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Fifth Sunday of Easter

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WELCOME

Welcome to Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish and thank you for coming today! Whether you’re a familiar face, from another part of the country or simply from another parish in this Diocese, we’re happy to have you with us. Thanks to the generosity of members and visitors like you, we are able to worship here in a fitting and beautiful way. A variety of programs & services, including a shared elementary thru middle school, Parish School of Religion, RCIA, Adult Religious Education, Adoration Chapel, The Lord’s Food Pantry, St. Vincent de Paul, Harvest House, Prayer Blanket Ministry and many other programs are available to parishioners and people living throughout and beyond the Newton area. If you have questions about what we have to offer here at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, just call us during office hours at 316-283-3499. Thanks again for being with us today!



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, a Eucharistic family, is committed to inspiring a visible expression of Jesus Christ, as we follow his life and ministry.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

We are blessed here at Our Lady of Guadalupe to be able to offer Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The Adoration Chapel is open 12pm Sunday thru 12pm Thursday. We invite everyone to stop by and spend some **QUIET** time with our Lord and Savior. The chapel is located by the church’s north entrance.

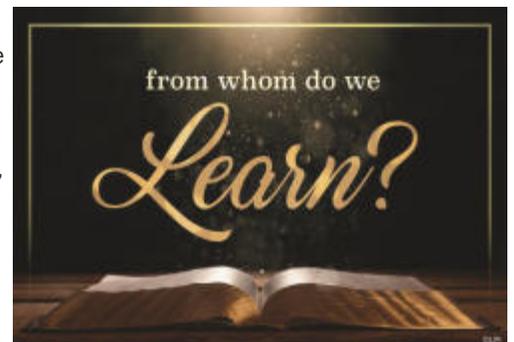
You may sign up for a regularly scheduled hour of time for adoration by calling one of the Chapel coordinators listed below.

From time to time we have Adorers who need a substitute for their hour when they are unable to make it due to health reasons or vacations. Please stop in the chapel to see if you can help fill someone’s hour while they are absent. ALL ARE WELCOME, whether as a drop in or for a regularly scheduled visit.

ATTENTION: We ask that you please **RESPECT OUR LORD** and other adorer’s in the chapel by quietly praying and keeping children quiet and in their seat during your visit. Also, there is no food allowed in the chapel. Thank you! Here is a list of times when adorers are needed:

OPEN HOURS

Sunday ... 7am, 8am, 9am, 10am, 11am
Sunday 1pm
Monday 1pm
Tuesday 6am
Wednesday 6am
Thursday 2am, 3am



News & Notes

Please Pray For

Terresia Lujan 224 SE 5th
Willie Nunez 215 W 2nd

Asbury Park

Oscar & Alice Jacobs

Kansas Christian Home

Ivonne Ascencio

Kidron

Cookie Gonzalez

Margaret Montano

Showalter Villa-Hesston

Billie Vetter

Louise Morales

Happy Birthday

Shannon Bachman May 4
Sylvia Gallegos May 7
Olivia Sandoval May 7
Claire Van Zelfden May 7
Fran Gomez May 11
Randy Bachman May 11
Jennie Arellano May 15
Toria Thaw May 28

Happy Anniversary

Jesse & Pauline Garcia May 1
Gene & Stacy Schauf May 24
Jr. Jorge Lopez (4) May 27

Stewardship & Education

Adult Religious Education

Adult Ed meets every Sunday after the 9:00am Mass in the Education Center in the rectory. Coronavirus rules: masks, social distancing, etc. will be followed.

St. Mary Catholic School

• St. Mary Catholic Preschool is now holding registration for the 2021-2022 school year. We still have openings for 3 year old preschool on Tuesday/Thursday mornings and 4 year old preschool on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday AFTERNOONS. Please call 282-1974 to register. Class space is limited. Thank you!

Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus for St. Mary and Our Lady of Guadalupe will be the week of June 20 through June 25 at St. Mary Catholic School for kids entering 1st grade through graduating Seniors. The cost is \$25 per kid or \$65 for families of 3 or more. Green registration forms are available in the back of Church or the Parish office. Turn in registration and money by May 20 to guarantee getting this year's Totus Tuus t-shirt. Contact Marcia Oden (316)217-2907 or moden@smcsnewton.org with any questions or to volunteer during that week.

Right to Life

• **LOCAL First Saturday Rosary for Life:** The CDC's latest statistics report 623,471 abortions in 2016. The Guttmacher Institute report 862,320 abortions in 2017. This is over one millions lives lost to abortion in only 2 years—as a nation we can do better. As Catholic people we are called to defend life.

During this time of Coronavirus we will be praying locally in solidarity with those praying in Wichita at the Trust Women Abortion Clinic. Masks and social distancing are required. *Please join us as we pray the Rosary for Life on Saturday, June 5th from 9-10:30am in the church sanctuary.*

2020 Tax Statements

It is time once again for tax statements. **CORRECTION: eCatholic has informed us that they will not be sending out statements, but if you gave by online giving let Lisa know and she will print out a statement for you.** If you used envelopes at anytime during 2020 and would like a tax statement mailed to you, please call Lisa at 283-3499 or email her at olnewton@gmail.com to request one.

Altar Society Scholarships

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE Our Lady of Guadalupe Altar Society is pleased to announce that it will award two scholarships in the amount of \$500. Any student who is a member of OLG Parish and who will be continuing his/her education at a college, junior college, business college or vocational school is eligible to make an application. Applicants who have previously received the scholarship are welcome to apply. Applications are in the church office and are due on or before June 21, 2021.

Everyday Stewardship

Recognize God in your Everyday Moments...Branching Out Isn't Always What It's Cracked Up to Be "That's a really beautiful tree branch. Man, would you look at the bark on that thing? The others are real duds, but that low-hanging branch has really got it all together."

I've never heard anyone say this. Maybe I just need to hang out with more arborists, but I can't recall ever hearing someone admire the particular beauty of a single branch. When someone comments on a tree, it's usually the whole tree — perhaps a visual element of it, like the color of the leaves or its height. But people don't usually zero in on one branch.

Maybe that's because usually, if one branch is looking a little weak, chances are every other branch is, too.

The Bible tells us that when we bear fruit as good everyday stewards, it is for the Father's glory. We are the branch on His magnificent tree. What we have is from Him, and what we do likewise points back to Him. We also tend to reflect how well the other branches around us are incorporating the nutrients coming their way. That's all fine and good in theory. In practice, it can be an arduous exercise in humility.

When I do something virtuous or charitable or kind, there is a part of me that wants to stand out for it. I think that's true for all of us. We've given of ourselves in some way or overcome some human temptation to accomplish a little bit of good in this world, and even though we know God sees us, we'd really love for everyone else to see it, too.

It's a struggle, for sure. But we need to remember that our fruit belongs to the whole tree.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

5th SUNDAY OF EASTER



What's Happening



Knights Knews

• The Knights of Columbus meet every second Monday of the month at 7:30pm in the Knights Hall located behind the garage.

Harvest House

• All Parishioners 50+ are invited to join Harvest House. We meet the second Thursday of each month.
• Harvest House will meet Thursday, May 13 at 10:00am in the OLG Education Center in the Rectory. We will have a mini breakfast buffet, games and prizes. I want to share my plans for future Harvest House meetings and hope you have some ideas, too. If you have thoughts or questions call: Wendy Hoffman 620-381-4259.

