

Sacred Heart of Jesus

Catholic Church & School
The Memo
April 13 –14, 2024

congratulations



Top row: (left to right): Kevin Johnson** and sponsor Cindy Lore, Shawn Gerleman RCIA Coordinator.

Front Row (left to right): Karla Abundiz-Correa*, Amanda Schubert* and daughter, Brynleigh*, Eber Linares* and his sister, Emily Mason*, Joni Vaughn*** and her sponsor, Dalia Wade, Bethany Stinemetz* and her sponsor Beau Throckmorton.

Their sacraments were received on Holy Saturday.

*Catechumens received Baptism, Holy Communion, and Confirmation

**Candidates received Confirmation and Holy Communion

***Conformandi received Confirmation

27 Cottonwood Emporia, KS 66801

Mass times: Saturday - 4 pm; Sunday - 8 am & 10 am Office Hours: M-Th 8:00 am - 4:00 pm, Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm www.shemporia.org



Camp Tekakwitha Women's Retreat

This is a weekend for you! You will find speakers that inspire you, Sacraments that draw you to the heart of Christ, and fellowship with other women.

This retreat offers large group and break out sessions, individual reflection, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, free time, friendship, laughter, and joy!

Here you will find the space to relax, rejuvenate, and reconnect. Come enjoy the beauty of God's creation at Prairie Star Ranch and the gift of sharing life with others seeking the heart of Jesus.

Date: April 26-28, 2024

Information and Registration: https://archkck.org/camp-tekakwitha/womens-retreat/



For the month of April

Mike & Geralyn Arndt Alex & Mandi Beyer William & Mildred Dick Dan & Joan Dold Fred & Sharon Gaede Marty & Julie Gerleman Doug & Cassie Guion Jerry & Jeanine Guthrie Randy & Debra Hagemann Kevin & Trenna Hanlin Jerry & Sabra Hoggatt Steve & Marcia Hollar **Bob & Carolyn Hutchins** Dale & Lois Miller Honorio & Maria Montantes Abraham & Lindsay Morales John & Vickie Muckenthaler Richard & Joann Rincon Tony & Karolyn Roberts Mickey & Kristal Rodriguez Tim & Linda Sadowski Bruce & Kim Schmid Duane & Jeanette Schmidt Lenny & Angela Spellman Jonathan & Sarah Vopata Kelly & Dalia Wade Darryl & Sylvia Wecker Gary & Kathleen Wilkerson



Blessings await as you spend time with our Lord in the Eucharist.
Our time is precious, but it is NEVER wasted when you spend it with Him in adoration.

The adoration chapel has an immediate need for two persons for:

Wednesday: 1 - 2 am (immediate need)

One person is needed for the following hours: **Wednesday: 12—1 am, 2 - 3 am, 3 - 4 am, 5—6 am**

Please call Brenda Mears at 620-344-2517 or email shadoration@gmail.com to commit one hour of your time each week or if you can cover when needed.



MOTHER- DAUGHTER- FRIEND DINNER

THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2024
ROSARY AT 5:30, MEAL AT 6:00
DINNER CATERED BY OLPE CHICKEN HOUSE

Pre-PAY \$12 PER PERSON.

RSVP BY MAY 2nd

Checks payable to "Rosary Altar Society"

Please complete the information below and leave in the offertory basket, parish office OR mail it to the parish office at 27 Cottonwood.

Mother-Daughter-Friend Dinner

Number of people attending:____



This time of the school calendar, we educators look at what we have accomplished for the year and dream of the goals we want to set for the upcoming year. You are experiencing that with us now as you attended the SHS Feast for the Future, and school and CYF families begin working on Discipleship Renewal, setting goals for their families

lies. You will find opportunities to support our Totus Tuus summer program that serves all the school age children in our parish (a beautiful opportunity for SHS and CYF students to come together.) We couldn't provide for the needs of the students without the joint efforts of parent and parishioner support as catechists and financial donors. Thank you for your tithing and gifts that reach so broadly into the lives of the Sacred Heart youth.

As I aspire to continue to enrich the faith opportunities for our youth, I am adding a collection of Catholic children's books to the CYF program. Our Kindergarten CYF class does not use a textbook, so unlike the other grades, they do not have chapters to read at home before class each week. Beginning this fall, we will let them choose a story book to take home and enjoy with their parents each week. I love how much this genre has grown in recent years and believe these engaging books will be enjoyed by our children while also inspiring parents as they learn more about various Saints, liturgical seasons, and virtuous living alongside their youngsters. In addition, reading aloud has emotional benefits for parents and their children, including relieving stress, increased bonding, and building vocabulary and Catholic culture.

As I gather the books we will use, I will offer the opportunity for parishioners to sponsor a book by covering the cost and being recognized with a sticker inside the book cover. Please tune in over the summer for an opportunity to peruse the book collection and support our efforts. You may even find that once you look through the books, you decide you need to get copies for your own family's book shelves!

Again, I express gratitude on behalf of all the youth in our parish!

