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November 6, 2016 - Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

This week's Mass Schedule & Events

Sun.	06	8:30 a.m. Mass for All the People of the parish
Mon.	07	8:00 a.m. Mass for ☩ Larry Kohman
Tues.	08	8:00 a.m. Mass for ☩ Annie Gross
Wed.	09	Mass at Chapman
Thurs.	10	8:00 a.m. Mass for Sp. Int. for Bruce McDonald
Fri.	11	8:30 a.m. Adoration
		9:30 a.m. Mass for ☩ Gordon & Bernice Meagher
Sun.	13	8:30 a.m. Mass for Sp. Int. for Mike Martin Sr.



Prayer Requests

Tara Bush, Judy Lutz, Wayne Kemper, Bud & Betty Bowden, Wayne Rziha, David Caldwell, Jim Caffrey, Fred Klucas, Sue Raccagno, Tyran Owens, Richard Warner, John Pientka, Steven Copeland, Terry & Gary Johnson, Greg Hopper, Karen Ribordy, Kayly Schoming, Brenda Gamboa, Trella Glear, Luke & Mary Yetter, Tallie Baetz, Mary Winingham, Louis Truly, Stan Knaus, Marilyn (White) Weller, Robert Stoerer, Sharon Robinson, Linus Sanchez, Kevin Watts, Steve Tiernan, Scott Wolesky, Chuck Martin, Jacey (Prochazka) Yanek, George McKenna, Eloyd Owens & Ambre Honeywell.

Liturgical Assignments November 13

Greeters: Neal & Tina Zvolanek
Servers: Ryan Gray, Elise Baier & Haley Tiernan
Lectors: Jim Moorman & Marcia Girard
Gift Bearers: Doug Francis Family
Eucharistic Ministers: Tom Ryan, Bob Martin & Caleb Smith

Our Military Men & Women serving our country ~ Kevin Daniels, Mason Campbell, Dvon Glear, Matt Collier, Clayton & Marissa Kuhn, Matthew Lutz, Levi Paulson & Terry Tracy.



COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP: Once again, the Solomon JH/HS will be doing a community clean-up, and is being sponsored by the Solomon Chapter of the National Honor Society on Tuesday, November 22nd from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Students will be raking leaves and washing windows. This free service will be provided to homeowners over the age of 65 or those physically unable to rake leaves and wash windows. There are forms and more information on the back bulletin board - please feel free to take one if you would like this service!

Envelopes used: 25 out of 74 = 33%

ICC ~ Sunday Offering ~ October 23, 2016
Weekly Goal: \$1,400.00

Loose Plate:	149.00	YTD Goal:	23,800.00
Envelopes:	990.00	Amt. Given:	<u>20,588.83</u>
Children's:	5.75	Difference:	-3,211.17
Special Coll.:	102.24 (All Saints)		

Please remember ICC in your will

MASS TIME FOR TRAVELERS:

For nationwide Mass times and locations: call Mass Times (1-410-676-6000) or on the internet at www.Masstimes.org.

NOVEMBER SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

- ◆ **Nov. 06 - Military Archdiocese:** Envelopes are available in the back.
- ◆ **Nov. 13 - Seminarian Collection** supports the 13 seminarians currently studying for the priesthood. A poster of the seminarians is on the bulletin board.
- ◆ **Nov. 20 - Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection (CCHD)** helps fight poverty in America and defends human dignity. The Diocese retains 25% of the collection to help those in need throughout the Diocese.
- ◆ **All of November** is our month to collect for the Abilene Area Clothing & Food Bank. Here are some ideas on what they would like: Cake & Muffin mixes, oil, flour, sugar, canned fruit, vegetables, soups, condiments, meat substitutes, Cereal (hot or cold), cereal bars, Paper goods such as toilet tissue, paper towels, napkins, any kind of canned meat. To see more suggested items, please see flyer on the bulletin board! Monetary donation is also welcomed, just make note of it on your offering envelope!

The Register is THE place to find news about the Diocese, its parishes and the universal church. Every registered family receives The Register. Instead of subscriptions, we ask for a \$25 donation to cover printing and mailing costs. If you would like to help cover the cost of a subscription for a family who cannot afford a donation, please add an additional \$15 to your donation. Your **Nov. 11** will include a donation envelope.

Messages from the Bishop: **The Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith has issued an Instruction on the necessity of burying ashes after cremation. Ashes may not be kept in domestic residences, scattered, or preserved in mementos or pieces of jewelry. The details will be published in an article in the Nov 11 issue of the Northwest Kansas Register.

****Next weekend you will find special note cards at Mass.** Along with our annual collection to pay the expenses of our seminarians, we are asking that each family complete one note card, on which you provide names of young men who you believe would be good candidates for the seminary. There is one note card per family and it is our hope that you will discuss possible names before you come to Mass. Those note cards will be taken up along with the seminarian collection for the weekend. The information on the cards will be forwarded to our Vocations Office, and I will send a letter to these young men informing them that others see in them a potential vocation to the priesthood. Your help in surfacing potential vocations to the priesthood is greatly appreciated. Indeed, this small effort on your part might reap a harvest of tremendous blessings. – Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger

Alcoholics Anonymous

Meets 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!

DIOCESE VOCATION PRAYER: 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 priest 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.

Question of the Week

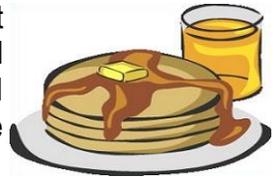
Theme: God strengthens us and we live with him forever.

Adult Question: Having faith in difficult times is hard! What makes you believe in the promise that God will be your strength, as Paul says?

Youth Question: Death is a hard reality in our human life, but if we believe in the resurrection, we know it isn't the end of the journey. How does your belief in heaven affect the way you live?

Children Question: God always stays with you, no matter what. What signs can you see to help you believe that?

KNIGHTS BREAKFAST: The breakfast that the Knights are having today—all proceeds will go to the Abilene Food Bank. All are invited & welcome to come join us for some delicious food!!!!



SEWING/CRAFT DAY: If you missed the last sewing day ~ no worries ~ the next one is planned for Saturday, December 3rd. Same time - 9 am to 4 pm here in the parish hall. This is open to anyone!

Catholics Care –Catholics Vote! Please check out the following websites as you prayerfully consider who to vote for on Nov. 8th www.faithfulcitizenship.org: This site provides access to the USCCB document "Forming consciences for Faithful Citizenship." www.salinadiocese.org: This site has a short video by the four Bishops of Kansas. (Scroll down the home page for the video)



Welcome

We are so glad you are with us today! If you have recently moved into town and want to make this your home parish, we ask that you please fill out a slip a paper that is in the back on the two side tables with the Holy Water—feel free to drop them in the offering baskets. If you are just visiting on your way through town—we're happy to have you join us!!!!

St. Patrick's ~ Sunday Offering ~ October 16 & 23, 2016

Weekly Goal: \$250.00

Envelopes:	1,057.00	YTD Goal:	4,250.00
Special Coll.:	25.00 (World Mission)	Amt. Given:	<u>4,235.00</u>
		Difference:	-15.00

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