

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish & School

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Parish Office Hours
Monday-Friday
9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Closed for lunch 12-1 PM

May 25, 2025

MASS TIMES

Saturday
5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday
7:00 AM; 9:00 AM;
11:00 AM

DAILY MASS

Monday
7:30 AM

Tuesday
6:00 PM

Wednesday & Friday
8:00 AM

Thursday
12:05 PM

Saturday
7:30 AM

Reconciliation

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

Saints Peter & Paul

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6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you."
- Jn 14:27a

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

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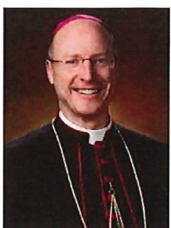
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – MAY 18TH, 2025

Mass Intentions – May 26 – June 1

Monday, 9:30 AM	May 26th – Memorial Day † Glenda Wilhem
Tuesday, 6:00 PM	May 27th – Saint Augustine of Canterbury † Francis & Rosemary Harland † Mark & Rosie Fangman † Ralph & Maragret Studer
Wednesday, 6:00 PM	May 28th – Easter Weekday † Gerald “Jerry” Heinen
Thursday, 12:05 PM	May 29th – Saint Paul VI L/D Family of James & Jerrie Huerter † Gregory Fangman
Friday, 12:05 PM	May 30th – Easter Weekday Gary Hermes
Saturday,	May 31st – The Visitations of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00 AM	Poor Souls in Purgatory
5:00 PM	L/D Family of Rose Winterschedit
Sunday, June 1st – Ascension of the Lord	
7:00 AM	† Ernie Feldkamp (Anniv.)
9:00 AM	John & Mary Beth Kohake 40 th Wedding Anniv!!
11:00 AM	For our Parish

Stewardship Summary		
Projected Yearly Budget \$1,518,735.16 (parish & school)		
Fiscal Year 7-1-24 to 6-30-25	Week of 5/18/2025	Year to Date Totals
Plate	\$ 2,942.00	\$ 100,588.02
Envelope	\$ 4,015.00	\$ 267,922.64
EFT/Church	\$ -	\$ 236,355.00
School	\$ 455.00	\$ 68,643.00
EFT/School	\$ -	\$ 65,810.07
Other that stays in our parish	\$ 305.00	\$ 17,337.00
Total	\$ 7,717.00	\$ 756,655.73
Weekly Budget \$21,000.00	Income over/under	Week #46 Over/under
	\$ -13,283.00	\$ -221,971.66
Faith, Hope, & Charity	\$ 600.00	\$ 115,990.35

UPDATED NOTE: Thank you for your generous donations to Father Arul’s memorial. In the next few weeks, there will be a temporary cross erected in the lawn in front of the rectory until the final memorial project is decided. This cross is not the final, permanent memorial. Thank you for your patience with us as we seek to honor Father Arul and his legacy at Sts. Peter & Paul to the best of our ability, and please know that we have your donations designated for this future project.



Archbishop Shawn McKnight will be installed as Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas on Tuesday, May 27th
~God, eternal shepherd, you tend your Church in many ways and rule us with love. You have chosen your servant, Shawn McKnight, to be a shepherd of your flock. Give him a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he build your Church as a sign of salvation for the world.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekday Servers:

May 27, 31 (Tue 6 PM, Sat 8 AM)

Bella Haverkamp / Baxter Haverkamp

May 28, 30 (Wed 6 PM, Fri 12:05 AM)

Ava Stallbaumer / Will Stallbaumer

Saturday, May 31st at 5:00 PM

Servers..... Jacoby Bergman / Landon Fitzgearld

..... Isabella & Cecylia Holthaus

Lector Levi Thomas

Commentator..... Gina Ronnebaum

Communion Lucas Holthaus / Jean Wassenberg

..... Gary & Brenda Niehues

Cantor/Organist..... Alan Lierz / Terry Nordhus

Sunday, June 1st at 7:00 AM

Servers..... Emil Voracek / Alec Nordhus

..... Josie Steinlage / Miles Kuckelman

Lector Steve Bennett

Commentator..... Duane, Kris & Sarah Anderson

Communion..... Logan Haug

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Sunday, June 1st at 9:00 AM

Servers..... Matilda Hermes / Kamryn Carlson

..... Dominic Osterhaus / Kolton Kidd

Lector Kennedy Carlson

Commentator..... Ashley Carlson

Communion... Rachel Haverkamp / Sadie Haverkamp

..... Lyndon & Tammy Bragdon

Cantor/Organist Katie Nordhus / Owen Zinke

Sunday, June 1st at 11:00 AM

Servers..... Emma & Sam Tangeman

..... Kenly Kramer / Ian Haverkamp

Lector Addison Tangeman

Commentator..... James Lueger

Communion Cara Baker / Addie Haverkamp

..... Ryker Dalinghaus / Adam Niehues

Cantor/Organist....Cyril Steinlage / Francine Haverkamp

Rosary Leaders: 5:00 PM..... Marjean Moore

9:00 AM Joan Henry

The Parish Office will be closed May 26th & 27th (Monday & Tuesday). You can use the black drop box as needed. Summer office hours start the week of June 2nd. 8:00am – 12:00pm.

SPPS 18th Annual Golf Tournament: June 7th, 2025.

Registration from 8:30 – 9:00 For more information

please contact Todd Leonard 785-336-2727 /

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For Communion to the Sick & Homebound

Please Call Ed & Sharon Lueger @ 336-1716

Looking for a peaceful summer?

Every summer is naturally a time of transition, and this summer is far more than usual! With the transitions we are having as a church (new pastor, bishop, and pope) and personally (graduations, funerals, moves, etc), it is easy to feel out of sorts and destabilized.

