

# 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

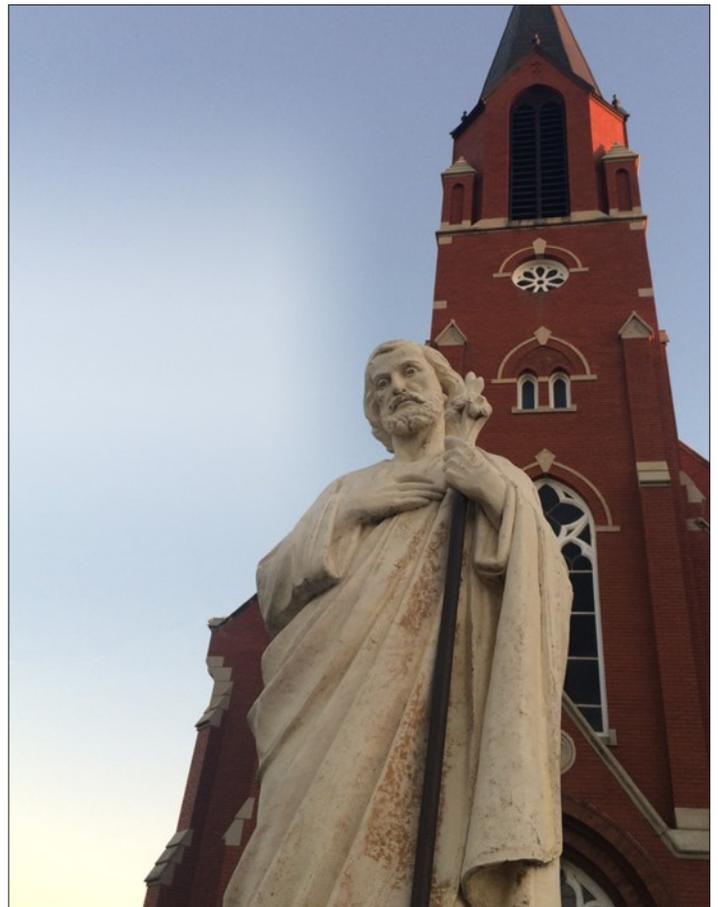
### **Mass schedule**

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

**Weekdays** • Monday-Friday 7:15 am  
Third Wednesday 7:00 pm only

### **Confession schedule**

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



## Reflections from Fr. Daryl

When Mary visited Elizabeth, she proclaims her great Magnificate give praise to God for all that he has done for her. Her soul rejoices in God for the gifts and blessing she has received from him. It is during this month of May that we especially look to Mary as our Mother. Jesus gave her to us on the cross when he said to the disciple, behold your mother. We have the May crowning's here at Saint Joseph by our school children, our Rosary group and others celebrating Mary as our Mother.

Today, as we celebrate Mother's Day, as a parish family, we look to our spiritual Mother ask for her intercession as we so often do when we pray the Rosary and other Marian prayers. My favorite prayer devoted to Mary is the Memorare. The first part of the prayer states very clearly Mary's care and devotion to us, the disciples of her Son. "*Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided.*" We come to our Blessed Mother with the confidence that she will take our cares and concerns to her son Jesus.

As she raised Jesus as boy, her love for God and her son was always present. She cared for him, protected him, and taught him. What Jesus learned from Mary would prepare him in many ways for his ministry and ultimately his Passion. With the desire always to lead us into the loving embrace of Jesus, so that we might share in his eternal peace. On this day, Mother's Day, we are to be especially mindful of all that our mothers have done for us. We pray that our Lord will abundantly bless them as they have fulfilled the command to love in their motherhood.

### Prayer to the Mother of the Lord for all mothers

Mary, on this day when we honor all mothers, we turn to you. We thank the Lord whom you serve for the great gift of motherhood. Never has it been known that anyone who sought your intercession was left unaided by grace. Dear Mother, thank you for your "Yes" to the invitation of the angel which brought heaven to earth and changed human history. You opened yourself to God's word and the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

Dear mother, intercede for all of our mothers. Ask your Divine Son to give them the grace of surrendered love so that they could join with you in giving their own "Fiat." May they find daily strength to say yes to the call to the sacrificial love- the very heart of the vocation of motherhood. May their love and witness be a source of great inspiration for all of us called to follow your Son.

On this Mothers day, Mother of the Word Incarnate, pray for us who have recourse to you...

