

FEBRUARY 17, 2019
6th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sacred Heart St. Casimir Parish Leavenworth



1405 2nd Avenue

715 Pennsylvania Avenue

FATHER MARIANAND MENDEM,
Pastor

Pastoral Council Members

Chairperson • Cheryl Reding
Religious Education • Rev. Mr. Robert Zbylut
Liturgy Committee •
Parish Activities Committee • Roger Linder & Sheila Thibault
Community Concerns Committee • Maria Minchew & Elsa Robinson
Shepherd's Supper • Fruit/Dessert Coordinators: Kathy Forge 351-3115 /Gwen Johnson 758-1867; Volunteer Coordinator: Bert O'Connor 772-8073
Altar Societies • Judy Keane & Jean Metz
St. Casimir Men's Society • Doug Scalard

If you would like to contact one of these people or help out on one of the committees, please call the parish secretary at 772-2424.

Please note: The Pastoral Council minutes are posted on the bulletin boards in the back of both churches.

Parish Committee Meetings

Pastoral Council • Meets the third Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm in Sacred Heart Hall
Finance Council • Meets the second Wednesday (bi-monthly) at 7:00 pm in the Parish Office.

Parish Organizations

Saint Casimir Men's Society • Meets in Saint Casimir Parish Hall the first Thursday of each month.
Sacred Heart Altar Society • Meets the first Wednesday of the month at 12:15 pm in the Sacred Heart Parish Center.
Saint Casimir Altar Society • Meets the second Thursday of each month at 12:30 pm in the Education Center.
Korean Prayer Group-Queen of the Rosary • Meets the second and fourth Sunday of each month in the SH Conference Room.
Knights of Columbus Council 900 • Meets the Second Wednesday of each month at 8:00 pm at the Hall, 205 4th St., Leavenworth.

Bulletin Notices

Please submit in writing to the parish office by Tues. at 11:30 am.
You can also email bulletin announcements to Sheila at sheila@shsc.org.

Parish Office

521 Linn St..... 772-2424
Hours..... Monday-Friday 9:00 am-3:00 pm
Office Fax..... 913-651-2150
Sheila Thibault ,Office Manager ext. 101
Rev. Mr. Robert Zbylut • Director of RE ... 913-364-5024
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Leavenworth Catholic School System

1409 - 2nd Ave..... 682-7801
Please Note: Remember Catholic Schools in your estate planning.

Mass Schedule

Weekend • Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm (SH)
Sunday 8:45 am (SC), 11:00 am (SH)
Weekday • Mon. No Mass, Tues. & Thurs. 8:30 am (SC)
Wed. & Fri. 8:30 am (SH)

Sacraments

Parish Confessions • Sat 3:00 pm (SH)
Weddings • Before setting a wedding date, please contact Father at least 6 months in advance.
Baptisms • Please call the office to register for a baptism class before the birth of the baby. A baptism class is required for parents and sponsors. Quarterly baptism classes are held. Please check the bulletin or call the office for times.
Ministry to the Sick • If a loved one is sick or homebound, please notify the parish office if you want the pastor to visit them or have Holy Communion brought to them. If anyone is in the need of the Sacrament of the Sick, please do not hesitate to call the parish office at 913-772-2424.

We welcome new parishioners and ask them to register at the Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, Feb 19
 8:30 am +Raietta Taborosi SC
 Wednesday, Feb 20
 8:30 am +M J Supplee *AC
 Thursday, Feb 21
 8:30 am +Frank & +Laura Mazeitis SC
 Friday, Feb 22
 8:30 am +Roger Fitzgerald SH
 Saturday, Feb 23
 4:30 pm +Frank Burwell SH
 Sunday, Feb 24
 8:45 am +Leonard/+Doris Robinson SC
 11:00 am All Parishioners SH

WEEKLY PARISH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday, Feb 19
 8:30 am Mass SC
 Wednesday, Feb 20
 8:30 am Mass AC*
 10:30 - 1:30 pm ECC Chapel SH
 6:00 pm CCD 2nd Ave. Sch.
 7:00 pm RCIA Educ. Ctr.
 Thursday, Feb 21
 8:30 am Mass SC
 1:00 pm MBK Quilt Group SC Hall
 Friday, Feb 22
 8:30 am Mass SH
 Saturday, Feb 23
 3:00 pm Confessions SH
 4:30 pm Mass SH
 Sunday, Feb 24
 8:45 am Mass SC
 9:45 am Rosary for Military SC
 11:00 am Mass SH
 7:00 pm Korean Prayer Group SH

*Annunciation Chapel

New to our Parish?

Please register if you are new to our parish. The registration forms are at the back of church or online at shsc.org.

“Join us in running the way of love!”

Waiting for a scheduled date? Wait no longer! Pick your own date! Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration invite single women, ages 18 - 40, who are considering religious life to visit for a weekend, for a weeklong Monastic Experience or for a personal discernment retreat at our monastery in Clyde, Missouri. It's a chance to experience the daily rhythm of our life where you can join us in singing the divine office, attend daily Mass, spend time in personal prayer, and open your heart to God's call by learning about discernment and prayer.

