

# Holy Angels Church

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**Confessions** welcomed by appointment and Saturdays, 3:45 - 4:15 pm.

**Daily Mass** - Regular weekday Mass in little church 8 am Mon. – Thurs.. and at 9 am on civil holidays. Fridays at 8 am when a priest is available. There will not be a daily Mass when there is a funeral.

**Weekend Masses**— Saturday at 4:30 pm, Sunday at 8:00 and 10:30 am

**Rosary** after weekday Mass.

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## THE HOLY FAMILY



He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart. And Jesus advanced in wisdom and age and favor before God and man. - Lk 2:51-52

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**Pro Life Committee**

Greg & Judy Beck.....(913) 683-3520

December 26, 2021 A.D. • Feast of the Holy Family

## MASSES THIS WEEK



### ALL MASSES IN MAIN CHURCH

#### Monday, Dec. 27 St. John

8:00 am † Jerry Otting—DB

#### Tuesday, Dec. 28 The Holy Innocents

8:00 am † Wendy Doty—PS

#### Wednesday, Dec. 29 St. Thomas Becket

8:00 am † Holy Souls in Purgatory —KT

#### Thursday, Dec. 30

8:00 am † Herb Vogel—MM

#### Friday, Dec. 31

4:00 pm † Darlene Peterson—EZ

#### Saturday, Jan. 1

9:00 am † Leo Kreutzer—MM

#### NO vigil Mass/no confessions on New Years Day

#### Sunday, Jan. 2

8:00 am † Don Oswald—RO

10:30 am All parishioners of Holy Angels

## LITURGICAL ROLES

### NO 4:30 pm Mass on January 1

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 2 - 8:00 AM

<b>Servers</b>	Nathaniel and Tobias Cartwright
<b>Lector 1</b>	Curtis Pahls
<b>Lector 2</b>	Holly Hosler
<b>EMHC(4)</b>	Jill Hendrickson, Ruth Gore, Linda Gottschalk, Curtis Pahls
<b>Ushers (4)</b>	James Murphy*, Rodney Ashley, Dan Torline, Dennis Moore
<b>MC</b>	Heath Cartwright
<b>Sacristan</b>	Amanda Cartwright

#### SUNDAY, JANUARY 2- 10:30 AM

<b>Servers</b>	Brenden Traffis and Luke Plunkett
<b>Lector 1</b>	Tiffany Lynch
<b>Lector 2</b>	Jeffery Geer
<b>EMHC (4)</b>	Lynda Higgins, Debbie Steele, Ellie Zuk, John Tripp
<b>Ushers (4)</b>	Ron McMillian*, Keith Mark, Gene Klingele, John Blinzler
<b>MC</b>	Mike Scaletty
<b>Sacristan</b>	Yvonne Tripp

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#### Collection Counters:

Dec. 27—Joyce Bowlin, Veronica Stallbaumer,  
Linda Land, and Gene Klingele

Jan. 3—Janice Gaspers, Linda Land, and  
Maria McBratney

+Pax+

Tuesday, Memorial of St. John of the Cross, Dec. 14

Dear Parishioners and Friends of Holy Angels,

Already, this week has been a jam-packed one. We started out with the usual Sunday Masses, I went to hear confessions at another parish in the afternoon and totally enjoyed the euphoric program of our Advent Festival of Lessons & Carols with our traditional Christmas party after it at the parish hall with a visit from Ol' St. Nick, treats for the children and our Basehor-own Simple Simon's pizza.

Monday, St. Lucy's Day, we started off the Advent Parish Mission of Forty Hours of Devotion with an on-fire and very engaging Mass and homily whose fervor continued on Tuesday with the hour long preaching of Fr. Shawn Tunink. On Wednesday on the third week of Advent, on a blustery day of temperatures reminding us of Spring, with threatening winds, we concluded our Advent Parish Mission as though it was in late Spring, near Easter with a nice lunch for those who stayed to socialize.

