

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

Confessions @ St. James: 1/2 hour before mass

May 4, 2019

Third Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS:

Tuesday, May 7--St. Augustine--6 p.m.--L&D Members of the St. Augustine Altar Society

Wednesday, May 8--St. James--8 a.m.--Clarence Rottinghaus, deceased

Wednesday, May 8--Sacred Heart--5:15--Sharon Roggenkamp, deceased

Thursday, May 9--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--Dave Henry, deceased

Friday, May 10--Sacred Heart--5:15 p.m.--John Schaible, deceased

Saturday, May 11--Sacred Heart--4 p.m.--Cecilia Kohake, deceased

Saturday, May 11--St. James--8 p.m.--Ed & Dora Hermes, deceased

Sunday, May 12--St. Augustine--8:30 a.m.--Grace Baker, deceased

Sunday, May 12--Sacred Heart--10:30 a.m.--Parishioners of Sacred Heart, St. Augustine & St. James

ACOLYTES for May 11

Trenton Talley, Kean Haverkamp, Aidan Talley

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sharon Bloom, Joyce Burdick, Jill Rowland

GREETERS

Ken & Joyce Stallbaumer

CLEANERS for May 8

Alice and Randy Tanking

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The St. Isidora, patron of farmers, novena starts May 7 and ends on May 15. There are some copies of the novena in the back of the church if you want to pray the novena.

National Webinar - Hope & Healing from Pornography The Religious Alliance Against Pornography (RAAP) is providing two national webinars entitled "Hope and Healing: Helping Leaders Assist those Struggling with Pornography," on May 16th at 11:00 a.m. (CST), and May 21st at 7:00 p.m. (CST). This webinar will present practical steps to help pornography users find freedom, combining grace and mercy with tough love and accountability.

The Truth, Goodness, and Beauty of Marriage The Beauty of God's Plan for Marriage and Sexuality: There is a beauty that enters into our lives and world when we say "yes" to embracing real, heroic love. Join us May 7th from 7:00 to 8:00pm, at St. Michael the Archangel Church, Leawood. All are

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welcome...married or single! Find out more at <https://stmichaelcp.org/what-is-marriage>

Marriage Minute We spend a good percentage of our lives working out practical household details: Who is driving? How do we fix that? This weekend, the disciples are dealing with a dispute in the community, and, like us, they came up with a very practical solution. Our faith is deep and rich, but sometimes, the Holy Spirit answers our prayers with simple problem-solving. Could your marriage use some similar strategies? - A means of communicating feelings in a safe way that will bring you closer. - A powerful way to break a habit of criticism. - A process to heal hurts quickly and effectively (without making them worse!). - A way to make decisions while preserving a tender atmosphere. We teach these skills in Every Day in Love! Register now for June: www.archkck.org/everyday

Attention! Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary in 2019 Archdiocesan 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Sunday, June 2, 2019, 2:00 pm, at Church of the Nativity Parish in Leawood. To receive your invitation from Archbishop Naumann, please call Mary Anne Kierl at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345 as soon as possible.

Catholic CE Program The Catholic Foundation of Northeast Kansas (CFNEK) is providing a **Catholic-centered Continuing Education (CE) Program** for those in the fields of law, accounting, financial planning, and insurance on Friday, June 7, at Savior Pastoral Center. Cost is \$75. Live-streamed locations at Christ the King parish in Topeka and Didde Catholic Campus Center in Emporia are also available. For more information and to register, visit www.cfnek.org/ce. The program begins with a Mass celebrated by Archbishop Joseph F. Naumann at 8:00 am and concludes at 1:30 pm. A continental breakfast and a networking lunch are provided. Available CE credits 4 hours CLE (2 ethics), 4 Hours (2 ethics) Kansas Insurance, 4 hours CFP; recommended for 4 hours CPE accounting credits.

“Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, ‘Do you love me?’ and he said to him, ‘Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Feed my sheep.’” (John 21:17) All of us are challenged to show our love for Jesus and others. Discern how God is calling you to use your time in prayer, your talent in charitable works and your treasure to assist those who in need. Remember that giving is an act of worship and helps advance the mission of our parish and greater Church.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE ~ A Weekend Away for a Lifetime of Change. Serving the Widowed, Separated and Divorced; who are suffering the loss of a love relationship and may feel left out by their church, uneasy around married friends, unsure of themselves and uncertain about their futures. Helps grieving persons focus on their experience, deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity to turn the pain of loss into an experience of positive growth emerging from the darkness of grief into the light of a new beginning. The next Beginning Experience Weekend is June 28-30, at Precious Blood, Liberty MO. For more information visit: www.beginningexperienceckc.org, email: register.bekc@gmail.com, or contact Michelle, 913-709-3779.

