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Baptisms: By appointment

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30-4:30p.m. 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

## May 10th, 2015

### A Prayer for Mothers on Mothers Day

*\*We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need: May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy.*

*\*We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us: May they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways, even if they are no longer with us.*

*\*We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict: May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away.*

*\*We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.*

*\*We remember mothers, grandmothers and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.*



### May is the month of our Blessed Mother.

To honor her, we will have May Crowning this Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, at the 9:00 AM Mass.

Pray her rosary daily.

**FLOWERS:** The Main Altar bouquet is in honor of Mothers and in honor of Kyle & Kaitlin Swanson on their wedding day. Flowers on the Blessed Mother altar are in memory of Albert & Rita Heinen and the St. Joseph Altar in memory of Elmer Buessing from their families.



### Congratulations to Kyle & Kaitlin (Heinen)

Swanson who were married Saturday, May 9, 2015, at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Our prayers and best wishes are with them as they begin their married life together.

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

WELCOME to the Christian Community: Ainsley Jolee Dalinghaus, daughter of Tyler and Brooke Dalinghaus.

Her godparents are Lucas Dalinghaus and Jamie Stansberry. Welcome also to Aliyah Rae Dalinghaus, daughter of Jacob and Kristina Dalinghaus. Her godparents are Tim and Maecy Bailey. Ainsley and Aliyah were both baptized on Wed evening, May 6, 2015 in Sts. Peter & Paul Church.



The Knights of Columbus will be handing out baby bottles at each Mass on Mother's Day to support Kansans for Life. This organization is dedicated to protecting and defending the right to life of all humans from the moment of conception to natural death. They were instrumental in getting the bill passed to ban dismemberment abortions. You may donate to Kansans for Life by filling the bottles with loose change, currency or checks made payable to Sts Peter & Paul Parish. The bottles will be collected by Father's Day.

CHWC will have their last meeting on Wed May 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in the Youth Center. This will be their last meeting before leaving for the Twin Cities on June 7. This is a mandatory attendance meeting for parents and campers. The final payment and paperwork will be completed at this meeting.

High School Choir will have practice on Tues, May 12, at 6:45 PM. They will sing at the Graduation Mass on Sunday, May 17 at 9:00 AM.

HELP NEEDED to tape Saturday evening Mass. High school students would be good candidates.





## Masses for May 11 to May 17 Sixth Sunday of Easter



<b>Monday</b>	May 11–6th Monday of Easter 7:00 AM – Communion Service
<b>Tuesday</b>	May 12 - Sts Nereus & Archilleus, St Pancras 6:00 PM – Evelyn Ronnebaum 11:00 AM – Lifecare – Fr Ed
<b>Wednesday</b>	May 13– 6th Wednesday of Easter 8:00 AM – Willis & Charles Ehram
<b>Thursday</b>	May 14 – The Ascension of the Lord (observed in some parts of the country) 7:00 AM – L/D Joe & Aurelia Heinen Family
<b>Friday</b>	May 15 – 6th Friday of Easter 8:00 AM – L/O Alfred & Bertha Woltkamp Family 7:00 PM – Graduation Mass for the SPPS Eight Grade
<b>Saturday</b>	May 16– 6th Saturday of Easter 7:30 AM - L/D Francis & Leola M Householter Family 5:00 PM – L/D Joe & Helen Haug Family
<b>Sunday</b>	May 17– The Ascension of the Lord 7:00 AM - For our Parish 9:00 AM – Graduation Class of 2015 11:00 AM – L/D Ray & Virginia Sanders Family

**Weekday Servers:** Tues 6 PM, Thurs 7 AM, Sat 7:30 AM Will & Anna Bartkoski  
**Servers:** Wed & Friday 8 AM SPPS Students

<u>Sat 5:00 PM</u>	<u>Sun 7:00 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11AM</u>
Damon Koch	Sydney Schmelzle	Hunter Steinlage	Gavin Duryea
Chris Schmitz	Ben Feldkamp	Emma Elder	Taegan Duryea
Caitlin Schmitz	Jessica Deters	Braden Bramhall	Jacob Hermes
Parker Wilhelm	Roland Voracek	Jon Stallbaumer	Dalton Hermes

### Assistants at The Eucharist for Saturday May 16 & Sunday May 17

	<u>Lector/*Commentator</u>	<u>Communion</u>	<u>Cup</u>	<u>Cantor</u>	<u>Organist</u>
<u>5:00 PM</u>	Jeanie Kramer *Tyler Heinen	Sheryl Heinen Randy Heinen	Betty Hermes Mary Jane Hammes	Allison Hermes	Terry Nordhus
<u>7:00 AM</u>	Doug Schmelzle *Steve Bennett	Leo Meyer Dorothy Hammes	Myra Runnebaum Marilyn Nolte		
<u>9:00 AM</u>	Janie Bramhall/Moriah Rottinghaus *Joe Kohake	April Kuckelman Nicole Fangman	Abby Kohake Colin Lierz	High School Choir	Owen Zinke
<u>11:00 AM</u>	Colton Hammes *Keegan Schmelzle	Gary Niehues Aaron Duryea	Brenda Niehues Janet Diehl	Cyril Steinlage	Deb Rethman

### ROSARY LEADERS:

5:00 PM Eunice Winkler

9:00 AM Joe Kohake



HELP NEEDED: Summer help for school & church work. Some experience would be helpful. Call the parish office. 336-2128.

