

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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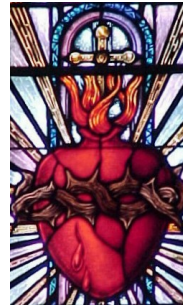
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Please submit bulletin items by noon on Wednesday.



HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sacred Heart **Tues. Feb. 21, 5:15pm** **Joan & Clyde Wenger +**
St. Augustine **Tues. Feb. 21, 6:00pm** **L&D Members of the St. Augustine Altar Society**
St. James **Wed. Feb. 22 8:00am** **Clarence Rottinghaus +**
Sacred Heart **Wed. Feb. 22, 5:15pm** **Teri & Ric Speers +**
Sacred Heart **Thurs. Feb. 23, 5:15pm** **Gene Niehues +**
Sacred Heart **Fri. Feb. 24, 5:15pm** **Wade Moore +**
Sacred Heart **Sat. Feb 25, 4:00pm** **Parishioners of the Three Parishes**
St. James **Sat. Feb. 25, 6:30pm** **Evelyn Hutflesl +**
St. Augustine **Sun. Feb. 26, 8:30am** **For the Farmers**
Sacred Heart **Sun. Feb. 26, 10:30am** **Victor & Marcelline Tangeman +**

Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated a half hour before weekend Masses or by appointment. Also, Confessions every Friday @ 6:30 pm.

MINISTERS	Sat. Feb. 25 4:00 pm	Sun. Feb. 26 10:30 am
SERVERS:	Elissa Dalinghaus Travis Dalinghaus Noah Kroll	Mikenna Haverkamp Will Ulrich Mason Minge Kinsey Meyer
LECTORS:	Beth Kroll	Tom Nolte
SACRISTAN:	Beth Kroll	Ed Steinlage
EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:	Dan Dalinghaus	Adam Enneking Kevin Broxterman Dale Ulrich
	During the Cold and Flu season we will just have the Host and not the Precious Blood - we still receive all the grace! Thank you! -Father Clayton	

MONEY COUNTERS: February 19 - Bill Roggenkamp & Scott Krebs ; February 26 - Lana Wells & Kent Saylor ; March 5 - Harold Schmelzle & Tim Schultejeans

Donations: February 12th - Regular \$2,700.00; Plate \$279.00; First Offering \$5.00 ; Latin America \$20.00 ; Mass Stipends \$40.00 ; Total \$3,044.00

PLEASE PRAY for the following parishioners and relatives who are sick: Pat Brucken, Ryan Dodd, Connie Halls, Mark Horton, Pam Koch, Joe Kroll, Larry Kruse, Connie Lehman, Fred Maschewski, Pat Matthews, Robert McNally, Amy Strathman, Bill Strathman and Jason VanVerth.

Please call the Parish Office when a name can be removed.

"No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (material wealth)." Matthew 6:24

For many people, God and money run "neck and neck" as their first priority. Making money and spending money becomes the center of their life and they actually become a slave to money. The solution – become more generous. Giving money to Church and charity frees us from slavery to money and from making money a "god" before God.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDARS

Feb. 19 Journey in the Word 6:00pm

Feb. 23 Rosary 12:10pm

Mar. 17&18 24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration

Mar. No Hospitality - St. Joseph's Table

Mar. 3 First Friday Mass 7am

Mar. 3, 17, 31 Knights Fish Fry 5pm-7pm

Mar. 19 Food Pantry Drive

RETURN TO ME WITH ALL YOUR HEART

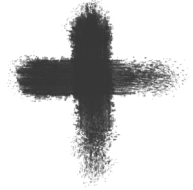
We invite you to begin the Lenten season with Ash Wednesday on March 1st. Mass times are:

7:00am - St. Augustine Mass

12:10pm - Sacred Heart (Service only w/ashes)

5:30pm - St. James Mass

7:00pm - Sacred Heart Mass



NEW FIRST FRIDAY MASS 7AM : A First Friday Mass will start at Sacred Heart at 7am. The first one will be at the beginning of Lent on March 3rd. Anyone is welcome including those going to work or school if possible.

ST. ANN SOUP DAY- HIAWATHA : Tuesday, February 28th from 11am-1:30pm and 5-6:30pm. Free will donation.

PRE-LENTEN BREAKFAST : Pancakes, Sausage, Eggs, Coffee & Juice. Sunda, February 26th at St. Dominic's Hall, 416 Ohio Ave., Holton, 8:00 - 10:30am. Free will offering. Sponsored by Holton Knights of Columbus.

CORNING KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALL YOU CAN EAT FISH FRY : Friday March 3, 2017 - serving starts at 5:00pm - at the Corning Corning Community Center. Menu includes: Fried Pollock, Cheesy potatoes, Green beans, Coleslaw, and Dessert. Free will donation.

ARCHBISHOP'S CALL TO SHARE : Your gift to the Archbishop's Call to Share is still needed! Thank you to all who have responded to the needs of our Church in northeastern Kansas through the 2017 Archbishop's Call to Share appeal. One person or parish could not possibly accomplish all that needs to be done for over 40 ministries and services of the Archbishop's Call to Share. Giving is a Holy Act! Gifts of any amount are welcome, although if you are not doing so already, please consider a gift of a dollar a day (\$365) or more. Your gift will make everything possible. You can fill out a pledge envelope today or donate online at www.calltoshare.org.

THE REFUGEE CRISIS : What is the crisis and how should we respond? All are invited to a seminar discussing one of the greatest humanitarian disasters of our lifetime. Sunday, February 26th from 6-8 p.m. at Northridge in Sabetha; Guest speakers Jonathon and Nicole Inman, who spent four years as aid workers in Afghanistan and several months volunteering with refugee resettlement in Oklahoma and Texas, will separate fact from fiction and share firsthand accounts of hardship and hope. Childcare will be provided. RSVP to andrew@northridgesabetha.com.

