

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

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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

March 15, 2020

Lenten Opportunities:

****Stations of the Cross:** Led by Alan Lierz and are immediately following the 6:00 PM mass on Tuesdays through Lent. Stations are also said on Friday afternoons at 2:00 PM.

****Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Sung by Katie Nordhus and will be held on Thursdays through Lent at 7:00 PM.



True Presence - Mystery of the Eucharist

Classes will be Sunday, March 22nd @

6:30pm in the parish hall; Sunday, March 29

@ 6:30pm in the Youth Center and Sunday, April 5

@ 6:30pm in the Youth Center.

All ages are invited and welcome to join us!

****Parish Office will be closed** on Friday, March 20 for Spring Break.

****There will be No Stations of the Cross** at 2:00 PM on Friday, March 20 due to Spring Break.

Coming Soon to Saints Peter & Paul: Called & Gifted!

Did you know God gives you spiritual gifts to help you be effective at your work and a more effective witness to your faith in the workplace? If you wonder how you are called to be a channel of His love and provision at work and in your community, come to the Called & Gifted Workshop. Everyone is invited on Sat, April 18 in the parish hall from 8:30 to 4:30 pm. To register or find out more, call Katie Nordhus at 294-2145 (ksnordhus@yahoo.com) or Joan Henry at 799-4151 (jehenry_65@yahoo.com).

Third Sunday of Lent

Effective Wednesday, March 11, 2020, Archbishop Naumann has directed all pastors to adopt the following changes at their parish during the celebration of the Mass.

- Drain the holy water fonts
- Suspend the exchange of the sign of peace
- Suspend the distribution of the Precious Blood during Holy Communion
- All those who serve at the altar should wash their hands thoroughly before and after Mass
- Clergy to avoid shaking hands before or after Mass
- Reinforce procedures for having ministers sanitize their hands prior to distributing Holy Communion
- Clergy and ministers should not touch those in the communion line who do not receive
- No hand-holding during the Lord's Prayer
- Greeters to avoid handshakes
- In general avoid all physical contact
- Sanitize hymnals and pews on a regular basis
- Sanitize restrooms regularly
- Provide hand sanitizer at all entrances
- Keep the gifts of bread and wine covered on the credence table in the sanctuary - no offertory gifts
- Ensure that all vessels used are properly sanitized per the manufacturer's instructions after each Mass
- If possible, do the collection in a manner that limits the number of hands touching the basket
- Ask the faithful to not attend Mass if they are sick.

Masses for March 16th to March 22nd

Third Sunday of Lent

<u>Monday</u>	<u>March 16</u> 7:30 AM	<u>Lenten Weekday</u> Communion Service
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>March 17</u> 6:00 PM	<u>Saint Patrick, Bishop</u> Vernus Haverkamp Family Sara Hammes
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>March 18</u> 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	<u>Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor</u> Bill Kuhlman Crestview Manor (Fr. Arul)
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>March 19</u> 7:30 AM	<u>Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary</u> Mary Niehues
<u>Friday</u>	<u>March 20</u> 8:00 AM	<u>Lenten Weekday</u> Gerald & Mildred Mathewson Lawrence Mueting
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>March 21</u> 7:30 AM 5:00 PM	<u>Lenten Weekday</u> L/D Raymond Becker Family Rosemary Luebbe (Anniv)
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>March 22</u> 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	<u>Fourth Sunday of Lent</u> For Our Parish L/D Maurice & Lena Gudenkauf Family Junias Sudbeck (Anniv)



Weekday Servers: Mar 17, Mar 19, Mar 21 (Tue 6 PM, Thurs 7:30 AM, Sat 7:30 AM) Vincent Deters & Jonah Deters
 Mar 18, Mar 20 (Wed 8 AM, Fri 8 AM) Sam Nordhus & Caroline Nordhus

