside bulletin for weekly changes)*

**Sunday: 7:00am; 9:00am; 11:30am (High Mass)**

(Benediction after High Mass on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
of most months)

**Monday & Tuesday: 6:30am**

**Wednesday: 6:30am & 6:00pm**

(Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succor at 5:30pm)

**Thursday: 6:30am & 12 Noon**

(Novena to Infant of Prague follows Mass)

**Friday: 6:30am, 9:00am & 6:00pm**

(Benediction follows Mass—In Lent: Way of the Cross)

**Saturday: 7:00am & 9:00am**

**CONFESSIONS:** 30 minutes before all Masses &  
5:00-5:30pm Saturdays

**Baptisms & Weddings:** Please contact the Pastor.

**Please note:** One Mass on 1st Fridays is offered  
for Building Fund Donors. Please pray for our  
benefactors.

One Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation is  
offered ‘*pro populo*’,  
i.e., for the needs of the whole community.

The blessing of sacramentals takes place after Mass  
on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of every month.

**12 December 2021 • 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

## LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS (DECEMBER 5):

1<sup>st</sup> Collection: \$9942.59+5987.00 2nd Coll. (Building Fund): \$147.51 Families in Need: \$669.00+50.00  
Bldg. Fund Pledges: \$2781.50+75.00 OLG Seminary: \$671.00+195.00 Poor Box [FSSP Colombia]: \$513.75

**COLLECTION COUNT CREW: Today:** Tom Carney, Matt O'Donnell, Brenton Mockry, Paul Ratterman **Next Sunday:** Peter Elliott, Ambrose Wolf, David Chandler, Kurt Kuemmerlein

**COFFEE & DONUTS: Today: 7:00am:** Kathleen Willard **9:00am:** Moran Family **11:30am:** Owensboggs Family; **Next Sunday: 7:00am:** Fogarty Family **9:00am:** Hutman Family **11:30am:** Albrecht Family

**USHERS TODAY: 7:00am:** Kevin Fogarty **9:00am:** John Roe **11:30am:** Jacob Christensen

## WEEKLY CALENDAR DECEMBER 12-DECEMBER 19

**Sunday, December 12–7:00am, 9:00am & 11:30am:** 3rd Sunday of Advent

**Monday, December 13–6:30am:** St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr; Comm. Feria of Advent

**Tuesday, December 14–6:30am:** Feria of Advent

**Wednesday, December 15–6:30am & 6:00pm:** Ember Wednesday

**Thursday, December 16–6:30am & 12 noon:** St. Eusebius, Bishop & Martyr; Comm. Feria of Advent

**Friday, December 17–6:30am, 9:00am, & 6:00pm:** Ember Friday

**Saturday, December 18–7:00am & 9:00am:** Ember Saturday

**Sunday, December 19–7:00am, 9:00am & 11:30am:** 4th Sunday of Advent

**Altar & Rosary Society** Mrs. Jody Nelson: Ph. 913-530-6801 or email: nelsonksmj@gmail.com

**The Knights of the Altar** (Boys 7-18yrs) meet after Mass on 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays. Contact: Fr. Latimer

**Choir of St. Hildegard of Bingen** meets Wednesdays 7:00pm—9:00pm. Contact: Dr. Iván Csanaky.

**Men's Schola Cantorum of St. Benedict of Nursia** meets Sundays 10:45am—11:25am. Contact: Dr. Iván Csanaky.

**The Girls' Choir** sings on 1st and 3rd Saturdays at the 9:00am Mass, September through May. Practice is at 8:00am. Contact: Mrs. Cecilia Csanaky.

**The Youth Group (14-18yrs)** meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month at 5pm at the church.

**The Legion of Mary** Adults: Fridays at 7:00pm. Contact: Christine Funk 913-728-2310. Junior: Thursdays at 7:20am. Contact: Raegan Ratterman 816-726-3416.

**The League of Tarcisians**, an association of youth promoting devotion to the Sacred Heart, meets every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday after the 9am Mass.

**Youth Catechism** is offered Sunday at 10:15am. Contact: Tony & Christine Funk 913-728-2310. (provided by the Legion of Mary)

**Little Flowers Girls Club** for girls of the parish ages 5-11. 1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays. Contact: Erin Maher email: spdlittleflowers@gmail.com; Ph. 913-209-8970 (provided by the Legion of Mary)

**The St Monica Prayer Group** meets Fridays after the 9am Mass (ca. 10am). The Rosary is prayed for the conversion of non-Catholic or lapsed family members.

**Rosary for Church and Nation** is prayed Thursdays following the noon Mass.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each Month—Rosary at Women's Health Abortuary** (4840 College Blvd., Leawood, KS) at 10:30am.