The SPPS Nature Garden fountain/river has been broken. Rocks had been thrown into it causing the river to dam up and parts to break. We request that parents please keep your children from playing in or throwing rocks into the river. Thank you.

The Pony Express 4-H Club expressed thanks to the parish for the use of the dining hall for their Pancake Breakfast. Thank you also to everyone who came and made the breakfast a success.


There will be a second collection next week for the victims of the Nepal earthquake.


MISSION REPORT: Archbishop Naumann sent a letter of thanks to all the faithful of our Archdiocese for contributing \$94,091.00 to help support the victims of violence in the Middle East. SPPC donated \$1,391.00 during Lent to this cause. Other Mission donations from our parish that have recently been sent include the following:

Black & Indian Missions	\$25.00
Rice Bowl	\$2,054.54
Central & East Europe Missions	\$50.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$60.00
Holy Land	\$1,108.00

Thank you to everyone for your generous donations to these causes.

ROSARY AT THE CEMETERY will be held on Wed.

 May 20th at 6:00 PM, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. It will be said for the Souls of the Faithful Departed and will continue every other Wednesday through the summer.

 Please keep in your prayers the following couples to be married: Todd Cooksey & Kelli O'Brien (6-13), Brian Vice & Morgan Koch (6-20), Ross Harrington & Michelle Altenhofen (7-4), Greg Kohake & Anna Zink (7-18), Brett Haverkamp & Chelsey McGhee (7-25), Isaac Summers & Erin Hermes (8-15), Josh Carpenter & Traci Olberding (9-19), Nick Roeder & Elizabeth Hogatt (10-17).



To offer his personal support for those couples open to raising larger families, Archbishop Naumann has offered to celebrate the baptism of the third or greater child of any family eligible. He is coming to Sts Peter & Paul Church on Sunday, July 5 and will baptize the children during the 11:00 AM Mass. Please let the Parish Office know if your family is interested. 336-2128

50th Wedding Anniversary celebrants in the year 2015 are welcome to attend the Archbishop's Special Mass of Celebration on Sunday, June 14 at the Cathedral of St. Peter, KCKS. Please call the Parish Office, 336-2128, to receive a personal invitation.

#### UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS:

Sun May 10 - May crowning at 9:00 AM Mass  
Mon-Fri, Jun 15-19 - Vacation Bible School  
Sat Aug 22 - Tajci Concert 6:30 PM  
Sat Oct. 3 - Confirmation at 5:00 PM Mass

#### SCHOOL NEWS:

Wed May 13 - Awards Assembly 1:00 PM  
Thu May 14 - 8<sup>th</sup> grade to Worlds of Fun  
Fri May 15 - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Mass 7:00 PM  
Mon May 18 - MWF Pre-School Graduation - 10:30 AM  
Tues May 19 - Kindergarten Graduation - 2:00 PM  
Thu May 21 - Last Day of School

Sara Henry Swafford and Fr. James Dean have a new EWTN series, "At the Heart of Relationships", which will air from May 11-May 15 at 5:30 PM. Sara, from Atchison, KS, is a former speaker at our CCD program. She is the founder of "Emotional Virtues Ministry" and author of the book, Emotional Virtue for a Drama Free Life. She is a niece to many of the Henrys in our area.

Kelly Youth Rally will be Sat, Aug 15 for any student entering 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade. Pre-registration for rally and commemorative shirt is required. Forms are at Parish Office and must be returned to Shannon by May 23rd.

CONTRIBUTIONS for week of 4-27-15 thru 5-03-15.  
Weekly Budget is \$15,000.

4-27 to 5-03	Envelopes	\$	8,504.75
Church	Plate	\$	681.94
School		\$	3,245.50
Cemetery Fund		\$	190.00
Candle Money		\$	213.05
Ascension		\$	105.00
TOTAL	Thank You !!!	\$	12,940.24

#### OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

\*\*CONCEPTION ABBEY is offering the following May retreats: 1) Penetecost Retreat - meaning and implications of the coming of the Holy Spirit: Fri eve-Sun noon, May 22-24. 2) A Gardening Retreat - tips from the Abbey Gardens: Fri eve to Sun noon, May 22-24. For info on all three retreats, call Abbey Guest Center 660-944-2809 or send email to: [guests@conception.edu](mailto:guests@conception.edu).

\*\*A Catholic-centered Continuing Education Program for those in the fields of law, accounting, financial planning and insurance will be held on Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at Saviour Pastoral Center. To register, visit [www.cnek.org/ce](http://www.cnek.org/ce). Credits available. See west Bulletin Board in Church.





