

## St. Augustine Parish Bulletin

Father Clayton, Pastor Email – [fatherclayton@gmail.com](mailto:fatherclayton@gmail.com)  
Sacred Heart Parish Rectory – 1042 S. 14th St., Sabetha, KS. 66534 – 785-284-3068  
SH Office Hours: Tues. and Wed. 9:00 am. - 12 Noon and Wed. 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
Caitlyn Renyer, secretary – [caitlyn@nekansascatholics.org](mailto:caitlyn@nekansascatholics.org)  
D'Ann Niehues, bookkeeper – [dann@nekansascatholics.org](mailto:dann@nekansascatholics.org)  
Faith Formation Director, Gina Sallman – [gina@nekansascatholics.org](mailto:gina@nekansascatholics.org) 785-285-0590  
St. Augustine Church – Fidelity – 785-467-3130  
Fidelity Bulletin Editor, Lois Bindel – email- [lbindel@jbntelco.com](mailto:lbindel@jbntelco.com)  
Text Alert: text “catholic” to 555888 Facebook: [NE Kansas Catholics](https://www.facebook.com/NEKansasCatholics)

**Seventh Sunday  
Of Easter  
May 28, 2017**

**MASS** – Saturday, June 3 – Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart and 6:30 p.m. at St. James; **Sunday, June 4 at 8:30 a.m. here at St. Augustine**; Sacred Heart at 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated a half hour before weekend Masses and by appointment.

**IN ADDITION** to a half hour before Masses on Sat. evening & on Sun; there will also be confessions available each Friday at Sacred Heart on Friday, June 2nd at 6:30 p.m. – NO CONFESSIONS

**“I AM PRAYING FOR THEM” JOHN 17: 9** Prayer is the foundation of our Faith and the foundation of Stewardship. Pray in good times and in bad. Prayer is always the first best option in any situation, not just the last resort. Pray for friends and family and for those that don't treat you very well. Pray to give praise, to thank and to ask God for help. Pray to see what God wants you to do with the gifts He has given you.

**WEEKDAY MASS** will be held here on Tuesday, May 30 at 6:00 p.m.

**FIRST FRIDAY MASS** will be held here at 8:00 a.m. Friday, June 2 followed by 24 hour adoration.

**PASTOR'S NOTE:** Greetings to you! A Priest has been assigned to St. Michael in Axtell and Holy Family in Summerfield. His assignment won't begin, however, until Aug. 1. I will continue as Parochial administrator there until Aug. 1. I don't think it will change things too much, but just wanted to let you know. One thing you might notice is a Mass being offered for five parishes. Pastors are required to offer one weekend Mass a week for all their Parishioners. So please know a Mass is always being offered for you once a week. God bless! Father Clayton

**LECTOR** - June 4 – Jim Renyer; June 11 – Ben Rettele; June 18 – David Wehner

**SERVERS** - June 4 – Eric Renyer, Emma Popkess, Luke Renyer; June 11 – Gavin Lierz, Andrew Lierz, Darcy Lierz; June 18 – Erin Deters, Leah Renyer, Jonathan Renyer

**OFFERTORY GIFTS** - June 4 – Don Haverkamps; June 11 – Greg Renyer family; June 18 – Adam Renyer family

**USHERS** - June 4 – Andy Renyer & Larry Lierz; June 11- Rod Winkler & Bob Buser; June 18 – Adam Maas & Jeremy Sweat

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION** - June 4 – Don Haverkamp, David Wehner, Denise Plattner; June 11 – Greg Renyer, Teresa Baumgartner, Rodney Lierz; June 18 – Rod Winkler, Denise Plattner, Teresa Baumgartner

**THE ST. AUGUSTINE PARISH ENGAGEMENT TEAM'S GOAL** is to help create a healthy vibrant parish community. We would like to increase involvement in parish life through the recruitment of volunteers to fill the need for more Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors. Please prayerfully consider using your God given talents to help fill this need at St. Augustine.

