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August 20, 2017 - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

This week's Mass Schedule & Events

Sun. 20 8:30 a.m. Mass for All the People of the Parish
Mon. 21 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Lorette & Martin Begnoche
Tues. 22 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Phil Shaffer
Wed. 23 6:30 p.m. Mass for † Susan Raccagno
Thurs. 24 Mass at St. Michael's, Chapman
Fri. 25 9:30 a.m. Mass for † Chuck Martin
Adoration ~ 8:30 a.m. to 9:30- a.m.
Sun. 27 8:30 a.m. Mass for † Jim Sullivan



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 Schoming, 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, Luke Yetter, Janice Brungardt, David Zey, Eloyd Owens & Ambre Honeywell.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: Thank you to everyone who has so generously supported the 2017 Catholic charities Annual Appeal. Your contribution will allow Catholic Charities to continue to offer hope to individuals and families for another year. If you have not yet contributed, it is not too late to partner with Catholic charities to serve the poor and most vulnerable within our communities. Please request a remittance envelope to mail your donation directly to Catholic Charities or leave with our parish office. Thank you again for supporting your neighbors as we reflect upon the words of Pope Francis, "All it takes is one good person to restore hope." If you have questions, please contact Development Director, Eric Frank, at 785-825-0208 or efrank@cchnks.org

UPCOMING CHANGE: Starting September 3rd, a group of four parishioner's will be counting offering right after Mass. Confidentiality will be kept, but if you are unsure, you always have the option of using cash. If you have questions, please call the office. This is a recommendation from the Diocese after our recent audit.

Liturgical Assignments August 27, 2017

Greeters: Robin Daniels
Servers: Lucas Newcomer, Kyle Ryan & Haley Tiernan
Lectors: Jed Smith & Caleb Smith
Gift Bearers: Bob Martin Family
Eucharistic Ministers: Dustin Dooley, Don Hellwig & Dan Winingham

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



Envelopes used: 28 out of 64 = 43%

Loose Plate: 46.00
Envelopes: 1,238.00
Children's: 13.00
Special Coll.: 0.00

ICC ~ Sunday Offering ~ August 13, 2017
Weekly Goal: \$1,400.00

YTD Goal: 9,800.00
Amt. Given: 8,257.57
Difference: -1,542.43

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.

SEWING/CRAFT DAY: If you missed the last sewing day ~ no worries ~ the next one is planned for Saturday, **September 2nd**. Same time - 9 am to 9 pm here in the parish hall. This is open to anyone! Please bring a snack!



Costume Jewelry Needed for Nursing Home! The women residents at Chapman Valley Manor enjoy wearing jewelry—necklaces, bracelets and earrings. If you have any that you are not using and would like to pass along, please bring to the church on Sunday morning or drop it in the box between the front doors of the parish house. **Acceptable jewelry:** necklaces need to be able to fit over the head without being unclasped; bracelets need to be stretchy—not clasps—so they can fit over the hand.

COUPLES TO BE HONORED: The Diocese of Salina wishes to honor all couples who are celebrating 25, 40, 50, 55 and 60 or more years of marriage. Masses with Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger, celebrant, are planned at St. Nicholas of Myra Parish, Hays, Sunday, October 1, 3 p.m., and at Sacred Heart Cathedral Parish, Salina, Sunday October 8, 3 p.m. If you would like to participate in one of these celebrations, please Daylene know by Wednesday, August 30th, requesting a personal invitation.



Yoga is the practice of paying attention. The only requirement is an open mind - no previous experience needed. Flow in and out of postures in a wise and carefully constructed way by means of linking breath to movement.

Incorporate meditation and breathing techniques to help calm a restless mind. Leave feeling refreshed on all levels. Our goal is not touching our toes nor making perfect pretzel-like shapes, rather learning to accept ourselves, imperfections and all. 5-6 mats will be available or bring your own. All other props will be supplied. 45 minute class is \$50 (divided by however many attend - if 6 people, \$8.00 each). Classes will begin on Thursday, September 7 and offered on September 21st & 28th, starting at 6:16 till 7:30 p.m. Classes will be taught by Soleyah Brittan, who owns HapiSoul Yoga and Wellness in Abilene. This is open to any and all.

CATECHISTS NEEDED: Religious Education will be starting September 10th and we are in need of Catechists. If you can help with this, please call Stephanie Tieman at 785-294-0577.

*Faith does not make things easy,
it makes them possible!*



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 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: Trust in God and never be afraid to ask God for anything.

Adult Question: When you pray, how do you know that Jesus will really respond?

Youth Question: Do you trust that God hears your prayers? Do you believe that your prayer makes a difference?

Children Question: What is your favorite way to talk to Jesus? What words do you use?

CATHOLIC CHARITIES THRIFT STORE: is open at 1500 South Ninth Street, Salina. The store carries a variety of clothing, housewares, bedding, toys and accessories and is open to the public. Clients of Catholic Charities will receive vouchers for limited merchandise based on need. The Thrift Store will be open Thursdays 9:00am to 4:00pm, Fridays 9:00am to 2:00pm, and Saturdays 9:00am to noon.

Donations: If you would like to donate items or volunteer at the Catholic Charities Thrift Store, contact Cara Ivey, Volunteer Coordinator, at 785-825-0208 ext. 216 or civey@ccnks.org. Information regarding Catholic Charities Thrift Store is also available at www.ccnks.org.

RCIA: Are you interested in becoming Catholic or do you know someone that is??? If so, RCIA is the place for you! Daylene will be starting an RCIA classes in early September, please give her a call at 655-2221 or 820-0994 to let her know that you are interested!

START PLANNING NOW for the 2018 March for Life in Washington, DC. The Salina Diocese sponsored pilgrimage to the March will depart Wednesday, January 17th and will return Sunday, January 21st. The March is Friday, January 19th. More information to follow.



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 ~ August 13, 2017
Weekly Goal: \$250.00

Envelopes:	224.00	YTD Goal:	1,750.00
Special Coll.:	0.00	Amt. Given:	<u>1,491.00</u>
		Difference:	-259.00