



2022 ✠ YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST

# Blessed Sacrament CATHOLIC CHURCH



**June 5, 2022**

**Pentecost Sunday**

**John 20:19-23**

**Fr. Andrew Heiman  
Pastor**

**Fr. Matt Siegman  
Parochial Vicar**

### Mass Times

Monday - Friday  
6:30am & 8am  
Thursday 5:30pm  
(Extraordinary Form)  
Saturday  
6:30am & 4pm  
Sunday  
6:30am, 9am (streamed),  
11am, & 5:30pm

### Confession

Monday - Friday  
7:30-7:50am  
Saturday 3-3:50pm  
Sunday during Masses  
if a priest is available.

### Parish Office

124 North Roosevelt  
Wichita, KS 67208

Summer Office Hours:

8:30am - 5:00pm

Monday-Thursday

8:30-1:00pm

Fridays

Phone: 316.682.4557

Fax: 316.682.4558

Sacramental Emergency

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## Renew the Face of the Earth

*Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.*

This Pentecost Sunday we recall how the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles and the Church was brought forth into the world. The Holy Spirit has been constantly at work each and everyday throughout history since the day of Pentecost. It has been inspiring the hearts of many people to live the Gospel teachings and virtues. That is why we continue pray, Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth, because we are the face of the earth; we who were made from the clay of the earth and give the breathe of life. We constantly seek to be renewed by the life-giving Spirit of God.

The need for this renewal is more vital now than I can ever remember in my life time. Such times as these need the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit as we seek to regain a sense of normalcy in our lives. Ask the Holy Spirit to fill you with His seven gifts:

- The gift of Wisdom so that you may not be attached to the perishable things of this world and aspire only after the things that are eternal.
- The gift of Understanding to enlighten your mind with the light of divine truth.
- The gift of Counsel that you may ever choose the surest way of pleasing God and gaining heaven.
- The gift of Fortitude that you may bear your cross with the strength of God and that you may overcome with courage all the obstacles that oppose your salvation.
- The gift of Knowledge that you may know God and know yourself and grow perfect in the way of perfection as lived by the Saints.
- The gift of Piety that you may find the service of God sweet and amiable.
- The gift of Fear of the Lord that you may be filled with a loving reverence towards God and may avoid anything that may displease Him.

These gifts will fill your heart with a deeper presence of God's abundant love that only the Holy Spirit can provide.

St. Basil the Great wrote, "The Spirit is the source of holiness, a spiritual light, and he offers his own light to every mind to help it in its search for truth." May the Holy Spirit, who enlightens the Church and her members,

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## Sacramental Information

Call the Parish Office for inquiries on all sacraments, 682.4557.

**Baptism:** Classes held on the first Tuesday of every month and are required for parents.

**Confirmation:** Classes required.

**RCIA:** Contact the Parish Office.

**Holy Matrimony:** Preparation begins at least nine months prior to the wedding.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Contact Parish Office.

**Eucharist to Homebound:** First Saturday of the month.

## Parish Staff

Parish Life Coordinator

**Samantha Ridder**

Parish Office Manager

**Melinda Foley**

Stewardship Coordinators

**Becky Meyer, Erica Zurita, & Don Brinkman**

Bookkeeper

**Dana Howland**

Music Director

**Rachel Dugan**

## Week at a Glance

### Sunday, June 5 Pentecost Sunday

Acts 2:1-11 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-18 John 20:19-23

10:00am - Coffee & Donuts (Bishops Hall)

**5:00pm - Lord's Diner Work Day (520 N. Broadway)**

**6:00pm - Youth Group Summer Kick-Off Event (Bishops Hall)**

7:00pm - Pickleball (Old Gym)

### Wednesday, June 8

5:25am - Kapaun's Men-Living Joy

6:30pm - Called & Gifted (Spanish Room)

### Friday, June 10

**8:30am-1:00pm Summer Parish Office Hours**

3:15pm - Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Church)

### Saturday, June 11

**9:00am - Second Saturday Pro-Life Rosary (5107 East Kellogg)**

**7:00pm - Corpus Christi Novena (Church)**

### Sunday, June 12

**10:00am - Reception for Father Ty Taylor (Bishops Hall)**

**4:00pm - Holy Hour for Vocations (Church)**

**7:00pm - Corpus Christi Novena (Church)**

7:00pm - Pickleball (Old Gym)

*Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church*  
*Parish Office Summer Hours*  
*Monday - Thursday 8:30am-5:00pm*  
*Friday, June 3rd through Friday, August 12th*  
*8:30am-1:00pm*

