

PARISH NEWS

Divine Mercy Holy Hour, Sunday, April 27th at Sacred Heart Fr. Ben Sawyer will be here to do a Holy Hour for the Divine Mercy Devotion from 3pm until 4pm. During this Holy Hour, Eucharistic Adoration will continue in the Adoration Chapel as normal, but a smaller "chapel monstrance" will be in the Adoration Chapel, so that Fr. Ben can use the larger Monstrance. Once adoration is completed, the regular Monstrance will be in the Adoration Chapel. During the Holy Hour the Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed.

Dates to Remember:

Knights of Columbus: April 28th at 7:00pm
CYM: Over 50's Dinner April 27th at 6:00pm
PSR: First Confessions Sun., April 27th at 9:45am
 First Communions & Crowning of Statue of Mary Sunday, May 4th at the 8:30 Mass
May 3rd—Life Run in Sedgwick County Park
May 5th : Joint meeting of Pastoral and Stewardship Councils at 7pm in the Parish Center
June 26-29—Men's Cursillo Weekend
August 1-3 15th Annual Catholic Family Conference



The Rosary will be said 20 minutes before weekend Mass during the month of May.

Rosary Leaders for May 4th are:
 5:30 Polly Nightingale
 8:30 Josh & Vivian Talbott
 11:00 Marvin Neises

LAST WEEKS CONTRUBUTIONS

General Collection: \$ 3371.50
 His Caring Heart Fund: \$ 634.50
 Easter Collection (For the Missions): \$ 1762.00
Collection Counting:
 April 27th: Kirk Bridges & Greg Weninger
 May 4th: Melissa Flavin & Gary Wright



Around the Diocese



Catholic Care Center will host our **Second annual Party for Parkinson's 5k run/ 1 mile walk on Saturday, June 14th**. All proceeds from the event benefit the

National Parkinson Foundation and are used to provide education and support to people in our area affected by this devastating disease. Register now at partyforparkinsons5k.com or call 316-771-6593 for more information. Early registration ends May 12th and online registration ends June 8th. I have also attached the event logo in case you are interested in using it. Early registration ends May 12th and online registration ends June 8th.

JOIN US! The rosary will be prayed every first Saturday of the month at 9:00am at the South Wind Women's Clinic for an end to abortion. All are welcome to attend!



CONTRACEPTION DANGER

Did you know the ordinary pill and IUD can cause the death of an unborn child? Within 5 days of conception, contraceptives prevent a fetus from attaching to the mother's womb. The mother loses her child and she didn't even know she was pregnant.

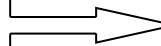
Stewardship Opportunity

Regularly Clean Classrooms, Basement of Church, Parish Center, Hensley House

Lights for the Church

Most can't afford to buy a church light in memory of a family member. But God does not exclude anyone, just as He was more pleased with the widow who gave what little she had to the temple, so anyone can give whatever they are able for the lights. If you want to give, just put a note with your donation in an envelope, with the name of the family member its for and write on the outside of the envelope "LIGHTS". The Lord will look with great love upon your request.

Father Kline's Corner



Parish Family, This weekend the first time in the history of the Church, **two popes will be canonized (Pope John XIII and Pope John Paul II)**. Pope Francis decided to canonize these popes on the Feast of Divine Mercy, which John Paul established. On this Divine Mercy Sunday weekend, I was asked to offer the annual **Divine Mercy Mass at St. Francis of Assisi in Wichita. All begins with a Rosary at 2:30pm and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3pm and the Holy Mass follows.** Here at **Sacred Heart, Fr. Ben Sawyer will be here for a Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3pm**, which will include the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Divine Mercy prayers.

This Sunday from 9:45am to 10:45am there will be a Catholic School Information Meeting. The meeting will be hosted by our very own parishioners, who have children in Catholic School. Learn truth from myth about Catholic education.

Congratulations to our 2nd Grade Children who will make their First Confession this Sunday. Congratulations to Allison Ediger, a parishioner of Sacred Heart, who was Confirmed this past Thursday at Holy Cross in Hutchinson.

Next week is going to be exciting as **Bishop Elect Carl Kemme will be ordained on May 1st at the Cathedral.** Be sure to keep him in your prayers as he goes through this transition, as our new Bishop of the Wichita Diocese. Due to the Vigil with Bishop Elect Carl Kemme on Wednesday, we will have **Mass at Sacred Heart at 5:30pm on Wed. Apr. 30th. Layke Heimerman will be Confirmed at St. Catherine of Sienna on Tuesday.**

We have **two parishioners who will be traveling with me to Lourdes and Fatima.** It's not too late to sign up.