**Happy Mother's Day**

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, May 15

Saint Isidore

7:15am †Clyde Orth

### Tuesday, May 16

Easter Weekday

7:15am †Betty TEMAAT

### Wednesday, May 17

Easter Weekday

**7:15am** Ed and Alice Erickson

### Thursday, May 18

Saint John

7:15am Altar Society

### Friday, May 19

Easter Weekday

7:15am †Dave Betzen

### Saturday, May 20

Saint Bernardine of Siena

5:00pm †Ken Hermes

### Sunday, May 21

Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00 am †Susan Seiler

10:00 am for the parish

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Aaron Engels, Nathan Engels, Mathew Focke, Gabriel Goff, Shane Lies, Cole Penney, Conner Penney, Lauren Penney, Gina Reese, Lucas Reichenberger, Nicholas Robben, Trystan Tevis, Tony Weninger

Contact Dee Reichenberger at 644-7246 or [dee.reichenberger@gmail.com](mailto:dee.reichenberger@gmail.com)

## STEWARDSHIP

In today's Gospel, Jesus works to reassure a group of anxious and confused disciples. They have walked with him faithfully, but are uncertain of how to continue doing the work without him! The disciples are no different from you or I. We understand that we are called to live and act as Christian stewards, which means trusting Jesus when he says, "I am the way and the truth and the life." We may not understand, but we have to trust. In Acts, chapter 6, we meet Stephen, a new disciple. He is filled with grace and faith and is instrumental in the conversion of many hearts. Like Stephen and the other disciples, we live in uncertain times and are called to glorify God by our lives in whatever way the Holy Spirit moves us. We must have courage and faith as we move throughout the world continuing the work of Jesus Christ!

## POPE FRANCIS BUILD

The diocese is once again collaborating with Habitat for Humanity to help a family achieve the goal of home ownership. Each parish is asked to provide two volunteers for three hours on August 12 to help build the walls for the house in the parking lot of the chancery. If you have construction experience and would like to volunteer, please contact the parish office.

## SERVERS

### Monday, May 15

D Bugner/P Rau

### Tuesday, May 16

CJ Winter/E Merrill

### Wednesday, May 17, 7:15am

J Lane/L Winter

### Thursday, May 18

A Sobba/E Merrill

### Friday, May 19

N Meyer/P Rau

### Saturday, May 20

G Hein/B Horsch/J Lane

### Sunday, May 21

8:00 T Smith/J Voegeli/M McPhail

10:00 C Landers/C Landers/T Landers

## LECTORS

### Saturday, May 20

5:00pm John Stuever

### Sunday, May 21

8:00 Mike Stanhope

10:00 Gary Albers

## EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

### Saturday, May 20

5:00pm Amiee Engels/Tom Mohr/C Reichenberger

### Sunday, May 21

8:00 Jim Lies/Lynn Ahrens/Matt Suchan

10:00 Rachel Gorges/Irv Schueller/Angela Tucker

## USHERS FOR MAY

**Saturday 5:00:** Trent Edelman, Mike Ellis, Myron Engels, Ken Gegen

**Sunday, 8:00:** Fred Schwaiger, Brian Seiler, Gary Sigg, Darrell Stamback

**Sunday, 10:00:** Cody Gorges, Dennis Gorges, Ryan Harp, James Hintz

**Offertory Procession for next weekend:** Saturday 5:00 pm, Myron Engels family, Sunday 8:00 am, Gary Sigg family, Sunday 10:00 am, Dennis Gorges family

## SENT INSTITUTE FOR EVANGELIZATION

SENT is a process of formation for all baptized adults to equip and encourage them to share Jesus Christ with their family members, friends, acquaintances..with anyone and anywhere! Each session offers a meal and fellowship with other Catholics like you, a short talk on living as a missionary disciple and a workshop experience where you will learn practical ways of sharing the Gospel in a simple way.

Sessions begin Monday, May 8 at 6:00pm and run for ten weeks. To register, please visit the Office of Faith Formation website at [catholicdioceseofwichita.org/faith](http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/faith) or call 269.3940

## IMMACULEE ILIBAGIZA RETREAT IN JULY

Immaculee Ilibagiza, a survivor of the 1994 Tutsi genocide in Rwanda, will lead a retreat July 14-15 at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament. She will talk about her miraculous survival during the 100 days when Hutu tribe members slaughtered over 800,000 Tutsis. The cost is \$57 for one or \$76 to register with a guest. Call Blessed Sacrament parish at 682.4557.

## MONDAY, MAY 15

8:00am Adoration begins

## TUESDAY, MAY 16

7:00am Adoration ends

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

No events scheduled

## THURSDAY, MAY 18

No events scheduled

## FRIDAY, MAY 19

No events scheduled

## SATURDAY, MAY 20

No events scheduled

## SUNDAY, MAY 21

10:00am Eighth grade student recognition at Mass

## WEEKEND SERVERS

The current [eighth grade servers](#) will be scheduled to serve weekends, along with other high school servers beginning June 4, 2017. If you have a Mass preference, please call the office or email [office@stjosephandale.com](mailto:office@stjosephandale.com)

## EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS

You are invited to sit towards the front next Sunday, May 21 with your family at the 10:00 am Mass. Father will give you a special blessing during the Mass.

## EVENING WITH SEMINARIANS

Join Bishop Kemme, the priests of the diocese and our seminarians for Evening Prayer, followed by a reception on Thursday, May 25 beginning at 6:00pm. at the Cathedral. The cost is \$30 per person. Send your reservations to the Office of Vocations, Catholic Diocese of Wichita, 424 N. Broadway, Wichita 67202

## 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: Debbie, 208.8483

Knights of Columbus: Brian, 841.7333

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