St. Mary Cemetery

Additional help is needed to mow and trim at St. Mary Cemetery this summer. One to two hours necessary every 2 weeks to maintain and keep cemetery looking good. All equipment is provided. You may mow or trim at your convenience. Call, Text, or e-mail Carrol Langenhorst C-316-727-3025; H-316-283-8909; clangenhorst@cox.net

Truth About the Equality Act

The bill is well-intentioned but ultimately misguided. The Equality Act discriminates against people of faith, threatens unborn life, and undermines the common good. When Congress reconvenes on April 12 we urge everyone to engage by calling their senators or sending an email to oppose the Equality Act. Contact information can be found at: <https://www.senate.gov/states/KS/intro.htm>. If you have questions please contact Bonnie Toombs at 316-269-3935 or toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org. Thank you!!

May Calendar

Sunday, May 2:

10:00am Adult Ed, Education Center, Rectory

Monday, May 3:

6:00pm Choir Practice, Church

7:00pm St. Vincent de Paul meeting, Parish Hall

Sunday, May 9:

10:00am Adult Ed, Education Center, Rectory

Monday, May 10:

6:00pm Choir Practice, Church

7:30pm KofC meeting, Knights Hall

Thursday, May 13:

10:00am Harvest House, Ed Center, Rectory

Saturday, May 15:

10:00am-2:00pm Altar Society Taco/Burrito Sale

Parish Hall, Carry Out ONLY

Sunday, May 16:

10:00am Adult Ed, Education Center, Rectory

Monday, May 17:

6:00pm Choir Practice, Church

6:30pm Altar Society meeting, Parish Hall

Sunday, May 23:

10:00am Adult Ed, Education Center, Rectory

Monday, May 24:

6:00pm Choir Practice, Church

Thursday, May 27:

Fr. Jorge's 4th Anniversary to the Priesthood

Sunday, May 30:

Adult Ed, Education Center, Rectory

Monday, May 31:

Memorial Day, Church Office will be CLOSED

From the Diocese

•Apostle Build 2021

July 7-September 4

GREAT SUMMER PROJECT for you to get a group, of 15 of your friends and/or family, or parish groups together and come help build a home for a very deserving family. All volunteers must be at least 16 years old. Please call the Respect Life and Social Justice Office to reserve your day to build 316-269-3935 and talk to Sheri or Bonnie. You must sign up through the RLSJ Office.

When: Wed. – Sat. 7:30am – 3pm.

Where: 1314 N Lorraine Wichita

What I can do, you cannot. What you can do, I cannot. But together we can do something beautiful for God – Mother Teresa

•**JOB OPENING: Part-time Receptionist, Chancery Office:** The Catholic Diocese of Wichita is seeking an exceptional individual to serve as a Part-Time Front Desk Receptionist. Must be available to work 15-20 hours per week. This individual will assist callers and visitors and provide secretarial and office support as directed. Application deadline is noon, May 11, 2021. For information regarding requirements, please check our job posting at <http://catholicdioceseofwichita.org>, Administration, Human Resources, Careers.

Meditación Del Evangelio

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Readings for the week of May 2, 2021

Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32/
1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

Monday: 1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Jn 14:6-14

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 2/
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: 15:7-21/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 10/Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12/Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5/Jn 15:18-21

Next Sunday: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/
Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

Liturgical Roles

To update your e-mail address or for help with Ministry

Scheduler Pro, contact Veronica at vrmosqueda@gmail.com.

Saturday, (May 8) at 5:00 pm

Euch. Minister Angeles Lujano
Altar Servers Xitlali & Kiahne Lujano/ Jordyn Tauilili
Lector Bill Jenn
Cantor/Accompanist Jennie Kelly/ Kim Silvernale-Wagner
Ushers John Florez/ Chad, Cavin & Finn Fuqua
Greeters/Gifts Sarah Tauilili

Sunday, (May 9) at 9:00 am

Euch. Minister Vern Koch
Altar Servers Elizabeth Olsen/ Alyssa & Eli Boden
Lector Madi Gehrler
Cantor/Accompanist Bernie Balerio/ Rachel Boden
Ushers Jess Olsen/ Judy Laffin/
Cheryl Buckley/ Scott Boden
Greeters/Gifts Kathy Van Zelfden

