

## St. Augustine Parish Bulletin

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**Pentecost Sunday**  
**June 4, 2017**

**MASS** – Saturday, June 10 – Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart and 6:30 p.m. at St. James; **Sunday, June 11 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 9 at 6:30 p.m.

**WEEKDAY MASS will not be held here on Tuesday, June 6 at 6:00 p.m.**

**PASTOR'S NOTE:** The Archdiocese Priest retreat in Atchison will take place June 5-8. I will be there at that time, but I can still be contacted by phone or email. I will pray for you during that time. God bless! Father Clayton

**“TO EACH IS GIVEN THE MANIFESTATION OF THE SPIRIT FOR THE COMMON GOOD.”** 1 Corinthians 12:7; To receive the gift of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and let Him in! Open your heart and be grateful for all the gifts God has given us. Regardless of your circumstance, God has given us all blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God. Generously sharing our gifts keeps us more “God-centered” and less “self-centered”.

**LECTOR** - June 11 – Ben Rettele; June 18 – David Wehner; June 25 – Dennis Rettele

**SERVERS** - June 11 – Gavin Lierz, Andrew Lierz, Darcy Lierz; June 18 – Erin Deters, Leah Renyer, Jonathan Renyer; June 25 – MiKayla Deters, Erin Deters, Anthony Deters

**OFFERTORY GIFTS** - June 11 – Greg Renyer family; June 18 – Adam Renyer family; June 25 – Alex & Kayla Lock family

**USHERS** - June 11- Rod Winkler & Bob Buser; June 18 – Adam Maas & Jeremy Sweat; June 25 – Ervin Deters & Jim Renyer

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION** - June 11 – Greg Renyer, Teresa Baumgartner, Rodney Lierz; June 18 – Rod Winkler, Denise Plattner, Teresa Baumgartner; June 25 – David Wehner, Dwaine Baumgartner, Greg Renyer

**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** – Tuesday, June 6 – No Mass at SH; **Tues. June 6 – NO MASS HERE**; NO MASS at SJ or SH on Wed. June 7; Thurs. June 8 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – Sharon Roggenkamp+; Fri. June 9 at 5:15 p.m. at SH – L&D members of Wilfed+ & Norma Quinlan family; Vigil Mass Sat. June 10 at 4:00 p.m. at SH – Parishioners of the 5 parishes; at 6:30 p.m. at SJ – no intention; **Sun. June 11 at 8:30 a.m. here - Ethel Baumgartner+**; at 10:30 a.m. at SH – Clem & Rupert Rethman+ ; **Tues. June 13 at 6:00 p.m. here –Bob & Gladys Kokenge+**; **Sun. June 18 at 8:30 a.m. here – Dave Henry+**

**CHURCH CLEANERS AND CHOIR LOFT** - June 4 – Kris Haverkamp, Lynn Dierking, Julie Rieger; June 11 – Joan Lierz, Teresa Baumgartner, Mary Renyer, Jessica Ploeger; June 18 – Evelyn Lierz, Cherie Grimm, Linda Lierz

**CHURCH HALL/ KITCHEN CLEANERS** through the month of **JUNE** - JoEllen Key, Jean Renyer, Amy Deters

**LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$106.00 Plate; \$925.00 Envelope; \$50.00 Catholic Communications; Thanks for our generosity.

**MONEY COUNTERS FOR JUNE** - Jean Renyer, Janelle Popkess, Andy Renyer

**HOSPITALITY SUNDAY** will be held **TODAY** 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.

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** will be held here on Thursday, June 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the church hall.

**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 1. 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** – One of the gifts given by the Holy Spirit at Pentecost was the grace for the Apostles to speak in different languages, so that the Gospel of God's love could be heard by all people. This act was truly a miracle! We married couples can receive a similar grace to communicate love more effectively. One of the very practical ways we can enhance our married relationship is to learn to express our love for our spouse in their preferred “love language.” According to Gary Chapman, author of “The Five Love Languages,” spouses will increase their level of happiness within their marriage by learning to communicate more effectively through Gifts, Quality Time, Acts of Service, Words of Affirmation, or Physical Touch depending on the preferred “love language.” What is your spouse's love language? This and other topics will be explored at the Everyday in Love Date Night Workshops this June. Register at [www.archkck.org/everyday](http://www.archkck.org/everyday) or see other offerings at [www.JoyfulMarriageproject.com](http://www.JoyfulMarriageproject.com).

