

**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**

**January 27, 2018**

**The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

Saturday, January 27--Sacred Heart--4 p.m--Gilbert & Teresa Stallbaumer, deceased

**Saturday, January 27--St. James--6:30 p.m.--Special Intention of the Orville Hutfles family**

Sunday, January 28--St. Augustine--8:30 a.m--Parishioners of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine & St. James

Sunday, January 28--Sacred Heart--10:30 a.m.--Brad & Bryan Torrey, deceased

**ACOLYTES for February 3**

Kevin Shumaker, Reagan Osterhaus, Trenton Talley

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Tim Henry

**OFFERTORY**

Ryan Burdick

**LECTOR**

Jan Grollmes

**GREETERS**

Savannah Cattrell, Karoline & Koy Tannahill

**CLEANERS**

LeighAnn Schulteans and Nancy Henry

**COUNTERS**

Tony Schulteans/Tim Rowland

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**NOTICE: There will be NO 12-hour adoration on Saturday, February 3.** Our next adoration will be March 3.

The Corning St. Patrick's Parish CCD classes are hosting a **breakfast benefit and a silent auction** to help raise money for Jerry Lueger's family on January 28th from 7:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. Please come and enjoy a delicious breakfast and support their family. All are welcome! If you would like to make a donation for the silent auction, please contact Melissa Talley @ 785-458-2287.

**St. Mary's Church - St. Benedict Soup-R-Bowl** Sunday Lunch. Homeade Chili, Chicken Noodle, and Vegetable Beef Soup. Relishes and Pie. Sunday, February 4, 2018 - serving from 11:00am - 2:00pm. Free Will Offering. Everyone is welcome!

**Ash Wednesday Schedule**

7:00 a.m. St. James Mass

12:10 p.m. Sacred Heart (service with ashes)

5:30 p.m. St Augustine Mass

7:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Mass

**Sacred Heart Knights of Columbus Fish Fry Dates are February 16, March 2, and March 16.** All are welcome and support the Knights and their activities.

**Marriage Minute** Is St. Paul crazy? On face value, it seems that St. Paul says that marriage is an obstacle to personal holiness? Is this true, or is it a misinterpretation of the Apostle? Since Marriage is a sacrament, the path to holiness through this vocation must be attainable. The key is to accept love of spouse and family as our primary way to holiness. As Pope Benedict says, "If an individual is to accept himself, someone else must say to him, it is good that you exist." Family is the God-appointed place where this happens. In light of this comment, we see the eternal purpose of family actions like: • Tucking our kids into bed at night • Comforting our discouraged spouse • Spending time with an ailing parent • Encouraging an apprehensive child Family has eternal value; discover more at [www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com](http://www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com)

**The 2018 Baileyville Benefit** is for Frank Hulsing, Eric Holthaus, Dan Kramer and Team Schnak. It is scheduled for February 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> at Nemaha Central High School with the auction scheduled to start at 5:30pm on Sunday. Donations for the auctions, chance stand or wheel are very much welcome and appreciated! You may also bring in donations of food (i.e. pies, desserts, cinnamon rolls, cookies, fruit, etc.) to the concession stand Saturday morning to sale throughout the tournament. If you have any questions or would like to donate in any way (including volunteering to work a couple of hours), please contact Kenny or Diane Schmitz at 336-6252, 336-1769 or e-mail [kdschmitz@bbwi.net](mailto:kdschmitz@bbwi.net).

**"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties." 1 Corinthians 7:32** How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future.

**Living In Truth: Kansas City Catholic Women's Conference** Saturday, February 24, 2018 8:00 am - 12:30 pm Inspiring Catholic speakers will help prepare your heart for a meaningful Lenten journey. Get practical advice for discovering your unique gifts, your capacity for love, and the Father's unique design for you. Please join us! Church of the Ascension; Overland Park, KS 66213. Registration fee: \$25; \$30 at the door. Register online at: [livingintruthkc.com](http://livingintruthkc.com) or by mail at: Living In Truth Conference c/o Linda Spencer, 11706 Hadley, Overland Park, KS 66210. (Include name, address, phone)

**World Marriage Day Mass** February 11, 2018 Come celebrate World Marriage Day and renew the commitment you made to one another on you wedding day! Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Joseph F. Naumann and Bishop James V. Johnston Jr., at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, February 11, 2018, at Church of the Ascension, 9510 W. 127th Street, Overland Park, KS. Mass will include a renewal of commitment and Blessing for the married couples. Mass will be followed by a reception. Families are welcome! Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas, Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, and Worldwide Marriage Encounter. For more information call 913-647-0329.

