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Baptisms: By appointment

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

Weddings: Six months advance notice

Mass Schedule:

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

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

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

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

September 8, 2019



Happy Grandparents Day!

Grandparents are a family's greatest treasure, the founders of a loving legacy, the greatest storytellers, the keepers of traditions that linger on in cherished memory. Grandparents are the family's strong foundation. Their very special love sets them apart. Through happiness and sorrow, through their special love and caring, grandparents keep a family close at heart."

I want to thank you all for working so hard for the success of our Labor Day picnic. It takes sacrifice of so many generous people to put together a picnic like this. It brings all of us together to grow in faith and love. My special thanks to the St. Anne's Altar Society officers for their planning and implementing. It speaks volumes of the spirit of our parish. Thank you so much for your support. I am proud to be pastor at Sts. Peter and Paul Parish. God Bless you all! - Fr. Arul



If you have questions about the Catholic

Faith, come to the information meeting on Sunday, Sept. 8th @ 6:00 PM in the

Youth Center. Information on RCIA classes will be given by Rick and Joan Henry. These classes are for those considering or desiring to join the Catholic faith. If you have questions, call them at 785-799-4151.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



St. Anne's Altar Society wishes to thank everyone who helped or contributed in any way to make our Labor Day Picnic a success! Special thanks go to all the Chairpersons, Co-chairpersons, those who worked double shifts, and the Quilting Ladies for all of their special work. May God bless each one of you for your dedication to Sts. Peter and Paul Parish!

The Quilting Ladies would like to thank all who helped make the quilt auction a success. We welcome any new quilters to join our group. Quilting is done every Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday afternoons at 1 PM in the Youth Center. The new session will begin Monday, September 9th. If you aren't a quilter and are willing to learn, we are willing to teach!

The greatest Parish Picnic Thank-You goes to our Altar Society officers: Jennifer Nordhus, DeAnn Bennett, Francine Haverkamp, Margaret Schulte, Betty Peterson, Monae Schmelzle, and their spouses who have been working many months to create the success we all enjoyed Sunday evening. Thank you for your dedication.



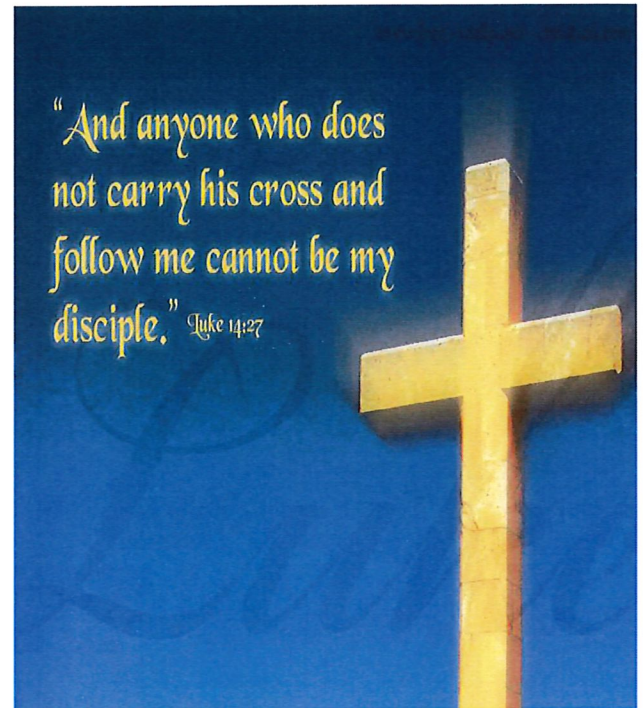
Catechetical Sunday will be celebrated next Sunday, Sept. 15, at the 9:00 Mass. All School Teachers, CCD teachers, RCIA teachers, Good Shepherd teachers, Childrens Church teachers and our DRE are invited to come forward at this Mass to receive the Catechetical Blessing for a successful and blessed new school year.



Masses for September 9th to September 15th

The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Monday</u>	<u>September 9</u> 7:00 AM	<u>Saint Peter Claver, Priest</u> Communion Service
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>September 10</u> 11:00 AM 6:00 PM	<u>23rd Tuesday in Ordinary Time</u> Life Care Center (Fr. Regie) L/D Albert & Ellen Winkler Family Karen Henry
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>September 11</u> 8:00 AM	<u>23rd Wednesday in Ordinary Time</u> Keith Strathman Terry Grauer (Anniv)
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>September 12</u> 7:00 AM	<u>Most Holy Name of Mary</u> Bill & Dora Cross – 60 th Wedding Anniv.
<u>Friday</u>	<u>September 13</u> 8:00 AM 11:00 AM	<u>Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop</u> Alice Sedlacek Jerry Heideman Country Place Sr. Living – August Olberding (Fr. Regie)
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>September 14</u> 8:30 AM 5:00 PM	<u>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</u> Norbert Boeding (Anniv) Ernest Haug
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>September 15</u> 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	<u>Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> For Our Parish Teresa Dodd (Anniv) L/D Henry & Mary Macke Family



Weekday Servers: Sept 10, Sept. 12, Sept. 14 (Tue 6PM, Thurs 7AM, Sat 8:30 AM)
Sept 11, Sept. 13 (Wed & Fri 8AM)

Derek Wurtz & Charlie Rottinghaus
SPPS Students

Servers – Saturday & Sunday, September 14 & September 15

<u>5PM</u>	<u>7AM</u>	<u>9AM</u>	<u>11AM</u>
Ryan Uphaus Kevin Uphaus Luke Schmelzle Sarah Schmelzle	Keaton Rottinghaus Sam Nordhus Caroline Nordhus Ava McKinley	Colby Frehe Natalie Hammes Sadie Haverkamp Logan Deters	Kayla Haverkamp Maryssa Stallbaumer Dane Haverkamp Addie Haverkamp

