

RAINBOW DIRECTORY

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AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING CONTRACTORS

**A & M Heating &
Cooling**

513 S. 4th St.

St. Joseph, MO 64501

POC: Lori Gage

amcooling@att.net

Note: “Our owner is Mike Anderson. We offer HVAC sales and service, plus we have 24-hour service technicians available.”

ALTERATIONS & TAILORING

Pins and Needles

3006 S. 36th Place

St. Joseph, MO 64503

POC: Jamie Hixson

Note: “I sew, mend, and alter, from baby clothes to bridal gowns. Very reasonable and very good work.”

AUTOMOBILE DEALERS

**Albright Buick GMC
Cadillac**

2008 N. Belt Highway


St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Jon Wineberger

jwinberger@

albrightbuickgmccadillac.com

Note: “We see a lot of people from all walks of life come in the door as customers but they leave as FRIENDS!”

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Laukemper Auto Group

1011 State St.

Mound City, MO 64470

POC: Lucas Christensen

lchristensen@

laukemperauto.com

AUTOMOBILE PARTS, SUPPLIES, & SERVICES

House of Sound

1112 S. Belt Highway

St. Joseph, MO 64507

POC: John Gregory

houseofsound@gmail.

com

AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR

**Collision Repair
Specialists**


3900 Frederick Ave.

St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Jeremy Eaton

816-232-5886


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XPRESS Mechanical Services

3900 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Jeremy Eaton
816-232-5895

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BARS & TAVERNS

The Tiger's Den, LLC
519 Felix St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Brian J. Myers
816-617-2108

BEAUTY SALONS & SERVICES

BrittanyAnn Artistry
120 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Brittany Smith
816-344-3914

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**Healing Touch
Therapeutic Massage**

120 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Charity Scranton
660-530-8127

**Polished & Pampered
Salon and Day Spa**

120 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Brittany Smith
816-396-0716

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homophobic language,
asks employees/
customers what
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has transgender-friendly

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The Gem Salon

218 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Judy Blizzard
816-248-9571

CHILD CARE


**Enchanted Learning
Childcare**

5003 S. 50th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64507
POC: Jennifer Jaques
816-233-3113

CHURCHES

**First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)**

927 Faraon St.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Brian Kirk
bkirkfcc@yahoo.com


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employees/customers use

homophobic language,
business forms use
gender-neutral language,
has transgender-friendly
restrooms, performs
same-gender weddings

**First Presbyterian
Church of St. Joseph**

301 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Krista Kiger
fpchurchoffice@att.net
816-232-3358

Note: “We are a
congregation welcoming
and affirming of the
LGBT community.”

 **Bonus:** performs
same-gender weddings

**Zion United Church of
Christ**

816 Faraon St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Kimi Yokoyama

zionchurchoffice@yahoo.
com


Note: “A welcoming and
affirming congregation.”

**COMPUTER
SERVICES**

St. Joe Web Services

1511 Jules St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Debbie Baker
816-689-0892

Note: “St. Joe Web
Services has been in
business for 20 years
and LGBT-owned and
operated for the same
period of time. We take
on jobs for any client,
whether they are gay
or straight or need a
personal or business site.”

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business forms use
gender-neutral language,
asks employees/
customers what pronouns
they prefer


Tech Team

212 N. 7th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Jason Chase
admin@techteamlc.com

DECORATORS

Spectacular Settings
8128 NW Delta Dr.
Kansas City, MO 64151
POC: Katie Brown
katie@spectacularsettings.
com

Note: "I have decorated
for gay and lesbian
couples in the past."

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employees/customers

use homophobic language,
business forms use gender-
neutral language

DENTISTS

Hatcher Dental Group


1317 Village Dr.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Randie Walhert
816-271-1678

FLOOR COVERINGS

**Carpet Direct/Flooring
Concepts by Cindy, LLC**
12121 Walden View
Country Club, MO 64505
POC: Cindy Cornelius
cindyc@carpetdirectkc.
com

Note: "Samples are
brought to customers
based on products they
are looking for. You can
email or call to discuss

products and arrange an appointment.”

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FURNITURE

Eagan's Furniture

2301 N. Walnut

Cameron, MO 64429

POC: Jacqueline Eagan
816-632-2583

GLASS

Glass Doctor of St. Joseph


3900 Frederick Ave.

St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Jeremy Eaton
816-558-3319

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is not one of our family values. We have two public restrooms and one is a one-stall, has a lock, and is free for anyone to use.”

