

# ST. JOSEPH

CATHOLIC CHURCH, ANDALE, KS

## MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Joseph Catholic Church parish family is dedicated to serving God and community through prayer, service, and hospitality, so that we may live as faith-filled stewards.

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**Office hours** · Monday-Friday 8:00 am-noon,  
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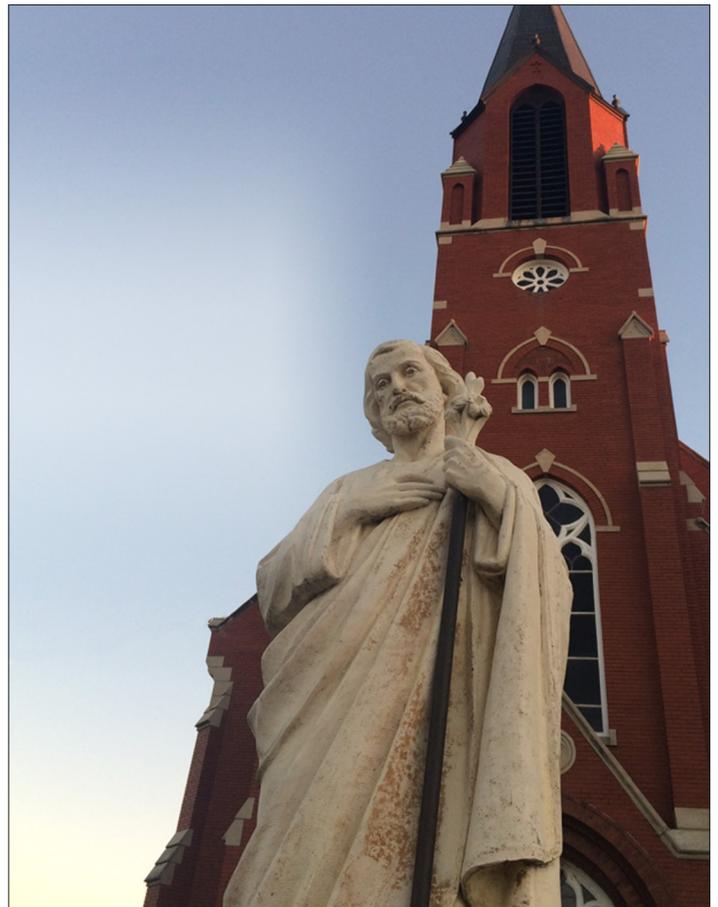
### **Mass schedule**

**Weekend** · Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 and 10:00 am

**Weekdays** · Monday-Friday 7:15am  
First Saturday, 8:00am

### **Confession schedule**

Monday through Friday, 7:00-7:10 am  
Sat 3:30-4:30 pm



## Reflections from Fr. Daryl

*They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers. Awe came upon everyone, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles. All who believed were together and had all things in common; they would sell their property and possessions and divide them among all according to each one's need. Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple area and to breaking bread in their homes. They ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved. (Acts 2: 42 □ 47)*

We find in these words of the Acts of the Apostles the early Christian communities coming together for the Sunday celebration. Guided by and enlightened by the Holy Spirit, they gathered for prayer and the breaking of the bread and would share all things in common, insuring that no one among the faithful was in need. It is in these gatherings that we find the foundations of today's parish communities taking shape.

In the early days of the Church, communities were formed and grew when people were baptized in water and the Spirit and began to gather to grow in their new faith in the Lord. With this, a new community or parish would be formed. Today, most come to join a community that is already established. Within the parish, there are many ministries and activities already active. New parishioners are guided by the Holy Spirit to understand how their gifts can be offered within the life of the parish. What is gained through the active participation in the parish remains the same today as it did in the early church.

As good and faithful stewards, we will seek ways to become involved, using our gifts and talents to bring glory to God. God has extended the invitation to all of us to be one with him just as he and the Father are one. In union with him, we are to follow the path of service to one another set forth by his example to us. We enter into God's life when we become active participants in the parish. May Christ fill us with his abundant life.

The Easter Season will soon draw to a close with the celebration of Pentecost. Just as the Apostles received the Holy Spirit to form the Church and spread the good news of the Gospel, we are also filled with the same Holy Spirit. May each of us recognize the gifts we have received and with the guidance of the Holy Spirit seek to share these gifts with one another.

## CYM NEWS

Next meeting: Wed, May 23 at 7pm

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, May 21

St. Christopher Magallanes and Companions  
7:15am †Joan Sigg

### Tuesday, May 22

Saint Rita of Cascia  
7:15am Irish Campaign

### Wednesday, May 23

Weekday  
7:15am †Lawrence Simon

### Thursday, May 24

Weekday  
7:15am Fritz and Carlene Heimerman-  
60th wedding anniversary

### Friday, May 25

Saint Mary Magdalene dé Pazzi  
7:15am †Gertrude Raple and †Jay Raple

### Saturday, May 26

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity  
5:00pm †Bernice Schwaiger

### Sunday, May 27

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity  
8:00am for the parish  
10:00am †John Hermes

## MEMORIAL DAY MASS

Weather permitting, Mass will be in the cemetery on Monday, May 28, beginning at 9:00am. In case of inclement weather, Mass will be in the church.