A sad occurrence, Tuesday, was the funeral and burial of Abbot Barnabas Senecal, O.S.B., who confirmed thousands of persons in his time as the head of St. Benedict's Abbey in Atchison. He was beloved for many things, not the least for his signature hymns that he loved to sing in conferring Confirmation: "Servant Song" and "Hail Mary, Gentle Woman." When the current Abbot, James Albers, arrived at the abbey there was Abbot Barnabas and three other emeriti. Now there is only Abbot James ... but at the Benedictine Abbey in Conception, MO there are at least four former abbots and the current one. How strange the designs of Providence! Tues evening a great time was had by all at the annual CWO Christmas party.

Certainly, one of the true "reasons of the season" in conjunction with the Nativity of Our Lord and Savior is our counting of our blessings from God of those who in Christ Jesus's name, have touched us by His grace, and enriched our lives. For many of us – indeed, for most! – that means giving thanks and praying for those souls dear to us who have gone before us in this last year, marked with the sign of Faith, and have been laid to rest. It is not sentimentalism to look squarely in the face of the loss of someone you loved, or who meant a lot to you, and to feel grief at their loss at the Year's End. That is why our parish's new "Hope and Healing" Group – meant to help the bereaved – inspired by the Holy Spirit, publicized initially in this bulletin and set to meet in January of the new year for the first time, will be such a godsend to those who avail themselves of the opportunity to come together in Christ Jesus and by sharing of their grief experiences help to aid others and themselves in holy, healing ways. Please, if you are mourning, if you are hurting, avail yourself of this good opportunity! I believe that Christ is coming knocking at the door of your hearts to help heal them through this group.

Traditionally, Dec 26, when not on a Sunday, is St. Stephen's Day, the Proto-Martyr. Some may find it strange that the day after Christmas -the Nativity we celebrate of the Divine Messiah's Coming in the form of a newborn infant of the utmost purity - to then celebrate the First Martyr of the Church and of the New Testament! For some, it seems incongruous. Rather, it is all a part - as is the next day, and the day after, and the day after that - of recognizing the Blood of the Martyrs (the Holy Innocents, Dec 28, and St. Thomas Becket, Dec 29) co-mingle with the lives of the pure and innocent (St. John the Evangelist, the Beloved Apostle, Dec. 27).

I pray that all encounter the Holy Family this Feast Day on Sunday Dec 26 and in the remaining days of the Christmas and Epiphany Seasons in a unique and galvanizing way. May all our "auld lang syne" - our good, old times - be causes of joyful remembering with hopeful faith in the future. "Should auld acquaintance be forgot, and auld lang syne?" No, "auld acquaintances" should not be forgot. If we had not been in contact before Christmas, contact auld acquaintances **during** the Christmas and Epiphany Seasons. And, while forgetting hurtful times, it can be a source of comfort and of aid to us in remembering times long past. Let us by doing these things prayerfully prepare in a most Christian manner to welcome in the new year.

May this End of Year Time and New Year's Eve be causes of celebration in the Lord as we prepare to ring in another Year of Grace, Anno Domino 2022 (kudos to David Hornick)!

*Fr. Richard McDonald*

Our Lady Queen of the Holy Angels Adoration Chapel open 24/7 with key-card availability to those signing up for a holy hour

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotion Tuesdays after morning Mass

Youth Group Sundays, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm, Little Church basement

That Man Is You Saturdays, 7:00 am, parish hall

Pro Life Committee 1st Tuesday of the month, 7:00 pm

Legion of Mary 3rd Wednesday of the month 5:30 pm, modular bldg.

Ladies Faith Group Monday evenings at 6:30 pm, Little Church basement. Friday mornings at 9:30 am, Little Church basement.

## Spiritual Adoption Program

### Our developing baby...

**Month Two** (December 2021)

*"I can suck my thumb now!" And that's not all! During this second month, baby teeth form, and fingers and toes are developing. He is developing rapidly and visibly! His ears, nose, lips, and tongue can now be clearly seen; brain waves can be recorded! His skeleton changes from cartilage to bone this month, and the central nervous system is now functioning, too. By eight weeks, all of the baby's body systems are present. This little guy is about two inches long - and can suck his tiny, tiny thumb.*

Thank you for praying for this precious baby!

