

# HOLY TRINITY

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 29, 2021

### 22<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



He summoned the crowd again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile." - Mk 7:14-15

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## Sacramental Information

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00-4:30 pm on Saturday or call for appointment.

### Sacrament of Baptism

Instructions required; call for appointment.

### Sacrament of Marriage

Must notify pastor at least six months in advance.

### Homebound Persons

Call the office for Holy Communion.

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#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

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#### HOLY CROSS CEMETERY:

If you would like to purchase a lot call the church office (913)557-2067.



# Parish & Community Events

## THE CRISIS OF SUICIDE – EVENING OF HEALING AND HOPE

Join us for an evening of healing and hope. Kelly & Bob Specht, founders of Carl's Cause, will tell their story, and a teen breakout session will be offered. Professional counselors will offer resources and give concrete ways to foster mental wellness. Recommended for teens and up. Tuesday, August 31st at 7:00 pm at St. Ann Catholic Church, 7231 Mission Rd, Prairie Village. For more info visit [www.carlscase.org](http://www.carlscase.org) and [www.archkck.org/family/caresupport/catholic-counselors/](http://www.archkck.org/family/caresupport/catholic-counselors/)

## PRO-LIFE EVENT

Abby Johnson – Keynote Speaker at the Wyandotte & Olathe Pregnancy Centers Life & Hope Banquet You are invited to the annual Life and Hope Banquet on September 2nd, supporting Wyandotte and Olathe Pregnancy Clinics. This year's guest speaker is Abby Johnson, a woman who experienced a change of heart while being a revered employee of one of the country's largest abortion clinics. Register at [www.LifeandHopeBanquet.com](http://www.LifeandHopeBanquet.com). Wyandotte & Olathe Pregnancy Centers support women and families facing challenging pregnancies, helping them to choose life for their child and a healthier future for themselves.

\*\*If you plan to attend please call the church office if you would like to carpool.

## PROJECT RACHEL RETREAT

Have you been putting off dealing with an abortion(s) in your past? Are you just coping, because you have to? Do you tend to put your needs last and everyone else's first? Perhaps it's time to set aside a couple days, just for you. Come for a weekend away in a beautiful, peaceful, safe place with no distractions to a Project Rachel Retreat. No pressure, no judgement, completely confidential. Dates/times: Friday September 10th at 7:00 pm to Sunday September 12th at 1:00 pm. Cost: Free. (Room, meals, and materials covered.) Location given upon Registration. Please contact Ann Marie @ [projectrachelkc@archkck.org](mailto:projectrachelkc@archkck.org) or 913-621-2199 (text or call).

## LIVING IN THE PRESENT MOMENT RETREAT

Develop the tools needed to find peace and contentment in your life by learning to live in the present moment and studying de Causade's spiritual teaching of self-abandonment to Divine Providence. Christ's Peace House of Prayer 22131 Meager Road - Easton, KS Friday, September 17th at 5:30pm – Sunday, September 19th at 4:30pm. There will be conferences, workshops, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Confession and time for private prayer, reflection and walking. The suggested donation is \$170/Single or \$250/Couples for the Cabins and Courtyard Rooms or \$100 for the Single Guest Rooms (meals included). To attend, sign-up at [christspeace.com](http://christspeace.com), send an email to: [info@christspeace.com](mailto:info@christspeace.com) or call 913.773.8255.

## RESPECT LIFE MONTH KICK-OFF EVENTS

Please join us on Saturday, October 2nd at St. Michael the Archangel Parish in Leawood. Each October the Church celebrates Respect Life Month, when we pray, reflect and become engaged in building a culture that cherishes every human life. Please join us for one or both of the following inspirational events (visit [www.archkck.org/respect-life-month](http://www.archkck.org/respect-life-month) for all details):

Liberated in Truth Conference – 9am-1pm Dr. Bernard Nathanson – A pro-life story of truth, conversion and hope that every American should know! At this conference, we'll learn about the man who helped pass Roe, the strategy and tactics he used to deceive Americans, and how his Saul-to-Paul conversion can help us today as we work to defend life and pass the Value Them Both Amendment in Kansas. Registration and information at: [www.archkck.org/RLM-Conference](http://www.archkck.org/RLM-Conference).

Life Will Be Victorious Celebration – 5:00 pm All are invited to join Archbishop Joseph Naumann for Mass at 5:00 pm, followed by a complimentary meal with live music by the Noah Baniewicz Band on the St. Michael's Parish lawn. Lawn games provided, coolers welcome, bring your own picnic blankets and chairs. Holy Family School of Faith will lead us in a candlelight rosary at 7:00pm, followed by a free showing of the movie Roe vs. Wade in the SMA School Gym at 7:30 pm. All are welcome!