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2015 PTO Benefit Calendar Drawing  
January Winners**

January 1, 2015	Regis Feldkamp	Seneca, KS
January 2, 2015	Leon Haverkamp	Bern, KS
January 3, 2015	Parker Wilhelm	Seneca, KS
January 4, 2015	Marilyn Carlson	Seneca, KS
January 5, 2015	Grace Ann Hunninghake	Wamego, KS
January 6, 2015	Bill Linda Zinke	Lowell, MI
January 7, 2015	Kayleen Kohake	Centralia, KS
January 8, 2015	Amy Mitchell	Seneca, KS
January 9, 2015	Loren J Becker	Easton, KS
January 10, 2015	Shirley Block	Leawood, KS
January 11, 2015	Bridget Braden Keegan	Lenexa, KS
January 12, 2015	Vivina Strathman	Seneca, KS
January 13, 2015	Willam Henry	Seneca, KS
January 14, 2015	Ralph Ronnebaum	St Joseph, MO
January 15, 2015	Frank Janel Niehues	Corning, KS
January 16, 2015	Doris Leonhart Fenton	Olathe, KS
January 17, 2015	Jerome Graney	Omaha, NE
January 18, 2015	Nate Deters	Baileyville, KS
January 19, 2015	Deb Batliner	Virginia Beach, VA
January 20, 2015	Donna Miller	Seneca, KS
January 21, 2015	Linus Haverkamp	Wetmore, KS
January 22, 2015	Donna Holthaus	Seneca, KS
January 23, 2015	Ashley Brinker	Seneca, KS
January 24, 2015	Quinn Deters	Seneca, KS
January 25, 2015	Jane Niehues	Woodland, CA
January 26, 2015	Margie Heinen	Seneca, KS
January 27, 2015	Christina Stallbaumer	Seneca, KS
January 28, 2015	Fred Geralynn Kohake	Centralia, KS
January 29, 2015	Mark Hermes	Seneca, KS
January 30, 2015	Landen Bowen	Shawnee, KS
January 31, 2015	Gladys Koelzer	Seneca, KS

**Hundred Winner-----Andy Molly Strathman-----Seneca, Kansas**

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and the  
2015 SPPS PTO Benefit Calendar**

**Saints Peter and Paul  
2015 PTO Benefit Calendar Drawing  
February Winners**

<b>February 1, 2015</b>	<b>Sierra Ty Easton Weber</b>	<b>Topeka, KS</b>
<b>February 2, 2015</b>	<b>Dana Bradley</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 3, 2015</b>	<b>Larry Joella King</b>	<b>Hoyt, KS</b>
<b>February 4, 2015</b>	<b>Christine Ronnebaum</b>	<b>Manhattan, KS</b>
<b>February 5, 2015</b>	<b>Wayne Niehues</b>	<b>Goff, KS</b>
<b>February 6, 2015</b>	<b>Paul Karen Rilinger</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 7, 2015</b>	<b>Joyce Holthaus</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 8, 2015</b>	<b>Dan Kathy Heinen</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 9, 2015</b>	<b>Abby J Ronnebaum</b>	<b>Kansas City, MO</b>
<b>February 10, 2015</b>	<b>Connie Winkler</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 11, 2015</b>	<b>Judith G Bond</b>	<b>Shawnee Mission, KS</b>
<b>February 12, 2015</b>	<b>Melissa Stallbaumer</b>	<b>Emporia, KS</b>
<b>February 13, 2015</b>	<b>Luella Enneking</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 14, 2015</b>	<b>Janel Niehues</b>	<b>Goff, KS</b>
<b>February 15, 2015</b>	<b>Leon R Dultmeier</b>	<b>Topeka, KS</b>
<b>February 16, 2015</b>	<b>Peyton Wilhelm</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 17, 2015</b>	<b>Evan Riddell</b>	<b>Cameron, MO</b>
<b>February 18, 2015</b>	<b>Sam Brenda Rottinghaus</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 19, 2015</b>	<b>Kim Ben Parks</b>	<b>Parkville, MO</b>
<b>February 20, 2015</b>	<b>James Gudenkauf</b>	<b>Marysville, KS</b>
<b>February 21, 2015</b>	<b>Cole Noble</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 22, 2015</b>	<b>Susie Lueger</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 23, 2015</b>	<b>Diana Holthaus</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 24, 2015</b>	<b>Fred Geralyn Kohake</b>	<b>Centralia, KS</b>
<b>February 25, 2015</b>	<b>Julie Strathman</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>
<b>February 26, 2015</b>	<b>Sherry Ronnebaum</b>	<b>Axtell, KS</b>
<b>February 27, 2015</b>	<b>Dob Becker</b>	<b>Prairie Village, KS</b>
<b>February 28, 2015</b>	<b>Kirby Schmelzle</b>	<b>Seneca, KS</b>

**Hundred Winner-----Richard Mary Ann Haugsness-----Seneca, Kansas**

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