Joan Dold, Director of Catholic Youth Formation

Totus Tuus 2024 "Need to Know" Info:

1st -6th Grades meet Mon, June 17 through Fri, June 21 from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm Students will need to bring a sack lunch each day **except** Friday. Water will be available.

7th -12th Grades meet Sun, June 16 through Thurs, July 20 from 6:30 - 8:45pm Supper will be served to all participants every evening.

Registration Fee for <u>daytime</u> program- \$45/Child or no more than \$110/Family

This includes daily snacks.

Registration Fee for the <u>evening</u> program- \$30/student, supper included!

Registration forms available in the vestibule of the church or the parish office.

Totus Tuus support needed! Can you...

- Provide lodging for 2 missionaries for the week? (1 pet-free home needed)
- Make a lunch for the 4 missionaries and volunteers Monday, Tues, Wed or Thursday? (Perhaps team up with someone else)
- Assist in the kitchen one day or all week, preparing snacks?
- Sit in a classroom one day or all week?
- Provide a scholarship for a student or family?





Sacred Heart Parish History

The original Sacred Heart Cemetery was platted about a mile east of town on South Avenue near Carter Street. Shortly after, Mike Krueger, who lived next to the newly platted cemetery, bought the land from the church and built a house on it. The present Sacred Heart Cemetery was then platted. According to Anton Kowalski, it is believed the first Catholic death was an individual passing through Emporia. Since no Catholic cemetery was established at that time, burial was in Maplewood Cemetery. The first recorded death in the parish was that of six-year-old Ernest Perrier on March 3, 1880. His stone in the cemetery is a small rounded piece of limestone on the Perrier lot.

The early days of Emporia were a time for "firsts" in the parish as well as the town. One "first" however was quite late. The first baby born in St. Mary's Hospital was not until August 27, 1919, when Donna Marie was born to Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Schmidt, who were passing through on the way to Olpe. Donna Marie, who was baptized here, is now Mrs. Walter Shaw of Wichita, Kansas. In May, 1920, the second birth in St. Mary's occurred with the delivery of a son, Francis, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Specht of the Olpe parish. Between 1884, the year that St. Mary's Hospital was opened and until 1923, the Sister of St. Francis were not allowed, by their order, to assist in the delivery or care of babies. Consequently, Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. Specht were required to bring their own help to the hospital and were placed in the "quarantine" room. Mrs. Specht, 96 years old, still lives with her son in Topeka. She is the aunt of Mrs. Carl Didde, Mrs. T.J. Duncan, and Mrs. Edward Fitzmorris of Sacred Heart Parish.

Records of the early years are somewhat sparse. It is known that the first baby baptized in the Sacred Heart Parish was Albert Atyeo, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Atyeo, in the year 1874, The first marriage performed in Emporia was on September 26, 1880, by Father Dominic Meier. The bride and groom are listed as James Ingolls of Norwork, Ohio, and a Margaret Hogan of New York City, New York. It was a mixed marriage and it is unknown as to whether they were temporary parishioners or just passing through. The first marriage performed in the second church was an December 29, 1884. This union was between Carl Ballweg from Heidelberg, Germany, and Margaret Byrne of Emporia. The Ballwegs remained in Sacred Heart Parish and were active members all of their lives. The second marriage was that of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Wecker. Mr. Wecker and Bertha Brinkman were married on September 23, 1887. Mrs. Tom Armstrong of Sacred Heart Parish and the late Mrs. W.B. Davidson, formerly of thie Parish, are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wecker.

In 1883, there were 100 families in Sacred Heart Parish and there were prospects of steady growth. By 1887, there were 120 children in the school. Reverend Lucas Gottbehoede, the Ex Provincial, had replaced Fr. Dominic Meier in 1885. Fr. Lucas was pastor with the following priests as assistants and pastors of the neighboring missions: Reverend Fathers Matthew, Bartholomew, Lawrence, and Boniface. After 1886, Reverend Leonard Nurre came here for a period of five years. He was succeeded by Reverend Bede Oldegeering, pastor until 1893, who was followed by Reverend James Archinger, who remained here until 1901.

From: "Sacred Heart Parish 1874-1974"



DONUTS FOR DIAPERS



Bring disposable diapers to the *Parish Hall* after Masses on April 27 & 28.

Trade the diapers for a donut!

Walking With Moms in Need will donate the diapers to the Shiloh Home of Hope for Women, an Emporia pregnancy center.



Diaper sizes 4, 5 & 6 are needed most.

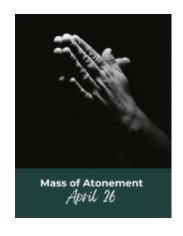
Questions? Call Cindy Durbin 620-341-3796



On Sunday, April 7, 65 meals and 27 bags were distributed.

<u>Donations needed:</u>
Canned fruit, Regular sized cereal Saltine crackers, and Dry Milk

Thank you!



