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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:** 4:00 PM

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

## February 14, 2021



Lent begins this week with Ash

Wednesday Masses on Wed, Feb. 17

at 8:00 AM, 12 Noon, and 7:00 PM.

### Lenten Regulations:

- Abstain from meat on all Fridays in Lent: For all Catholics who have reached the age of reason and older.
- Fast & Abstain on Ash Wednesday & Good Friday. All Catholics are obliged to fast, with no eating between meals on those two days.
- Personal Fasting: Try to find opportunities during Lent to compliment your fasts with prayer, frequent attendance at daily Mass, and positive works of charity and mercy.

### Lenten Opportunities:

**\*\*STATIONS OF THE CROSS WITH MASS:** Every Friday during Lent, beginning Fri, Feb. 19, Stations of the Cross will be led by Alan Lierz at 6:00 PM, with Mass immediately following.

**\*\*School Stations of the Cross:** Every Friday at 2 PM, beginning Fri, Feb. 19, for the school children and all who wish to attend.

**\*\*Come to Confession:** During Lent, confession is available on Wednesdays from 6-7 PM.



Starting next Sun, Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>, four servers will be used at the Sunday masses. The cassock's and ropes will be sanitized. Please watch the bulletin to see if your child is down to serve. Thank you!

## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### 2021 Parish Theme

**St. Joseph - Pray for Us**

**"He Was a Just Man"**

On Dec 8, 2020, Pope Francis announced the beginning of the year of St. Joseph. St. Joseph is a model of individual surrender to God and availability to divine appointment. We are prayerful that this year of St. Joseph will be a catalyst to Enflame our Homes.



**Flowers** - The bouquet on the Main Altar is in loving memory of Elmer & Aurelia Heiman.

"Our joys are greater, our love is deeper, our life is fuller because we shared your moment."



### Welcome to the Christian Community:

Boone William Hiltibrand, son of Dylan & Barb (Holland) Hiltibrand, who was baptized Saturday, February 13, 2021 at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Boone's godparents are Logan Hiltibrand and Betsy Macke. May God's continued blessings be on Boone, his parents and godparents.

Congratulations to the new Eucharistic Ministers! They will be commissioned at the 9:00 AM mass today. They are Landen Baker, Andrew Henry, McKynsey Henry, Hailey Wurtz, Allison Schmelzle, Duane Anderson, Kris Anderson, and Mary Ann Anderson.



# SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## Mass Intentions – Feb 15 thru Feb 21

<b>Monday,</b> 7:30 AM	<b>February 15 – 6<sup>th</sup> Monday In Ordinary Time</b> Communion Service
<b>Tuesday,</b> 6:00 PM	<b>February 16 – 6<sup>th</sup> Tuesday in Ordinary Time</b> Steve Wilhelm (Anniv.) Cotton Haug (Anniv.) George Heideman (Anniv.)
<b>Wednesday,</b> 8:00 AM 12:00 PM 7:00 PM	<b>February 17 – Ash Wednesday</b> Ray Wende (Anniv.) Altenhofen & Roeder Families Merlin Deters
<b>Thursday,</b> 7:30 AM	<b>February 18 – Thursday after Ash Wed.</b> Audrey Mueeting
<b>Friday,</b> 8:00 AM 2:00 PM 6:00 PM	<b>February 19 – Friday after Ash Wed.</b> George & Rita Holthaus Stations of the Cross Stations & Mass – Suffering Souls
<b>Saturday,</b> 7:30 AM 4:00 PM	<b>February 20 – 6<sup>th</sup> Saturday after Ash Wed.</b> Marilyn Becker Gerald & Mildred Mathewson
<b>Sunday,</b> 7:00 AM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM	<b>February 21 – First Sunday of Lent</b> Elmer Brinker Jacob Kremer For Our Parish

## Stewardship Summary

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

Fiscal Year 7-1-20 to 6-30-21	Week of 02/07/21	Year to Date Totals
<i>Envelope</i>	\$ 6,691.00	\$ 188,049.14
<i>Plate</i>	\$ 2,324.50	\$ 52,931.60
<i>EFT/Church</i>	\$	\$ 120,137.00
<i>School</i>	\$ 2,195.00	\$ 132,721.01
<i>EFT/School</i>	\$	\$ 35,688.67
<i>Other</i>	\$ 96.00	\$ 12,998.00
<i>Total</i>	\$ 11,306.50	\$ 542,525.42
<i>Weekly Budget</i> \$21,000.00	<i>Income over/under</i> \$ -9,693.50	<i>Week #32 over/under</i> \$ -161,221.58
<i>Faith, Hope, &amp; Charity</i>	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 109,485.00



## Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours

Thursday: 1:00-2:00 AM  
Saturday: 3:00-4:00 AM  
4:00-5:00 AM  
Sunday: 1:00-2:00 AM  
3:00-4:00 AM

Call Betty at 336-4022 to reserve your quiet hour with the Lord.

