

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT - DECEMBER 19, 2021



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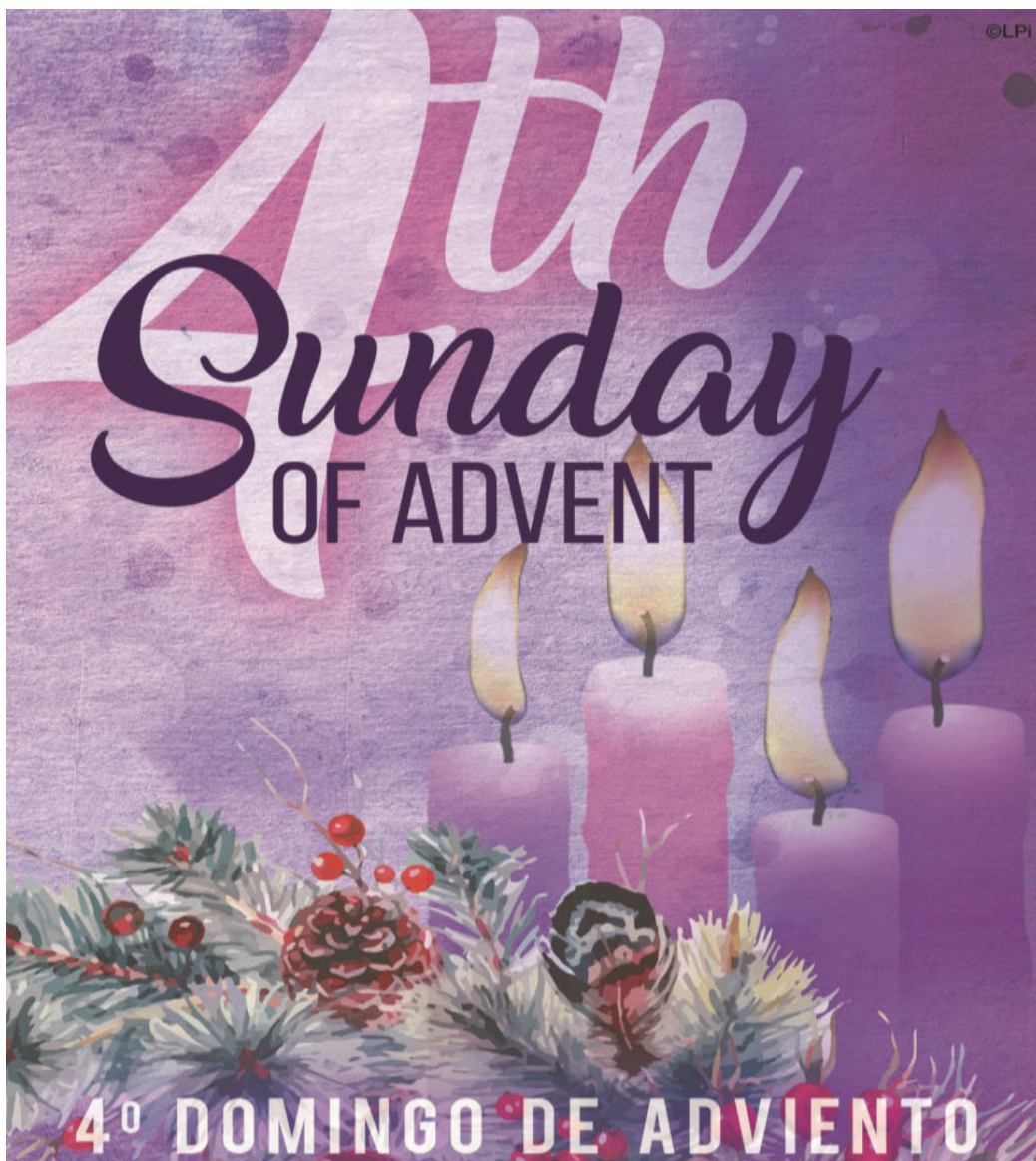


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Pastor Fr. Michael Hermes

Parochial Vicar Fr. Agustín Martínez

Deacon Mike Moffitt, Ph.D.



"St. Paul Parish is a welcoming diverse community that loves and serves God through our worship, faith formation, sacramental participation, and service to others. We embrace the generous pioneer spirit that founded our parish, helping to make missionary disciples, and witnessing to Christ by our words and works of mercy."