Servers – Saturday & Sunday, March 21 & March 22

<u>5:00 PM</u>	<u>7:00 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11:00 AM</u>
Chase Holthaus	Keaton Rottinghaus	Isabelle Hammes	Dane Haverkamp
Luke Schmelzle	Cali Honeyman	Colby Frehe	Addie Haverkamp
Sarah Schmelzle	Laura Hammes	Kate Niehues	Kaden Peterson
Caleb Strathman	Joel Hammes	Logan Deters	Addison Tangeman

Assistants at the Eucharist for Saturday & Sunday, March 21 & March 22

	<u>LECTOR /*COMMENTATOR</u>	<u>COMMUNION</u>	<u>CUP</u>	<u>CANTOR</u>	<u>ORGANIST</u>
5:00 PM	Ellie Mady *Allison Schmelzle	Bruce Deters Kirby Schmelzle		Knights of Columbus	Terry Nordhus
7:00 AM	Sydney Schmelzle *Doug Schmelzle	Leon Feldkamp Marilyn Nolte			
9:00 AM	Megan Olberding *Galen Niehues	Lacey Frehe Bryce Haverkamp		Katie Nordhus Emily Altenhofen	
11:00 AM	Michelle Olberding *Shannon Holthaus	Cara Baker Carrie Young		Stacy Rethman Deb Rethman	

ROSARY LEADER 5:00 PM: Dennis Henry 9:00 AM: John Kohake

Holy Water: There is a container of holy water located in the Narthex. If you would like to bring a container from home, you may fill it up and bring the holy water home with you. Thank you!

We have hit our Archbishop's Call to Share goal!
Thank you to all who have given to help our Church in NE Kansas thrive.



Adoration Hours: "Spend as much time as possible in front of the Blessed Sacrament and He will fill you with His strength and His power". Mother Teresa

Thursdays 1-2 AM, Saturdays 3-4 AM, 10-11 PM, 4-5 AM, Sundays 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM. Please call Betty Sudbeck at 336-4022 to reserve your hour.



Easter Plant Order: Anyone wishing to donate a plant to the Church for Easter should call Seneca Florist at 336-6186 before March 27. The options will be Easter Lily's, Hydrangeas, Azaleas, Klanchoes, and Mums.

Faith, Hope & Charity: Our weekly donation report shows a total of \$5,465.00 collected towards our deficit for the current year of \$113,709.47. Please prayerfully consider making your donation to help cover the cost. Please use these envelopes for your contribution. You may put them in the Sunday collection, mail or bring them to the Parish Office. "Charity begins at home, let us together grow in charity."

"Teams of Our Lady" information meeting and soup meal after the 5:00 PM mass on Sat, March 21 in the Parish Hall, for any couple who would like to find out more information on joining "Teams of Our Lady". Come find out what it's all about!

For more info, contact Joan Henry - 799-4151; Margie Shinn - 336-3325; and Julie Strathman 294-8360.

chwc **Catholic Heart Work Camp Meeting** is set for Sun, March 22 at 7 PM in the SPP Youth Center. Campers will be filling out paperwork and getting started with the Pork Chop Dinner fundraiser. 2nd payment will be due at this time. Bring a copy of your health insurance card. Call 294-0927 or 336-1266 for questions.



Adult Choir Practice will be held on Tuesday, March 17th @ 7:00 PM in church.

The Living in Love weekend is coming to Sts. Peter & Paul Parish. Mark your calendars for the weekend of March 28 & 29. Contact the parish office with any questions at 336-2128.

Grand Opening and Retirement Reception-Soul Provider Christian Book & Gift Store will be hosting a retirement reception for the former owner, Linda Broxterman on Sat, March 28 along with the Grand Opening from 9:00 to 3:00 PM. Ribbon cutting and Community Prayer at 10:00. Stop by to register for door prizes, live music, spin the wheel, and shop newly arrived inventory, just in time for Easter!