As I wrote last week, the love of Jesus is the one thing that doesn't change even as everything else, externally or internally, feels like it is in disarray. I would like to challenge and propose to all of us to double down on our commitment to soak in Jesus' love through Eucharistic adoration.

We naturally resist commitments in today's culture, but there can be few commitments better than spending time beholding God!

Please consider signing up for a slot if you haven't already or taking a slot with a partner. Obviously, there will be times when you are unable to make it, and that is why the goal is to have two people signed up for each hour as well as having a long list of substitutes for you to reach out to if you can't make it on certain weekends.

Even if you don't officially have a slot, you are always welcome and encouraged to come to adoration times to spend even a few minutes with our Eucharistic Lord.

Here are the empty slots at Sts. Peter and Paul, but please consider taking the second slot for those that already have one signed up!

OPEN HOURS OF ADORATION

<u>Mon</u>		<u>Fri</u>	4-5 AM 1-2 PM	
<u>Tues</u>	12-1 AM	<u>Sat</u>	12-1 AM 3-4 AM 1-2 AM 2-3 AM	
<u>Wed</u>	2-3 AM	<u>Sun</u>	1-2 AM 3-4 AM 2-3 AM 6-7 AM	
<u>Thurs</u>	1-2 AM 2-3 AM			

Please reach out to Betty at 785-336-4022 to be put on the weekly list.

Thank you for this crucial spiritual support of the parish and your own families!

Rejoice in hope,

Fr. Joel

SPP Mission Center: May 26th – June 1st CLOSED / June 2nd Open for business at the new building on hwy 36. PLEASE BRING ALL DONATIONS TO THE STORE ON THE HIGHWAY. Thank you!!



Celebrating 70 Years of Love and Faith! Married at Sts. Peter and Paul, May 21st, 1955, Henry and Mary (Gudenkauf) Elder, now living in Overland Park, Ks., They celebrated their 70th Wedding Anniversary this past week. Please keep them in your prayers on their joyous occasion. Cards of congratulations may be sent to them at 8200 W 80th, Overland Park, KS. 66204.

The St. Ann's Altar Society is seeking out a few volunteers to help spruce up the rectory before Fr. Joel moves in. The cleaning will take place Wednesday, May 28 at 8:00 am. Call Molly Strathman if you are able to help 785-312-0463

Cookies will be served after all masses on May 31st & June 1st. These are provided by the parishes of St Columbkille in Blaine, KS & St Vincent De Paul in Onaga.

Memorial Day Mass is Monday, May 26th at the cemetery. The time is now at 9:30 AM instead of 9:00 AM. Mass intention is for Glenda Wilhem.



Happy Memorial Day!

Thank you to all members of our military, past and present, living and deceased. "Our flag does not fly because the wind moves it. It flies with the last breath of each soldier who died protecting it."

CHWC: Final Meeting will be Sunday, June 1st/ParishHall/12pm

The summer liturgical ministry duties are attached to this weekends bulletin. The weekday mass times are now incorrect on the sheets. If your child is scheduled for Tuesday & Wednesday the correct time is now 6 PM. If they are scheduled for Friday the correct time is now 12:05 PM. If they are scheduled for Saturday the correct time is now 8:00 AM.

Grief Support for those Mourning a Loss: A new session of "Seasons of Hope", a support group for the bereaved, will begin Sunday, June 8th at 5pm at the basement of Sts. Peter and Paul. Seasons of Hope is a Christ-Centered support group that is a nurturing link to the church, the Almighty and anyone of faith who are also mourning. Anyone who is mourning the loss is invited to come and bring a guest. Come and be comforted. For more information or to join the group you can text or call any of the following facilitators. Julie Strathman 294-8360; Roger Becker 364-6393; Janet Hermes 294-0779

Church Directory News: We are still waiting on the proof I was told it should be sent out in the next couple of weeks. After receiving and reviewing it will be 4-6 weeks before we get the shipment of books. If you have any questions call 336-2128



Rosary at the Cemetery will be this Wednesday, May 28th @ 6 PM weather permitting. The rosary will continue every other Wednesday to pray for our deceased loved ones. If you have any questions or would like to receive reminders or cancelation texts, please text Joe Kohake your name to be added to the group chat. 785-548-5209

BINGO- This is a Free Activity! At the Senior Hub located at the Community Building 1500 Community Dr in Seneca May 23, 2025 from 1-2 pm



"Freedom in Christ" video series beginning on Saturday, May 31st, 9:30 a.m. at the youth center. This eight-week series will teach the "Unbound" method of prayer ministry. To register or for more information, please call or text Cindy Hemman at 785-336-3630 or Carol Caffrey at 785-556-2075. There is a \$20 registration fee for the cost of the workbook. Deadline for registration is Wednesday, May 21st.

St. James Church of Wetmore, Ks. Picnic, Games and Auction. Sunday, June 8th. Roast Beef & Ham Dinner, Homemade Desserts. Serving starts at 4:30pm. Auction starts at 8:00pm.

Labor Day Picnic: Any individual, business or organization interested in donating items for the Auction, Chance Book, or Bingo, please contact Michelle Haverkamp (785-294-1697) or Andrea Lutz (913-945-0117) before July 1st. Anyone who has glassware to donate for the dime toss, please take it to the Mission Center. If you are or know of a college student who will be home the weekend of the picnic and would be willing to work or be "on call" for a shift, please contact Diana Harris (785-294-0678). *Thank you!*

Archbishop Call to Share. *Updated as of 05/19/25*				
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~ II Corinthians 9:10

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