MARRIAGE MINUTE : In this week's readings, we are exhorted to "be holy." Often, we think this is a lofty call for those off in monasteries. It's not! We are all called to holiness, and for married people, our vocation of marriage is our pathway to get there. St. Katherine Drexel said that holiness consists in "Doing God's will as he wills it, because he wills it." For us, that is often so simple we miss it. It is found in things like:

- Doing that sink full of dishes or that load of laundry
- Being home from work on time, so you can eat with the family
- Helping with bedtime
- Taking an extra 30 seconds to text your spouse something you appreciate about them
- Saying a short prayer together before you both head out the door in the morning
- Taking time to prioritize your marriage through an enrichment.

For more ideas on seeking holiness through marriage see: www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

SPECIAL WORKSHOP ON UNDERSTANDING THOSE WITH SEXUAL BROKENNESS : In today's world, anyone who works in a parish can easily encounter someone who has been broken by issues connected to sexuality, addictions, compulsions or emotional trauma. Please join us on Friday, March 10th, from 10 am to 1pm, at St. Michael the Archangel parish in Leawood, for Open to Life—a special workshop which will help participants understand how Jesus, through His Church, redeems our sexuality from the ground up and can transform persons with same-sex attraction or other sexual brokenness. The event will be hosted by Andrew Comiskey—nationally-known speaker and founder of Desert Streams ministries—and will feature personal testimony from people who are coming back from their brokenness through the work of Desert Streams. This enlightening opportunity is being offered free of charge and will include a light lunch. For more information, contact Mary Ann Moore at maryann.moore@stmichaelcp.org. To register, go to <https://stmichaelcp.org/open-to-life>

INFORMATION NIGHT FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS : Kacy Steitz, financial advisor and mother of a child with disabilities, and Christy Anderson, financial advisor, will share their knowledge regarding how to establish a Special Needs Trust and Tom Treacy, Treasurer for the State of Kansas, will speak about the Achieving Better Life Experiences Act of 2013. Launched in Kansas on January 26th, 2017, the ABLE Act amended Section 529 of the Internal Revenue Service Code of 1986 to create tax-advantaged savings accounts for individuals with disabilities. Thursday, March 9th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

ABUNDANT LOVE: WOMEN'S RETREAT AT CAMP TEKAKWITHA (April 28-30th, ages 21+) Here you will find the space to relax, rejuvenate and reconnect. This is a retreat for women of all ages. You will find speakers that inspire you, sacraments that draw you to the heart of Christ, and fellowship with other women. This retreat offers large group and break out sessions, individual reflection, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, free time, friendship, laughter, and joy! Come enjoy the beauty of God's creation at Prairie Star Ranch and the gift of sharing life with other women seeking the heart of Jesus. More information and registration details can be found at www.camptekakwithawomensretreat.com

PROJECT RACHEL : Still carrying grief after an abortion? Find support with others. Unfailing Mercy Retreat Feb 25. FREE, CONFIDENTIAL. Call/email Patricia at 888-246-1504/projectrachelkc@archkck.org. in KS or call 816-591-3804 in MO. Project Rachel is a ministry supported by Call to Share.

ST. JOSEPH ADOPTION MINISTRY IS IN NEED OF MORE PROSPECTIVE PARENTS : They could place more babies if they had more prospective parents!! And the average wait time for couples to adopt a baby is only seven months. This is wonderful news for those considering adoption. For more information call St. Joseph Adoption Ministry at 913-299-5222 or go to their web site at www.CatholicAdoptionMinistry.org . Please spread this good news!!

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE : A Weekend Away for a Lifetime of Change. Serving the Widowed, Separated and Divorced; who are suffering the loss of a love relationship. Helps grieving persons focus on their experience, deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth emerging from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning. The next Beginning Experience Weekend is MARCH 3-5, 2017 at Precious Blood Center, Liberty, MO. For more information visit: www.beginningexperiencekc.org, email: register.bekc@gmail.com, or contact Lynn 785-282-8964, or Teresa 816-529-9002.

LENTEN PREPARATION RETREAT : Christ's Peace House of Prayer will offer a Lenten preparation retreat on the weekend of Saturday to Sunday, March 4-5, 2017. The retreat will have 4-5 talks, daily Eucharistic Adoration, Mass at the local parish on Saturday at 5 pm, time for quiet reflection, walks in the forest, spiritual reading and prayer. The cost is \$85 for individuals and \$125 for couples. The first talk is at 9 am Saturday. If you are interested in attending, please contact us at info@christspiece.com or 913-773-8255.

NCYC BURRITO FUNDRAISER- THANK YOU! Thank you to all parishioners, families and friends who continue to support our burrito fundraiser and efforts to get our students to the National Catholic Youth Conference. A special thank you to our burrito committee: Ann Busch, Laura Fortmeyer and Nikki McAfee who invest their hearts, hard work and time into this fundraiser.

CCD NOTES

- **Lent:** ASH WEDNESDAY- MARCH 1ST - NO CCD- Please attend Mass as a family!
- We will be focusing on the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary during our opening prayer time. Each Wednesday, we will meditate on one decade. We invite K- 8th grade parents/grandparents - when you bring your child(ren) to CCD during Lent- to join us for 15 minutes, 6:30-6:45 in prayer. We know how valuable your time is- but this would be a great investment of your time during Lent and show your child(ren) that this is important by your presence as well. We hope to see you on March 8th, 15th, 29th, April 5th and 12th.
- **1st Communion Parent Meeting-** Wednesday, March 15th at 6:30 p.m.