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### Weekday Servers:

Feb. 16, Feb. 18, Feb. 20 (Tue 6 PM, Thurs 7:30 AM, Sat 7:30 AM)  
Tanner Schmelzle, Graham Leonard  
Feb. 17, Feb. 19 (Wed 8 AM, Fri 8 AM)  
SPPS Students

### Ash Wednesday, February 17 at 12:00 PM

Lector/Commentator.....Jim Strathman  
Communion.....Margie Shinn  
Servers.....Clarissa Hemman, Timothy Hemman

### Ash Wednesday, February 17 at 7:00 PM

Lector.....Cole Hermesch  
Commentator.....Nikki Honeyman  
Communion.....Andrew Henry, Peter Ganstrom  
Servers.....Cali Honeyman, Kadence Henry

### Friday, Feb 19 - 6:00 PM - Stations followed by Mass

Lector/Commentator.....Joan Henry  
Communion.....Jim Runnebaum, Myra Runnebaum  
Servers.....Conner Lueger, Teagan Lueger

### Saturday, February 20 at 4:00 PM

Lector.....Carter Lutz  
Commentator.....Bob Niehues  
Communion.....Lori Carlson, Damian Enneking  
Cantor/Organist.....Eileen Love/ Owen Zinke  
Servers.....Jordyn Haverkamp, Jackson Haverkamp  
.....Caleb Strathman, Harper Strathman

### Sunday, February 21 at 7:00 AM

Lector.....Joe Mitchell  
Commentator.....Dean Becker  
Communion.....Randy Heinen, Sheryl Heinen  
Cantor/Organist.....  
Servers.....Reese Gerety, Reagan Gerety  
.....Cayden Holthaus, Joel Hammes

### Sunday, February 21 at 9:00 AM

Lector.....Kaleb Reitz  
Commentator.....Ashley Carlson  
Communion.....Kim Bontrager, Hailey Wurtz  
Cantor/Organist.....K of C Choir, Terry Nordhus  
Servers.....Sam Nordhus, Caroline Nordhus  
.....Lena McKinley, Ava McKinley

### Sunday, February 21 at 11:00 AM

Lector.....Jonah Deters  
Commentator.....Brenda Deters  
Communion.....Cara Baker, Landen Baker  
Cantor/Organist.....Stacy Rethman, Jan Rottinghaus  
Servers.....Kaden Peterson, Olivia Ganstrom  
.....Charlie Rottinghaus, Callie Schultejeans

Rosary Leaders: 4:00 PM Joe Kohake 9:00 Dennis Henry





K of C Pork Chop Dinner - Curbside pickup only at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday Feb. 20 serving from 4:45 to 7:00 PM. Cost is \$12.00 per meal, which includes Pork Chop, Baked Potato and Green Beans.



A Patriotic Rosary will be held every third Monday night at 7 PM at Saints Peter and Paul Church. The next rosary will be Monday, February 15th. Patriotic songs are sung and words are read from some of our Founding Fathers. All are welcome!



The FORGIVEN Parish Mission continues today, Sun, Feb. 14 @ 4 PM in church. The mission will

be held every Sunday, ending March 7th @ 4:00 PM. Come to one session or to all!



Have you ever considered fostering or adopting a child? The Archdiocesan THRIVE! Ministry will be hosting a Foster, Adopt & Respite Training & Licensing Information Session via Zoom on Sunday, Feb 28th from 4:00-5:00 pm. This informational session is for couples and/or individuals interested in learning more about caring for vulnerable children or supporting families who already do by providing respite childcare. Go to: <https://archkck18.wufoo.com/forms/foster-adopt-respite-information-session> to register. Contact Deb Niesen in the Pro-Life Office at [dniesen@archkck.org](mailto:dniesen@archkck.org) for



### Archbishop Call To Share

We now have a safe and secure way to make your 2021 commitment online. If you are interested, open up the Internet browser on your phone and type in <https://mission.archkck.org/> where you'll be able to make a safe and secure recurring, or a one-time gift, online.

At this time, 76 donors have pledged \$22,270. Our pledge target is \$38,838. Thank you for your generosity!

### AREA EVENTS:

**\*\*Frankfort Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner**  
Sun, Feb. 28 serving from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Carryout Only, \$10.00 per meal. Serving spaghetti bake, green beans, garlic bread, cookies & drink.

**\*\*RCYC is finally here and coming on March 27-28 at Prairie Star Ranch!** Registration opens February 11<sup>th</sup> and participant numbers will be limited due to required spacing. Plans for an amazing weekend of faith, friends, fun, and food are being finalized, so watch your bulletin for more details coming soon!

**\*\*Crisis Pregnancy Center of Jackson County**, open Wednesdays from 10-3 at 109 E. 5<sup>th</sup> Street in Holton, KS. Free for ages newborn to 24 months as available are diapers, wipes, infant/toddler clothing, formula and baby food, bottles and nursery items. Call 785-364-5400 or go to [jacopregnancycenter.com](http://jacopregnancycenter.com)

**\*\*Worldwide Marriage Encounter** is coming to your house! Join for a virtual weekend experience, Feb. 26-28, 2021. For more info or to apply, visit [www.wmme4youandme.org](http://www.wmme4youandme.org) or call/text Deacon Tony & Barb Zimmerman at 816-741-4066.

Join Respect Life Prayer & Action! Thank you to those who prayed for the protection of human life over the past month. What's Next? Archbishop Naumann, chair of the U.S. bishops' Committee on Pro-Life Activities, invites you to join a growing grassroots network of Catholics praying and advocating for life. To subscribe to Respect Life Prayer & Action go to: [www.usccb.org/pro-life-subscriptions](http://www.usccb.org/pro-life-subscriptions).

### UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Sun, Feb. 14	FORGIVEN Mission - 4 PM
Wed, Feb. 17	Ash Wednesday Mass times: 8 AM, 12 PM, 7 PM
Fri, Feb. 19	Stations & Mass @ 6 PM

### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Mon, Feb. 15	No School
Fri, Feb. 19	Stations of the Cross @ 2 PM

### UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed, Feb. 17	No Classes Attend Ash Wednesday mass @ 7 PM
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