

**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

September 9, 2017

The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

Tuesday, September 12--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Fred Machewski, deceased

Tuesday, September 12--Saint Augustine--6 p.m.--Greg Jurgensmeier, deceased

**Wednesday, September 13--St. James--8 a.m.--Eldon & Doris Mulroy , deceased**

Wednesday, September 13--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Lawrence & Dorothy Schump, deceased

Thursday, September 14--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--L&D Members of the Wilfred & Norma Quinlan Family

Friday, September 15--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Ethel Baumgartner, deceased

Saturday, September 16--Sacred Heart--4 p.m.--L&D Members of the Wilfred & Norma Quinlan Family

**Saturday, September 16--St. James--6:30 p.m.--Parishioners of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine & St. James**

Sunday, September 17--St. Augustine--8:30 a.m.--Parishioners of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine & St. James

Sunday, September 17--Sacred Heart--10:30 a.m.--Mark & Harold Daily, deceased

**ACOLYTES for September 16**

Abby Shumaker, Alyssa Bloom, Trenton Talley

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Anne Rowland, McKayla Henry, Jill Rowland

**GREETERS**

Wayne & Anna Marie Segenhagne

Stallbaumer

**CLEANERS**

Leigh Ann Schulteans and Nancy Henry

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**We would welcome anyone willing to play the organ/piano or guitar for mass, please contact Ellie Haverkamp at 785-364-7647 or [dairydude@jbntelco.com](mailto:dairydude@jbntelco.com).**

**Collection for Hurricane Harvey** The Parish will be collecting donations Sept. 9/10 to help with relief efforts after Hurricane Harvey. You can place your donation in an envelope marked hurricane and we will send it in to the Archdiocese. It will then get distributed to relief organizations. Thank you! Further contributions to relief efforts for hurricane Harvey victims may be made directly to Catholic Charities USA online at [catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://catholiccharitiesusa.org); by calling (800) 919-9338; or by texting CCUSADISASTER to

**OFFERTORY**

Casey Bloom

**LECTOR**

Jill Henry

**COUNTERS**

David

Shumaker/Ken

71777 to donate to the relief effort.

**“You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel.” - EZEKIEL 33:7** -Many of us are generous with our gifts. However, how often is our generosity at the minimum level required? We do just enough or give just enough. Remember, the Lord calls us to be generous with all the gifts He has given us, to grow them and return them with increase.

**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. Colter Eisenbarth, Larry Sudbeck, Shirley Schmitz, Pat Segenhagen, Steve Boeckman, Randy Rahberg, Dorothy Henry, Charles Kennedy, Darren Oard, Linda Newman, Roger Haverkamp, Jace Robinson, Kathleen Keen, Lynn Mulroy, Andrew Perez, Shirley Fisher, Kyle Lindteigen, Wayne Henry, Jeanne Cox, Russel Pickett, Jenae Claycamp, Sue Ann Jackman, Nolan Tomlinson, Lester Stallbaumer, and those who have lost loved ones.

**Discovering Christ -- Following Christ -- Sharing Christ Save the dates for Sharing Christ!** Sep 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 14. An invitation to enter deeply into your Catholic faith as our parishes complete the ChristLife series . . . Sessions 6:30-8:30pm, plus retreat day Sign up in the back of church . . . please join us! To register, email or call [kerryglynn2@yahoo.com](mailto:kerryglynn2@yahoo.com); 285.0921.

**IRISH ROAD BOWLING** Fundraising event at Wyandotte County Park Bonner Springs, Kansas Saturday, October 7 First team throws at 10 a.m. [www.ksroadbowling.com](http://www.ksroadbowling.com)

**“HIS OWN”, A RETREAT FOR WOMEN** “In a world where women are exploited, misused, and misguided, we desire that our music and ministry will inspire women to come before the Lord as they are, to encounter His unique love for them, and to be reminded of the eternal measure of their feminine dignity and worth.”