There is no cost to attend; more details can be found at www.benedictinesisters.org. To register, contact Sr. Maria Victoria at (660) 944-2221 ex. 127, or e-mail vocation@benedictinesisters.org.

News & Notes

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

Jeremiah 17:5-8 *Cursed are those whose hearts turn away from God.*
 Psalm 1 *“Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.”*
 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20 *Christ has been raised from the dead.*
 Luke 6:17, 20-26 *The Beatitudes.*

It's time to choose sides. The selections from Jeremiah, Psalms, and Luke each describe the favorable consequences for one group of people and the unfavorable consequences for the opposite group. Jeremiah distinguishes between those who place their trust in God and those who place their trust in others. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus reassures those who are suffering while warning those who are prospering. It is sobering. Let Saint Paul's proclamation of Christ's resurrection be of comfort to all of us.

- Pastoral Patterns, pg 54



Call to Share

Your support is critical to the success of the Archbishop's Call to Share appeal and its many ministries and services! This year's Archdiocesan goal is \$5,622,750. **Our parish portion of this goal is \$28,859.00.** Gifts of any amount are welcome, although if you are not doing so already, please consider a gift of a dollar a day (\$365) or more. Your gift will make everything possible. Please fill out a pledge envelope today or donate online at www.calltoshare.org. To date, we have received \$20,566.00 in pledges, 71% of our target, 20% participation, and 61 donors to date. Thank you!

Congratulations Confirmation Candidates

The sacrament of Confirmation was conferred on **Wednesday, February 13, 2019, at 7 pm at Immaculate Conception Church, 711 N. 5th St., Leavenworth.** Congratulations to the conferees from our parish: Nina Brown, Mick Kiper, Kaylynn Nguyen, Kate Brooks, Jack Robar-chek, Jazmyn Rabe, Stella Lee, Kylie Franchuk, Amy Sullivan.

February Shepherd's Supper

Our next free community meal is **Thursday, February 28** with advance preparation taking place on Wednesday, February 27. If you are new to the parish or have not attended one of our meals, we encourage you to do so. Sign-up sheets for volunteers or donations of fresh fruit and desserts alternate in the back of our churches. Please contact one of the coordinators listed on the front of the bulletin for more information about Shepherd's Supper. **The financial sponsors for this month's meal are Alan and Joanne Schuler who dedicate the meal in memory of Rita Schuler and Jim Runyon, and an anonymous donor who dedicates the meal in memory of Al Gervasini.** Thank you and God bless you!

New Rectory Number

The telephone at the Rectory has been hooked back up, the new number is **913-250-5135**. Please call this number in case of an emergency after business hours at the parish office. Thank you!

90th Birthday Invitation

The family of Bill Ault would like to invite you to a **90th birthday luncheon to celebrate Bill Ault's 90th birthday today, Sunday, February 17th at noon at Sacred Heart Parish Hall.** The family requests no gifts just your blessed presence. Thank you!



Matching Contributions for Final Push on Expenses for Rectory Remodeling

The Men's Society will match contributions up to \$2,000.00 to finish paying for the Rectory Remodeling project we undertook prior to Fr. Mendem joining us as our pastor. **Final expenses for the project were \$14,132.36. To date, donations total \$11,759.39.** We're close...I know we can do it! Thank you to all who donated labor and money to make this remodel successful. The Rectory looks Beautiful!

GIFT BEARERS

Saturday, Feb 23
 4:30 pm Jean Clark/Judy Duffin SH
 Sunday, Feb 24
 8:45 am Doug/Sue Scalard SC
 11:00 am John/Janice Finan SH

Weekly Collections

February 10, 2019.....\$14,301.35

Thank you for your generosity!

What's Happening



Now Enrolling for the 2019-2020 School Year! Xavier Catholic School (Preschool-Eighth Grade)

Xavier Catholic School offers a challenging and innovative academic curriculum that develops the gifts, talents, of all of our children. We teach our students to be critical thinkers, productive citizens, and spiritual leaders. For more information or to enroll please visit ww.leavenworthcatholicsschools.org or contact Lisa Forge at 913-682-7801. To register your child please visit <https://leavenworthcatholicsschools.org/admissions/kindergarten-experience-day>.

IGNITE the Green & White

Save the date for Xavier Catholic School's premier scholarship event! **Ignite the Green and White is scheduled for March 9, 2019, at J.W. Crancer's.** For more information or to purchase tickets please visit <https://leavenworthcatholicsschools.org/give/ignite-the-green-and-white> or contact Lisa Forge at 913-682-7801. **Two of our parishioners will be honored at this event, Carol Anne Schmidt and Sherri Schwinn! Congratulations ladies!**

Want to live your Faith and Make a Difference in Someone Else's Life?