It is about that time of the year again. The Altar Society are asking for donations for the church picnic chance book. Contact Marsha Motto at 866-2705, **Please start saving used containers for leftovers at the church picnic. All sizes are needed.**

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. Alan Henry, Joe Bramlage, David Mayer, Dennis Bergman, Judy Ireland, Vickie Tomlinson, Laura Miller, Cletus Wessel, Jim Wecker, Marilyn Showman, Jerry Lueger, Larry Sudbeck, Shirley Schmitz, Randy Rahberg, Dorothy Henry, Charles Kennedy, Roger Haverkamp, Lynn Mulroy, Andrew Perez, Shirley Fisher, Kyle Lindteigen, Wayne Henry, Jeanne Cox, Jenae Claycamp, Sue Ann Jackman, Nolan Tomlinson, Lester Stallbaumer, and those who have lost loved ones.

Formed Pick of the Week- Fatima: Living the Message By Fr. Jason Brooks Head Your Mother's Advice Fr. Jason Brooks brings to light why Fatima is regarded by many as the most important spiritual event of the past 100 years and why Our Lady's message is still as relevant as ever. Listen on Formed.org by visiting: www.nekansascatholics.formed.org.

Sharing the Faith: We have new Lighthouse CDs stocked at Sacred Heart- they would be great to pop in on your family road trips or just listen to at home. You are welcome to borrow and return or keep and pass on for a small donation. Please contact Gina at gina@nekansascatholics.org or 285-0590 if you would like to borrow any of these- we will get them to you!

Here are the new titles: *13 Reasons Why You Matter*- Noelle Garcia; *15 Things to do in the Midst of Suffering*- Jeff Cavins; *Know Your Story: The Love of God in the Narrative of Your Life*- Sr. Miriam James Heidland SOLT; *Pursuing Holiness- Lessons from St. Francis de Sales*- Ralph Martin; *Living Life by Design Not Default*- Fr. Michael Schmitz; *Signs of Life: Catholic Customs and Their Biblical Roots*- Dr. Scott Hahn; *A Scriptural Walk Through the Mass*- Dr. Edward Sri; *Contagious Catholicism: The 7 Habits of Modern Day Apostles*- Chris Stefanick; *The Life of Padre Pio: Pray, Hope and Don't Worry*- Matthew Arnold; *Life is Worth Living*- Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

CCD/CYO Notes: **Graduation Mass** will be on Saturday, May 18th at 6:30 a.m. at St. James. Graduates should plan to wear cap & gown and arrive by 6:15 p.m. This will be for our 8th graders as well. Please pray for our all graduating in the coming weeks. The high school graduates are Curtis Bloom, Joel Hutfles, Curtis Niehues, and Kenton Talley. The eighth grader that are being promoted are Faith Bloom, Rebekah Hutfles, Alex Rowland, Trenton Talley, and Kurt Shumaker.

Thank You Catechists Thank you to all our CCD catechists who faithfully serve our youth and their families by support the parents role of forming the children in the Catholic faith.

Our Wednesday nights are such a blessing and we are so very grateful for the faithful witness of the following catechists:

Casey Stohs (Kdg/1st); Leigh Ann Schultejans and Shelli Burdiek (3rd/4th grade); Jan Grollmes (5th-7th/Confirmation Class); Ellie Haverkamp and David Shumaker (8th grade)

Our High School classes meet once a month for YDisciple sessions focusing on living as a disciple of Christ- it was a blessing for Fr. Zarse and myself to meet with these students.- Gina

SUMMER FAITH OPPORTUNITIES Camp Kateri Tekakwitha (entering 5th- high school) Spots available at all camps- Please visit: <https://www.archkck.org/camp> for more information. Scholarships/Financial assistance may be available- contact Gina for details.