## Liturgical Stewardship

### Weekend Mass Schedule - June 11-12, 2022

	4:00pm	6:30am	9:00am	11:00am	5:30pm
<b>Lectors</b>	Judy Angeron Jim Marks	Dennis Danders	Steve Freach David Saunders	Malcolm Harris Glen Fondaw	Terry McDonald
<b>MC</b>	David Post	Pete Gann	Sam Hong	Benjamin Weber Leo & Henry Algya	Andrew Meyer
<b>Offertory</b>	Mark Fulghum Family	~*~	Brandon Martin Family	Jose Arredondo Family	John Alexander Family
<b>EMHC</b>	Katie Coffey, Don Brinkman, Megan Burgardt	Sarah Dondlinger	Mike Belluomo Ted Lewis	Sara Farley, Jeremy & Rebecca Barr	Bruce Kouba
<b>Ushers</b>	Jason Knauff, Kevin & Donna Arkin, Darin & Brody Holowach, Rachel Eckberg, M. Meyerhoff	Dan Brooks Chris Shank	E. Kauffman, Pam Swedlund, Matthew & Mary Kate Torline, Will, Matt & Ella Kerschen, Ella Rudy	Maia & Marisa Mitchell, Braden & Ian Barr, Joe Robertson, Carson Byrd, Marin Schindler	Freddie & Elenor Rishell, Will Schlotterback, Trey Alexander
	May 28	May 29	May 29	May 29	May 29
<b>Mass Count</b>	220	147	291	268	204



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continue to guide each of us into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ, the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

In the Immaculate Heart of Mary,  
Father Andrew Heiman



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# NOVENA TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

*June 11-18, 7:00 pm*  
*June 19, 3:00 pm,*  
*Corpus Christi procession*  
*Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church*

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## Join us in Prayer

### Prayers for the Sick

Connie Heard, Duff Whisenant, Dick Edgington, Richard Powell, Bob Collins, Devon Dionisi, Alan Brown, Robert Lang, Pauline Rittlinger, Lynn Channer, Karen Hurley, Bob Stenz.

### In Memoriam

Patrick Hornback, Christopher Cotter, Thelma Knoff, Jacob Wise, Joyce Eastburn, James Gillenwater, Julia Wagle, Adrian Burgess Settle, Tyler Bauer, Mary Edgington, Aida Colon, Alan Weldon, Mary Lou Schutz, John Polson, Donald Aaron, John Ludlow, Amber Murry, Mike Dionisi, Frank Chambers, Bonnie Tenbrink, Logan Matzeder, Mary Dean Sander.

### Prayer Chain

If you have a prayer request, or wish to join the prayer chain, please call the parish office 682-4557 or email: [prayer@blessedsacramentwichita.com](mailto:prayer@blessedsacramentwichita.com)

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, June 4

6:30am +Kurt Homer

4:00pm +Jerry Jonas

### Sunday, June 5

6:30am People of the Parish

9:00am +Karen Umscheid

11:00am +Mary Lou Schutz

### Ad Orientem

5:30pm Int/Mary Jobe Waddill

### Monday, June 6

6:30am +Mike Dionisi

8:00 am +Karen Umscheid

### Tuesday, June 7

6:30am +Frank Chambers

8:00am +Art Becker

### Wednesday, June 8

6:30am +Lucy Weldon

8:00am Int/Teri Marks

### Thursday, June 9

6:30am +L.B. & Ella Chisholm

8:00am Int/Liz Brosius

### Ad Orientem

5:30pm +Pat Den Boer

### Friday, June 10

6:30am Int/Susie Palmer Family

8:00am +Raymond Bina

### Saturday, June 11

6:30am Int/Deborah Fallis

4:00pm +Jerry Jonas

### Sunday, June 12

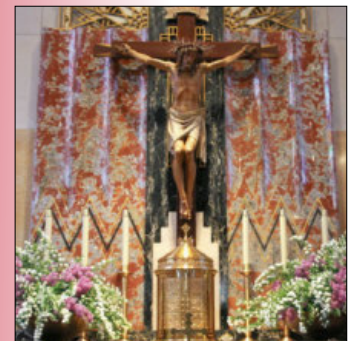
6:30am People of the Parish

9:00am +Karen Umscheid

11:00am +Mary Lou Schutz

### Ad Orientem

5:30pm Int/Mary Jobe Waddill



## Ministry Updates



### We need STEWARDS for Totus Tuus!



This program is not possible without your support! Please consider signing up to provide a meal for the Totus Tuus teachers, or to help out during that week (June 19th-24th) for our parish children.

