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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: Monday No Mass/Communion Service Only 7:00 AM

Tuesday: 6:00 PM, **Wednesday & Friday:** 8:00 AM, **Thursday:** 7:00 AM

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

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

April 14th, 2019

"Together we grow in Love"



As we begin Holy Week, we continue praying, fasting and almsgiving more intensely. We carefully examine our Lent which we pray has led to greater love for our family, our fellow parishioners and all we come in contact with.

Today we welcome Fr. Dan Morris, Vocation Director of our Archdiocese, who is here this weekend to celebrate Masses. He will be telling us more about the Prayer and Action Group coming to our Parish this summer, June 9th to July 19th.

Holy Week Confessions

Wednesday, April 17, from 6:00 to 7:00 PM

Holy Saturday, April 20, from 3:00 to 4:00 PM

Schedule for Holy Week

April 15th -Monday - 7:00 AM Communion Service

April 16th -Tuesday - 11:00 Chrism Mass at Arch KCKS
6:00 PM Mass at SPPC

April 17th -Wednesday - 8:00 AM Mass

April 18th -Holy Thurs-7:00 PM Mass of Lord's Last Supper

April 19th -Good Friday - Fast & Abstinence
3:00 PM - Celebration of the Lord's Passion
7:00 PM - Living Stations of the Cross

April 20th -Holy Saturday -Confessions 3:00 to 4:00 PM
7:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass with Candidates
Reception of the Sacraments

April 21st -Easter Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00

Please Note the Divine Mercy Novena and Chaplet brochure in the pews on Good Friday. The novena, which extends from Good Friday to Divine Mercy Sunday, promises extraordinary graces to those who recite it.

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



Palm Sunday commemorates the beginning of Holy Week and the triumphant entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem as crowds greet him with

joy. Very soon Jesus will be arrested to begin His agonizing journey to the Cross of Crucifixion.

Holy Saturday Night is the solemn reception of the Sacraments for our Catechumens and Candidates: Diane Durham, Jeremiah Chesmore, Chloe Buessing, and Blair Ronnebaum. We pray the blessings of the Holy Spirit remain with them and they find lasting joy in receiving Jesus in Holy Communion the rest of their lives.



The Pony Express 4-H Pancake Breakfast is today, serving from 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Free will donation. Enjoy a good Palm Sunday breakfast.

The Living Stations of the Cross will again be



presented for Holy Week by the Sophomore CCD class. Their first presentation will take place on Holy Thursday at 1:30 in Church. A final presentation will be on Good Friday at 7:00 PM. Enjoy this unique journey of Christ to Calvary.



The Annual SPPS PTO Bake Sale will take place on Holy Saturday Morning, April 20th from 8:00 AM to noon at the Parish Dining Hall. New this year: donuts and coffee for a free will offering. Enjoy time with your friends and neighbors, and get your homemade baked goods for your Easter dinner at the same time.



Masses for April 15th to April 21st Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Monday	<u>April 15</u> – <u>Monday of Holy Week</u> 7:00 AM – Communion Service
Tuesday	<u>April 16</u> – <u>Tuesday of Holy Week</u> 11:00 AM – Chrism Mass at Arch KCKS 6:00 PM – Andrew Kohake
Wednesday	<u>April 17</u> – <u>Wednesday of Holy Week</u> 8:00 AM – L/D Leonard & Edith Wassenberg Family 10:00 AM – Crestview Manor – Clarence Stallbaumer (Fr. Arul)
Thursday	<u>April 18</u> – <u>Holy Thursday</u> 1:30 PM – Living Stations of the Cross 7:00 PM – L/D Francis & Dorothy Schraad
Friday	<u>April 19</u> – <u>Friday of the Passion of the Lord</u> 3:00 PM – Friday of the Passion of the Lord 7:00 PM – Living Stations of the Cross
Saturday	<u>April 20</u> – <u>Holy Saturday</u> 7:00 PM – For the Intention of the Catechists & Catechumens
Sunday	<u>April 21</u> – <u>Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord</u> 6:30 AM – For Our Parish 8:00 AM – Norman Luebbe (Anniv) 9:30 AM – Wayne & Cindy Kramer - 40 th Wedding Anniv. 11:00 AM – L/D Nick & Agnes Boden Family



