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Baptisms: By appointment

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30-4:30 PM or by appointment

Weddings: Six months advance notice

Mass Schedule:

Weekday Mass: Tues. 6:00 PM, Wed. & Fri.: 8:00 AM, Thurs. 7:00 AM

Saturday: 7:30 AM; Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM

August 16th, 2015

Our Parish welcomes Fr. Stephen Schreiber of the Diocese of Erie Pennsylvania who is celebrating the 7 AM Mass in our Parish this weekend. Welcome, Father.



Welcome Back to School!! The first day of school is tomorrow, Monday, August 17 at 8 AM. School Mass follows at 9:00 AM. With school starting, the weekday Mass

schedule will change back to 8:00 AM on every Wednesday & Friday during the school year.



Tajci is back!!! The Tajci Concert is this Saturday evening, August 22 at 6:30 PM in our Church. Tajci combines her original music,

real-life stories, and step-by-step guidance on how to reconnect with our faith and activate God's graces in our lives. Your only regret may be that you did not bring all your family & friends. Don't miss her special gift to us. Free admission.



Congratulations to Isaac and Erin (Hermesch)

Summers who were married Saturday, August 15, 2015, at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Our congratulations and prayers are with them as they begin their married life together.

Birthday Congratulations to Edwin Holthaus who is celebrating his 90th Birthday today at the 9AM Mass. The bouquet on the Blessed Mother's altar are in honor of Eddie on his special day.

Flowers - The bouquet on the Main Altar is in loving memory of Kenny McDonnell from his daughters.

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Back to School Picnic. The SPPS PTO cordially invites all school families, faculty and staff to our annual Back-To-School

Picnic on Wednesday, Aug 19th in the Parish Hall from 5:30-7:00 PM. Serving pulled pork sandwiches, hot dogs, green beans, chips, cookies & drinks. The cheerleaders will hold a pep rally in the gym at 7 PM to kick off the year. Come enjoy a night off from cooking and catch up with friends. Hope to see you there.

In Memoriam - The Rite of Christian Burial was celebrated on Friday, August 14 for Bobby Osterhaus. Let us remember her and her loved ones in our prayers. The family of Bobby would like to thank the Altar Society Circles who donated food and the Funeral Committee ladies who organized and served the funeral meal for their loved ones.

Welcome to the Christian Community: Henley Etta Holthaus, daughter of Eric & Lisa Holthaus will receive the Sacrament of Baptism today after the 11:00 AM Mass. Godparents for Henley are Collin Feldkamp and Tina Palic. Congratulations!



RCIA RCIA 2015-2016 is about to begin. There will be an informational meeting Monday, Aug 31st in the Narthex basement classroom. This is for those interested in starting RCIA classes and those who just need more information, or have questions. Please join us. If you know of anyone who needs a special word of invite to come home, please invite them to come. Contact Rick and Joan Henry at 785-799-4151 for further questions or details.



Masses for Aug 17th to Aug 23th *20th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Monday	Aug 17 – 20 th Monday in Ordinary Time 9:00 AM – For students and teachers at SPPS
Tuesday	Aug 18 - 20 th Tuesday in Ordinary Time 6:00 PM – L/D John & Bernice Nordhus Family
Wednesday	Aug 19 – St John Eudes 8:00 AM – Gilbert Broxterman
Thursday	Aug 20 – St Bernard 7:00 AM – Daniel Holthaus
Friday	Aug 21 – St Pius X 8:00 AM – Gene Schraad
Saturday	Aug 22 – The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary 7:30 AM - Regis Tanking 5:00 PM – Joel Andrew Knight
Sunday	Aug 23– 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:00 AM - For our Parish 9:00 AM – L/D Joe A & Martha Heinen Family 11:00 AM – Bill Haverkamp (Anniv)



Weekday Servers: **Tues 6PM, Thurs 7AM, Sat 7:30 AM**– Hailey Wurtz & Ea Schmelzle
 Wed & Friday 8AM – SPPS Students

<u>Sat 5:00 PM</u>	<u>Sun 7:00 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11AM</u>
Bryce Uphaus	Corley Becker	Will Bartkowski	Kinsey Scott
Chris Schmitz	Ben Feldkamp	Anna Bartkowski	Michelle Olberding
Caitlyn Schmitz	Braden Bramhall	Rachel Gudenkauf	Jackson Holthaus
Gavin Gudenkauf	Jessica Deters	Nathan Deters	Miles Stueve