Stewardship Summary

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

Fiscal Year 7-1-19 to 6-30-20	Week of 03/08/20	Year to Date Totals
Envelope	\$ 7,075.00	\$ 249,929.00
Plate	\$ 889.00	\$ 75,121.94
EFT Church	\$	\$ 134,549.00
School	\$ 5,300.00	\$ 149,835.00
EFT/School	\$	\$ 40,033.79
Other	\$ 5.00	\$ 12,578.00
Total	\$ 13,269.00	\$ 663,290.53
Weekly Budget \$21,000.00	Income over/under \$ -7,731.00	Week #36 over/under \$ -113,709.47

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun, March 22 Eucharist Series-Parish Hall - 6:30
Sun, April 12 Easter
March 28-29 Living in Love Retreat

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

March 14- Spring Break
March 22

UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed, March 18 No Classes due to Spring Break


AREA EVENTS:

****Sons of American Legion Fish Fry** - Fri, March 20 serving from 4:30 to 7:00 PM at the American Legion. Pollock, catfish, & shrimp.
****Baileyville Knights of Columbus Fish Fry** - Fri, March 20 serving from 5 PM to 8 PM. in the Sacred Heart Church Basement. Free will donation!
****Frankfort Knights of Columbus Fish Fry** - Fri, March 20 serving from 5:00 to 7:30 PM. Pollock, cheesy potatoes, corn bread & green beans in the Annunciation Cigna Center. Free Will Donation!
****Axtell Knights of Columbus All You Can Eat Boiled Shrimp, Smoked Pork Chops & Frog Legs** - Sat, March 28. Adult tickets \$16, children \$8. All proceeds go to various charities. For tickets, contact Kurt Sack (294-0440), Tony Smith (713-1311) or stop by Henry's Liquor in Seneca.

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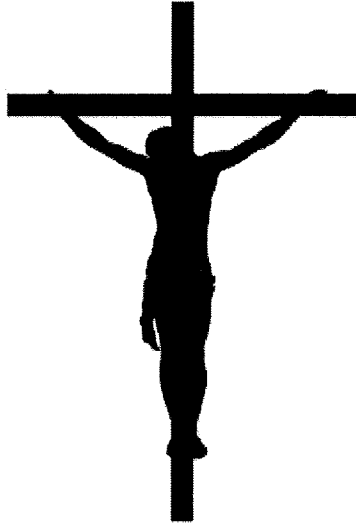
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LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES



Date	Time	Location
March 22	3:00 PM	Corning
March 22	3:00 PM	Baileyville
March 22	6:00 PM	Wetmore
March 22	6:00 PM	Frankfort
March 29	3:00 PM	Kelly
March 29	3:00 PM	St. Benedict
March 29	3:00 PM	Axtell
March 29	5:00 PM	Marysville
April 5	3:00 PM	Seneca
April 5	6:00 PM	Sabetha

6:00 – 7:00 PM Wednesday Evenings

3:30 – 4:30 PM Saturday Afternoons

Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church
 Seneca, KS
 Holy Week & Easter Services
 2020

April 4 & 5	Palm Sunday (Regular Weekend Schedule)
April 6 – Monday	7:30 AM Communion Service
April 7 – Tuesday	11:00 AM Chrism Mass at Archdiocese Pastoral Center 6:00 PM Mass
April 8 – Wednesday	8:00 AM Mass
April 9 – Holy Thursday	7:00 PM Mass of the Lord’s Last Supper Washing of the feet and Eucharistic Procession are during Mass. Adoration will continue in Church after Mass until midnight.
April 10 – Good Friday	Day of Abstinence & Fast 3:00 PM Celebration of the Lord’s Passion 7:00 PM Living Stations of the Cross
April 11 – Holy Saturday	3:00 – 4:00 PM Confessions 7:00 PM Easter Vigil Mass with Candidates reception of the Sacraments
April 12 – Easter Sunday	6:30 AM Mass 8:00 AM Mass 9:30 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass

