

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,
Tuesday and Thursday. 2:00-4:00 pm

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



Bishop Carl Kemme has asked for the following to be published to all the faithful of the Diocese:

The Diocese of Wichita has had policies regarding protection of youth for over 15 years.

Therese Seiler, vice chancellor and victim assistance coordinator for the diocese, said Bishop Carl A. Kemme has a diverse group of individuals, a Review Board, who act in an advisory capacity regarding allegations of child sexual abuse by Church personnel as well as assisting with review of policies and procedures with a focus on safeguarding youth.

In addition to Seiler and Bishop Kemme, members of the Review Board are Father David Lies, the diocesan vicar general, a pastor, a judge, a representative of law enforcement, a clinical psychologist, a physician, and a social worker. "It is a good breadth of people and experience to assist the bishop as we move forward to create safe environments for youth," Seiler said last week.

Although the board meets quarterly to review policies and procedures, she said, a special meeting will be called if necessary to address a complaint of child sexual abuse when abuse by diocesan personnel is alleged. The diocese, of course, follows the mandatory reporting laws of the State of Kansas, she said. "Those state that if someone has reason to believe that a child has been abused, they do have to report that...to law enforcement or to the Kansas Department of Children and Families." Mandatory reporters include employees of diocesan Catholic schools, counselors, doctors, and nurses.

The diocese also has a separate reporting policy. "If there is an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor child, under 18, by Church personnel, it should first be reported to law enforcement or the Kansas Department of Children and Families...it would then need to be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the diocese," Seiler said. If she receives an allegation, she reaches out to the victim's family for additional information, encourages them to report the matter to authorities, and lets them know she may also report the matter. "It would then go before the Charter Review Board for discussion," Seiler said. "Names are not discussed, only the situations that have been brought forward."

Bishop Kemme published a letter in the Sept. 7 edition of the Catholic Advance, that is also at CatholicDioceseOfWichita.org, reflecting on the sexual abuse crisis in the church.

"I feel compelled to respond in a way that will bring forth for all entrusted with leadership in our wounded Church the graces we bishops need to restore the trust of our good people," he wrote.

The abuse has scandalized many in the church and must end, he said. "We have and must continue to develop clear, transparent and effective policies and procedures to address this crisis; we must also rely on prayer; intense and frequent prayer," Bishop Kemme said.

"Prayer coupled with fasting will drive this demon out and restore the peace that we so long for in our church. We who allowed this demon to wreak havoc in our hearts, the bishops, must also do penance and make reparation." Bishop Kemme said he will be fasting and praying on the first Friday of the month and spend his holy hour on that day "in reparation for my sins and in particular for the sins and crimes of bishops, priests and religious who have abused minors and young adults in any way."

He welcomed anyone else, especially priests and religious, to adopt the practice to combat "this powerful and destructive demon of our times."

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 24

Ordinary Time

7:15am †Dave Ehret

Tuesday, September 25

Ordinary Time

7:15am †Bernice Schwaiger

Wednesday, September 26

Sts. Cosmas and Damian

7:15am †Chris Simon

Thursday, September 27

St. Vincent de Paul

7:15am †John Hermes

Friday, September 28

Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, St. Wenceslaus

7:15am †David Betzen

Saturday, September 29

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm †Lawrence Simon

Sunday, September 30

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Joan Sigg

10:00am for the parish

HIGH SCHOOL RELIGION

Next class: Wednesday, September 26 in the parish hall from 7:00-8:30pm

BENEFIT BREAKFAST TODAY

A fundraiser breakfast for the family of Lucas Schauf will be held Sunday, September 23 at the Knights of Columbus hall in Andale. Plan to attend and support the grandson of Myron and Amiee Engels of our parish.

FUNDRAISERS FOR CURT MOHR

Colwich Heritage Festival Sept 22; Concession Stand 6-9pm. Donations can be made at Legacy Bank, Colwich location only.

Friday, September 28 tailgate at 5:00pm before Andale High football game, pulled pork sandwiches, free will donation, auction, raffle

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Does your child attend public schools outside the Renwick school district. Religion classes will be three weeks from 4-5:30pm in the parish hall. The first week will begin October 8, 2018. Please contact Mary Jo Hieger to enroll, 239-8398.

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, Isaac Robben Nicholas Robben, Matthew Salmans, Nick Scheer, Trystan Tevis, Tony Weninger
Contact Dee Reichenberger at 644-7246 or dee.reichenberger@gmail.com

SERVERS

Monday, September 24

E. Stolz/F Molitor

Tuesday, September 25

H Eck/L Deschner

Wednesday, September 26

I Aouad/E May

Thursday, September 27

E Probst/L Winter

Friday, September 28

W Sobba/E Suchan

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm J Tucker/D Reichart/CJ Winter

Sunday, September 30

8:00 CI Winter/W Deschner/M May

10:00 C VenJohn/C Fair/E Rowland

LECTORS

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm Phyllis Betzen

Sunday, September 30

8:00am Chad Smith

10:00am Robby Spexarth

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm Tony Hilger/Barbara Reichenberger/Smiee Engels

Sunday, September 30

8:00am Pete Martin/Joe Voegeli/Wesley Mertes

10:00am Bonnie Martin/Rachel Gorges/Pete Hilger

USHERS

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm

Sunday, September 30

8:00am Craig Lubbers/Darrell Stamback/Bill Schmitz/

Fred Schwaiger

10:00 am Travis Gear/Luke Parthemer/Tony Veith/Travis Cutler

GIFT BEARERS

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm

Sunday, September 30

8:00am Doris and Jack Kramer

10:00am Bart and Jane Reichenberger

PRE-MASS ROSARY LEADERS

Saturday, September 29

5:00pm Charlie and Kara Martin

Sunday, September 30

8:00am Joe and Cindy Voegeli

10:00am Davin Doonan

THE GIFT OF OUR TREASURE

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Your Gift	\$ 8,854	\$131,978
Budget	\$ 13,155	\$144,705
Difference	(\$4,301)	(\$12,727)

NEWMAN WRESTLING TRAP SHOOT

Saturday, September 29 4:30-11:00 pm, Knights of Columbus Hall.

STEWARDSHIP

"Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every foul practice." (James 3:16) In today's Gospel, we see the disciples acting very...well...human. They are bickering about who is the greatest among them. While this is not a very polite behavior, yet a very human tendency. Jesus teaches them that in order to be greater they have to allow themselves to be less. What does he mean by this? Often being a good steward means doing your very best without public acknowledgement, accolades, promotions, etc. Often it means humbling yourself and doing work that points to the greatness in others. This is being "fully alive." While the word "servant" does not always appeal to us, it is a fitting description of Jesus. If we are seeking a life of holiness we must remember Jesus' words: "If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all."

MUSIC MINISTRY

Teen choir: This choir is open for voices grades 8-12 and will be singing the first Sunday 10:00am Mass of each month beginning October 7. Practice will be at 9:00am before Mass begins in the parish hall.

Adult Choir: This choir will begin fresh this fall and sing the second and fourth Sunday 10:00 Mass each month with October 14. First practice will be Wednesday, October 10 at 7:30pm in the parish hall. New voices welcome and encouraged! Contact Stephanie Bergkamp at stjosephparishmusic@gmail.com if interested or with questions.

CYM

Eighth grade CYM will meet Wednesday, September 26 from 7-8:30pm in the CYM room of the parish hall. We are selling mums for the month of September after weekend Masses as a fundraiser for CYM

Victim Assistance Information Line: Contact Therese Seiler at 316.269.3945

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