

**ST. JAMES BULLETIN
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Mass times: Sacred Heart--4 p.m. Saturday & 10:30 a.m. Sunday: St. Augustine--8:30 a.m. Sunday;

St. James--6:30 p.m Saturday

April 29, 2017

Third Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS:

Tuesday, May 2--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Leroy Tangeman, deceased

Tuesday, May 2--St. Augustine--6:00 p.m.--Greg Jurgensmeier, deceased

Wednesday, May 3--St. James--8 a.m.--Special Intention of Wayne & Anna Marie Segenhagen

Wednesday, May 3--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--L&D Members of the Sacred Heart Altar Society

Thursday, May 4--AC Home--10 a.m.--

Thursday, May 4--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Harold & Mark Daily, deceased

Friday, May 5--St. Augustine--8 a.m.--Connie Lehman, deceased

Friday, May 5--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--NO MASS-- No Confessions @ 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 29--Sacred Heart--4 p.m.--

Saturday, April 29--St. James--6:30 p.m.--Cathy Stallbaumer, deceased

Sunday, April 30--St. Augustine--8:30 a.m.--Parishioners of the three parishes

Sunday, April 30--Sacred Heart--10:30 a.m.--Sharon Roggenkamp, deceased

ACOLYTES for May 6

Abby Shumaker, Kenton Talley, Kean Haverkamp

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Carmen Cattrell, Anne Rowland, Tim Henry

GREETERS

Savannah Cattrell, Karoline & Koy Tannahill

CLEANERS

Linda Bloom and Sue Bloom

OFFERTORY

Randy Tanking

LECTOR

Barb Clowe

COUNTERS

Tim Rowland/Sharon Shumaker

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

There will be NO 12-hour adoration this month because of a wedding in the church.

The Wetmore Lions Club will be hosting a pancake/biscuits & gravy feed on Sunday, April 30, from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Free-will donation. All are welcome.

It is that time of the year again! The Altar Society officers are working on the church picnic! If you want to donate cash or items for the chance book, contact one of them. Now is the time to start letting our friends and relatives know that the picnic is June 11.

Marriage Minute Easter is the season of Mercy, but have you ever thought, "How do the Works of Mercy apply to family life?" God's beautiful plan allows for the Works of Mercy to be practiced daily in

family life.

Spiritual Works of Mercy: Bear wrongs patiently: Assume that your husband did not intend to make that insensitive comment. Pray for the living and the dead: During meal prayer, offer prayer for living and deceased relatives. Admonish the sinner: Discipline children when they disrespect you. Counsel the doubtful: Encourage a child who is questioning Faith. Instruct the ignorant: Give a book to an uninformed relative on a matter of Faith. Forgive offenses: Forgive your spouse instead of holding a grudge. Comfort the afflicted: Spend time listening to a struggling child or relative. For other ways to joyfully witness to mercy, go to www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

Retrouvaille Weekend June 2 in KC Improving a marriage takes time and a conscious effort to learn about your spouse. Growing closer in a marriage does not happen automatically. Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer and develop a stronger bond. You give your heart and soul to everything you do, between your work and your family. Are you giving your heart and soul to your marriage? Sometimes the distance between a husband and a wife can seem so wide that it cannot be repaired. Retrouvaille is a marriage program designed to bring couples closer together. FOR MORE INFORMATION, (800) 470-2230 OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE: HELPOURMARRIAGE.COM

4th Annual Pitching for Priests Softball Game will be held on Friday, June 2, at 7:00 PM at Community America Ballpark – Tbones Stadium. Priests from the Kansas City - St. Joseph, Missouri Diocese VS Priests from the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for children and can be purchased at: PitchingforPriests.com ALL TICKET SALES FROM THIS FUN NIGHT GO TO SUPPORT VOCATIONS! Concession stands will be open.

There will be a **BENEFIT SUPPER & AUCTION FOR BERT MORRISON** to assist with medical expenses in her fight against cancer. It will be held on Saturday, May 6, at the Corning Community Center from 4:00 p.m. to 9 p.m. Serving Pulled Pork, Cheesy Potatoes, Baked Beans, and Desserts. Free Will offering

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR PEOPLE WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
Do you know of parishioners with developmental disabilities that have not received the sacraments? The Special Needs Ministry of the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas in collaboration with the leadership team of iCare of Northeast Kansas are seeking parishioners with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities who have not received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and/or Confirmation. Once we have an idea of the need, we would like to begin to arrange sacramental preparation through several catechetical models. Please make referrals to Tom Racunas in the Office of the Special Needs Ministry at tracunas@archkck.org or call 913.647.3054.

CCD/YOUTH NEWS A very heartfelt **thank you** to all of our catechists who served our youth and families throughout our CCD school year: *Anissa Bloom, Sharon Bloom, Leigh Ann Schultejeans, Jan Grollmes, Ellie Haverkamp, David Shumaker and Thelma Strathman.*

- Congratulations to Blaine Burdick and Hayden Schultejeans who received Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time in Holy Communion this weekend. Thank you to their parents and Anissa Bloom who helped prepare them for this amazing Sacrament of love.
- **Kindergarten "Round up"**- We are already in our active planning stages to plan CCD for the fall. We are inviting all parents of children entering Kindergarten in the fall to give us a call 284-0888 or email: gina@nekansascatholics.org so that we can be sure to welcome them into our CCD ministry this fall and get parents all the information. It's going to be a big exciting fall for your family- we are praying for you!