**LENTEN RETREAT OPPORTUNITY** Christ's Peace House of Prayer will offer a Lenten retreat 'Renewing your soul through prayer and fasting.' Retreat begins at 9:00am on Saturday, February 10 and ends at 4:00pm on Sunday, February 11. There will be 4-5 talks, daily Eucharistic Adoration, private

prayer, spiritual direction, walks in the woods, spiritual reading and time for confession before 5pm Mass Saturday at the local parish. Cost for overnight guests is \$85 per individual or \$125 per couple with meals included. If interested, please contact [info@christspeace.com](mailto:info@christspeace.com) or call 913- 773-8255.

**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. Frank Hulsing, Jerry Lueger, Walter (Bubba) Junod, Colter Eisenbarth, Larry Sudbeck, Shirley Schmitz, Randy Rahberg, Dorothy Henry, Charles Kennedy, Roger Haverkamp, 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.

**FORMED.ORG PICK OF THE WEEK: Saint John Bosco; Meet St. John Bosco, Patron Saint of Young People** Discover the inspiring story of St. John Bosco, a brave priest whose ministry to homeless, outcast boys of Turin, Italy inspired the formation of the Salesians. See the incredible joy, trials, and profound charity that allowed John Bosco to win young souls for Christ. Watch on [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) using our parish code: **b70478**.

**Burrito Fundraiser for NCYC** We will begin fundraising in February for the 2019 NCYC pilgrimage. All **7th & 8th grade parents** are invited to an informational meeting on February 7th at 7:15 to learn more about the conference & fundraising. Everyone: Please SAVE the DATE for Sunday April 8th to make burritos!!! More information coming soon!

**CCD Dates to Note:** January 31- CCD; February 7th- CCD (NCYC '19 fundraising parent meeting); February 14th- NO CCD- ASH WEDNESDAY

**Sunday, February 4th- JASON EVERT {[www.chastity.com](http://www.chastity.com)} in Holton, 12-4 for Jr. High, High School and Parents/Catechists.** Jason is HUGE in the Catholic Youth Ministry world- this is a great opportunity to hear him speak. This is also our Rural Youth Ministry Outreach training opportunities which earns us grant money per adult participant. Please consider attending especially if you have jr. high/high school students. This event is being held at Holton High School at 901 New York Avenue, Holton.

**Sunday, February 18th- Northeast Kansas Winter Youth Rally (High School)-** "i was LOST now I'm found" featuring Mikey Needleman and Mike Debus as keynotes. 1:00-6:00 p.m. Mass at 4:00 with meal at 5:00. Axtell High School Gym.

**Sunday, February 25th- Jr. High (6th-7th-8th) Youth Rally "Amazing Love" featuring Emily Wilson {[www.emilywilsonmusic.com](http://www.emilywilsonmusic.com)}** This is the annual **Jr. High Rally** from 9:00-4:30 including Mass, Music by Mikey Needleman Band and performance art by Mike Debus. Registration will go home with all Jr. High Students on February 7th and will be due to me no later than February 14th to box #136 ---they can drop it off at Ash Wednesday Mass ;) Emily was one of the 2017 NCYC emcees and will be amazing for our jr. high students!!! We will most likely be able to take an Archdiocesan bus to this event as in the years past.

**CAMP KATERI TEKAKWITHA** registration open soon- Within the last year, I have heard that our kids are attending other Christian camps with their friends. These experiences with Christian friends can be good- but sometimes confusing. Please help me encourage our jr. high and high school teens to attend our Archdiocesan camps Kateri and Tekakwitha. There are powerful experiences at camp that have led to deep

conversions and vocations within the hearts of our teens that lead them to living out their Catholic faith in a renewed way. Scholarships from the Rural Youth Ministry Outreach Office and our parish may be available. For more information please visit: [www.archkck.org/camp](http://www.archkck.org/camp)

**This year's Archbishop's Call to Share appeal** has us reflect on Being "CALLED TO SHARE". Please prayerfully consider giving to the needs of our Archdiocese as we conduct the 2018 Archbishop's Call to Share over the next few weeks. Your support is critical to the success of the Archbishop's Call to Share appeal and its many ministries and services. This year's Archdiocesan goal is \$5,622,750. Our parish target of this goal is \$2855.00. If you haven't yet, please return your pledge envelope today or donate online: [www.calltoshare.org](http://www.calltoshare.org).