Birthright Volunteers offer hope, understanding and love to women distressed by pregnancy. We help them evaluate their situation, look at resources and discover how they can give life to their babies. For 32 years Birthright of Leavenworth, Inc. has been helping women in this area carry their babies to term. Come learn about Birthright. **Both meetings are required for volunteering. Birthright Information Night, Thursday, March 21 at 7pm, At the Leavenworth Public Library Board Meeting Room, 417 Spruce, Leavenworth.** This is an introductory meeting for anyone interested in volunteering or who would like to know more about Birthright. **Birthright Volunteer Training Day, Saturday, March 23 from 9am to 4pm, At the Birthright Center, 221-A Delaware; Leavenworth.** This is training for anyone interested in volunteering at the Birthright center. Our volunteers give approximately 3 hours/week or every other week. **Both meetings are required for volunteering.** To register for training, please call **Margaret McNamee 913-991-7660, or the Birthright center 913-682-2700.**

Jr High Youth Rally

Registration is now open for the Jr High Youth Rally, "WITNESS", taking place on **Feb. 25, 2019, from 9:30am-4:00pm, at Prairie Star Ranch,** featuring Steve Angrisano, Mikey Needleman Band, and Mike Debus. Archbishop Naumann will say Mass. For more information, visit our website: <https://www.archkck.org/ministries--offices/ecat-youth/junior-high-youth-rally>

Faith & Family Night with KC Mavericks

Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas and Catholic Charities of Kansas City-St. Joseph are teaming up for a **Faith and Family Night with the Kansas City Mavericks (Ice Hockey) on Friday, March 1st.** Game tickets are \$20. For every ticket sold, 10 boxes of Mac and Cheese will be donated to feed hungry families. In addition, collection bins will be on-site for those who would like to support our drive by donating additional boxes of Mac and Cheese. Join in the fun! Purchase a ticket and support the Mac and Cheese drive by going to: kcmavericks.com/catholic.

Men Under Construction

A Catholic Men's Conference from 7:00am-3:30pm on April 6, 2019 at Church of the Ascension, 9510 W 127th, Overland Park, KS. The day includes breakfast, vendors, speakers (Elvis Grbac-former KC Chief's quarterback & Dr. David Anders), confession, lunch and Mass with Archbishop Naumann. Cost - \$40 adults, \$20 students. Register or more info at www.ksmuc.org.

Women in Scripture: Models of Suffering

Begin Lent by looking at women in Scripture who experienced suffering and responded in ways that are surprising and powerful. We'll spend time reading Scripture, in prayer, and engaging in meaningful conversation as we look at these remarkable and inspiring women. The day will end with significant time for private prayer that can be spent in chapel, walking the grounds, making the Stations of the Cross, or simply reflecting on the stories you heard. **Presented by Renee Neff-Clark. Fee: \$60.00, includes lunch and the date is Tuesday, March 7, from 10 am to 3:30 pm.** Call 913.360.6173 or visit the website at www.sophiaspiritualitycenter.org.

Natural Family Planning Class

Grab the Natural Family Planning lifeline for couples damaged spiritually, physically, and emotionally by contraception. **Classes begin at St. John the Evangelist Catholic School, 1208 Kentucky St., Lawrence, KS on Wed., Feb. 27, 6:30pm.** Reasonable course fee charged. Call Shannon or John Rasmussen at (785) 749-1015 for more info. Visit live-the-love.org to pre-register as required for these or *online classes*.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

As we begin the new year we offer a few "resolutions" for married couples. Resolution #3 - **Become a Better Listener.** Do you ever find yourself multi-tasking while "listening" to your husband or thinking "I've heard all this before" when your wife brings up an issue? **The Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you overcome these barriers to effective listening and start listening to your spouse with an open heart.** The next weekend in the Kansas City area will be Mar 1-3, 2019. For more info, or to apply, visit www.wmme4youandme.org, or call/email Tony & Barb Zimmerman at 816-741-4066, tonybarbz@prodigy.net.



PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Ramona Adams	Yong Ae O
Elaine & David Atkins	Mary Reilly
Ella Biczak	Mary Jo Rich
Christine Baker Bolz	Mary Ryan
Gene Clevenger	Joseph Seifert
Joe Corrison	Fr. Jim Shaughnessy
Patsy Edgman	Boden Skahan
Barb Hagemester	Eugene Smith
Pat Harris	Rudy & Judy Stupar
Melanie Herken	Sharon Talbot
Michael Janas	Msgr. Tom Tank
Jim Kaye	Seth Trapani
Gina Keane	Bob Trusty
Sr. Kathy Keane, FMA	Anton Tupa
Bill Kempin	Mike Urban
Gene Kermashek	Marie Weafer
Nick Lane	Abbi Whisler
Keith Long	Dwyn Belden Whitmill
Jami Manning	Barbara Wiley
Donald Mattingly	Louis Wiley
Susie McCabe	Janice Williams
Fran McCourt	Mary Williams
Luisa Metivier	Ruthe Wright
Roy Metz	Deborah Zbylut-Kinneer
Liz Neal	



Pray for those in the Military

Please pray for these loved ones serving in Iraq and other overseas locations:

Jay Blakely	Geoffrey Jackson
Bill Corrison	Joshue Lodge
CPT Will Cordes	James Marshall
Maj. Eric Gilge	Taron Morris
Korie Fisher	Evan Wallace
Ian Wheaton	

Prayer works, thanks for praying!

Moving?

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