**We need both adult and middle school/high school stewards. We are so grateful for your support.**

### Altar Society

Join us for a Garden Party!

We will meet at the home of Mary Frances Skinner~320 N. Roosevelt. We recommend parking at the church and walking or carpooling to limit street parking!

Rosary IN THE GARDEN at 6:45!

We will tour Mary Frances's beautiful garden and learn about the art of growing herbs. Then we will stroll over to the home of Bronwen Lewis~348 N. Roosevelt to tour her beautiful garden and enjoy a light dinner and drinks in the garden!

In case of inclement weather: Rosary in the church at 6:45. Meeting in Bishops Hall at 7 p.m.!

## You're Invited

### Congrats Father Ty Taylor!

Father Ty Taylor will be celebrating Mass at Blessed Sacrament on **Sunday, June 12th at 9:00am.** Following the Mass there will be a reception in Bishops Hall to congratulate him and wish him well in his new assignment as parochial vicar at St. Anne's Catholic Church.

### Let's show Fr. Drew our Love and Appreciation

Join us in wishing Fr. Drew farewell as we thank him for the past four years!

**Fr. Drew's final Mass as pastor at Blessed Sacrament will be Sunday, June 26, at 9 am. Reception to follow in Bishops Hall.**

While we all love tangible ways to express our gratitude, a spiritual gift is significant. Fr. Drew has a great love for the Eucharist and the wonderful gift of Perpetual Adoration. In this Year of the Eucharist, it would mean a lot if each of us visited the Adoration Chapel for Fr. Drew.

As our pastor, he is called to help us on our journey to heaven. Write him a little note, let him know you made a holy hour for him and how he has influenced your faith journey. Cards will be available in the chapel for you to use. They can be dropped in the box in the Adoration chapel.

## Blessed Sacrament School

Phone: 316.684.3752

Fax: 316.687.1082

### School Staff

Principal

**Joel Arnold**

Assistant Principal

**Barry Newell**

Office Manager

**Michelle Hittner**

## School News

### School Library Hours

The school library will be open this summer beginning June 8th.

Depending on usage, we will be open every following Wednesday from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Remember that AR quizzes can ONLY be taken at school.

The last day of summer checkouts will be July 20th, and all summer books must be returned on July 27th.

### Summer Office Hours

The school office will be open during the summer on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays most weeks from 9:00am-1:00pm.

The school office will be closed June 20th-24th.

**HAPPY  
SUMMER**





**Blessed Sacrament**  
CATHOLIC CHURCH  
*Join us for a fun celebration!*  
**PARISH FESTIVAL**  
**JUNE 18, 2022**

*4pm* Mass on the Hill  
*5pm* Dinner - Bounce Houses  
**\$5 Frozen Drinks & \$2 Beer**



We are so excited to celebrate our parish feast day and the Year of the Eucharist! Use the QR code or visit our website [blessedsacramentwichita.com](http://blessedsacramentwichita.com) to find out more about the festival and how you can get involved!



Value Them Both rally Sunday, June 5, at BCCHS

A Value Them Both rally will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, June 5, in the Bishop Carroll Catholic High School gymnasium.

The rally is one of the events scheduled for a Value them Both Week of Action June 5-11 and is designed to educate the faithful about the pro-life amendment and to generate more involvement in the effort.

The event will include a Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour, a rosary, and explanations and testimonials about the Value Them Both effort. The abortion industry in Kansas is virtually unregulated. Value Them Both is the name of a state constitutional amendment that would help regulate the killing of the unborn.

For details about Value Them Both and how to promote it, visit [ValueThemBoth.com](http://ValueThemBoth.com).

**Next weekend look for the Value them Both tables after all of the Masses to pick up yard signs and bumper stickers.**

## Scholarship Opportunity

The Monsignor John Gilsenan Men's Club Scholarship applications are available in the parish office or on our website.

Any 2022 high school senior graduate is eligible to apply. The application deadline is July 16, 2022 and should be returned to the parish office or David Eschbacher at 421 S. Bluff Wichita, Kansas, 67218 in a sealed envelope, or via email to: [david.eschbacher@t-mobile.com](mailto:david.eschbacher@t-mobile.com).

If you have any questions feel free to e-mail or call David @ 913-484-1690.

## Job Opportunity

Kapaun Mt. Carmel Catholic High School seeks a Development and Alumni Relations Coordinator.