- **Kelly Youth Rally** forms are due to Gina no later than May 20th. Kelly Youth Rally will be held on August 19th, featuring Paul J. Kim and incoming 7th-12th graders are welcome as well as their friends.
- **TOTUS TUUS-** Totus Tuus will be coming the week of July 9th-14th and provide a week long fun faith-filled week for all our youth. The Totus Tuus week will be held at Sacred Heart and all are welcome. 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 will be out in May.

Hospitality for Totus Tuus Team We will need a family to host the Totus Tuus team and Fr. Clayton for dinner on Saturday July 8th. Please contact Gina or Fr. Clayton if you would like to meet and get to know these amazing faith-filled Catholic young adults.

FLOCK NOTE COMMUNICATION Ministry leaders are invited to a short informational/training for a new communication tool for our parish - a mass texting service, called Flocknote. Any members of Parish Council, KoC, Altar Society, Faith Formation, Parish Staff, Parish Plan Teams, etc- are invited to a short training on **Tuesday, May 2nd at 6:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart**. Thank you in advance for supporting our parish engagement efforts!

MAY: The Month of Mary A Prayer for the GRACE OF LOVE

O Mary, my dear Mother, how much I love thee! And yet in reality how little! Thou dost teach me what I ought to know, for thou teachest me what Jesus is to me and what I ought to be for Jesus. Dearly beloved Mother, how close to God thou art, and how utterly filled with Him! In the measure that we know God, we remind ourselves of thee. Mother of God, obtain for me the grace of loving my Jesus; obtain for me the grace of loving thee! *{This prayer was written by Rafael Cardinal Merry del Val (1865-1930), the secretary of state for Pope Saint Pius X. It reminds us that Mary is the perfect example of the Christian life, who in her own actions shows us true love for Christ. <https://www.thoughtco.com/prayers-for-may-542768>}*

“Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?” LUKE 24:32 How often do we take the time to discern what Jesus wants from us? Are our prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for us? If so, that’s a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time in silence to listen to what Jesus is asking of you.

Please remember in your prayers the following persons. If you want to add or delete anyone to the list, contact Anna Marie Segenhagen at 866-2995. Randy Rahberg, Dorothy Henry, Charles Kennedy, Darren Oard, Linda Newman, Molly Motto, Roger Haverkamp, Jace Robinson, Bill Beightel, Melody Barnes, Kathleen Keen, Lynn Mulroy, Andrew Perez, Shirley Fisher, Kyle Lindteigen, Wayne Henry, Jeanne Cox, Shari Lott, Ralph Steinlage, Russel Pickett, Jenae Claycamp, Sue Ann Jackman, Nolan Tomlinson, Lester Stallbaumer, Sara Morey, and those who have lost loved ones.

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 They could place more babies if they had more prospective parents!! And the average wait time for couples to 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!! Note: St. Joseph Adoption Ministry is located in our archdiocese in Kansas City, Kansas and is a ministry of the Congregation of St Joseph.

REPORTING SUSPECTED ABUSE Any person who has reason to believe that a child is being abused or neglected should make a confidential report to the Kansas Department for Children and Families Protection Report Center at 1-800-922-5330. If you believe a child is in immediate danger, call 911 or local law enforcement. In addition to making a report to the proper civil authorities, if your allegation, suspicion or concern involves a church volunteer, employee or member of the clergy or religious, please make a report to the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. You may make a report directly to the Report Investigator, Jan Saylor, by calling the Confidential Report Line at 913-647-3051 or by submitting an online report at <http://www.archkck.org/reportabuse>.

LISTING OF CATHOLIC COUNSELORS/PSYCHOTHERAPISTS Listing of counselors / psychotherapists who have solemnly pledged that • They are Catholics who follow the teachings and authority of the Magisterium of the Catholic Church and who have firmly pledged to follow Catholic teachings in their lives • Who will encourage their Catholic clients to live these out as well is available on the Archdiocesan webpage: www.archkck.org Click on the button “Catholic Counselors” and you will be taken to the site. Feel free to contact Sam Meier regarding any questions you may have about this listing: smeier@archkck.org or 913 647 0378.

Perscription for a Long and Happy life- NFP intro online Now Available On-Line! This evening will not teach you to use a specific NFP method, but rather gives you an overview of the effectiveness and benefits common to all the methods. This evening, which fulfills a marriage preparation requirement for engaged couples, is available for all. Go to: <https://www.archkck.org/family-life/intro-to-nfp>

PROJECT RACHEL Want to help someone heal from an abortion? Join our Prayer Warriors for Project Rachel. Simply send your email to 3irishlads@gmail.com to be part of our Prayer Warrior list. You will only receive a few Prayer Warrior requests per month. Please know that all email addresses are kept confidential and are never published or shared. No one knows who is on the distribution list

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