~ St. Paul Vision Statement, 2020

Parish Directory

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Parish Office Hours

Monday thru Friday.....9:00 am-5:00 pm

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Parish Registration



We invite all those who are new to the area or have not yet registered to visit www.spcatholic.org/Register or stop by the Parish Office to complete a registration form. Please contact the Parish Office with questions at 913.764.0323 and welcome to St. Paul Parish!

Parish Ministries



Please visit our parish website at www.spcatholic.org/ministries for ministry schedules and information on joining a ministry at St. Paul Parish. There are many wonderful opportunities for our parishioners to become involved and share your time and talents within our community.

MANY THANKS TO OUR ADVERTISERS

Mass and Confessions Schedule

Daily Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: Tuesday - Friday 8 a.m.
First Saturday of the Month: 8 a.m.

Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5 p.m.
Sunday: Masses in English: 8 a.m. 10 a.m. (Signed) and 4 p.m.
Masses in Spanish: 12:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Holy Day Schedule

Visit www.spcatholic.org for times and dates of Holy Days of Obligation.

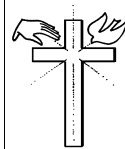
Confessions Schedule

Wednesday: 6-7 p.m. (English/Spanish)
Saturday: 3:30-4:30 p.m. (English/Spanish)
By appointment: Contact Fr. Michael to schedule

St. Paul Legacy Society

The St. Paul Legacy Society is for parishioners and friends of our parish who include the Parish Endowment Fund, the School Endowment Fund or the Parish Relocation Fund in their estate plans. Whether you are single or married, with children or not, visit CatholicPlannedGiving.org for planned giving news, helpful videos, detailed brochures, an estate planning guide where you can make a list of bequests, and much more. Please contact Fr. Michael at frhermes@spcatholic.org or 913.764.0323 to be listed in the St. Paul Legacy Society.

Receiving the Sacraments



Baptism: Parents are asked to take the required prep class prior to the baptism of the child. Godparents are asked to attend this class as well. Please contact the Parish Office to enroll in the class and schedule the Baptism.

Marriage: Couple is asked to contact the office at least six months prior to the projected date of ceremony to begin their marriage preparation.

Anointing of the Sick: Administered quarterly (January, April, July and October) during the First Saturday Mass at 8:00 AM. If a person is in need of this sacrament at any other time, please notify the parish office.

Lost and Found

Personal belongings that have been left behind may be located at the Parish Office. Please contact the office if you have misplaced an item. Items not claimed within 30 days will be donated to charity.



Parish and Community News

Pastor's Christmas Message 2021

As I'm writing this the temperature outside is approaching 70 degrees! It sure doesn't feel like traditional Kansas Christmas weather.

But that doesn't really matter . . . what matters is this: "That God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him" (John 3:16-17).

What matters is how much God loves each one of us, and the entire world, that he sent us Jesus as Lord and Savior. This thought should bring us great joy in our hearts, it should light up our outlook and attitudes, it should make a difference in our lives. And, when the cold weather arrives in Kansas come January, this thought will warm our hearts!

All of us at St. Paul Catholic Church wish you and your family a very joyous, deeply spiritual, and a happy and holy Christmas 2021.

Fr. Michael

Parishioners Congratulations

Baptism



This past weekend we had the pleasure and honor of welcoming those who have entered into the Catholic faith through the waters of Baptism:

Carlos Ibarra, son of Armando & Roció

Matrimony

Congratulations to

Daniel & Julieta Douglas

on celebrating the Sacrament of Matrimony!

Christmas Decorators Needed

We will be decorating the Worship Space for Christmas on December 23rd beginning at 8:30 am (after the 8 a.m. Mass). All are welcome to help, no special skills required. We work until it is done but the time it takes depends on how many people volunteer. Thanks to anyone who is able to help!

Christmas Liturgy Schedule

Christmas Eve Mass: Friday, Dec. 24th

5 p.m. (English); 5:30 p.m. (English at St. James Academy)

8 p.m. (English); Midnight (Bilingual)

Christmas Day Mass: Saturday, Dec. 25th

8 a.m. (English), 10 a.m. (English & ASL); 12:30 p.m. (Spanish)

New Year's Eve Mass: Saturday, Jan. 1st

8 a.m. (English); 10 a.m. (Spanish)

*We wish everyone a Happy and Holy Christmas
from St. Paul!*



Noticias de la Parroquia

Mensaje de Navidad del Párroco 2021

Mientras escribo esto, ¡la temperatura afuera se acerca a los 70 grados! Seguro que no se siente como un clima tradicional navideño en Kansas.