Sedgwick High will have their Senior Breakfast at 7am on Wed. April 30th and I plan to give a short talk at that time, as well as other religious leaders of the community of Sedgwick. Next Sunday, **May 4th at the 8:30am Mass is First Communion and the May Crowning.** Let us pray for Carson, Logan, Eli and Maggie who will make their First Holy Communion. **This weekend is the last week for PSR. Let us give a big thank you to the teachers and aides as well as Carolyn Armendariz and Mary Ann Base the coordinators.**

The Heater/AC for the Office & Adoration Chapel went out. It will take several weeks to replace the unit and it will cost a pretty penny. The Chapel has space heater a fan. That's about it for this week. Fr. Edmond Kline, pastor

Please Note:

Items to be borrowed from the Church, the Parish Center Classrooms or the Adoration Chapel must first have the approval of the pastor. We are missing flower vases from the church and books from the Adoration Chapel and some altar cloths. Corporals and purificators and altar cloths may never be borrowed as these items are meant only for the purpose of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass and are blessed for that purpose. If you have borrowed something, please return them as soon as possible.

If you are wanting to borrow chairs, tables or other items in the parish center please call Vivian Talbott at 835-2816. It is important that we keep track of our items that are on loan so we will be able to ensure their prompt return and that they are available to the Parish when they are needed. The new tables are not usually loaned out because they were expensive and we wish to keep them looking new for as long as possible. Thank you for your cooperation.



Adoration Chapel Hours:

Sunday 12 noon to 11pm
 on Wednesday continuous Adoration, except during Mass on Monday and Tuesday Please feel free to visit the chapel during any of these times. If you would like to join us in having an adoration hour or you have any questions please call Amy Gerber 316-772-7363



Sacred Liturgy



MONDAY, April 28th—Saint Peter Chanel, Priest & Martyr; Saint Louis de Montfort, Priest

8:00am + **Greg Penner** by Bob and Cheryl McCart

TUESDAY, April 29th—Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:00am + **Audrey Manning** by Judy Lamb

WEDNESDAY, April 30th—Saint Pius V, Pope

5:30pm + **Father Stephen Baxter** by Eileen Penner

THURSDAY, May 1st—Saint Joseph the Worker

8:00am + **Richard "Red" Nightingale** by Catherine Gonzales

FRIDAY, May 2nd—Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00am + **Stephanie McCart** by Eileen Penner

SATURDAY, May 3rd—Saints Philip and James, Apostles

8:00am **Pastor's Intentions**

Sunday Vigil: 5:30pm + **Dean Krehbiel** by Angelina Krehbiel

SUNDAY, May 4th—Third Sunday of Easter

8:30am + **Bernard Gatz** by Lawrence and Janet Gatz

11:00am **People of the Parish**

Liturgical Stewards for May 3rd & 4th

5:30

Servers: Braden & Karena Gerber

Ushers: Wayne & Mary Creasser

Gifts: Louis & Debbie Eftink

Lector: Joe Gerber

Precious Blood: ----

Holy Eucharist: Amy Gerber

8:30

Katy & Connor Aycok

Roy Aycok / Justin Beek

Ediger Family

Ruthe Spexarth

Greg Gleason / James Vaughn

Marcy Aycok

11:00

Matthew Neises / Dean Robinson

George Baalman / Nate Simon

Greg Weninger & Marvin Neises

Kirk Bridges

Cheryl McCart / Barb Ward

Carrie Bridges



Pray for Us

Sick & Homebound: Newborn twins; Jack and Henry Alt, Salvadore Armendariz, Deanna Beek, Larry Bumm, Daniel Chavez, Fr. Juan Garza, Edna Harrison, Fr. John Hotze, Jane Jones, Mercedes Malone, Arlene McGinn, Jerry McGinn, Pat McGinn, Jean Nold, Brennen Ostmyer, Dixie Pomoroy, Irene Stone, Gina Weber, David Wendling, John White, our Service personnel and all of our care home residents.

Souls of the Faithful Departed: Lawrence Baalman, Gene McVicar, Henry Bussiger, Tony Gomez, Kay Johns, Audrey Manning, Richard "Red" Nightingale, Bud Penner, Marge Zarnowski



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(4-27-14) Celebrating Divine Mercy Sunday

HOLY MASS & CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Daily Mass: Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat.. at 8:00am; Wed. 7:00pm

Confessions on weekdays are 30 minutes before each Mass

Sunday Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:30pm & Sunday 8:30am and 11:00am

Weekend Confessions: Saturday 4:30pm to 5:30pm; and 30 min. before each Sunday Mass

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SPRING TEA!

Sponsored by the Altar Society

Wednesday, April 30th

After the 7:00 Mass

Ladies of all ages are invited!



Entertainment will be provided by the Halstead Middle School music Dept.

Refreshments will be provided for a nice relaxing evening

"WHAT GIFTS DO I SHARE?" - DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Today's gift in scripture is a summation of our Christian life. The first reading describes the community of believers being taught by the apostles and how they shared their possessions to provide for the needs of all. They continually praised God, prayed together and gave witness to the Love of God. Their example encouraged others to come to believe and join their community. In the second reading Peter highlights our inheritance in heaven as the goal that gives us great joy and also enduring strength when facing trials in our journey. When we keep our focus on heaven, we can endure all things. The Gospel then makes it clear that it is our faith that opens the life of Christ to us and leads us to salvation. Blessed are those who have not seen, but have believed! Jesus, the Word of God, offers mercy and forgiveness if we but treat each other with love. May God's love impel us to live in Christian unity.