## SCHOOL OF RELIGION ENROLLMENT

School of Religion will begin Sunday, September 12th at 9 am at the Holy Trinity School. SOR is available for our Holy Trinity community children, Grades K-8th grade who do not attend Holy Trinity School.

## WALKING WITH WOJTYLA CAMPOUT

High School Students-Take some time away to enjoy the outdoors while spending time with God and others. Join us this Fall at the Walking with Wojtyla Campout. The campout will focus on St. John Paul II's love of the outdoors with talks along hiking trails, games, s'mores, adoration, Reconciliation and Mass. Campout begins on Saturday, September 25th at Noon and ends on Sunday, September 26th at Noon. The campout will take place at Big Bull Creek Camp Grounds in Edgerton, KS. Cost is \$10 in advance and \$15 at the campout. To register, go to WWW Sign Up If you have questions, please email Rick Cheek at [youth2@archkck.org](mailto:youth2@archkck.org).

## SUBSTITUTES NEEDED

Holy Trinity Catholic School is in need of substitute teachers for the 2021-22 school year. Anyone with 60 hours of college credit in any area is eligible for a substitute license. Contact Michelle Gavin for more information at 913-259-0456 or [mgavin@holytrinitypaola.org](mailto:mgavin@holytrinitypaola.org).

## PACA FOOD PANTRY

Our PACA Food Bank is in need of additional food items to stock the shelves. You may drop items off in back of church in white barrel or the First Presbyterian Church, 110 E. Peoria: Tues. 9:30-11 am; Thurs. 9-Noon or Sat. 1:00-4:00 pm. Items needed: Beans(canned), Cake Mixes, Canned Vegetables & Meats, Cereal, Crackers, Hamburger Helper, Juice (grape/apple), Boxes of Mac/Cheese, Peanut Butter, Taco Mix/Shells, Soups (large/small cans).

## HOMEBOUND

If you or you know someone who is homebound and would like communion please call the church office.

# Youth Group News

## Youth News

Along with youth ministry, another one of the "hats" I wear in the parish is teaching social studies and religion to 6th-8th grade at Holy Trinity School. (The craziness of the beginning of a new school year is one of the reasons I wait until September to start youth group meetings.) It is remarkable to be able to have Jesus inserted into lesson plans throughout the day. This past week, my 7/8th grade class started a unit on Virtues. After discussing Theological and Cardinal Virtues, I assigned them to write about the Theological Virtues (Faith, Hope and Love) and how they plan to make them more a part of their lives. The following are pieces of their responses on **faith**:

- In the description of the virtue of faith it says that faith is belief in God and in all He has said and revealed to us. But I know that faith is so much more than just listening to Him. It's understanding Him and what He is trying to tell us through all of the scripture and even just in everyday life. It's believing wholeheartedly and being able to fall on Him and being able to let Him work all of his wonders through raising you up. It is letting God take the controls of your life to help steer you through it all. Having faith in Him and his word. A way I plan to practice faith is to participate in mass by singing, reading or serving and when I get confirmed I hope to also be a Eucharistic minister.

-To me the virtue of faith is believing that God really is real and not just believing because our parents and teachers tell us to but because we really think He is real. I plan to allow this virtue into my life more by really thinking I'm talking to God when I'm praying. Also the next time I have the Eucharist, trying to wrap my head around that it is God.

-It's everything in my life. I do struggle to make it my main priority occasionally, but when I realize I'm letting go of Jesus, I do my best to grab right back on and hold him tight. Having faith in God helps me get through a tough day. Whether it be when I get too stressed out about schoolwork or getting good grades. To me everyday I should be able to say, "Today I acted like Christ, and I did my best to help others".

-To me, faith isn't just believing in everything He has said; it is fully trusting, fully hoping, and yes, fully believing. Faith is important for Christians because it not only helps us understand harder things, but encourages us to 'rise up, take courage, and do it' (Ezra 10:4). I think, to allow this virtue to come more into my life, I should spend more time with God and doing things that I may not wish to do, joyfully - 'as though I was doing it for the Lord rather than for people.'

-Faith! This is a deep and meaningful word to me. Faith isn't about praying or going to church but about sharing what God has done for us with others. Camp Kateri Tekakwitha really opened my eyes to seeing faith more than just praying or going to church but talking to God as a friend.

-My father told me once that God has set out life before us and we should all believe that that is true and have faith in Him in everything that we do.

\*To say my heart was happy after reading through these would be a huge understatement!

**Dates**- September 12th- Youth Group Cookout/Kickoff- See flyer and emails.

Peace,  
Ms. K.