Assistants at The Eucharist for Saturday Aug 22th & Aug 23rd


	<u>Lector/*Commentator</u>	<u>Communion</u>	<u>Cup</u>	<u>Cantor</u>	<u>Organist</u>
<u>5:00 PM</u>	Claire Deters *Jeanie Kramer	Jean Wassenberg Annie Haverkamp	Blake Uphaus Katie Wassenberg	Katie Nordhus Terry Nordhus	
<u>7:00 AM</u>	Dean Becker *Joan Henry	Rick Henry Adam Niehues	Quincy Haverkamp Myra Runnebaum		
<u>9:00 AM</u>	Aimee Rottinghaus *Galen Niehues	Shelly Schmelzle Janet Diehl	Josh Haverkamp Ranee Bontrager	Alan Lierz Emily Altenhofen	
<u>11:00 AM</u>	Jake Reitz *Gabriella Sudbeck	Keith Haverkamp Patty Haverkamp	Kyle Rethman Michael Love	Eileen Love Deb Rethman	

ROSARY LEADERS: 5:00 PM Bob Niehues 9:00 AM Alan Lierz

CCD NOTES:

CCD Registration: K-12 registration forms will be available on a table in the Narthex after weekend Masses on August 22 & 23. Additional copies may be picked up at the Parish Office.

We are still in need of teachers for the 3rd, 4th and 5th grades and for our Freshman Class Please pray on this and search your heart. We have a responsibility to teach our children our faith. Without volunteers, the parents of the CCD children will be called on to help. This is an amazing opportunity to help our children and young adults grow closer to God, their Church community and family. "Help one another grow!". Please contact Shannon at 294-1328 if you can help.

 Sunday, Sept 6th Labor Day Picnic Updates:
Work list - pick one up at the parish office.

Glassware for the Dish Throw to the Mission Center.

Gently used or new toys for the Kiddie Walk -bring to the parish office or to Eileen Love at 203 Lorain.

Quilts!!! Anyone who has a Quilt for the Picnic is asked to please contact Julie Strathman at 336-3723 or Clea Renyer at 336-3151 and let them know the name and size of the quilt so signs can be made for them.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS:


Mon Aug 17 - School Starts, Mass is at 9:00 AM

Sat Aug 22 - Tajci Concert 6:30 PM in Church

Sun Sept 6 - Labor Day Picnic

Sun Sept 13 - Benedictine Oblate Meeting at SPPC

Sat Oct 3 - Confirmation at 5:00 PM Mass

 Give the Gift of Life: Community Blood Drives soon at the following places:

Bern Community Center: Wed.8/19, 12 noon-6 PM.
336-3905

Seneca Community Building: Fri 8/21, 8 AM-2PM
336-3360

Let's talk about Oblates

****Are you interested in the Benedictine Oblate program?**

Sunday afternoon, Sept. 13, 2:00-3:30, come to an informational gathering about what it means to be an oblate. The gathering will be at Sts Peter & Paul Parish Hall. Men & women 18 and over are invited. Atchison representatives from Mount St Scholastica attending will be: Sisters Mary Beth Niehaus, Delores Dolozal, and Thomasita Homan, Oblate Director; representative from St. Benedict's Abbey, Father Meinrad Miller, Oblate Director. Also attending: Ida Schiffbauer, who is exploring the oblate program, and Oblate John Hosler.

Are you already an oblate? Please come to the discussion to explore plans! Questions/comments: Contact Sister Thomasita: thoman@benedictine.edu (913-360-6150)

The Peter's Pence Collection for the Parish amounted to \$1,096.00. This amount has been sent to them.



Please keep in your prayers the following couples to be married: Josh Carpenter & Tracy Olberding (9-19), Nick Roeder & Elizabeth Hogatt (10-17), Michael Fangman & Michelle Hermes (11-28).



The Adoration Chapel needs adorers for Sat. 11-12 AM and 12-1 PM. If you are willing to give an hour, please call Sue at 336-2297.



ROSARY AT THE CEMETERY will be held Wednesday, Aug 26th at 6:00 PM, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

CONTRIBUTIONS for week of 8-3-15 thru 8-9-15.
Weekly Budget is \$15,000.

