



## Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

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**Baptisms:** By appointment

**Reconciliation:** Saturday 2:30-3:30 PM or by appointment

**Weddings:** Six months advance notice

### Mass Schedule:

**Weekday Mass: Monday** No Mass/Communion Service Only 7:30 AM

**Tuesday:** 6:00 PM, **Wednesday & Friday:** 8:00 AM, **Thursday:** 7:30 AM

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

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

## October 18th, 2020 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### World Mission Sunday



In this current time of uncertainty, the call to mission, the invitation to step out of ourselves for love of God and neighbor presents itself as an opportunity for sharing, service and intercessory prayer. The mission that God entrusts to each one of us leads us from fear and introspection to a renewed realization that we find ourselves precisely when we give ourselves to others. Are we, like Mary, the Mother of Jesus, ready to be completely at the service of God's will? This is essential if we are to say to God: "Here am I, Lord, send me". Let that someone be you.



In Memoriam - Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated for Wilfred "Bill" Ronnebaum on Wednesday, October 14, 2020 at Sts. Peter and Paul Church.

In Memoriam - Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated for Vivian Heideman on Saturday, October 17, 2020 at Sts. Peter and Paul Church. Let us remember Wilfred, Vivian, and their families in our prayers.



### Welcome to the Christian Community:

Jameson Lowell Schmelzle, son of Lucas & Michaela (Stallbaumer) Schmelzle, who was baptized Sunday, October 18th, 2020 at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Jameson's godparents are Jonathan Stallbaumer and Sydney Schmelzle. May God's continued blessings be on Jameson, his parents and godparents.

The Parish House will be open on Sunday, Oct. 18 from 1:00-4:00 PM. Mike Steinlage will be available with forms to fill out if you are interested in purchasing items (such as cabinets, doors, trim, etc.).



SPPS Book Fair is coming soon! This year it will be held in Father's garage. The book fair hours will be Sun, Oct 25, 10 am to 3 pm, Tues Oct 27, 3 to 7 pm and Thurs Oct 29, 3 to 7 pm. Everyone is welcome! Come support your school & teachers. Masks will be required, and temperature checks will be done. If you have questions, please contact Kelli Uphaus 785-294-8479.



The Seneca Knights of Columbus will be celebrating their annual Memorial Mass for the deceased K of C members on Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> at the 6:00 PM mass.

The Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive will be handing out tootsie rolls again this year after the Masses on October 24/25. We will be placing the tootsie rolls on a sanitized table and you can simply pick up however many you want and you can put a donation into the containers. We are trying to limit person to person contact as much as we can, and maintain some social distancing. Please be supportive, as most of this money will benefit NCTC and Friends of the Handicapped. Thank you for your support!



# Masses for October 19th to October 25th

## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time-World Mission Sunday

<u>Monday</u>	<u>October 19</u> 7:30 AM	<u>Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues</u> Communion Service
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>October 20</u> 6:00 PM	<u>Saint Paul of the Cross, Priest</u> L/D Jerry & Alice Heideman Family
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>October 21</u> 8:00 AM	<u>29<sup>th</sup> Wednesday in Ordinary Time</u> L/D Gress Family Bob Strathman
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>October 22</u> 7:30 AM	<u>Saint John Paul II, Pope</u> Leonard Ronnebaum Joe & Emma Ronnebaum
<u>Friday</u>	<u>October 23</u> 8:00 AM	<u>Saint John of Capistrano, Priest</u> L/D of Larry Haug Family Ariel Esslinger
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>October 24</u> 7:30 AM 5:00 PM	<u>Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop</u> Karen Esslinger Marcena Stallbaumer (Anniv.)
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>October 25</u> 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	<u>Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> L/D Don & Lucille Winkler Family Shirley Kokenge (Anniv.) For Our Parish



Weekday Servers: Oct. 20, Oct. 22, Oct. 24 (Tue 6 PM, Thurs 7:30 AM, Sat 7:30 AM) Braxten Cain & Autumn Feldkamp  
Oct. 21, Oct. 23 (Wed 8 AM, Fri 8 AM) SPPS Students

### Servers – Saturday & Sunday, October 24 & October 25

<u>5:00 PM</u>	<u>7:00 AM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11:00 AM</u>
Vincent Deters Logan Haug	Rachel Haverkamp Kaylee Haverkamp	Colby Frehe Levi Thomas	Maryssa Stallbaumer Olivia Ganstrom