Assistants at the Eucharist for Saturday & Sunday, September 14 & September 15

	<u>Lector/*Commentator</u>	<u>Communion</u>	<u>Cup</u>	<u>Cantor</u>	<u>Organist</u>
<u>5:00 PM</u>	Allison Schmelzle *Gina Ronnebaum	Jean Wassenberg Kirby Schmelzle	Marilyn Ronnebaum Donna Miller	Cyril Steinlage	Terry Nordhus
<u>7:00 AM</u>	Braden Bramhall *Dean Becker	Randy Heinen Sheryl Heinen	Corley Becker Sydney Schmelzle		
<u>9:00 AM</u>	Hailey Wurtz *Paula Rottinghaus	John Kohake Jerry Rottinghaus	Mary Beth Kohake Ainsley Nordhus	Alan Lierz	Emily Altenhofen
<u>11:00 AM</u>	Heather Suther *Hunter Steinlage	Lynda Cross Cara Baker	Michelle Olberding Aimee Rottinghaus	Allison Hermes	Jan Rottinghaus
<u>Rosary Leaders:</u>	5:00 PM: Joe Kohake		9:00 AM: Alan Lierz		

SPPS PTO Meeting is Tuesday, September 10 @ 7 PM in the Parish Hall. The class with the most parents who attend will receive a pizza party!

SPPS PTO would like to thank all who participated in the Drive For Your School Fundraiser. Vital funds were raised to support SPPS. Thanks!

Stewardship Summary

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

Fiscal Year 7-1-19 to 6-30-20	Week of 09/01/19	Year to Date Totals
Envelope	\$ 8,032.00	\$ 59,502.00
Plate	\$ 1,371.75	\$ 12,042.69
EFT Church	\$	\$ 34,174.00
School	\$ 2,580.00	\$ 75,595.00
EFT/School	\$	\$ 9,019.97
Other	\$ 85.00	\$ 1,314.00
Total	\$ 12,068.75	\$ 191,647.66
Weekly Budget \$21,000.00	Income over/under \$ -8,931.25	Week #9 over/under \$ +2,647.66



Reflections on Divine Mercy and the Eucharist

"A Day of Reflection" will be held on Sat., Sept. 14 with mass at 8:30 AM, followed by the conference from 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM.

RSVP by Sept. 9th to Susan at 785-336-1124. The fee is \$15 and includes breakfast and lunch. The conference will be led by Dr. Thatcher, founder of Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy. The EADM has received three special Apostolic blessings from St. Pope John Paul II for its work!



It's time to decorate your front porch with colorful hardy mums! The SPPS PTO fall mum sale is in full swing. Order forms are located in the back of church and in the school office. Please return all orders to the school office by September 13th. If you have any questions, contact Diana Holthaus at 402-890-2475. The proceeds go toward maintaining the nature area as well as pay for all the flowers around the school and church. Thank you for your support in making our church and school a beautiful place to learn and worship!



Change in Box Tops program: Box Tops program is now going digital. Download the box tops app onto your smart phone

and scan your receipts, or just drop the receipts by the school/church office or in the boxes in the back/side of church and we will do it for you! The receipt needs to be scanned within two weeks of the purchase date. Thanks!

SPPS Calendar Sales: Do you have your School Calendar purchased yet? Ask an SPPS student or come to the school office. Thank you!



Fallen Angels Haunted House: Help Wanted!

It's time to start planning the haunted house for this year. If you are willing to help out and have a great time, please call Josh Rottinghaus @ 620-952-1354!



Please consider taking the following open hours: Sundays 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, Saturdays 3-4 AM, 4-5 AM. Please call/text Betty Sudbeck at 336-4022 to reserve your hour.



The Rosary in the Cemetery will be Wednesday, September 11 at 6:00 PM.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun, Sept. 8 RCIA Meeting - 6 PM - Youth Center
Wed, Sept. 11 Rosary in the Cemetery - 6 PM
Sat, Sept. 14 Day of Reflection - 8:30 AM

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Tues, Sept. 10 PTO Meeting @ 7 PM - Parish Hall
Sat, Sept. 14 Axtell VB Tourney @ Axtell 9 AM
Mon, Sept. 16 No School - Staff Development

UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed, Sept. 11 Regular Class - High School sign up for Lector/Commentator/Eucharistic Minister

AREA EVENTS:

**Victory in Christ - Reigniting the Fire of Renewal
Guardian Angels Church, 1310 Westport Road, Kansas City, MO. Runs from Fri, Sept. 13 from 7-9 PM; Sat. Sept. 14 from 9 AM to 9 PM; & Sun, Sept. 15 from 9:30 to 1 PM. Teachings on spiritual renewal, spirit-filled music, and healing prayer ministry. For registration form, meal options, and pricing, call Carol at 816-885-2322.

**Annunciation Church Picnic, Frankfort Sept. 15
serving from 4 to 7 PM. Roast Beef Dinner with all the trimmings. Adults: \$10; Ages 10 and Under \$5. Cake walk, bingo, train rides and more!

**Knights of Columbus Chicken Fry, Holton Sunday, Sept. 15 at St. Dominic's Hall. Serving from 11 AM to 1 PM. Fried chicken, baked chicken, baked potatoes, baked beans, macaroni salad and desserts! Proceeds support the Holton Special Ed CO-OP.

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