Day of Prayer in Atonement for Sexual Abuse in the Church

6:30 PM, Friday, April 26

Savior Pastoral Center Chapel 12601 Parallel Pkwy. Kansas City, KS

You are invited to join Archbishop Naumann, who will offer Mass in atonement for the harm resulting from sexual abuse in the Catholic Church. This Mass is open to all who want to support and pray for healing for victims, and for the integrity of our clergy. Immediately after Mass there will be a short information session about abuse, and how the Archdiocese cares for victims using Restorative Justice principals. Then a reception will follow for conversation and fellowship

Sacred Heart Parish Archbishop's Call to Share Participation

Parish Target: \$45,635

29% of households have provided 88% of the contributions and pledges.

Please send your pledge or donation for the Call to Share campaign to the parish office.

ACTS 2024 Amount Received ACTS 2024 Donors 156

ACTS 2024 Committed - Pledges & Recurring G... \$12,160 \$195

Organizations

Altar Society

Wilma Malone ~ 620-340-2726

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Bob Burenheide ~ 620-344-4322

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Marriage Encounter

Natural Family Planning

Parish Endowments

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Jennifer Danler ~ 620-340-2894

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Week of April 6 - 7, 2024

Plate	\$1,037.00
Envelopes	\$8,075.00
Online	\$2,106.85
Children's	\$57.18
TOTAL	\$11,276.03
Building Fund	\$248.00
School Support	\$868.22
Ice Food Pantry	\$175.00
Cemetery Exp	\$100.00
Uganda	\$420.00
Other	\$404.00

To reach the online giving page through your Smartphone, scan the QR code below or visit shemporia.org to signup & start giving! It's never been so easy & convenient to play your part in your parish's financial life!



Cemetery Expansion Update

Current contributions total \$73,000.

Thank you for your stewardship gift!

Bulletin Announcements are due by Noon, Monday to appear in next week's bulletin. Thank you!

Welcome New Parishioners. Please register at the Parish Office.

Catechumenate (RCIA) Those desiring to enter our faith community are welcomed into the Catechumenate to begin Christian Initiation. Call the parish office.

Baptism Preparation Congratulations on your pregnancy or new arrival! Contact the church office regarding preparation. The Sacrament of Baptism is administered on the first Sunday of each month at the 10:00 am. Mass or immediately following. Must be

registered parishioner for at least six months. **Need Help With Prayer?** Spiritual direction is available on request with Fr. Carter, Debra Williams or Jim Krueger. Call the parish

Marriage Preparation Thinking about or already engaged? We're happy to help celebrate your love in the Sacrament of Marriage. Make an appointment with the pastor at least nine months prior to wedding.

This Week

<u>Sunday, April 14</u> 7:00-10:30 am KofC Breakfast— Parish Hall 8:00 am Holy Mass **10:00 am** Holy Mass **11:00** am CYF 4:00 pm Ice Box Drive Thru Monday, April 15 9:00 am Shawn's Scripture Study— Parish Office **6:15 pm** Cub Scout Meeting-School Tuesday, April 16 5:30 pm Holy Mass **7:00 pm** Faith Group - Parish Office Wednesday, April 17 5:30 pm Holy Mass 6:00 pm Confessions **7:00 pm** CYF Thursday, April 18 8:15 am Holy Mass 9:00 am Faith Group - Parish Office **10:00 am** Food Pantry Friday, April 19 **6:30 am** Men's Bible Study - Parish 8:15 am Holy Mass Saturday, April 20 3:00 pm Confessions 4:00 pm Holy Mass Sunday, April 21 8:00 am Holy Mass 10:00 am Holy Mass **11:00 am** CYF 12:15 pm CYF Family Potluck

4:00 pm Ice Box Drive Thru

Looking Ahead

April 27/28: Diapers for Donuts after Masses April 28: First Communion 10 am May 4: First Saturday Mass 9:30am May 5: Senior Recognition Mass 8a Senior Mass & Breakfast 9a May 9: Altar Society Mother/ Daughter/Friend Banquet 5:30 p May 9: School Spring Music Program and Art Show May 15: Confirmation 7 pm May 22/23: Bless Art Sale; after Masses June 1: First Saturday Mass 9:30 a May 19:150th Parish Anniversary Čelebration 11 am—3 pm June 16-21: Totus Tuus June 22-23: Blessed Art Sale July 6: First Saturday Mass 9:30 a Aug 3: First Saturday Mass 9:30 a

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 15 No Holy Mass

Tuesday, April 16 5:30 pm Karsten Whitmore

Wednesday, April 17 5:30 pm + Scotty Hudson

Thursday, April 18 8:15 am † John Pifko

Friday, April 19 8:15 am Jay & Becky Muckenthaler

Saturday, April 20 4:00 pm † Tim Baldridge

Sunday, April 21 8:00 am Parish 10:00 am † Kenneth Suchy

Grace for this Week

To understand and love more deeply the words of Christ and the Scriptures.



The Holy Rosary is recited thirty minutes before the start of each weekend Mass.

You are welcome to join in the fellowship of this beautiful prayer.

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary in 2024

Archdiocesan 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration
June 2nd, 2024, 2:00 pm, Church of the Nativity/Leawood
To receive your invitation from Archbishop Naumann, please call
the parish office and give us your name, address,
phone number and date of your wedding.

Please do this as soon as possible.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18



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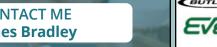
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