**MASS INTENTIONS** – Tues. May 30 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – L&D members of SH Altar Society; **Tues. May 30 at 6:00 p.m. here – Dave Henry+**; Wed. May 31 at 8:00 a.m. at SJ – Leroy Bloom+; at 5:15 p.m. at SH – Robert Gudenkauf+; Thurs. June 1 at 10:00 a.m. at AC Home – No Mass intention; at 5:15 at SH – L&D members of Doc & Noreen Maschewski family; Fri. June 2 at 7:00 a.m. at SH – No Mass intention; **First Friday, June 2 at 8:00 a.m. here – L&D members of St. Augustine Altar Society**; Friday, June 2 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – NO MASS; NO CONFESSIONS AT 6:30 p.m.; Vigil Mass Sat. June 3 at 4:00 p.m. at SH – Leroy Tangeman+; at 6:30 p.m. at SJ – Gerald & Evelyn Burdick; **Sun. June 4 at 8:30 a.m. here – parishioners of the 5 parishes**; at 10:30 a.m. at SH – Tom & Mickey Porter+; **Tues. June 6 at 6:00 p.m. here – Bob & Gladys Kokenge+**; **Sun. June 11 at 8:30 a.m. here – Raymond & Norma Jurgensmeier+**

**CHURCH CLEANERS AND CHOIR LOFT** - May 28 – Kayla Renyer, Cassie Lierz, Carla Renyer; June 4 – Kris Haverkamp, Lynn Dierking, Julie Rieger; June 11 – Joan Lierz, Teresa Baumgartner, Mary Renyer, Jessica Ploeger

**CHURCH HALL/KITCHEN CLEANERS** through the month of **MAY** – Barbara Rettele, Sharon Winkler, Sarah Renyer, Amanda Rettele; **JUNE** - JoEllen Key, Jean Renyer, Amy Deters

**LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$444.00 Plate; \$1500.00 Envelope; \$3.00 Catholic Communications; \$50.00 Youth fund; \$160.00 Trinity Dome; Thanks for our generosity. **TODAY** is the special collection for the **Catholic Communication Campaign**. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Fifty percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc).

**MONEY COUNTERS FOR MAY** – Jeremy Sweat, Jean Renyer, Janelle Popkess; **JUNE** – Jean Renyer, Janelle Popkess, Andy Renyer

**WE WILL BE PRAYING THE ROSARY** before Mass during the Marian Month of May, which is especially dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Holy Mother of God, pray for us. Leaders for today - Rod Winklers and Lynn Dierking; Thank You to all who helped with this!

**THE WETMORE AMERICAN LEGION** will have Memorial Day Service here at the cemetery at 10:40 a.m. Monday, May 29.

**HOSPITALITY SUNDAY** will be held next Sunday, June 4 with Ben Rettele's (Group I) in charge. This includes Larry Lierz, Don Haverkamp, David Wehner, Rod Winkler, Jim Renyer, Rodney Lierz, Ervin Deters & Alex Lock.

**BABY BOTTLE DRIVE** -Take a bottle on Mother's Day, fill it with coins or bills to support the Pro Life cause and return it on Father's Day!

**BABIES BEST START** - A program of Sabetha Community Hospital and Nemaha Valley Hospital that provides basic baby supplies for new mothers in need in Nemaha County. Items or donations are welcome. We can collect this at Church during the month of May as we especially honor Mothers in May.

**TOTUS TUUS FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS** - The Totus Tuus Teams will offer an adapted Totus Tuus program for people with special needs beginning Monday, July 24 to Thursday, July 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish in Overland Park. This Totus Tuus program is for persons ages 6 to adult with and intellectual/developmental disabilities. Fee is \$30 per person or \$50 per family. Registration deadline is July 1st. Volunteers are also needed for the program. For more information or to register, please contact Tom Racunas in the Office of Special Needs Ministry by email at [tracunas@archkck.org](mailto:tracunas@archkck.org) or call 913.647.3054 or 316.305.7487

**MARRIAGE MINUTE** - During a rough patch in your marriage, have you ever wondered what you got yourself into? Sometimes the monastery looks pretty good, and we can wonder if we missed our call! In this weekend's Gospel, the disciples "worshiped, but they doubted." Jesus appears to them after rising from the dead, and they still aren't 100% convinced. What more could he possibly do? Well, he has a plan. He will send the Holy Spirit to clothe them "with power from on high." This Spirit will take the outward evidence they have seen and put it into their hearts, so not only will their own doubts be gone, but they will be able to witness to others. That same Spirit will come upon us next Sunday at Pentecost! To prepare, offer Jesus: •reoccurring conflicts with your spouse that make you feel "stuck" •frustrating things about your spouse you don't understand •any disappointment or doubt will the Spirit work through an enrichment? Find out! Go to [www.joyfulmarriageproject.com](http://www.joyfulmarriageproject.com).