His Own! will be at Mother Teresa Catholic Church, 2014 NW 46th Street, Topeka, KS on Saturday, October 7, 2017. The day begins at 7:30 am with coffee and check-in; the rosary at 8:30 am; 9:00 – noon: music, testimonies and talk. Lunch is provided. After lunch we will have adoration w/music and the final talk at 2:30 pm; all parish Mass at 4:00 pm. There is no cost for this retreat, but a free-will offering will be accepted. In order to get a head count for lunch, please register online at: [www.mtcctopeka.org](http://www.mtcctopeka.org) by Friday, September 29th.

**Marriage Minute** Do you ever feel alone in your marriage or parenting? In this week’s Gospel, Jesus reassures us that he is present where two gather in his name. In the stress of everyday life, we can feel isolated or disconnected from our spouse or God. One simple thing we can do to recover that connection and overcome the isolation is to simply pray with our spouse for our marriage and our children. Praying together doesn’t guarantee our desired outcome, but it does always: • Require vulnerability, and therefore bring us closer to our spouse • Remind us that we have an all-powerful Father who only wants what is best for us • Open us up to possibilities we did not see before For tips on praying with your spouse, visit [www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com](http://www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com)

**FATIMA CENTENARY** Join Archbishop Naumann in the celebration of a Mass of Thanksgiving to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the conclusion of the apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary to the children at Fatima, Portugal. The Mass will be offered on Friday, October 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Queen of the Holy Rosary in Overland Park. At the end of Mass, Archbishop Naumann will consecrate the Archdiocese to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. The message of Our Lady of Fatima remains as important today as it was a century ago. Let us take up her request of prayers for peace and the stability of the world, especially through the Most Holy Rosary and consecration to her Immaculate Heart.

**COMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST POSITION OPEN AT CHRIST THE KING - Topeka** The complete job description and qualifications for the part-time Communications Specialist is available on

our website, [ctktopeka.org](http://ctktopeka.org). The ideal candidate will be well organized, experienced in working and coordinating with volunteers, managing social media, web page design, specialized media software, and Microsoft Office Suite, while working in a dynamic parish environment. Qualified applicants should email a resume to Fr. Matthew Schifflbein at [frmatthew@ctktopeka.org](mailto:frmatthew@ctktopeka.org)

**Prairie Star Under the Stars** On September 23rd, Prairie Star Ranch welcomes all high school youth groups and families for the 13th annual Prairie Star Under the Stars event. We are excited to invite God's children to this camping adventure which includes Canoes, Climbing Tower, a Gaga Ball tournament, the Sacraments (Sunday obligation), prayer, star gazing, camp fires, camping, and so much more. If you're looking for an event filled with adventure, activities, and prayer, this is it. Registration paperwork and more information available online! For more information, call or go online today! [www.archkck.org/ranch](http://www.archkck.org/ranch) -- 785-746-5693 -- [psrministry@archkck.org](mailto:psrministry@archkck.org) September 23rd-24th

**Family Day at Prairie Star Ranch** Prairie Star Ranch is offering you the chance to step away and enter into a day of prayer, adventure, outdoor activities, and time to reconnect. Families, friends, and communities are invited to join us on September 24th from 9am to 5pm! Opportunities include Horseback Riding, Canoeing, Ropes Activities, and time for prayer. The experience will culminate with the celebration of the Holy Mass in our beautiful St. Kateri Chapel. Let us journey together on this day of Christ-centered adventure! Register online now or contact the Team at Prairie Star Ranch. [www.archkck.org/ranch](http://www.archkck.org/ranch) -- 785-746-5693 -- [psrministry@archkck.org](mailto:psrministry@archkck.org)

**Beatification of Fr. Stanley Rother – You are invited!** Join Abbot James Albers and Fr. Meinrad Miller for the beatification of Servant of God Fr. Stanley Rother in Oklahoma City on Sept. 22-23. Contact Trinity Travel at 913-422-4141 for details and to book travel. The cost is just \$230 per traveler

**Have you or someone you know lost a child or loved one during pregnancy or in early infancy?** If so, Archbishop Naumann invites you to commemorate this loss at this Mass on Sunday, Oct 1, at 12:30 pm at Holy Spirit Parish in Overland Park, KS. This annual Mass gives parents, grandparents, siblings, or other loved ones the opportunity to receive consolation whether the loss was recent or many years ago. Even if you have not personally experienced this kind of loss, you are invited to join us at this Mass. For questions or more info, contact Brad DuPont at [bdupont@archkck.org](mailto:bdupont@archkck.org), 913.647.0301, or [www.archkck.org/family](http://www.archkck.org/family).