Pero eso realmente no importa. . . lo que importa es esto: "Que tanto amó Dios al mundo que dio a su Hijo unigénito, para que todo el que crea en él, no se pierda, sino que tenga vida eterna. Porque Dios no envió a su Hijo al mundo para condenar al mundo, sino para que el mundo sea salvado por él" (Juan 3: 16-17).

Lo que importa es cuánto nos ama Dios a cada uno de nosotros, y al mundo entero, que nos envió a Jesús como Señor y Salvador. Este pensamiento debería traernos una gran alegría en nuestro corazón, debería iluminar nuestra perspectiva y nuestras actitudes, debería hacernos un diferencia en nuestras vidas. Y, cuando llegue el clima frío a Kansas en enero, ¡este pensamiento calentará nuestros corazones!

Todos nosotros en la Iglesia Católica de San Pablo le deseamos a usted y a su familia una muy feliz y santa Navidad 2021.

Padre Michael

Felicitaciones a los Feligreses

Bautismo



La Parroquia de San Pablo recientemente tuvo el placer y el honor de dar la bienvenida a aquellos que han entrado en la fe Católica a través de las aguas del Bautismo:

Carlos Ibarra, hijo de Armando & Roció

Matrimonio

Felicitaciones a

Daniel & Julieta Douglas

al celebrar el Sacramento del Matrimonio!

Meditaciones Diarias del Santo Rosario

Suscríbete a la página del rosario en Español en RosarioDiario.net y recibas meditaciones diarias escritas por el Dr. Mike Scherschligt de la Escuela de Fe de la Sagrada Familia.

Calendario Litúrgico de Navidad

Horario de Misa de Nochebuena: Viernes, 24 de Dic.

Misa de Medianoche (Bilingüe)

Horario de Misa del Día de Navidad: Sábado, 25 de Dic.

12:30 p.m. (Español)

Horario de Misa de Año Nuevo: Sábado, Primero de Enero

10:00 a.m. (Español)

*Deseamos una Feliz y Santa Navidad a todos en la
Parroquia de San Pablo!*





Family Faith Formation Program Programa de Formación Familiar en la Fe

Office Hours:
Monday to Thursday
from 10:00 am to 3:00

Horario de la Oficina:
Lunes a Jueves
de 10:00 am- 3:00 pm

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM GR. K-12

Dear Friends in Christ,

This week we will celebrate Christmas! On behalf of our Family Faith Formation Staff, I sincerely hope that the remembrance of Christ's birth brings you much peace and hope. We celebrate God's gift to us of his Son, Jesus. It is a gift of love, one we are called to bring into the world. Jesus came among us to save us. He shows us a way to live. Even in taking on our human nature, he shows us our own worth. He reminds us that we should look at each other with the same love he shows us. We often think that Christmas is a child's feast. It is. It is for the child within each of us, the part of us that takes joy in the wonder of life. Our world needs the message of Jesus, its wonder, its joy, and its hope. We need it at Christmas, but it cannot be contained to one day. Christmas calls us to live in its message of gift.

Live the true meaning of Christmas, then, throughout the year by carrying His love into the world. Look at the people you meet. See that Jesus is with them. Give thanks for the gift we are to each other. Our world needs the message of Jesus, his love, his forgiveness, his mercy, his care. Live in the wonder of the gift of Christmas: each of us is loved by God. The power of this gift to transform our world is our hope.

I pray that Christmas for each of us is a joyful moment to hear the Good News once again, God is with us. May we welcome him again with hope. And may all of you, your family, and your friends have a wonderful and blessed Christmas.

May you have the grace to find happiness and joy this Christmas and throughout the New Year... and may we meet each day in our prayers!

In joyful hope,

Karla Melgar
Director of Family Faith Formation
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PROGRAMA DE FORMACIÓN FAMILIAR GR. K-12

Queridos amigos en Cristo,

¡Esta semana celebraremos la Navidad! En nombre de nuestro personal de formación familiar en la fe, espero sinceramente que el recuerdo del nacimiento de Cristo les traiga mucha paz y esperanza. Celebramos el regalo que Dios nos dio de su Hijo, Jesús. Es un regalo de amor, uno que estamos llamados a traer al mundo.

