

Upcoming Events
 AA: Meeting every Sunday at 8 p.m. in parish hall & Wednesday mornings at 8 a.m. in parish hall. These are open meetings and all are welcome!

January 10 ~ Rel. Ed./CYO & Adult classes after Mass.
January 14 ~ Office closed after 9 am - Fr. John & Daylene have meeting in Salina
January 17 ~ Rel. Ed./CYO/Adult Classes after Mass
 Pot luck supper in honor of Fr. John's 75th birthday - meat dish provided - see sign up sheets in the back of church!
January 18 ~ **NO SCHOOL**
January 20 ~ St. Ann's Mtg - 7 pm in PH
January 24 ~ Rel. Ed./CYO/Adult Classes after Mass
January 31 ~ Rel. Ed./CYO/Adult Classes after Mass
February 6 ~ KofC Soup Lunch after Mass
 PC after lunch ~ KofC meeting 7 pm

*He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit
 (Luke 3:16)*

VOCATION'S PRAYER FOR OUR DIOCESE
 Lord God, in your tender mercies you give your holy people every good gift. We turn to you today in our need, asking that you bless our Diocese with an abundance of vocations to the priesthood and religious life.
 Inspire us with your Holy Spirit to help young men and women hear your call and respond with joyful hearts.
 We also ask that you bless our priests and all who serve us in the Church today.
 May they know every grace and joy as you bring to completion the many good works begun in them.
 We ask this in faith, through Christ our Lord.
 Amen.

We have prayer cards with this prayer for any and all ~ please pick one up and continue to pray this prayer on a daily basis! Thank you and God Bless!

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK
 Theme:
"You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."

Question for Adults:
 Name a time when you felt your actions were pleasing to God.

Question for Youth:
 "With you I am well pleased." What are you doing right now that is pleasing to God? How does it feel to live that way?

Question for Children:
 What are some things you can do to please God?

NEW TO OUR PARISH?
WELCOME! PLEASE LET US KNOW WHO YOU ARE!

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Phone Number: Home: _____ Cell: _____

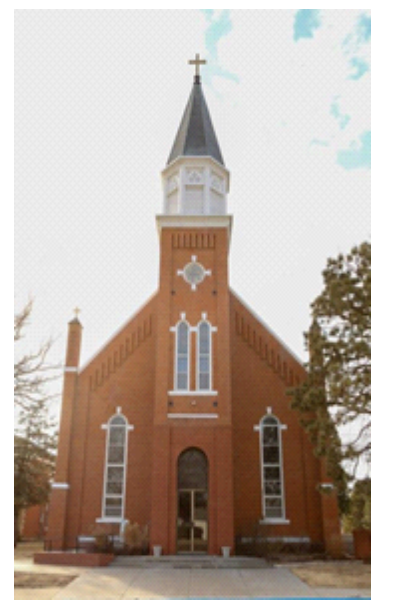
Children: _____



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The Baptism of the Lord
 January 10, 2016



Dan Wingham ~ Chairperson, Parish Pastoral Council
 Joel Benson ~ Chairperson, Parish Finance Council
 Mary Flora ~ Chairperson, St. Ann's Council of Catholic Women
 Jim Tracy ~ Grand Knight of Knights of Columbus
 Marcia Ryan ~ Religious Education Coordinator
 Jon & Liz Baier (280-9153 & Caleb & Amber Smith (913-731-8251) ~ CYO Sponsors
 Parish Nurses: Janine Henry—826-0705 ~ Robin Daniels—577-4692—Bette Kohman—479-6282

Welcome!
 To all visitors and new parishioners, we want to welcome you! If we can be of any assistance to you, we would be happy to help. If you are a new parishioner, please fill out the registration that you will find on the back of the bulletin and drop it in the offering basket. Thank You!

DAILY BIBLE READINGS:

Monday, January 11
 I Samuel 1:1-8 * Psalms 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19 * Mark 1:14-30

Tuesday, January 12
 I Samuel 1:9-20 * I Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8 * Mark 1:21-28

Wednesday, January 13
 I Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20 * Psalms 40:2, 5, 7-8, 8-9, 10 * Mark 29-39

Thursday, January 14
 I Samuel 4:1-11 * Psalms 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25 * Mark 1:40-45

Friday, January 15
 I Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22 * Psalms 89:16-17, 18-19 * Mark 2:1-12

Saturday, January 16
 I 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1 * Psalms 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 * Mark 2:13-17

Sunday, January 17
 Isaiah 62:1-5 * Psalms 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 8-10 * I Corinthians 12:4-11 * John 2:1-11

**The Baptism of the Lord
January 10, 2016**

Sunday, January 10
St. Patrick's 8:00 AM
 For all the people of the parish
ICC 10:00 AM
 † Kenneth Martin