# Knights of Columbus

**Religious Education Tickets**, Our Council has been provided Religious Education Raffle tickets to sell to benefit the Religious Education Fund. As in year's past, (28) prizes totaling \$68,000 will be awarded along with a grand prize of \$30,000. Each ticket has a total of (5) slots costing \$20 each and a full ticket costs \$100.

If you would like to participate, please see Dave Moll, Greg Aistrup or Richard Wilson ([rdwilson7781@yahoo.com](mailto:rdwilson7781@yahoo.com)) know how many tickets or slots you would like to purchase. If purchasing individual slots, also indicate how you would like them distributed (all on the same ticket or spread across multiple tickets). Sales are open through 10/2021.

**Next Knights Meeting**, .We will meet in the Church for the rosary at 6:30 then move to the basement for our regular meeting. As a reminder we have moved our meetings back to the third Wednesday of the month, so 9/15 will be our next meeting. Please mark your calendars.

**Night of the Month**, Jay Wieland

**Family of the Month**, RJ & Jenny Trumbly

**Knights Breakfasts**, The first breakfast will be Sunday September 19 in the church basement. Menu is pancakes, sausage and scrambled eggs. We look forward to seeing everyone. The remaining breakfasts are October 17 and November 21st.

**Knights Blood Drive**, The next Community Blood Drive will be October 15<sup>th</sup> at the school.

**Mowing schedule for 9/3**, Ron Sullivan, Craig Zeller, Bob Hrenchir, Matt Winterscheid

Respectfully,  
Ron Sullivan

## Stewardship Report

Regular .....	\$9,722.00
Plate .....	\$431.00
Online Giving Donations .....	\$350.64
Mass Stipend.....	\$160.00
Assumption .....	\$153.45
Candle Money .....	\$65.37
Leaven .....	\$42.00
Church Memorial Donations.....	\$41.00
Facility Maintenance.....	\$10.00
Food Kitchen .....	\$10.00
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$10,985.46</b>

### Other:

School Memorial Donations .....	\$315.00
School Offering .....	\$65.00

# Eucharistic Celebrations

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## Monday, August 30

8:00 am Communion Service

## Tuesday, August 31

8:00 am Communion Service

## Wednesday, September 1

8:00 am Communion Service

## Thursday, September 2

8:00 am Communion Service

## Friday, September 3

8:00 am Communion Service

## Saturday, September 4

5:00 pm† Linda Stanchfield

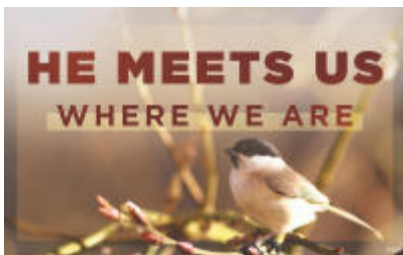
## Sunday, September 5

8:00 am Ron & Judy Sullivan

10:00 am People of the Parish

### “7 Ways to Find Joy Each Day”

1. Begin each day by thanking God for all the good things in your life.
2. Give God all of your fears and worries.
3. Do something nice for someone.
4. Let go of anger and resentments that drag down your spirit.
5. Show family members and friends how much you appreciate them.
6. Get rid of material possessions that are not essential to your daily life.
7. End each day by thanking God for all the good things in your life.



## Liturgical Roles

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Saturday, (9/4) & Sunday, (9/5)

### Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 pm Jeannie Fedor

8:00 am Jill Holub

10:00 am Rick Woolsey

### Lectors

5:00 pm Matthew St. Marie & Doug Timpe

8:00 am Cindy Harris & Zach Eastman

10:00 am Keith Helliker & Stephanie Drake

### Servers

5:00 pm Katherine St. Marie & Elicia Blackmore

8:00 am Sam Eastman & Jackson Bollinger

10:00 am Adalyn Brummer, Layton & Liam Arnold

# Church Calendar

Monday <b>30</b>	
Tuesday <b>31</b>	6:30 pm Finance Meeting
Wednesday <b>1</b>	
Thursday <b>2</b>	5:30 pm Pray The Rosary at HT Church
Friday <b>3</b>	
Saturday <b>4</b>	6:30 am HT Men's Group
Sunday <b>5</b>	

## Upcoming Dates

**September 6th • Labor Day**  
**September 7th • HTS No School**  
**September 12th • School of Religion Begins**  
**September 19th • KofC Breakfast**  
**September 29th • HTS Picture Day**

## WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES

### Readings for the week of August 29, 2021

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 [1a]/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11 [10]/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [2b]/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8 [6]/Lk 6:1-5

Next Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37

### Observances for the week of August 29, 2021

Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

Saturday: BVM

Next Sunday: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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