Jesús vino entre nosotros para salvarnos. Nos muestra una forma de vivir. Incluso al asumir nuestra naturaleza humana, nos muestra nuestro propio valor. Nos recuerda que debemos mirarnos con el mismo amor que él nos muestra. A menudo pensamos que la Navidad es una fiesta infantil. Es para el niño dentro de cada uno de nosotros, la parte de nosotros que se alegra de las maravillas de la vida. Nuestro mundo necesita el mensaje de Jesús, su maravilla, su alegría y su esperanza. Lo necesitamos en Navidad, pero no puede limitarse a un día. La Navidad nos llama a vivir su mensaje de regalo.

Entonces, vive el verdadero significado de la Navidad durante todo el año llevando Su amor al mundo. Mira a la gente que conoces. Mira que Jesús está con ellos. Den gracias por el regalo que somos el uno para el otro. Nuestro mundo necesita el mensaje de Jesús, su amor, su perdón, su misericordia, su cuidado. Viva la maravilla del regalo de la Navidad: cada uno de nosotros es amado por Dios. El poder de este regalo para transformar nuestro mundo es nuestra esperanza.

Oramos para que la Navidad para cada uno de nosotros sea un momento de alegría para escuchar la Buena Nueva una vez más, Dios está con nosotros. Que podamos darle la bienvenida nuevamente con esperanza. Y que todos ustedes, su familia y sus amigos tengan una maravillosa y bendecida Navidad.

¡Que tengas la gracia de encontrar la felicidad y la alegría en esta Navidad y durante todo el Año Nuevo ... y que nos encontremos cada día en nuestras oraciones!

Con gozosa esperanza,

Karla Melgar
Directora de Formación Familiar en la Fe
kmelgar@spcatholic.org



Youth Ministry

ANCHOR MEETING SCHEDULE (Grades 9-12)

**ANCHOR REMIND
GROUP FOR PARENTS**



**ANCHOR REMIND
GROUP FOR TEENS**



EDGE MEETING SCHEDULE (Grades 6-8)

**EDGE REMIND
GROUP FOR PARENTS**



**EDGE REMIND
GROUP FOR TEENS**



St. Paul School News

Dear St. Paul Community,

The teachers and students have gone home for a much anticipated Christmas break. As I reflect on this semester, I can't help but reflect on the lyrics of the Christmas song, O Holy Night.

"A thrill of hope, the weary world rejoices".

This semester has certainly had its challenges. Both teachers and students alike have endured much together as a community. Worn though we may be, however, we end this Advent season with great hope for what is to come.

"Led by the light of Faith serenely beaming; With glowing hearts by his cradle we stand"

In our beautiful tradition of the Las Posada celebration, students reenacted Mary and Joseph searching for a place for Jesus to be born. The students processed throughout the school, knocking on each door, ultimately ending up at our Nativity scene where they presented their gifts to the Christ Child. This was a beautiful, powerful experience for all who participated.

"Sweet hymns of joy, in grateful Chorus raise we; Let all within us praise his Holy Name"

St. Paul Catholic school is an incredible place in many ways. What a gift it is to be able to share the love and joy of the birth of our Savior with one another.

Wishing you and your families a very blessed and Merry Christmas!

Joyfully,
Dr. Ann Connor
Principal, St. Paul School



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4th Degree Website: www.kofc2260.org

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www.facebook.com/kofc1913



We are offering FREE Online Membership. This gift of free first-year membership to all potential members between now and December 31, 2021. Interested prospects should visit kofc.org/joinus, complete the membership application, enter St. Paul for Parish and enter code MCGIVNEY2020.

**Merry Christmas
and Blessings in the New Year!**

Please contact Doug Svatos at 913-991-8127 or dsvatos@outlook.com if you have questions.



STEWARDSHIP

Whatever you have – has been given.
Whatever you give – will be returned.

Stewardship of Treasure:

December 04 to December 10th

Envelopes & Plate	\$40,630.77
Building Maintenance Fund.....	\$405.00
Special Collections:	
All Soul's Day	\$10.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$25.00
Catholic Charities	\$150.00
Christmas	\$135.00
Immaculate Conception	\$3,251.00
Retirement Fund for Religious	\$270.00
Solemnity Offering	\$45.00
Thanksgiving Day	\$75.00
Tuition Assistance	\$125.00

THANK YOU FOR GIVING!

Thanks to all who donate through online giving. We also want to thank each and every one of you who give each week in the pews for your continued support. Whether you give online or by the envelope, you are a blessing to our parish and we thank God for you. If you would like to enroll in online giving, please visit spcatholic.weshareonline.org. If you have any questions or would like help setting up your account, please contact Amy Moritz at 913.764.0323 x107.