- **Prayer and Action (High School) Mission Week**--Prayer and Action is a mission trip program founded through the Diocese of Salina, Kansas. The idea was formed by seminarians who wanted to accomplish 2 things: offer a low cost mission trip experience and provide service to the people in their own communities. They chose to name their program after a quote about Mary from St. Pope John Paul II that emphasized Mary's dedication to both prayer AND action. The program will reach out to various communities of our host parish, providing for those most in need. This is done by the laboring hands and the open hearts of high school students and their adult leaders. The most important aspect of Prayer & Action is the evangelization and inspiration of the youth, which is the fruit of their prayer and labor. Two weeks will be offered in Seneca Kansas this summer- July 7th-12th (\$150) and July 14th-19th (\$75). For more information visit:<https://www.archkck.org/prayerandactionkc>
- **Totus Tuus** (entering 1st- HS) will be held at Sacred Heart the week of **July 7th-12th**. Family

Registration forms are available in the back of church and on our website under Faith Formation Tab > Youth Group/CYO.

- Service Opportunities will be planned throughout the summer for students and emailed as they are planned. If students have time, they can always contact Gina for ideas on how to help in the parish

Prayer for an End to Infanticide“Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life.”

Join the Office of Deaf Ministry for the annual **Pints with a Priest** event! Father Christopher Klusman will be presenting Theology of the Body – Part Two. Join us for an evening of fun, socializing and prayer. Friday May 24, 2019 7:00 p.m. Twisters Grill and Bar 13100 Kansas Ave. Bonner Springs, KS 66012 RSVP to Katie Locus at deafministry@archkck.org by May 17th.

St. James Altar Society now has a Facebook page St. James Altar Society. This is for St. James Altar Society Members, we will be posting when cleanings will be for church events and other items as we go. Trying something new with almost everybody on Facebook now.

Parish Texting Alerts We would like to encourage our parishioners to sign up for our parish text alerts. We utilize a texting service called Flocknote to send out announcements regarding **cancellations, special mass times and reminders**. To sign up simply text the word NEKANSASCATHOLICS to this number: 84576. If you have any problems, please let us know.

The Leaven on Audio-Reader If you or someone you know would benefit from an audio version of “THE LEAVEN”, the Archdiocesan newspaper, one is available! It is provided through the Kansas University Audio-Reader Service. All you need for eligibility is to be able to have someone certify that you have an impairment that interferes with your ability to hold or to read printed material. To apply and to receive the service, please call Audio-Reader at 785-864-4600 or at 877-772- 8898. If you have questions, contact Tom Racunas, Special Needs Ministry, at tracunas@archkck.org.

2019 TOTUS TUUS FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS The Totus Tuus Team will offer an adapted Totus Tuus program for children with special needs!! Monday, July 22 to Friday, July 26 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. This Totus Tuus program is for children ages 6 to 14 with intellectual/developmental disabilities. St. Joseph Parish in Shawnee Fee is \$40 per child Registration deadline is Monday, July 8th. Volunteers are needed for the program. For more information please contact the Office of Special Needs Ministry by email at tracunas@archkck.org or call 913.647.3054 or 316.305.7487. To register go to: www.archkck.org/specialneeds

Fr. Zarse Homilies Fr. Zarse is recording his homilies and are available on our website: www.nekansascatholics.org on the right side bar under "Other Parish News" and on our parishes Facebook page (NE Kansas Catholics) weekly. Please note that these are posted after masses and are not a substitute for attending mass as it is the Eucharist-**the real presence of Jesus-** that we come to receive. His messages are to inspire and challenge us to live the Gospel throughout the week!

The Call to Address Racism in Our Hearts and Communities In their new pastoral letter against racism, Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love, the Catholic bishops of the United States invite conversion of hearts, minds, and institutions in order to address the evil of racism that still exists in our communities. You can read this letter and find other great USCCB resources against racism at www.usccb.org/racism .

Courage is a spiritual support group helping Catholic men and women live chaste lives in accordance with the Catholic Church’s teaching on same-sex attraction and/or behaviors. Through participation in the

Sacraments, prayer, fellowship and moral support, Courage members strive to develop lives of interior chastity in union with Christ and His Church. Courage meets in the Archdiocese every two weeks. EnCourage is a separate spiritual support group for family members and friends of loved ones with same-sex attraction. If you, your child or loved one struggles with same-sex attraction and wants confidential Catholic support, call the Courage helpline (913) 428-9893.

Reporting Abuse The Archdiocese remains committed to investigating any allegation of abuse of a minor made against any member of the clergy or any church employee or volunteer — no matter the age of the incident or the current age of the victim. Individuals are encouraged to call the confidential report line at (913) 647-3051 (or visit archkck.org/reportabuse) to make a report to Jan Saylor, archdiocesan report investigator, and to call law enforcement directly. If a child or vulnerable adult is in immediate danger, call 911

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