Sunday, (May 9) at 11:00 am

Euch. Minister Susan Klock
Altar Servers Xaydi Valdivia/ Sophia Camacho/
Marisa Musser
Lector Lezelly Acevedo
Cantor/Accompanist Bill Jenn/ Kate Bergman
Ushers Willis & Liz Mosiman/
Marco & Jessica Valdivia
Greeters/Gifts Ron Atkinson

Sunday, (May 9) at 12:30 am

Euch. Minister Delia Duran
Monagillos Sarah & Natalia Payan/ Rocio Herrera
Bienvenida Juan Herrera Family/
Teo & Maricela Hernandez
Lectores Ramon Chavez

Linen Laundry: **May 9** Irene Medina

Church Cleaners: May 6-7

Sanctuary: Joshua & Veronica Bargdill/ Sarah Tauilili/ Jess Olsen

Foyer/Windows: Chris & Tina Monares/ Nicholas & Nelly Cooper/
Marco & Jessica Valdivia

Restrooms: Joshua & Sherry Baker/ Cat Heredia/ Kelly Evancho

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Altar Society, Cindy Reyes cynthiamreyes7565@yahoo.com
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Mass Schedule and Intentions

Monday, May 3

8:00am Karla Eilert/ KW

Tuesday, May 4

8:00am Hilary Dopfal/ BB

Wednesday, May 5

8:00am † Eva Clooten/ R&LR

Thursday, May 6

8:00am Claire Van Zelfden/ W&NS

Friday, May 7

8:00am Robert Bunting/ BB

Saturday, May 8

5:00 pm † Barbara Brelsford/ M&SJ

Sunday, May 9

9:00 am † Agustin & † Isabel Rodriguez/
A&MR

11:00am † Elsie Gonzalez/ PW

12:30 pm People of the Parish

Sacraments

Reconciliation/ La Reconciliación

You can receive God's forgiveness for your sins by making an appointment with Fr. Jorge or coming to the church at one of the following times:

Mon-Fri	7:30-7:50am
Saturday	3:30-4:30pm

Padre Jorge está disponible para las confesiones durante este horario o puedes llamarle en la oficina para programar una cita para confesarse.

Lunes–Viernes	7:30-7:50am
Sábado	3:30-4:30pm

Baptism/ El Bautismo

Typically Baptisms are after the 5:00pm Mass on Saturdays or at 11:00am on the second Saturday of each month for parishioners. If interested, please call the parish office to meet with Fr. Jorge and present the Birth Certificate and the names of the godparents to him.

Generalmente, bautizamos a los niños los domingos despues de la misa a las 12:30pm o el cuarto sábado de cada mes a las 11:00am. Si estás intersado, llame a la oficina para programar una cita con Padre Jorge antes de planear la fecha. Necesitas traer el acta de nacimiento y la información de los padrinos durante esa cita.

Anointing the Sick/La Uncion de los Enfermos

The First Friday of each month at 8:00am Mass. Fr. Jorge also visits the sick or homebound, who cannot attend Sunday Mass, so please inform the parish office of any shut-ins.

Cada primer viernes de mes durante la Misa a las 8:00am.

Marriage/El Matrimonio

Please consult Pastor at least 6 months prior to your desired wedding date. Annulments needed prior to marriage if applicable.

Hable con el padre 6 meses antes de planificar su fecha. Para la anulación de matrimonio hablar con el padre, pues toma más tiempo.

*Annulments

All couples wishing to marry and one of them was married previously, whether a civil ceremony or in a church must apply for an annulment. Contact Fr. Jorge or any priest for details.

Toda pareja desea contraer matrimonio y puede ser que uno de ellos ha estado casado anteriormente, ya sea por el civil o Iglesia. Ellos deben obtener su anulición. Comunicarse con el padre Jorge u otro sacerdote para detalles.

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