

**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**

**November 18, 2017**

**The Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

Tuesday, November 21--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m. Erma Wiltz+

Tuesday, November 21--St. Augustine--6 p.m.-- For the Farmers

**Wednesday, November 22--St. James--8 a.m.-Ignatius & Odelia Sudbeck+**

Wednesday, November 22--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.- NO MASS

Thursday, November 23--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--NO MASS

Friday, November 24--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Larry Haug+ Confessions at 6:30

Saturday, November 25 --Sacred Heart--4 p.m.--Parishioners of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine & St. James

**Saturday, November 25--St. James--Dennis & Lawrence Boeckman**

Sunday, November 26--St. Augustine--8:30 a.m.--Barbara Rettele

Sunday, November 26--Sacred Heart--10:30 a.m.--Joan & Clyde Wenger+

**THANKSGIVING MASS**

(Not a Mass of Obligation, civil holiday, actually each Mass we thank God but this is indeed a good time to thank God at Mass. You are welcome at:)

Wednesday November 22, 6:30 p.m. St. Augustine

Thursday, November 23 8am St. James

Thursday November 23 9:30 am Sacred Heart

**ACOLYTES for November**

Alex Rowland, Trenton Talley, Weldon Schultejeans

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Rachel Bloom, Anissa Bloom, Carmen Cattrell

**GREETERS**

Savannah Cattrell, Karoline & Koy Tannahill

**CLEANERS**

LeighAnn Schultejeans, Nancy Henry

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Food for the Poor** A priest from Food for the Poor will be here to celebrate Mass on November 18/19

**Nemaha County Christmas Store** This program provides Christmas gifts and a holiday dinner for families. Donations can include new toys, hats, gloves, socks, blankets, toiletry (such as shampoo, toothpaste,

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toothbrushes), kitchen items, and stocking stuffers. Financial contributions may be made payable to Nemaha County Christmas Bureau and sent in care of Seneca United Methodist Church. Donations can be dropped off at Seneca Methodist Church or Sabetha City Hall now until Dec. 3rd. Items can be brought to the Parish to drop off their also.

**Christmas (Holy Day of Obligation) (Also have Advent Mass Sat eve or Sun morn)**

Sun Dec 24th 4pm Sacred Heart

Sun Dec 24th 6:30pm St. James

Sun Dec 24th 11:00 pm St. Augustine (Midnight Mass)

Mon Dec 25th 9am Sacred Heart

**Please remember** 4th Sunday Advent Mass December 23 eve or December 24 morning then Christmas Mass 24th eve or 25th morning. You can go to Sat. eve and Sunday Eve or Sunday Morning and Monday morning for 4th Sunday and Christmas Mass due to how it falls this year.

**Marriage Minute** Beyond Pearls, Husbands, did you get an elbow in the ribs from your wife during this weekend's first reading from Proverbs about the "worthy wife?" This beautiful meditation can be applied to both spouses! Think about your spouse's wonderful qualities in the areas pointed out in the reading: \*Willingness to share and receive the other's heart \*A hard worker \* Kindness and charity to those inside and outside of the family \*Goodness that affects the family \*Faithfulness to God. These and so many other qualities make your spouse's worth "beyond pearls" Why not take some time today to share that with him or her? For more information on maintaining a joyful marriage go to: [www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com](http://www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com).

**Healing Family Breakdown** Every family in America has been affected by Family Breakdown. You are not alone. Are you tired of the drama and insecurity and lovelessness, and wonder how you can feel better? Are you heartbroken, wondering what you can do to help your family, including your kids or grandkids? Do you wonder how we got into such a mess and how we can recover? Come to the Ruth Institute's "Healing Family Breakdown" Spiritual Workshop, at Ascension Parish, Saturday, January 27th from 9:00am to 12:30 pm. Come, regain hope! Put into practice the practical family building virtues of mercy, empathy, and togetherness. Go to [www.ruthinstitute.org/events/healing-family-breakdown.com](http://www.ruthinstitute.org/events/healing-family-breakdown.com) for details and registration information.

**Dr. Scott Hahn** Saint Agnes Parish in Roeland Park is excited to be hosting Dr. Scott Hahn and the St. Paul Center at St. Agnes Catholic School Gymnasium on Saturday, December 2nd, 2017 from 9am to 12 for a morning discussing the joy of our Catholic Faith. The theme of the morning is "Joy to the World". Dr. Hahn will discuss the Holy Family and how Jesus' coming changed everything. Don't miss out on this event. Register today at [www.stpaulcenter.com/stagnes](http://www.stpaulcenter.com/stagnes).

**Catholic Charities Christmas Program** This is a program that offers assistance for gifts for children at Christmas. If you know of a family that might like to take part in the program, please contact Father Clayton. Thank you!

**"God's Little Green Acre" Seminarian Support** You are invited to join Catholics across the Archdiocese in giving thanks for our seminarians and show your support as they study for the priesthood. Farmers can donate proceeds from one acre of their crops, and those that don't farm but want to "grow" vocations can make a donation in any amount. Donations will be divided among our seminarians this Christmas to help them pay for textbooks and living expenses. They greatly appreciated these gifts since they have no income. For questions call Melanie at 913-647-0303 or email [vocation@archkck.org](mailto:vocation@archkck.org). Mail donations to Vocation Office, 12615 Parallel Pkwy, Kansas City, KS 66109.

**Family Prayer Conference** FAMILIES, we have the perfect way for you to kick off Advent...together! Whether you want to take the first step, or the next step, to going deeper in prayer together in your home, this day is for you. Join School of Love and the Archdiocesan Marriage & Family Life Office for an enriching morning for Couple and Family Prayer. We'll have Mass with Archbishop Naumann, reflections and teachings, resources for your home and intentional couple/family time to assess, discuss and make a plan that you'll bring home with you. \$20.00 per household. Lunch is provided. Whole families are welcome...we'll have a kids corner in case you need it. 8:30am-1:00 pm Saturday, December 2 at Prince of Peace (Olathe). Register at: [www.archkck.org/coupleandfamilyprayer.com](http://www.archkck.org/coupleandfamilyprayer.com).

**PRO-LIFE YOUTH RALLY.** Join us for the first ever YOUTH Pro Life Youth Rally in Topeka, Ks on January 22, 2018. Join other high school and middle school students from the state of Kansas for live music, a testimony from Melissa Ohden and Mass with Archbishop Naumann and Bishop Kemme. For more information and to get tickets visit: [www.archkck.org/ignite](http://www.archkck.org/ignite).

**THANK YOU** Thank you to our parishes who continue to support our youth in their faith journey. We had an amazing experience of the larger Catholic Church this last week with 23,000 Catholic youth and their chaperones at the National Catholic Youth Conference. We celebrated our faith. We learned more about how God is calling us as disciples and as Catholic Christians. We sang, danced, laughed and prayed. We heard amazing Catholic speakers let Jesus speak through them. We listened to uplifting music and adored. We are continuing to let God transform us. Thank you, thank you for supporting us in prayer and through fundraisers. Thank you in a special way to chaperones who journeyed with us. Anissa Bloom, Jennifer Enneking, Sharon Burger, David Glynn, Sheri Wessell, Virginia Russell, Angie Russell, Tammy Ulrich, Christine Krebs, Sarah Martin and Fr. Clayton. Now, who's ready for burritos and planning for NCY 2019?

**Thanksgiving Mass.** We have so much for which to be grateful. Please join us for Mass at St. Augustine at 6:30 p.m. this Wednesday, November 22. All families and parishioners welcome.

**CCD/CYO Quick Look:**

Wednesday, November 22nd- Thanksgiving Mass at 6:30 at St. Augustine, NO CCD

Wednesday, November 29th- CCD resumes

Wednesday, December 6th- CCD

Wednesday, December 13th- CCD & 1st Reconciliation

December 20th-27th- NO CCD Christmas Break

Wednesday, January 3rd- Catechist Formation/Work Night (no students)

**CAMP KATERI TEKAKWITHA 2018--AMAZING GIFT IDEA**

Camp Kateri Tekakwitha combines demanding outdoor activities with powerful spiritual instruction bringing about a unique encounter with God. Although our adventure activities are memorable, often the love that campers experience through prayer is what kids remember most. Your child will have the opportunity to experience different forms of prayer during camp. Adoration, Reconciliation, veneration of the cross, rosaries, litanies, Mass, information group prayer and individual reflection are among the many styles of prayer we practice here. These prayer experiences will have a lasting impact on campers ONLY IF they are lived out and continued. REGISTRATION INFO TO COME. We encourage you to pray for your children during camp and with them after camp. Check out our Video Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyOanzvhPKgorIXgaI-Zovw/feed>

**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. Francis Eisenbarth, Jerry Lueger, Walter (Bubba) Junod, Colter Eisenbarth, Larry Sudbeck, Shirley Schmitz, Steve Boeckman, Randy Rahberg, Dorothy Henry, Charles Kennedy, Darren Oard, Roger Haverkamp, Jace Robinson, Kathleen Keen, Lynn Mulroy, Andrew Perez, Shirley Fisher, Kyle Lindteigen, Wayne Henry, Jeanne Cox, Russell Pickett, Jenae Claycamp, Sue Ann Jackman, Nolan Tomlinson, Lester Stallbaumer, and those who have lost loved ones.

**Advent Penance Services**

Wednesday, December 3, 7:00 pm St. James-Wetmore

Sunday, December 17, 3:00pm Sts. Peter & Paul-Seneca

Sunday, December 17, 7:00 pm Sacred Heart-Sabetha

**Immaculate Conception of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)**

Thurs Dec. 7th St. James 6:30pm

Fri. Dec. 8th St. Augustine 7am

Fri Dec. 8th Sacred Heart 12:10pm

Fri. Dec. 8th Sacred Heart 6:30pm

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