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HEALTH SERVICES

Buchanan County EMS

5010 Frederick Ave.

St. Joseph, MO 64503

POC: Jace Drake
816-396-9580

**Crossroads Hospice
and Palliative Care**

2900 NE 60th St., Ste.
150

Gladstone, MO 64119

POC: Pamela Thompson
816-333-9200

Note: “We serve the St.
Joseph area and points
East and South.”

**Fisher Counseling
Services**

3901 Beck Rd., Ste. F
St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Drew Fisher
816-617-9417

**Nancy Piercy
(Counseling)**

1338 N. Belt Highway
Saint Joseph, MO 64506
816-671-0032

**Northwest Health
Services**

2303 Village Dr.

St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Cameron Corbet
816-232-6818

Note: “We offer medical,
dental, and behavioral
healthcare. All our sites
across NW Missouri are
LGBTQ+-friendly. This
includes six locations
in St. Joseph and our
locations in Hamilton,
Braymer, Mound City,
Savannah, King City, and
Cainsville.”

**The CENTER, A
Samaritan Counseling
Center**


902 Edmond St., Ste. 203
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Gail Blevins
816-364-4300

HOTELS/ MOTELS

Kansas City Airport Marriott

775 Brasilia Ave.
Kansas City, MO 64153
POC: Carolyn McClure
816-464-2200


Note: “At Marriott, there is no room for inequality. We believe every guest, whoever they are, wherever they go, should feel comfortable and welcome the moment they walk through our doors.”

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in anti-homophobia training, has transgender-friendly restrooms

Shakespeare Chateau Inn & Gardens

809 Hall St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Isobel McGowan
stay@shakespearechateau.com

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Whiskey Mansion Inn

1723 Francis St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Olin Cox
816-676-1529

INSURANCE


Jason Studer Allstate Insurance

3131 Frederick Ave., Ste.
226

St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Jason Studer

816-233-0227

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LANDSCAPING & LAWN MAINTENANCE

All-In Lawn Care LLC

6580 NE State Route 6

St. Joseph, MO 64507

POC: Jessie Hall

816-248-3857

LIBRARIES

Rolling Hills

Consolidated Library

Two Locations:

1904 N. Belt Highway

St. Joseph, MO 64506


514 W. Main

Savannah, MO 64485

POC: Michelle Mears

mmears@rhcl.org

Note: “Public libraries are open to all, and we have not had any negative LGBTQ+ issues that we are aware of.”

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St. Joseph Public Library

Four Locations:

Carnegie Library
316 Massachusetts St.
St. Joseph, MO 64504

Downtown Library
927 Felix St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501

East Hills Library
502 N. Woodbine Rd.
St. Joseph, MO 64506

Washington Park Library
1821 N. 3rd St.
St. Joseph, MO 64505

POC: Mary Beth Revels
mrevels@sjpl.lib.mo.us

MANUFACTURERS

Boehringer Ingelheim
2621 N. Belt Highway

St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Melissa Chesnut
melissa.chesnut@
boehringer-ingelheim.
com

MARKETING

Michelle Sander
Marketing and
Consulting

<http://michellesander.com>

POC: Michelle Sander
michelle@michellesander.com

Note: “From small jobs—building a website, or writing and designing a white paper or brochure—to large projects—creating an entire marketing and branding strategy from the ground up—Michelle has the experience,

knowledge, and creativity to get your project done quickly and on schedule. Michelle is proud to be an LGBTQ+ ally.”

MOVING SERVICES


Move It With M & S, LLC

415 N. Third St. #506
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Theresa Meyer
info@moveitwithms.com

MUSEUMS

St. Joseph Museums

3406 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64508
POC: Sara Wilson
sara@stjosephmuseum.org

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PAINTING CONTRACTORS

T & J Painting, LLC

2933 Faraon St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Tony Friedrichsen
tjpainting101@gmail.com

Note: “Residential, commercial, and deck staining.”

PAWN BROKERS

Pawn Plus

603A S. Belt Highway
St. Joseph, MO 64507
POC: Dustin Hawkins

Note: “Bias or discrimination based on race, color, gender, or sexual preference is not welcome in our

establishment.”