Monday, January 11 8:00 AM
 † Living & Dscd Mbrs of Prochazka Families
 Tuesday, January 12 8:00 AM
 † Bernice Meagher
 Wednesday, January 13 6:30 PM
 † Jeff Winingham & Robbie Orton
 Thursday, January 14 8:00 AM
 † Marie Biery
 Friday, January 15 9:30 AM
 † Bob Lutz

Sunday, January 17, 2016
St. Patrick's 8:00 AM
 For all the people of the parish
ICC 10:00 AM
 † Fr. John Lahey

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ICC ~ Sunday Offering

December 31, 2015 & January 3, 2016

Weekly Goal: 1,400.00
 Loose Plate: 74.00
 Adult Envelopes: 11,675.00
 Children's basket: 1.45
 Special Coll.: 0.00
 Envelopes Used: 39 out of 74 = 53 %
 Year to date goal: 37,800.00
 Amount given: 44,082.57
Difference: +7,002.57

Thank you for your generosity to our parish ~ May God Bless you in your giving!

**Ministry Schedule for
January 17, 2016**

Lectors: Jed Smith & Dustin Dooley
Euc. Min.: Patty Francis, Stephanie Tiernan & Amber Smith
Servers: Andrew Gray, Kyle Ryan & Zach Baier
Gift Bearers: Steve Tiernan Family
Greeters: Shawn Kirby Family

Prayer Requests: Tara Bush, Peggy Hasker, Judy Lutz, Wayne Kemper, Bud & Betty Bowden, Wayne Rziha, David Caldwell, Rev. Dennis Mullins, Sue Raccagno, Tyran Owens, Richard Warner, John Pientka, Steven Copeland, Terri & Gary Johnson, Lynn Huhn, Greg Hopper, Karen Ribordy, Kayly Schoming, Brenda Gamboa, Trella Glear, Luke & Mary Yetter, Michael Martin, Tallie Baetz, Mary Winingham, Louis Truly, Heather Ryan, Stan Knaus, Robert Storer, Chet Shaw, Sharon Robinson, Linus Sanchez, Shirley Aylward, Tina Zvolanek, Polly Pearce, Steve Tiernan, Jerry Montgomery, Scott Wolesky, & Ambre Honeywell.

 * **Please remember our Military Servicemen/** *
 * **women & families in your prayers— especially the following:** *
 * Kevin Daniels, Mason Campbell, Dvon Glear, *
 * Matt Collier, Bill Yanek, Levi Paulson & *
 * Terry Tracy. If you have someone to add to *
 * the prayer lists—please call the office! *

St. Patrick's ~ Sunday Offering

January 3, 2016

Weekly Goal: 250.00
 Adult Envelopes: 270.00
 Special Coll.: 0.00
 Year to date goal: 6,750.00
 Amount Given: 8,490.25
Difference: +1,740.25

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AA: meets every Sunday night at 8 p.m. and every Wednesday morning at 8 a.m. in the Knights room of the parish hall ~ both meetings are open meetings!

FR. JOHN'S 75TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION: Fr. John is turning 75 this coming Friday, January 15th!!! On Sunday evening, January 17th we will be having a potluck supper at 5:30 p.m. in the parish hall - there will be extra priests here and the Bishop may be here as well. Meat is being provided along with a 1/2 sheet cake - in the back of church there are sign up sheets for Vegetables, Salad's and a few extra desserts. All are invited to come and help Fr. John celebrate!

CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES & CALENDAR'S: Next year's Contribution envelopes are ready to be picked up and the 2016 Calendar's are in the back as well. Thank you to all who use their envelopes - Daylene really appreciates this!

CLASSES: There will be any classes today for Rel. Ed. and Adult Get Together right after Mass! **CYO:** will have class today right after Mass!

POINSETTIA'S: Poinsettia's can be pick-up and taken home after Mass today!

CHILDREN'S COLLECTION: Don't forget that we will continue with the Children's collection at Offertory time ~ they are welcome to bring a food item for the food bank or to give money - all is welcome!

MASS INTENTIONS: Would you like a Mass said for a loved one? They are \$10 a Mass - please fill out an envelope (on back stands with Holy Water) and put them in the offertory basket or give to Daylene!

YEAR END CONTRIBUTION RECEIPTS: Daylene will be working on the Year End Contribution Receipts - if you received one by mail last year, then you will receive one again this year. If you didn't receive one and would like one, please either e-mail Daylene at daylenetracy@msn.com or call the office during office hours or put a note in with your offering envelope!

ADULT GET TOGETHER: Adults, do you need a place to go while your children are in Religious Ed.?? If so, we have the place for you - come to the Knights room in the parish hall and join us in our discussion. At this time we are talking about the book ~ "Rediscover Catholicism" by Matthew Kelly - you can start at anytime and you will be blessed beyond your understanding!!!!

KOFC FREE THROW CONTEST: The Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest will be held Sunday, January 17th at 1:00 pm in the Solomon Middle School Gym. Any boy or girl age 9 through 14 is invited to compete. The contest will have separate categories for the boys and the girls and each of those will be separated by age grouping.