### Assistants at the Eucharist for Saturday & Sunday, October 24 & October 25

	<u>LECTOR/ *COMMENTATOR</u>	<u>COMMUNION</u>	<u>CANTOR</u>	<u>ORGANIST</u>
<b>5:00 PM</b>	Wade Leonard *Bob Niehues	Gina Ronnebaum Mary Sack	Cyril Steinlage	Owen Zinke
<b>7:00 AM</b>	Andrew Henry *Joe Mitchell	Kim Bontrager Doug Schmelzle		
<b>9:00 AM</b>	Ashley Carlson *Joe Kohake	Lacey Frehe Bryce Haverkamp	Allison Hermes	Emily Altenhofen
<b>11:00 AM</b>	Cassidy Rethman *Shannon Holthaus	Peter Ganstrom Kristy Wilhelm		
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	5:00 PM Bob Niehues	9:00 AM Joe Kohake		

Virtual Gaudeamus Gala - Saturday, October 24.  
The Catholic Education Foundation's Gaudeamus event provides access for 1,600+ low-income students to attend a Catholic school in our archdiocese. Register at [cefgala.org](http://cefgala.org) or call (913)647-0344.



2020 Election Novena - The USCCB is offering an Election Novena to help Catholics prepare for the upcoming election. For nine consecutive days, Monday, October 26 through Tuesday, November 3, participants will be encouraged to pray one Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be for the day's intention. A closing prayer for elected officials will be offered on day 10, Wednesday, November 4. To sign up to receive the Novena daily by email, go to <https://www.usccb.org/2020-election-novena>.



The upcoming Kansas election matters!  
The Catholic Bishops of Kansas call VALUE THEM BOTH the #1 legislative priority. Before casting your vote this election, become informed about this and other issues. Then exercise your responsibility of faithful citizenship and VOTE. More information can be found at [www.archkck.org/prolife-ks-constitutional-amendment](http://www.archkck.org/prolife-ks-constitutional-amendment).

**RCIA** RCIA class has begun and if you know of someone that is interested in becoming Catholic or someone that is not sure and has questions, it is not too late to inquire. Class is at the Youth Center, Sunday evenings @ 5:30pm. Call Rick and Joan Henry if interested at 785-799-4151.

One Faith, One Family, One Future Campaign Update shows that 9.21% of our parishioners have pledged \$45,535.00. Our parish goal is \$765,000. Thank you for your support!



Open Hours for Adoration: Are you feeling stressed and helpless about the world right now? The only thing we know for certain is that we need to pray. To take an hour, please contact Betty Sudbeck at 336-4022.

Thursday	1:00-2:00 AM
Friday	10:00-11:00 AM
Saturday	3:00-4:00 AM 4:00-5:00 AM 11:00 PM-12:00 AM
Sunday	1:00-2:00 AM 3:00-4:00 AM



A Patriotic Rosary will be held each Monday night until election day at 7 PM at Saints Peter and Paul Church. Patriotic songs are sung and words are read from some of our Founding Fathers. All are welcome!

#### New on Formed: The Search

What is this journey in between the event we call "birth" and the one we call "death"? Is the journey taking you somewhere, or are you leading yourself to some kind of destination, one that extends beyond your last breath? The questions are there. And, the answers are too. Each Friday, a new episode of The Search will be shown exclusively on Formed. Don't miss out!

#### Stewardship Summary

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

Fiscal Year 7-1-20 to 6-30-21	Week of 10/11/20	Year to Date Totals
Envelope	\$ 10,973.64	\$ 89,365.64
Plate	\$ 967.00	\$ 19,693.08
EFT Church	\$ 6,999.00	\$ 58,532.00
School	\$ 3,331.67	\$ 90,412.67
EFT/School	\$ 2,609.07	\$ 17,694.50
Other	\$ 1,224.00	\$ 5,149.00
Total	\$ 26,104.38	\$ 280,846.89
Weekly Budget \$21,000.00	Income over/under \$ +5,104.38	Week #15 over/under \$ -44,900.11

Faith, Hope & Charity: Our weekly donation report shows a total of \$2,100.00 which makes our total \$32,345.00 collected towards our deficit for the current year which started over July 1, 2020. Thank you for your support!

#### UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun, Oct. 18	Parish House Open from 1-4 PM RCIA @ 7 PM in Youth Center
Mon, Oct. 19	Patriotic Rosary @ 7 PM in Church

#### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Mon, Oct. 25	Book Fair in Father's Garage See front page for times
Fri, Oct. 30	No School

#### UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed, Oct. 21	Regular CCD Class
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#### AREA EVENTS

\*\*Fall Fun at Open Gate Prairie Star Ranch  
Saturday, October 24 from 10 AM to 5 PM. Fall colors, trail rides, costumes, no-contact trick-or-treating! Visit [archkck.org/ranch](http://archkck.org/ranch) or call 785-746-5693 for more info.



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