Weekday Servers for April 16 (Tues 6 PM) Julie Rottinghaus & Kaetlyn Bennett

Holy Thursday 7PM

Cole Hermes
John Strathman
Makenzie Henry
Andrew Henry

Easter Sunday

6:30 AM

Colby Schmelzle
Keaton Rottinghaus
Clarissa Hemman
Timothy Hemman

Good Friday 3 PM

Emma Elder
Corley Becker
Taylor Hammes

Holy Saturday 7 PM

Matthew Hammes
Nathan Deters
Gavin Gudenkauf
Wyatt Rusche

8:00 AM

Charlie Bontrager
Chris Dalinghaus
Isabelle Hammes
Marianna Hammes

9:30 AM

Connor Deters
Logan Deters
Sara Schmelzle
Luke Schmelzle

11:00 AM

Jaidyn Koehler
Kate Bartkoski
Sara Haverkamp
Kaylee Haverkamp

Assistants at the Eucharist

Lector/*Commentator

Communion

Cup

Cantor

Organist

Holy Thursday

7:00 PM

Jim Strathman
*Shannon Holthaus

Marian Rottinghaus
Marilyn Boeding

Ray Rottinghaus
Paul Boeding

Adult Choir

Owen Zinke

Good Friday

3:00 PM

Paula Rottinghaus
*Brenda Deters

Julie Strathman
Bruce Deters

Adult Choir

Owen Zinke

Holy Saturday

7:00 PM

RCIA Candidates
*Bob Niehues

Susan Stallbaumer
Mary Jane Hammes

Margie Shinn
Jean Wassenberg

K of C Choir

Terry Nordhus

Easter Sunday

6:30 AM

Braden Bramhall
*Doug Schmelzle

Marilyn Nolte
Leon Feldkamp

Sydney Schmelzle
Myra Runnebaum

Terry Nordhus

8:00 AM

Corley Becker
*Dean Becker

Kim Bontrager
Betty Hermes

Riley Bontrager
Ainsley Nordhus

Eileen Love

Janet Kramer

9:30 AM

Carter Lutz
*Gina Ronnebaum

Randy Heinen
Kirby Schmelzle

Julia Bergman
Shelly Schmelzle

Children's Choir

Owen Zinke

11:00 AM

Michelle Olberding
*Michelle Fangman
John Kohake

Cara Baker
Sharon Haverkamp

Adrienne Koehler
Adam Niehues


Katie Nordhus

Emily Altenhofen

Rosary Leader

The Pro-Life Movie, "Unplanned", will be in the Seneca Theater this coming weekend and next weekend. Our Seneca Council of the K of C and four surrounding Knight's Councils are paying for the showing next weekend, April 20th and 21st. Show times on Saturday are 4:30, 7:00 and 9:00 PM. Sunday show times are 2:00 and 7:00 PM. All admissions are free during show times on the 20th and 21st.

There will be no Mass or Communion Service on Easter Monday. School and Parish Office also will be closed.

 Children's Choir Practice will be on Mon, April 15 at 6:00. They will sing on Easter Sunday at 9:30 Mass.

Adult Choir Practice will be Tuesday evening, April 16th at 7:00 PM. We invite new members to join us.



Rosary in the Cemetery will begin again on Wednesday, April 24th at 6:00 PM. Let us pray for our loved ones.

The Sts. Peter & Paul School PTO has rescheduled its monthly meeting to April 30 at 7:00 PM at the Parish Dining Hall. Everyone welcome.