St. Paul Capital Campaign Update

THANK YOU to all for continuing to make your payments on your Capital Campaign pledge. We appreciate your continued support. If you have not yet pledged, or would like to extend your pledge, please contact Amy Moritz at amoritz@spcatholic.org or 913.764.0323 ext. 108



Inspiration for the Week

First Reading:

Micah prophesied a Messiah ("ruler") would come through the line of David ("Bethlehem-Ephrathah") and bring peace and harmony. In what ways does the upcoming birth of Christ bring you comfort?

Second Reading:

As the season of Advent draws to a close, the author of Hebrews reminds us that as disciples of Christ, we must strive to do God's will above all else. How do you stay focused on such an important task?

Gospel:

Luke is the only Evangelist to record the story of Mary visiting Elizabeth and only a portion of their conversation was preserved. What else do you imagine they talked about?



Mass Intentions for the Week

Week of December 21 thru December 26, 2021

Tues. 12/21	8:00 am	Sisters of St. Anne & †Rebecca Brin
Wed. 12/22	8:00 am	†Isabella Ford & Nuessen Family
Thurs. 12/23	8:00 am	For Priests & Religious
Fri. 12/24		Christmas Eve
	5:00 pm	People of St. Paul Parish
	5:30 pm	Henry & June Fuller (at St. James Academy)
	8:00 pm	†Harold & Julia Harrington
Sat. 12/25		Christmas
	12:00 am	†Wilma Bachman
	8:00 am	†Pete Leibham
	10:00 am	†Tuyen Trieu
	12:30 pm	Fatima Gomez
Sun. 12/26	8:00 am	Deceased Members of K of C Council 1913 & †Steve Saggars
	10:00 am	†Crescente Bautista & †Julie Sauer
	12:30 pm	People of St. Paul Parish
	4:00 pm	†Larry Riley & †Tom Hill
	6:00 pm	High School Seniors from St. Paul

Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Blessings Received

- * For the peace and beauty of this season.
- * For the coming birth of our Savior.



Please call one of the Division Leaders below:

Midnight - 6:00 am	Nancy Cariglio	816.456.3817
6:00 am - Noon	Gina Sanchez	913.710.1086
Noon - 6:00 pm	Open	
6:00 pm - Midnight	Janice Cartwright	913.558.6020
Hispanic Liaison	Arturo Morales	913.544.6635
Head Coordinator	Michelle Leoni	925.519.9116

**There are currently no unassigned hours.
However, many hours could use a second volunteer.**

A Division Leader is needed for the Noon to 6PM hour time block.

Liturgical Ministers

If you would like to assist in a Liturgical ministries during Mass, please contact the coordinator of the ministry for details.

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

	Janice Cartwright	913.768.1125
Lectors:	John Martin	913.205.5404
Servers:	Crystal Steinlage	913.375.7183
Ushers:	Bob Hamilton	bobhlel@gmail.com
Greeters:	Jim and Janice Steinlage	913.393.3966
Music:	Joe Heron	913.238.1675

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Thomas Aberle	Jose Andazola	Steve Basile
Donna Berry	Dennis Bobbitt	Roman Bobbitt
Maria Buszek	Ed Cisek	Joanne Crowley
John Ernst	Mandy Long	Maria Macedo
Ed Nuessen	Angel Núñez	Diane Quinn
Sarah Riekena	Kevin Rockers	Jane Schulte
Dennis Shaffer	Rodrigo Sandoval	Raymond Tigerina
Judy Waitzmann		

Those who have died...

Jose de Jesus Arreola, uncle of Ana Arreola
 Michaela Barry, daughter of Thomas & Karen Barry
 Brian Dickason, brother of Rich Dickason
 Scott Thomas, husband of Holly Thomas
 Bob Tully, husband of Kathi Tully and father of Jill Tully
 Paul Walker, husband of Linda Walker

Please help keep the Prayer List updated. Contact the Parish Office at communications@spcatholic.org or 913.764.0323 to add or remove a person from the list.

The bulletin includes only the names of St. Paul Parishioners as part of our Homebound and Visiting the Sick Ministry. Those outside of the parish in need of prayer may receive support and prayer through our Prayer Chain ministry, however their name will not be listed in the bulletin. Please notify the Parish Office if you would like to request prayers for yourself or another due to illness.