Church	Plate	\$ 1,467.00
	Envelope	\$ 5,794.00
	ACH/EFT	\$ 6,530.00
School	School support	\$ 35,666.00
	ACH/EFT	\$ 1,178.00
Assumption		\$ 10.00
TOTAL	Thank You !!	\$ 50,645.00

NOTES FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE:

HEALING HEART RETREAT for women who have suffered from sexual trauma, Fri to Sun, August 21-23, Savior Pastoral Center. Confidentiality assured. Call Deacon Tony Zimmerman at Office for Marriage & Family Life: 913-647-0329. See bulletin board.

GRIEF SUPPORT MINISTRY: Four sessions for those who have lost an infant. Begins Aug 27 at Nativity Parish, Leawood. Contact Mary Dennihan 913-491-4268.

HOW TO HEAL THE WOUNDS OF DIVORCE - Series begins Tues Sept 15, and continues every Tues for 10 weeks at Prince of Peace school building @ 16000 W 143rd St, Olathe, KS 66062. Enrollment \$50. For info, call Julie Knoche at 913-710-7083.

CHURCH PICNICS:

****Immaculate Conception Church, St. Mary's, Ks Parish**
Picnic this Sun Aug 16th 4 PM to 7 PM Chicken Dinner and all the trimmings. Games, bingo, drawings.

****St Columbkille's Annual Bazaar, Blaine, Sat Aug 22**
following 4 PM Mass. Serving Roast Beef or Ham Loaf full dinner. Games, Quilt raffle, 53 grand prizes.

prayerchainspp@gmail.com - Email for Prayer Chain Requests call Dana at 336-0008. Please leave a message.

sppweserve@yahoo.com - Email for Mass Ministry changes, or you may call or text Sheryl at 336-1380.

tleonard@sppschoo.com -Email for School messages.

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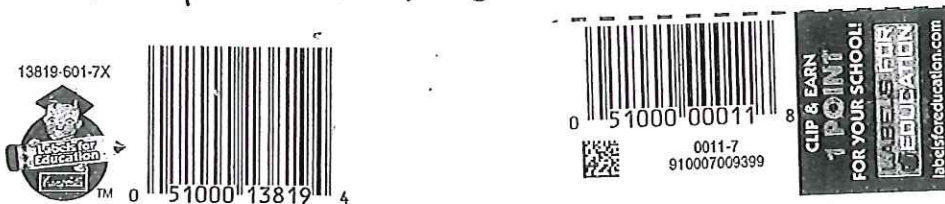
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March 2, 2015	Marlene Deters	Baileyville, KS
March 3, 2015	Rita Buurman	Sabetha, KS
March 4, 2015	Brandon Nordhus	Seneca, KS
March 5, 2015	Anna Zink	Centralia, KS
March 6, 2015	Phil Boeding	Seneca, KS
March 7, 2015	Elmer Sack	Seneca, KS
March 8, 2015	Wade Rottinghaus	St George, KS
March 9, 2015	Patty Hill	Sand Springs, OK
March 10,2015	Bob Grace Strathman	Seneca, KS
March 11,2015	Matt Saylor	Sabetha, KS
March 12,2015	Glen Mary Ellen Rusche	Seneca, KS
March 13,2015	Lester Deters	Seneca, KS
March 14,2015	Joseph Geraldine Beres	Gainesville, VA
March 15,2015	Kevin Robke	Salida, CO
March 16,2015	Erin Kohake	Topeka, KS
March 17,2015	Lisa Olberding	Seneca, KS
March 18,2015	Tom Waller	Lawrence, KS
March 19,2015	Cindy Carlson	Seneca, KS
March 20,2015	Claire Deters	Seneca, KS
March 21,2015	Helen Sack	Seneca, KS
March 22,2015	Agnes Boden	Seneca, KS
March 23,2015	Jim Sudbeck	Bern, KS
March 24,2015	Linda Floersch	Manhattan, KS
March 25,2015	Marcia Schmelzle	Seneca, KS
March 26,2015	Eileen C Meyer	Sabetha, KS
March 27,2015	Zane Jackson	Hutchinson, KS
March 28,2015	Marilyn Carlson	Seneca, KS
March 29,2015	Mark Studer	Seneca, KS
March 30,2015	Jerome Graney	Omaha, NE
March 31,2015	Brad Lueger	Seneca, KS

Hundred Winner-----John Haugsness-----Hutchinson, Kansas

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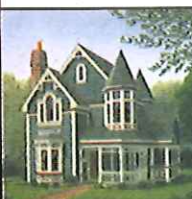
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