NCYC NEWS: For those interested in attending NCYC this fall, an informational meeting will be held in the Youth Center on Sunday, May 5th, at 5:00 PM. Important registration information will be handed out and possible fundraising options will be discussed. Please Note: Our Church will be out of commission starting April 29th to May 24th for painting repairs. Masses will be held in the School Gymnasium.

Collections for Good Friday are for the upkeep of the Holy Land. Easter Collection is for the Priesthood.

Stewardship Summary

Projected Yearly Budget \$1,518,735.16 (parish & school)

Fiscal Year 7-1-18 to 6-30-19	Week of 4/07/19	Year to Date Totals
<i>Envelope</i>	\$ 6,641.00	\$ 270,005.25
<i>Plate</i>	\$ 1,501.25	\$ 61,850.55
<i>EFT Church</i>	\$ 7,214.00	\$ 157,447.00
<i>School</i>	\$ 5,345.00	\$ 143,303.22
<i>EFT/School</i>	\$ 1,914.41	\$ 40,998.18
<i>Other</i>	\$ 85.00	\$ 15,682.50
Total	\$ 22,700.66	\$ 689,286.70
<i>Weekly Budget</i> \$21,000.00	<i>Income over/under</i> \$ +1,700.66	<i>Week #41 over/under</i> \$ -173,983.49

WINDOWS REPORT: The week ending 4/7/19 shows a deposit of \$1,865.00 to the Windows, now showing a current balance of \$562,814.00 toward our goal of \$600,000.00. Thank you for continuing to give.

THE FAITH, HOPE, AND CHARITY APPEAL for the week ending 4/7/19 shows a deposit of \$583.35, with a current total of \$323,542.46. Thank you for supporting our Parish and our School.



Attention to Couples celebrating their 50th

Wedding Anniversary: Get a personal invitation to the Archbishop's Diocesan 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration on June 2nd at the Church of Nativity in Leawood. Please call the Parish office for information.

Prayer & Action is coming to our Parish! This is an Archdiocesan mission program and will be here this summer from June 9th to July 19th. Laboring hands and open hearts of high school students and their adult leaders will reach out to provide services to those in need. The success of the Camp depends on our help with prayers, food, tools and locations. More information will be presented this weekend by Fr. Dan Morris.

2019-2020 PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

We are beginning the process of registering preschool students for the 2019-2020 school year.

Please call the office at 785-336-2727 for more information and to pre-register a child for this year.

The days and times are as follows:

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 4-5 year olds from 8-11 am and 12-3 pm (if necessary).

Tuesday/Thursday 3-4 year olds from 8-11 am and 12-3 pm (if necessary).

A preschool Open House for new students will be held in late March or April.

Scholarships are available.

Sts. Peter & Paul is committed to making Catholic Education available and affordable to all families.

No child will be denied admission to Sts. Peter and Paul School.



For Communion to the Sick & Homebound, please call John & Diane Mulryan at 336-3320.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun Apr 21 - Easter

Sun Apr 28 - First Communion

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Mon Apr 15 - Weather make-up day - School in session

Tues Apr 16 - Track Meet Frankfort Invitational 1:00 PM


Fri Apr 19 Good Friday to Mon Apr 22 - No School


UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed Apr 18 - Regular Classes. Monitors are Kelly & Carissa Williams and Matthew & Jill Mady

AREA EVENTS:

**The Living Stations at Sacred Heart Church, Baileyville will be Wednesday, April 17 at 7:30 pm. Due to the size of classes, this may be their last one.

 **Filling St. Mary's With Music! Emporia State Univ. A Capella Choir and Chorale Choir will perform on Sun, April 28th at 3:30 PM. No charge. Refreshments.

 **The Running Revs, a basketball team comprised of area priests, will play in Topeka at Hayden HS on Mon April 29 at 7:00pm. HS and 8th grade students, if you would like to play in the Revs game, call Mr. Leonard at SPPS 336-2727.

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