## MESSAGE FROM BISHOP KEMME

I write to you now with an urgent spiritual appeal. As many of you know, on May 25, 2018, the people of Ireland will vote to retain or repeal its 8<sup>th</sup> amendment, which guarantees life to both the mother and the baby. If repealed, Ireland will have abortion on demand.

From now and up to May 25<sup>th</sup>, I ask you to lift up your hearts in prayer for the unborn of Ireland. Please offer your holy hours in adoration for this intention. I would also ask that the people of the diocese voluntarily choose one day between now and then to fast for this intention using the traditional Ash Wednesday/Good Friday guidelines for fasting.

Let us unite spiritually with our prolife brothers and sisters in Ireland so that the unborn there will know the protection of law for succeeding generations. Thank you and God bless you.

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Aaron Engels, Nathan Engels, Mathew Focke, Gabriel Goff, Shane Lies, Hollie Martin, Chase Penney, Cole Penney, Conner Penney, Lauren Penney, Gina Reichenberger, Lucas Reichenberger, Nicholas Robben, Matthew Salmans, Nick Scheer, Trystan Tevis, Tony Weninger

## SERVERS

### Monday, May 21

I Aouad/J Lane

### Tuesday, May 22

E. Probst/J Meyer

### Wednesday, May 23

W Sobba/A Tucker

### Thursday, May 24

L Martin/E Suchan

### Friday, May 25

A Rau/P Rau

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm E Aouad/C Horsch/J Engelbrecht

### Sunday, May 27

8:00 C Winter/J Voegeli/T McPhail

10:00 J Lane/E Landers/G Landers

## LECTORS

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm Bryce Seiler

### Sunday, May 27

8:00am Steve Becker

10:00am Grant Lane

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm Amiee Engels/Shelli Dreiling/Tom Mohr

### Sunday, May 27

8:00am Lynn Ahrens/Wesley Mertes/Joe Voegeli

10:00am Kevin Reichenberger/Bonnie Martin/Janet

Schueller

## USHERS

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm

### Sunday, May 27

8:00am Darrel Stamback/Craig Lubbers

10:00 am Ivan Kuhn

## GIFT BEARERS

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm Myron and Amiee Engels

### Sunday, May 27

8:00am Craig and Kelli Lubbers

10:00am Robby and Stephanie Spexarth

## PRE-MASS ROSARY LEADERS

### Saturday, May 26

5:00pm Bill Randall

### Sunday, May 27

8:00am Ivan Kuhn

10:00am Davin Doonan

## OFFICE CLOSED

The parish office will be closed Monday, May 28 for Memorial Day.

## MARRIAGE GETAWAY

Married couples are invited to the Spiritual Life Center on Saturday June 16 to draw closer to God and closer to each other. Couples will spend the day looking at ways in which they can be more united in love by uniting their marriage to Christ. For more information, please visit the SLC website, [www.slwichita.org](http://www.slwichita.org) or call 316.744.0167

## STEWARDSHIP

In the chapter 11 of Genesis, we read about the Tower of Babel. Because of arrogant sinfulness, mankind was dispersed across the land and confused by many languages. Their rebellion prevented them from working together for evil selfishness. Today we hear of the Holy Spirit, "like a strong driving wind," filling the hearts of a new group of men - the disciples. These men, who were speaking their native languages, could suddenly understand each other as though they were speaking one language. This same Holy Spirit kindles a fire in the hearts of stewards and drives us into cooperation with God's plan to renew the face of the earth! It is in our parishes today, that the Holy Spirit unites diversity to become one Body in Christ Jesus!

## PARISH PICNIC

Mark your calendars. **Sunday, June 3** is our annual parish picnic, beginning at 4:00pm. Brats and burgers provided. Everyone is invited. Please RSVP with the form in the pew.

## FATHER KAPAUN MEMORIAL RIDE

Motorcycle pilgrimage to Pilsen on June 26 from 7:30am to noon beginning in Wichita. A donation of \$10 which includes lunch and tour is limited to the first 60 registered participants. Contact Scott Carter at 316.440.1735 or [carters@catholicdioceseofwichita.org](mailto:carters@catholicdioceseofwichita.org) to register or for more information.

## THE GIFT OF OUR TREASURE

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Your Gift	\$13,489	\$562,737
Budget	\$13,301	\$585,247
Difference	\$ 188	(\$22,510)

These amounts include \$100,000 for the windows.

## CONFIRMATION PICTURE

If you ordered one, your Confirmation group picture is available in the office. Please stop by to pay and pick up. The cost is \$10 for each 8x10 picture.

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

Emergency: Father Daryl at 316.706.1627

Baptism: Call the office to set up appointment with Fr. Daryl.

Matrimony: Call the office at least 9 months in advance.

Prayer Requests: Bonnie, 444.2520

Altar Society: Erika, 209.0745

Knights of Columbus: Robby, 207.3028

Formed.org, parish password is D2FACY

Bulletin notices no later than noon on Tuesday

Eucharistic Adoration: Ginny, 665.1004

Project Rachel: If you or a friend is hurting from an abortion, call 634.1300

Unplanned pregnancy? Call 1.800.848.LOVE