**JUNE MOON EVENT** - Make plans to attend the "June Moon Evening in the Vineyard" event to help support St. Isidore's Catholic Student Center at K-State; On Sunday, June 11, 6:30-9:00 p.m. at Liquid Art Winery and Estate, Manhattan. For more information go to [STISIDORES.COM](http://STISIDORES.COM) or email EVENTS@ [STISIDORES.COM](http://STISIDORES.COM), or call (785) 539-7496 x 110.

**ST. MICHAEL CHURCH ANNUAL PICNIC** will be held Sunday, June 4 serving from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL 1<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL SUMMER SOCIAL EVENT** is **Sunday, June 4**. Serving Fried Chicken & Ham with all the fixings from (New time!) **11 AM-1:30 PM**. **NEW LOCATION: Pottawatomie Fairgrounds in Onaga**. Air conditioned 4-H building, handicap accessible. Bingo, Silent Auction, Games, Raffle, and Homemade Ice Cream. Come join us for the good food, company, and fun from 11 into the afternoon! Kickball tournament will be on the South baseball diamond with concessions available.

**ST. JAMES PARISH WETMORE** is having their summer picnic and auction on Sunday, June 11 serving roast beef and ham dinner family style from 4:30 - ???; adults \$10.00; children 10 years - 4 years - \$5.00; children 3 years and under are free; Games for all ages on the grounds and auction at 8:00 p.m. inside the hall.

**SABETHA BLOOD DRIVE** will be Tuesday, June 6 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Sabetha City Hall Gym.

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS AND OPPORTUNITIES**  
**"GROWING AS DISCIPLES OF JESUS AND MAKING DISCIPLES FOR JESUS"**

**PRAY THE ROSARY AT SACRED HEART ON THURSDAYS AT 12:10 P.M.**

**MAY: THE MONTH OF MARY** - "Mary, my dearest mother, give me your heart so beautiful, so pure, so immaculate, so full of love and humility, that I may receive Jesus as you did---and go in haste to give him with others." St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

**NE KANSAS CATHOLICS PICNICS** - Save the dates for our parishes' picnics: St. James- June 11; St. Augustine- July 16; Sacred Heart- August 13

**FORMED FAMILY**

Have you checked out the AUDIO content on Formed- specifically for the Family? There are wonderful talks (so you can listen at work) on Marriage and Family life- Check out these titles when you log onto Formed.org and use our parish code: b70478

- How to apply Faith to our Families, Kimberly Hahn
- Feminine Genius, Colleen Carroll Campbell
- Parenting for Purity, Jason Evert
- Pure Fatherhood, Devin Schact
- Discipline that lasts a lifetime, Dr. Ray Guarendi

Log on and see what FORMED.org has to offer you and your family and what it could do for your relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church!

**CCD/YOUTH NEWS**

**Uplift**- Taking care and compassion to the Homeless: Any Jr./Sr./college-aged youth wishing to serve the homeless in KC on Wednesday, June 14 should contact Gina to reserve your spot. We have only 4 spots remaining for this service experience.

**TOTUS TUUS**- Totus Tuus will be here the week of July 9-14. All incoming 1st through 6th graders will meet daily from 9-4 and Jr. high/HS in the evenings from 7-9; Registration and more information in in the back of the church.

**Hospitality for Totus Tuus Team**

We will need families to host the Totus Tuus team for dinner and provide meals for lunch. Please consider the following - Sign ups and details are in the back of Sacred Heart Church. Please contact Gina with any questions.

1. **Lunch** for the 4 team members (and Fr.) (Brought to church daily) Sign up for one day.
2. Families to host **dinner** for the 4 team members throughout the week.

**THE GREAT ADVENTURE**

Archdiocesan Rural Youth Ministry Outreach invites you and your family to the Great Adventure featuring amazing Catholic speakers Cooper Ray and Paul J. Kim. Mark your calendars for these faith-filled dates.

- **Adult Mini Retreat & Luncheon**: Saturday, August 12 10:00-1:00 p.m. at St. Peter & Paul in Seneca featuring Cooper Ray. Reservations requested. \$15 per person (No fee for CCD catechists - RSVP to Gina.)
- **Kelly Youth Rally** - Saturday August 19 featuring Paul J. Kim
- **Family Focused Rally** - Sunday, August 20 featuring Paul J. Kim @ Holton Fairgrounds. For more information contact Gina.