**UNFAILING MERCY RETREAT** Unfailing Mercy One Day Retreat will be offered Sept. 23 in Overland Park. Registration is required. CONFIDENTIAL. Free. Come and see how one day can make a difference in healing after abortion. Call Patricia at [913-621-2199](tel:913-621-2199) or email [projectrachelkc@archkck.org](mailto:projectrachelkc@archkck.org)

**Continuing the works began by Father Michael J. McGivney in 1882**, for the protection of his parishioners, best describes the work of a Knights of Columbus Field Representative. Ideal for a determined, high energy, high expectation, self-disciplined, independent, professional individual desiring to serve others. There is currently an opening in your area for which we are looking to hire a representative.

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**Chris Stefanik in Kansas** Chris Stefanik, creator of CHOSEN (our Confirmation curriculum) and popular Catholic evangelist of RealLifeCatholic.com, will be in Wamego this March! We have clip boards in the back of the church to get an idea of how many people are interested in attending this event. We want to get tickets purchased (more info. to come on ticket prices) as soon as possible. If you are interested, please sign up so we can get you more information. Don't forget to checkout RealLifeCatholic.com if you are not familiar with Chris Stefanik. This event is for youth (7th grade and up) and adult parishioners.

**CCD We will resume our youth faith formation - CCD- on Wednesday, September 13th; 7:00-8:00 p.m.** Families, please plan on joining us for Mass at 7:00 p.m. followed by a social. **Parents:** After Mass during the social- you will update registration and update medical/liability forms. New families will register at this time as well. Please plan to attend our "Back to CCD night"!!! **Any Virtus parents or parishioners who would be willing to serve as substitutes for CCD please contact Gina- lessons and support will be provided. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated.**

**Momnipotent Mom's Group begins September 25th!** All mothers of the parish are invited to a new **once per month** group dedicated to mothers! Our first session will be on **Monday, September 25th at 7:00 p.m.** This video series (8 sessions) will take us through the school year and help us validate our important role as mothers helping us find or re-gain balance, peace and joy! Visit: [momnipotentstudy.com](http://momnipotentstudy.com) to find out more. To order the book & journal - email [gina@nekansascatholics.org](mailto:gina@nekansascatholics.org) by September 8th. **ALL are welcome.** We will host our Monday evenings at Sacred Heart this year!

**Volunteer Needed!** Do you want to support our youth? Do you have time at home or in the evenings that you could support us with a project-based mission? Contact Gina if you would like to support our CYO by helping us with Best Choice Labels. The work is easy- but volunteer contributes to the great mission of supporting our youth with this fundraiser. Please contact Gina for details.

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**Catholic Men's and Women's Conferences: Save the Dates!** "Men Under Construction 22": Saturday, February 17, 2018 "Living in Truth" Catholic Women's Conference: Saturday, February 24, 2018

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**RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND FOR COUPLES** OCTOBER 27, 2017 KANSAS CITY Retrouvaille helps with your marriage relationship. FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT REGISTRATION TEAM: TRACY & PAUL(800) 470-2230 OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE: [HELPOURMARRIAGE.COM](http://HELPOURMARRIAGE.COM)

**Calling ALL Young Adults! Join us for a trip to Washington D.C.!** See the sites in D.C. Meet other young adults from Kansas City, and be a part of the **National March for Life**. For anyone ages 21-35 Cost \$550 Includes roundtrip FLIGHT, Lodging at a hotel, and Dinner with Archbishop Naumann Sign up by

October 15th at [www.archkck.org/prolife-events](http://www.archkck.org/prolife-events) Final Payment due November 1st Questions? Contact Alli Donohue at [adonohue@archkck.org](mailto:adonohue@archkck.org) or 913.647.0350

**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>.

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