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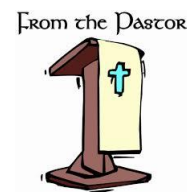
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From the Pastor

As we end the summer vacation and enter back into school, I want to thank our administration and educators at both the parochial and public schools. Your dedication to educating the next generation(s) is greatly appreciated. There has been a lot of negative media coverage regarding public schools, but here in western Kansas, I have not seen, or even heard for that matter, of the dangerous influences which are seeping into the urban districts. I have seen how fighting against public schools because of what is being taught/not taught can cause a giant rift in the local parish community. I am extremely grateful that that is not the case here. To St. Joseph's School, thank you for all that you do to bring Christ centered learning to our students. Anytime Christ's light can be cast on any darkness, it will only bring about healing and enlightening to the truth. Again, thank you to our educators and administration and I pray that you have a great school year.

RCIA - If you or someone you are or might be interested in joining the Catholic Church, please contact Fr. Luke or Deacon Dennis to begin the process.

Eucharistic Revival: Every Monday there will be a new reflection on the Eucharist posted on the Diocese of Salina social media pages as well as on the diocesan website. To access the Eucharistic Revival page, click the learn more banner at the top of the Diocese of Salina home page, salinadiocese.org.

St. Joseph News: St. Joseph School begins on August 23rd. If you have any beef or fresh garden vegetables/fruit that you would be willing to donate, please call the school at 785-671-4451. Thank you for your continued support!

St. Joseph Bible Study: We will begin a new study in two or three weeks on Tuesday mornings following the 8:30 St. Joseph School Mass. If interested, please text 785-672-0479 or call 785-671-3350 for more information.

St. Paul News: After mass Sunday, August 28th, the parish council and I will be introducing the plans for the painting project for St. Paul's. We do have one part of the project that is up for general consideration and input. All are welcome to attend, but input will be for parishioners only. We are excited to present this to you all as we truly believe it will be a wonderful update for the parish as a whole and for the future of St. Paul's parish.

Our Tithes from Last Week:
 Oakley: \$4465.00 Angelus: \$669.00



We are ready to have a great year!

Father, we pray for knowledge and understanding for teachers, pupils and parents. We pray that you will be with our teachers and pupils as they start a new school year. We pray that you will give pupils tenacity as they seek for understanding and new revelations in their studies. Father we also pray for parents, that they will support pupils by building a closer working relationship with teachers and staff. This we ask in Jesus Name.



DAILY SCHEDULE

Sat 20 – 5pm Mass + Deceased members of the Glassman/Mader Family

Sun 21 - 8am Mass (Angelus) - Parishioners
 10:30am + Chuck Anderson

Mon 22 – No Mass

Tues 23 – 7am Mass + Richard & Mary Anna Loftus

Wed 24 – 7:30am Mass(Angelus) + Bonnie Lager

Thur 25 – 7am Mass + Vesta Ostmeyer

Fri 26 – 7am Mass + George & Dorothy Ladenburger

Sat 27 – 5pm Mass - Parishioners

Sun 28 - 8am Mass (Angelus) + Clara Zimmerman
 10:30am + Cale Evins

Confessions 30 minutes before Weekend Masses, by appointment, or if indicated on the schedule.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH COUNCIL

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Mrs. Kim Robben	Mrs. Kristy Felthoelter

Saturday, Aug 27 th 5 pm	Servers	Volunteers	Sunday Aug 28 th 10:30am	Servers	Alexa W, Karsyn O & Carter K.
	Lectors	Cecilia Brungardt		Lectors	Micheline Huffman
	EMHC's	None needed		EMHC's	None needed
	Gifts	Jerry & Marylou VanEaton		Gifts	Matt & Michelle Selzer
	Hospitality	Dennis & Jane Schwarz		Hospitality	Gloria Pabst & Bea Albers

Sunday, Aug 28 th 8 am	Servers	Nick Robben
	Lectors	Bill Kuhlman & Ron Lager
	EMHC's	Gary Ostmeyer
	Gifts/Hosp.	Ron & Elsie Rietcheck
	Ushers	Rodney Mense, Larry Mense, Gary Ostmeyer & Jeff Ostmeyer