# Feast of the Nativity of Our Lord

## Christmas Schedule

Saturday, December 25—Holy Day of Obligation

- Mass Times:
  - Midnight High Mass
    - Carols begin at 11:30pm.
    - This Mass is very popular. Early arrival is suggested if you desire a seat in the nave.
  - 8:00am High Mass
  - 10:00am High Mass

**ADVENT ANGEL:** You are invited again this year to take part in a work of charity to benefit the Wyandotte Pregnancy Clinic. A Christmas tree with tags indicating items to be purchased will be in the parish hall through Sunday, December 19. Please take home a tag and return the item unwrapped.

**COLLECTION ENVELOPES:** For those who requested them, collection envelopes for 2022 are available in the parish hall near the door.

### **FR. LEONARD GOFFINE ON TODAY'S EPISTLE:**

What is meant by "rejoicing in the Lord"?

By "rejoicing in the Lord" is meant rejoicing in the grace of the true faith we have received, in the hope of obtaining eternal happiness; rejoicing in the protection of the most High under which we stand; and in the persecution for justice's sake in which Christ Himself exhorts us to rejoice, and in which the Apostle Paul gloried (II Cor. 7:4).

What else does St. Paul teach in this epistle?

He exhorts us to give all a good example by a modest and edifying life, to which we should be directed by the remembrance of God's presence and His coming to judgment; he warns us against solicitude about temporal affairs, advising us to cast our care on God, who will never abandon us in our needs, if we entreat Him with confidence and humility.

In what does "the Peace of God" consist?

It consists in a good conscience, in which St. Paul gloried and rejoiced beyond measure (II Cor. 1:12). This peace of the soul sustained all the martyrs, and consoled many others who suffered for justice's sake. Thus St. Tibertius said to the tyrant: "We count all pain as naught, for our conscience is at peace." There cannot be imagined a greater joy than that which proceeds from the peace of a good conscience. It must be experienced to be understood.

**Sacristan:** Celine Calovich 913-268-8093

### **Church Cleaning**

Mrs. Daryn Price 913-645-1962

### **After-Mass Coffee & Doughnuts**

Mr. John Watkins 785-331-8232

### **Confirmation Prep & Legion of Mary**

Mr. Tony Funk

Mrs. Christine Funk 913-728-2310

### **First Holy Communion Class**

Mrs. Raegan Ratterman 816-726-3416

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John Watkins (*ex officio*)

**Building Committee:** Chairman: Mr. John Lewis

913-390-7933, Mr. Jerry Knopp, Mr. Rob Spaedy

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## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Deceased:** Sharon Spaedy, Harry Jones, Fr. Paul, Marcia Halac, Marcelle Bosley, Mike, Matthew Vajnar, Laura Downey, Robert Lednický

**Sick and other intentions:** Fr. Aaron Liebert, FSSP, Fr. Chris Mahowald, FSSP, Michael Martell, Sigrid Koop, Antonia, Audrey Bishop, Shayna, Judith Wylie, Alan Shwartz, Lyn Green, Ken Stevens, Samantha Lowrance, Terry Carter, Rose Marie Brown, Mildred Moore, Richard Whitney, Brian Albrecht, Ted Sallee, Steve Skinner, Kelsey, Wayne Shatzle, Helen Craig, Mary Ellen Trausch, A family struggling with a marriage, Cari Johnson, Theresa Bond & unborn daughter, Lauren, Cherie Roatch, Damaris Niewald, Eileen Gergen, Kerry Nelson, Megan Inglin, Rita McCarthy, Fr. Arnaud Devillers, FSSP, Mary Lou Klimcak, Mary Horvat, Joice Manepalli, Rose & Cheryl Heschmeyer, Paul Grelinger, Cassandra Stroot, Ruth Crane, Craig Evans, Gloria Angles (Please let the priests know when these intentions are no longer needed. Prayer requests for the sick will remain on the list for 90 days.)

**Consecration of the Sick to Mary:** O kind and good Mother, whose own soul was pierced by the sword of sorrow, look upon us while, in our sickness, we arraign ourselves beside Thee on the Calvary where Jesus hangs. Dowered with the high grace of suffering, and hopeful of fulfilling in our own flesh what is wanting in our sharing of Christ's passion, on behalf of His Mystical Body, the Church, we consecrate to Thee ourselves and our pain. We pray that Thou will place them on that Altar of the Cross to which Jesus is affixed. May they be little victims of propitiation for our salvation, for the salvation of all peoples. O Mother of Sorrows, accept this consecration. Strengthen our hopeful hearts, that as partakers of Christ's sufferings we may also share in his comfort now and for evermore. Amen.



The priests serving St. Rose Philippine Church are members of **The Priestly Fraternity of St Peter (Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri - FSSP)**, a Society of Apostolic Life of Pontifical Right founded in 1988. The Fraternity operates seminaries in Denton, Nebraska and Wigratzbad, Germany. Presently, the FSSP has approximately 250 priestly members and more than 100 seminarians.