**IS THE CHURCH IN YOUR WILL OR TRUST?** Is the Church in your will or trust? The deadline to be included in the 2017 Catholic Legacy Society is June 30, 2017. If you have included a gift in any amount or percentage to the Church in your will, trust or estate plan, you qualify to join the 600+ people who have notified the Church of their intent to leave a legacy gift to a parish, school, or ministry within the Archdiocese. Contact the parish office to notify us of your legacy gift or send your notification to [steward@archkck.org](mailto:steward@archkck.org). Please indicate whether you wish to be included in the published list or whether you prefer to remain anonymous. Gifts are kept in strict confidence. Thank you for your faithful commitment to strengthening the Church for future generations. Call (913) 647-0325 with questions.

**ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH ANNUAL PICNIC** is **today** with serving from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at Axtell.

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL 1<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL SUMMER SOCIAL EVENT** is **today**. 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.

**ST. MALACHY PARISH, BEATTIE** parish picnic is Sunday, June 11 serving supper from 5 – 7:30 p.m. \$10.00 for adults; \$5.00 for kids ages 4-10; Choice of beef brisket or pork, barbecue or plain. Games, country store, raffle; auction is at 8:00 p.m.

**SABETHA BLOOD DRIVE** is 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.**

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

**THE WILD GOOSE** - We have a wonderful opportunity to grow as a parish family in our relationship with the Holy Spirit, and we invite you to participate in a video based study called **THE WILD GOOSE**. With beautiful film-making and teaching on the person and power of the Holy Spirit, **THE WILD GOOSE** will move your heart and give you plenty to discuss as a family or as a group of friends. **THE WILD GOOSE** is a 14-part series offered on [formed.org](http://formed.org). To register with FREE access, visit: [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and use our parish code: b70478; “Friends, the Holy Spirit desires a relationship with us that will take us on the greatest adventure imaginable; a journey to the very Heart of God. The Holy Spirit desires to be present to us in a manner that brings light out of darkness, freedom out of bondage, order out of chaos and life out of death. Such is the power of the Wild Goose.”- Fr. Dave Pivonka, host of The Wild Goose

**PRAYERS TO THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Holy Spirit of light and love, you are the substantial love of the Father and the Son; hear my prayer. Bounteous bestower of most precious gifts, grant me a strong and living faith which makes me accept all revealed truths and shape my conduct in accord with them. Give me a most confident hope in all divine promises which prompts me to abandon myself unreservedly to you and your guidance. Infuse into me a love of perfect goodwill, and act according to God's least desires. Make me love not only my friends but my enemies as well, in imitation of Jesus Christ who through you offered himself on the Cross for all people. Holy Spirit, animate, inspire, and guide me, and help me to be always a true follower of you. Amen.

**St. Augustine's Prayer to the Holy Spirit**

Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy. Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy. Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy. Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy. Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy. Amen.

**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**

1. We need a couple more volunteers to **bring lunches** for the 4 person team to the church by 11:45 a.m. on Monday, July 10 & Friday, July 14.
2. We need people to host the team {great opportunity to meet Catholic young adults on fire for their faith} **for dinner** on Sunday 7/9; Monday 7/10; and Thursday 7/13 between 5:30-6:30 p.m. Please either sign up in the back of the church or call Gina for more information.

**NEIGHBOR-2- NEIGHBOR**

N-2-N seeks to **CONNECT** businesses, **UNITE** church communities and organizations in Sabetha to **SERVE** our neighbors in real, tangible ways.

Our mission and goal is to build relationships with and serve our neighbors by providing assistance with project-based work on homes and/or emergency financial assistance to meet the basic human needs and provide for the dignity of the whole person & family; building lasting relationships and a healthier community. United, we can do more!

To find out more about our mission, ongoing financial needs and/or ways you can help by donating your time & talents; please visit our Facebook Page: Neighbor-2-Neighbor and/or email us at: [n2nsabetha@yahoo.com](mailto:n2nsabetha@yahoo.com). There will be a **Lemonade & Cookie Stand on Friday, June 9** from 10:30-1:30 p.m. in front of the Methodist Church on Main St. to help support N-2-N. We'd love to serve you some refreshments!