**Audio Access to The Leaven** The Leaven is available through the University of Kansas Audio-Reader Service for those who are blind, have low vision or are otherwise print disabled (non-reader, dyslexic). For information on how to receive this service, contact the Audio-Reader general office at [785.864.4600](tel:785.864.4600) or The Archdiocesan Special Needs Ministry at [913.647.3054](tel:913.647.3054) or email [tracunas@archkck](mailto:tracunas@archkck).

**With the New Year, it's time to start thinking about plans for the summer! WE ARE CURRENTLY LOOKING FOR STAFF MEMBERS AT CAMP TEKAKWITHA FOR THE SUMMER OF 2018!** Are you a high school graduate looking for an amazingly fun experience working with kids and young people, while growing in and sharing your faith? Don't miss your opportunity to join us at Prairie Star Ranch this summer! Applications are now being accepted for the following positions (training will be provided for a number of the positions): Camp Counselors; Ropes Crew; Life Guards; Horse Handlers; Nurses For more information, and to apply, please visit our website at [www.archkck.org/camp](http://www.archkck.org/camp).

**Gender Matters: Fighting for a New Generation** Please join Andrew Comiskey of Desert Stream Ministries at this event on February 10, 2018 from 9am-4pm at Christ Church Anglican, 5500 W 91st St., Overland Park to discover the compassion and clarity of Jesus towards persons facing gender and sexual identity issues. We want to ignite the Church with a Spirit-filled, truthful hope so that she might shine brightly and clearly in this confusing hour. Cost is \$20 and registration is available online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/gendermatters-fighting-for-a-new-generation-registration-35243516306>.

**Calling All Artists!** The Catholic Education Foundation's Futures Committee is hosting their annual art event Thursday, February 8, 2018, at the Boulevard Brewery. The CEF Art Event offers an exciting evening of music, food and drink as well as the opportunity to view and bid on professional art along with featured CEF student art. All proceeds from this event go to support the CEF Guardian Angel Fund which provides emergency scholarships for families whose children attend designated Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. These scholarships help families who have experienced unexpected personal hardships (medical bills, job loss, etc.) that might impact a family's ability to pay their child's Catholic school tuition. We are in need of help from friends in the community to make this year's event a success! If you are an artist, have a connection to an artist or have art you would like to donate, we encourage you to contact us. We accept all forms of art medium (pottery, painting, jewelry, etc.) If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Janet Rethman at [jrethman@archkck.org](mailto:jrethman@archkck.org) or 913-721- 1574. Additional event details are at [www.cefks.org](http://www.cefks.org).

**"HUMANAE VITAE 50 YEARS LATER" A Call to Self-Gift** March 23-24, 2018 The theme for the Seventh Annual Symposium on Advancing the New Evangelization at Benedictine College in Atchison, Kansas, "Humanae Vitae 50 Years Later: A Call to Self-Gift," is a call to reflect on and analyze the significance of Pope Paul VI's encyclical and subsequent Catholic thought on issues of marriage and family life. While *Humanae Vitae* is most famous for its teaching on the use of contraception, the Symposium hopes to address that issue within the context of the vocation to imitate Christ in making a

“sincere gift of self.” To this end we invite proposals from scholars and professionals in all disciplines that address contraception as well as broader questions related to marriage, family, children, and society For more information, please visit: <https://www.benedictine.edu/faith-life/symposium/index>

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE** A healthy relationship does not include belittling comments, threats, intimidation, social isolation, economic control, pushing or hitting. If you’re not sure if you are in an abusive situation, go to [archkck.org/domestic-violence](http://archkck.org/domestic-violence). If you or a family member or friend needs help now, contact the National Domestic Violence Hotline, [800-799-7233](tel:800-799-7233) (24 hours); [800-787-3224](tel:800-787-3224) (TTY); [www.ndvh.org](http://www.ndvh.org). If you’re in immediate danger, call 911

**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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