PHARMACIES

Bender's Prescription Shop

3829 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Lisa McCoy
limsch@yahoo.com

The Apothecary Pharmacy

1517 St. Joseph Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64505
POC: Paul Stevenson
info@stjoeapothecary.com

PHOTO-GRAPHERS

Coverage Photography
4304 N. 31st St., Apt, B
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Patrick Evenson
816-294-2624


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Pixels Photography

3413 Nickell Dr.
St. Joseph, MO
POC: Tom Bennett

Note: “I do not do
weddings.”

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homophobic language,
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PHYSICAL THERAPY/ REHABILITATION

SERC Physical Therapy


3727 Gene Field Rd.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Micah Hilton

816-396-8635

PRINTERS

Choice Printing Solutions

1934 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64502
POC: Jennifer Moore
orders@choiceprintingsolutions.com

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PRIVATE CLUBS

St. Joseph Country Club

50 Ridgeland Rd.
Country Club, MO 64505
POC: Jennifer Vanourney
jennifer.vanourney@greatlifegolf.com

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RESTAURANTS

Gyro Paradise


1209 N. Belt Highway
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Shuk Khojaev
816-279-2990

Il Lazzarone Neapolitan Pizzeria

1628 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Lesley Borger
816-273-0582

Note: “We serve delicious, authentic Neapolitan-style pizza with an awesome craft beer list, wine, salads, appetizers, and Nutella pizza (among others) for dessert and look forward to serving you!”


Also, people are people. Everyone deserves love and acceptance no matter who they are or where they come from.”

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RETAIL

2 Sisters Thrift Store
508 Edmond St.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Susan Parker
816-341-3301

Brown's Shoe Fit Co.
1403 N. Belt Highway
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Richard Ragan
brownsfootwear48@gmail.com

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East Hills Shopping Center

3702 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Caroline Thalasin
caroline@shopeasthills.com

Fab-U-Less Finds Thrift Store

1203 N. 6th St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Nichi Yeager
816-364-1131

Note: “Gently used and new clothing for all shapes, sizes and styles. We also carry home decor, furniture,

homewares, toys, books,
and jewelry.”

Fit Republic

1331 S. Belt Highway
St. Joseph, MO 64507
POC: Austin Evans
816-259-5222

Maurice’s

3702 Frederick Ave., Ste.
121
St. Joseph, MO 64506
816-364-4424

Note: “All of our
Maurice’s stores are
LBGTQ+ friendly. We
are an equal opportunity
employer.”

Nesting Goods


817 Francis St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Cris Coffman
nestinggoods@gmail.com

Sam’s Club

5201 N. Belt Highway
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Dave APM
816-279-2192

The Lucky Tiger

718 Francis St.
St. Joseph, MO 64501
POC: Amy Heath
816-284-3104

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ROOFING

A-1 Roofing Renovation and Construction

1001 S. 22nd St.

St. Joseph, MO 64507

POC: Kathy Malott

roofsbya1tb@gmail.com

Barnes Roofing & Gutter Cleaning Service, LLC


3802 N. Woodbine Rd.

St. Joseph, MO 64505

POC: Mark and Mary

Barnes

816-233-8538

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Delta Innovative Services Inc.

508 S. 14th St.

Kansas City, KS 66105

POC: Danny Boyle

913-371-7100

SCREEN PRINTING


The Mark-It

2239 N. Belt Highway

St. Joseph, MO 64506

POC: Korey Massey

koreymassey@yahoo.com

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SECURITY

Superior Sound and Security, LLC

5507 K Highway

Saint Joseph, MO 64505

POC: Nicholas Smith

hello@


superiorsoundandsecurity.com

TOWING SERVICES

Collision Repair Specialists Towing

3900 Frederick Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64506
POC: Jeremy Eaton
816-232-5886

Note: "Our towing staff's utmost concern is a person's safety. We are a family business that promotes the thought of treating everyone like family. Hate is not one of our family values. We have two public restrooms and one is a one stall, has a lock and is free for anyone to use."

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VARIETY SHOWS

Something Else Cabaret

<http://www.somethingelsecabaret.com/>

POC: Sean Connors
shncon@gmail.com

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To view the online version of the Rainbow Directory, visit <https://rainbowdirectory.wixsite.com/stjo>. If you are a business or organization owner not featured here and wish to be added to the online directory, you can do so at <https://rainbowdirectory.wixsite.com/stjo>.

To find out more about Persisterhood's LGBTQ+ outreach efforts, visit their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/PersisterhoodSJ/>. Or follow them on Twitter at @PersisterhoodSJ.

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