Readings of the Week

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45
Monday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 7c and 10b]/Lk 1:26-38
Tuesday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21 [1a; 3a]/Lk 1:39-45
Wednesday: 1 Sm 1:24-28/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd [cf. 1a]/Lk 1:46-56
Thursday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14 [cf. Lk 21:28]/Lk 1:57-66
Friday: *Morning:* 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 [2]/Lk 1:67-79
Saturday: *Night:* Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 [Lk 2:11]/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-1 *Day:* Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [3c]/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
Next Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52

The Pope's Prayer Intention for December

Catechists

Let us pray for the catechists, summoned to announce the Word of God: may they be its witnesses, with courage and creativity and in the power of the Holy Spirit.

CURRENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Year's Spiritual Reflection and Planning

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 christspence.com, send an email to: info@christspence.com or call 913.773.8255.

RCYC

Our Archdiocesan Rural Catholic Youth Conference, registration is now open! This conference is for all high school aged youth and will be held at Prairie Star Ranch March 26-27, 2022. Early Parish Registration discounts apply. Please see the following fliers and our website www.archkck.org/rural/youth for more information.

Kansas Rally, Mass & March for Life

Join others from all across Kansas for IGNITE for LIFE, the most important Kansas public witness for life in our lifetime as we pray and march for the legal protection of unborn children and women through the passage of the Value Them Both Amendment in 2022!

IGNITE for LIFE begins with praise & worship music and an inspiring speaker program with keynote Kristan Hawkins, President of Students for Life, followed by the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with the Bishops of Kansas and many priests from the Archdiocese. Afterwards, all are invited to march to the capitol for the Kansans for Life Rally. IGNITE is free and open to all - visit www.archkck.org/ignite for details and to register.

Pans in Vans

Ed Hemberger, a POP member, has initiated a project in conjunction with the Olathe School District to save food (entrée only) that is discarded every day at the 5 High Schools and the 10 Middle Schools. The project is titled "Pans in Vans." This food would be delivered to local food pantries and then shared with families in need. He has achieved grant money to purchase the recyclable aluminum half pans and cover foil. He would like to start the project in January. He is in need of volunteers to arrive at the school at 1:45 p.m., pick up 4 aluminum half pans of food and deliver them to either Salvation Army or to Starfish Project, both in Olathe. If you can only volunteer 1 day of the week, that is great. It will not require a large amount of time and will only take place when school is in session. Please contact Ed at ehemberger22@gmail.com to let him know you are interested in helping.

Camp Tekakwitha Applications

Come join us in faith, fun, and friends down at Camp Kateri Tekakwitha in 2022! Camp Kateri Tekakwitha combines demanding outdoor activities with powerful, spiritual instruction bringing about a unique encounter with God. Although our adventure activities are memorable, often the love that campers experience through prayer is what they remember most.

Working at Camp Tekakwitha is challenging and rewarding. We strive for excellence and faithfulness throughout each day. Camp needs faithful, joyful, and highly motivated people to staff our 2022-summer season, if you are called to apply, here is the information.

For application and information regarding staff dates go to <https://archkck.org/camp/general-information/campstaff/>

Because this is a professional position, you will be asked to provide a resume and cover letter. Please have those files available to upload as you move forward with the process of applying. Please email any questions to youthadmin@archkck.org or youth@archkck.org.

Safe environment training is provided by the Archdiocese.

Hiring begins now. Turn in your application soon. If applying after Jan. 25 please email abailey@archkck.org to inquire about any available positions.

"SEEK: Recognizing a Need for God."

High School Retreat

Are you looking for a way to go deeper? Do you want to start the New Year off with a bang? Join students across the Archdiocese on January 7th and 8th at Forest Park Retreat Center in Topeka for "SEEK: Recognizing a Need for God."

The cost of the retreat will be \$20 and includes overnight lodging and food. Friday night, beginning at 6:00 PM, is open to any high school student wanting to make it an overnight retreat, including confession, adoration, and a time of prayer. If you cannot make it Friday, you are still welcome to attend! Come Saturday starting at 9:30 AM. Sign up here: www.archkckyouth.org under "trips and retreats." Please RSVP by Jan 5th, 2022.

Divorce Support: Called to Love Again

Do you feel anxiety and sadness instead of joy as the holidays approach because of your broken relationships? We invite you to an evening of fellowship & peace as we learn from Fr. Joel Haug about how we can heal and move toward a brighter future. We will meet in the gathering space on **Dec 18 at 6pm**. Email Katie at calledtolove143@gmail.com with questions.




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