**Look for the developing baby progress - and the spiritual adoption prayers - on our website, [HolyAngelsBasehor.org](http://HolyAngelsBasehor.org).**

### New Year Spiritual Reflection and Planning Retreat

Christ's Peace House of Prayer 22131 Meager Road - Easton, KS Friday, January 7th at 5:30pm - Sunday, January 9th at 4:30pm Join us for our Annual New Year's Spiritual Reflection and Planning. Set aside time this year to focus on spiritual growth by creating growth goals and devising steps to reach goals. Please bring your own personal items that will aid in this process such as: bible, notebook, agenda, journal, catechism, laptop, etc. There will be conferences, 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 [christsppeace.com](http://christsppeace.com), send an email to: [info@christsppeace.com](mailto:info@christsppeace.com) or call 913.773.8255.

### CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

**Dec. 31—Parish Office Closes at Noon**

**Dec. 31—Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Vigil Mass, 4 pm**

**Jan. 1—Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass, 9 am**

**No Saturday confessions on Jan. 1 and no Vigil Mass for Jan. 2**

**Jan. 2—Sunday Masses, 8 am and 10:30 am**

**Jan. 8—Hope and Healing, 9:30 am, Little Church basement.**

## Music Ministry News for December 26

**Traditional Adult Choir** sings weekly at either the 10:30 Mass or 8:00 Mass.

Rehearsals are on Thursday evenings at 6:45pm.

They sing at the 10:30 Mass on December 26.

**Knights of Columbus Men's Choir** sings at the 8:00 Mass on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month.

They sing next on January 9. Rehearsal at 7:15am on the morning of.

**Contemporary Choir** sings at the 4:30 Mass on one Saturday of each month.

They sing next in January. Rehearsal at 3:45pm on the day of.

**Children's Choir**-We are starting up a new choir that will sing once a month on Saturday at the 4:30 Mass. Open to children in grades 3-8. We will be starting this choir up in January.

Please contact Laura Beeves at 913-832-7020 or the church office if interested.

### Pastor's New Year's Resolution

In the New Year, the Pastor invites those who wish to do so to submit articles for the bulletin. All will be considered for publication by the staff.

Thank you!

## Wedding Banns

**Banns for the intended wedding of:**

Jennifer Whipple and Jacob Burkett



## IN OUR PRAYERS

**Please pray for the following people listed on the prayer chain...** David Brewer, Eve Cope, Jim Cope, Jim Hubbel, Jerry Long, Anna Mary Landauer, Helen Engel, Janet Lashbrook, Palmer Swafford, Dale Shirley, Angie Kasick, Fred Randolph, Macy, Gracelynn, Joe Bohr, Claire Blackburn, Edith Gravatt, Beth, Heath Cartwright, Joan Calway, Jeff Bohndorf, Lola Wessel, Terry Lippelmann, and the repose of the soul of Don Mills.

### Prayer Chain Requests

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Sharon Peltzer 913-462-0779, spelt4@yahoo.com

### **New Bereavement Group - "Hope & Healing"**

In recent years, many Holy Angels parishioners have experienced the loss of loved ones, without a way to connect with others who are suffering. Prompted by the Holy Spirit, a group to support those suffering such a loss will be starting in January, called "Hope & Healing". The goal is to gather together monthly, and through prayer and discussion, learn how to move forward in the grief process, handle struggles, and lean on Jesus Christ for peace and healing. Our first gathering will be Saturday, January 8 at 9:30 am in the little church lower level. We will determine a future meeting schedule and discuss the format for each gathering. If you have any questions, please contact Melanie Savner at 913-707-6963. May the peace of Jesus Christ be a consolation during this Christmas season.

### **Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest**

Sunday January 16, 2022  
Basehor Linwood Middle School  
15900 Conley, Basehor, KS  
Ages 9-14 , boys and girls  
Gym opens at 12:30pm/contest begins at 1 pm  
Questions contact: James Murphy  
(913)231-4409



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