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April 30, 2017 - Third Sunday of Easter

This week's Mass Schedule & Events

Sun. 30 8:30 a.m. Mass for ☩ Larry Kohman
Mon. 01 NO MASS - Fr. gone for funeral
Tues. 02 8:00 a.m. Mass for ☩ Louis Magette
Wed. 03 6:30 p.m. Mass for ☩ Gordon & Bernice Meagher
Thurs. 04 Mass at St. Michael's, Chapman
Fri. 05 9:30 a.m. Mass for ☩ Steven Hellwig
Adoration 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.
Sun. 07 8:30 a.m. Mass for ☩ Joe & Jonah Martin



Prayer Requests
Tara Bush, Wayne Kemper, Betty Bowden, Wayne Rziha, David Caldwell, Fred Klucas, Sue Raccagno, Tyran Owens, Richard Warner, John Pientka, Steven Copeland, Terry & Gary Johnson, Greg Hopper, Kayly Schomring, Brenda Gamboa, Trella Glear, Luke & Mary Yetter, Tallie Baetz, Mary Winingham, Stan Knaus, Sharon Robinson, Linus Sanchez, Kevin Watts, Steve Tiernan, Jacey (Prochazka) Yanek, Hank Sanchez, Rilee Sullivan, Janice Brungardt, Eloyd Owens & Ambre Honeywell.

Salina Diocese Responds to Needs of Retired Religious:

Nearly 33,000 senior religious (Sisters, Nuns, Brothers, and Order Priests) are recipients from the Nation-wide collection for retired religious. In 2016 the Diocese of Salina's parishes collected \$58,891.99 in support of these faithful servants of our Church. Since the appeal began years ago, our Diocese has donated a total of \$1,396,559.23 to help religious communities care for their senior members. This is truly extraordinary and a sign of the deep faith as well as the warm sentiments and esteem our people hold for our retired religious. Once again I find myself deeply grateful and humbled by your generosity. -- Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger.

Liturgical Assignments May 7, 2017

Greeters: Clarence & Arlene Mohr
Servers: Grace & Noah Martin, Kyle Ryan
Lectors: Jim Tracy & Mike Johnson
Gift Bearers: First Communion class
Eucharistic Ministers: Marcia Ryan, Marcia Storer & Lucy Alexander

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



Envelopes used: 34 out of 64 = 45%

Loose Plate: 98.00
Envelopes: 1,112.00
Children's: 4.03
Special Coll.: 9.02 (Rice Bowl)

ICC ~ Sunday Offering ~ April 23, 2017
Weekly Goal: \$1,400.00

YTD Goal: 58,800.00
Amt. Given: 64,396.11
Difference: +5,596.11

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.

RELIGIOUS ED./CYO: There will be Rel. Ed./CYO today right after Mass. Today is the last class for this school year for Rel. Ed. ~ Thank you to all of the catechist that have taught this year ~ we appreciate all that you have done for our little ones!

SEWING/CRAFT DAY: If you missed the last sewing day ~ no worries ~ the next one is planned for Saturday, **May 6th**. Same time - 9 am to 4 pm here in the parish hall. This is open to anyone! Please bring a snack!



NEW PLANT ADDED: If you have not noticed, a new plant was placed on the side altar behind the Baptismal Font. A plant is placed on the altar when we have a new little one being born. The mother's name or family name is placed on a card and then we are asking that you remember the mother/family in your daily prayers. The plant is then given to the family at the time of the baby's baptism. If you are expecting a new little one and would like a plant put on the altar, please give Daylene a call in the office!

SPECIAL MASS ON MAY 12TH: Bishop Weisenburger will celebrate a special Mass for mothers of the Salina Diocese who have experienced the death of a child. The Mass will be offered on Friday, May 12th, at 10:30 a.m. at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Salina. A reception will follow in the parish hall. Any mothers interested in attending are asked to RSVP by May 5 to Michelle Martin, our Director of Catholic Charities, at mmartin@ccnks.org or [785-825-0208](tel:785-825-0208). One or two photos (digital format preferred) of their deceased son or daughter can be submitted to jeff.easter@salinadiocese.org by May 1 to be included in a special video presentation to be shared at the reception. **THERE WILL NOT BE ANY ADORATION/MASS OFFERED HERE AT ICC**, as Fr. John will be con-celebrating at this Mass. The Mass is open to any and all!

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: "We always have time for what is important to us." Eamon Tobin ~ taken from "13 Powerful Ways to Pray"

Have a wonderful week!!

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: Jesus' resurrection - the heart of our faith, life, and journey.
Adult Question: Name one way or time when you experience the presence of the Risen Christ? Is it at meals? With those whom you love? At other times?
Youth Question: Jesus' closest friends had trouble believing that the tomb was empty. Resurrection is surprising. What does Jesus' resurrection mean in your life?
Children Question: When have you seen someone do a good deed for someone else?

START PLANNING NOW ~ DIOCESAN MEN'S CONFERENCE

AUG. 12: The sixth annual Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference is Saturday, August 12 at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Hays. This year's Men's Conference speakers will be Dr. Ray Guarendi and Fr. John Lager. Dr. Ray is a clinical psychologist, author, professional speaker, and national radio and television host. His radio show, "The Dr. Is In" can be heard on over 440 stations and Sirius XM channel 130. His TV show, "Living Right with Dr. Ray" is aired in 140 countries. Fr. John is a well-known Capuchin Friar and native of Angelus, Kansas. He has served as the national chaplain of FOCUS since 2013. In addition, he has functioned in a wide variety of ministries within the Capuchin Order; was the executive director of the Samaritan House of Denver; and is cofounder of the international men's ministry Marked Men for Christ. A registration form is attached for your convenience. Registration can also be completed online at www.salinadiocese.org/family-life. All high school and college age sons are encouraged to attend this year's conference with their fathers. Early registration is being encouraged as men from both the Wichita and Dodge City Diocese are expected to participate.



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 ~ April 23, 2017

Weekly Goal: \$250.00

Envelopes:	150.00	YTD Goal:	10,750.00
Special Coll.:	0.00	Amt. Given:	<u>12,361.00</u>
		Difference:	+1,611.00

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