This position is responsible for the administrative support functions of the Development department within KMC. Reporting to the KMC Director of Development, this position processes charitable gifts and acknowledgement of those gifts, manages the school's donor database, assists with special events, and participates in the research for and production of donor information materials.

This position also provides outreach to the school's alumni community and coordinates and strengthens the school's relationship with its alumni, including reunion coordination.

Interested applicants for this full-time, hourly position should apply online at [www.catholicdioceseofwichita.org](http://www.catholicdioceseofwichita.org), under the Catholic schools job openings tab.



Thank you so much for joining us as we read Brant Pitre's book, *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist*. It has been wonderful to have so many parishioners share their insights and highlights from the book. This week Fr. Drew sat down with Melanie Gorges to discuss "On the Road to Emmaus". It was a fantastic conclusion to the book and the video series. If you haven't



seen the whole series yet, you can find all the videos through the QR code or by visiting our website.



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## Second Saturday Pro-Life Rosary

Trust Women Clinic  
5107 E. Kellogg Drive  
9 am Saturday, June 12

*Join us in front of the building to pray a rosary together for life and an end to abortion.*

**SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:** Our mission is to keep all parishioners actively involved in parish life regardless of type, severity or age of onset of a disability. If you have needs that require special accommodations to participate fully in the liturgy of the Mass and/or parish activities, please contact the parish office at 316.682.4557 or [parish@blessedsacramentwichita.com](mailto:parish@blessedsacramentwichita.com).

**SOCIAL MEDIA:** If you have any exciting parish news/photos, please send to: [social-media@blessedsacramentwichita.com](mailto:social-media@blessedsacramentwichita.com)

**THE BULLETIN DEADLINE** is Monday at Noon; please send information to: [mfoley@blessedsacramentwichita.com](mailto:mfoley@blessedsacramentwichita.com)

*Information will be printed as space allows.*

**VIRTUS** learn more at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org)

**Diocesan Child Abuse Report  
Information Line: 316.440.1757**

**PERPETUAL ADORATION:** Please prayerfully consider spending an hour with our Lord.

**Adorers Needed:**

**Sun. 2-3am, 4-5am, 7-8am, & 1-2pm**

**Mon. 3-4am, 12-1pm, 1-2pm**

**Tues. 2-3am, 3-4am**

**Wed. 2-3am, 3-4am, 7-8am**

**Thur. 1-2pm, 2-3pm**

**Fri. 4-5am, 9-10pm, 10-11pm**

**Sat. 7-8am, 9-10am, 1-2pm, 8-9pm**

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## It's the Same Spirit!

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Recently a friend in ministry posted on social media that she was tired of hearing, 'thoughts and prayers.' It's a sentiment that has been shared a lot over the past couple of weeks. While I can understand where she was coming from, it broke my heart to hear a devout Catholic say that prayer is just an empty slogan.

I am not going to talk about the tragedy or the response. Not to be callous, but this happens with every tragedy, and responses are often political and divisive. What breaks my heart beyond this tragedy is that so many Christians don't see God as an answer, let alone the answer. Have we lost faith? Do we no longer believe that God hears our prayers or that they make a difference? Have we reached a point where our hope lies only in men?

A couple of years ago, I asked to pray for a woman in my community actively seeking an abortion. Drawing from Scripture, I thought we needed to gather in community, call down the Holy Spirit, and storm the heavens. We prayed for this woman, her unborn baby, the people at the crisis pregnancy center, the people at the abortion clinic, and anyone who could touch this woman and help her change her mind. I left the church that night so filled with hope. We came together. We prayed. We trusted God to hear us and answer our prayers. The next day, the woman went through with the abortion.

What does faith really mean? The Scripture, the Catechism, or the saints can give us a definition and powerful examples. But it doesn't seem to matter when you find out about the latest tragedy on the news or that the woman you had been so intently praying for went through with the abortion.

And this is the point in the story where I am supposed to give you the answer, the encouragement. But when I get right down to it, my faith, my belief, is built on faith.

"Lord, send out Your Spirit, and renew the face of the Earth." In creation, the Spirit of God was moving over the waters (Gen 1:2). The Spirit descended like a dove at the Baptism of the Lord (Mt 3:16). The Spirit came like a rush of a mighty wind at Pentecost (Acts 2:2). That same Spirit is active today and is active in your life!

I choose this foundation for my faith. I choose to believe that God is active in my life and that **He is the answer. I choose to put my faith in God**, not men. And that is why 'thoughts and prayers' is not an empty slogan. It is calling on that same Spirit to move in the heart of men, knowing nothing is possible, without God.

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