



March 10, 2019

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All Are Welcome!

123 N. Andover Road • Andover • KS 67002

Weekend Mass Times
Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

Pastor's Perspectives

Lent is a time of conversion, however, don't try to change everything. Pick one new habit you want to start or perhaps a bad habit you want to get rid of. Forty days provide the right amount of time to start a new habit and get it ingrained in life. Begin now as we start this first full week of Lent. Then if you are successful, you will have something to celebrate at Easter. Hopefully, it will be a new habit you will want to continue after Easter, instead of celebrating that you can go back to your life before Lent. Finally, remember personal growth is best done with God's help. Allow Jesus to walk with you on this journey of change.

Stations and Soup will be on all Fridays during Lent at 6 p.m. We begin with a different meditation on the stations each week. After the stations, all who wish to stay are invited to share soup together. No RSVP is needed.

Centering Prayer Mini-Retreat at St. Vincent's on Saturday, March 23rd from 9 a.m. to noon (with lunch). Come and learn how to do centering prayer. Call the office to RSVP or sign up online or at the Information Counter.

The **culture of any parish** is defined by underlying values that are lived out in specific traditions and practices. The Pastoral Council and staff have been looking at our parish values and culture. They want the following values to express the current culture and aspirations of

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Tuesday March 12
 8:10 a.m. *In memory of Dr. Harry Hynes by Madeline Hynes and family*

Wednesday March 13
 5:30 p.m. †Patrick Johnson by Sue Johnson

Thursday March 14
 Noon †Melvin and †Myra Kipp by Gary Kipp

Friday March 15
 8:10 a.m. †Keith and †Ruth Toon by Dana and Carla

Saturday March 16
 5 p.m. †Art Schoenhofer by Herb and Kathy Pello

Sunday March 17 / 2nd Sunday of Lent
 9 a.m. †Charles Bevins by Cathy and Dan Reidl
 11 a.m. *People of the parish by Father Kent*

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners and visitors to our church! We hope that you enjoy your stay and if you would like to join our family here we invite you to **become a registered parishioner**. Check out the Welcoming Desk in the Gathering Space.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sat. from 4 - 4:40 p.m. or by request

MARRIAGES

Congratulations! Diocesan policy states that you contact Father Kent at least 4 months in advance so marriage preparations can be scheduled.



* Tuesdays – **Adoration from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.** in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel –

Chapel open 24/7

Come pray the rosary, Sundays between Masses in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

The **Catholic Diocese of Wichita’s Victim Assistance Coordinator** is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. Contact Therese Seiler, Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 316-269-3945. Call the Diocesan Child Abuse Report Information Line at 316-440-1757 to learn how to report child abuse to the Diocese and the Kansas Department for Children and Families.

St. Vincent’s. The values are:

Invitation – active outreach to disconnected Catholics and others seeking faith.

Welcome – hospitality and acceptance to make all people feel at home

Celebration – joyful experiences connecting us with God and community

Growth – all members, all ages growing in faith, hope and love

Compassion – loving care to support those in need

“Invitation” is the one value that is more aspirational than currently lived. However, we feel the parish needs to be challenged to change our culture so we move beyond welcoming to invitation. It is one thing to say, “You are welcome to stop by anytime.” It is something different to say, “Come with me to the next LIFE event, for example.” Let me and the council know your thoughts by emailing me at kent@svdps.org .

Stewardship Reflections

“Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples”

The second reading from Saint Paul to the Romans is a favorite of those involved in the ministry of evangelization. There are no “secret” disciples of the Lord. Those who exercise good stewardship of their faith realize that publicly identifying themselves as followers of Christ has a cleansing effect on their lives. Openly confessing Christ makes them more conscious of how they live their daily lives. Are we content to privatize our faith or are we good stewards of a faith that we share, make public, and regularly identify as a life in Christ?

Wondering how you can help others?

JOIN US FOR HANDS2SERVE ON SATURDAY, APRIL 6th. Volunteers of all ages from Andover, Benton, Towanda, Rose Hill and Wichita will join together in an attitude of service by helping with property cleanup, yard work, trash hauling, painting and light carpentry. All of the projects benefit those who cannot do the work themselves their names are submitted by local churches, senior centers, city and county police and fire departments. Volunteers will meet here at St. Vincent at 8 a.m. If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, please contact Michele in the parish office. This is a great volunteer opportunity for families and small groups.



Tablescapes in the Ville Join us on Friday, March 29th for our Come & Go Preview between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m, or our Appetizer and Wine Reception featuring live music from 6:30 and 8 p.m., or for our mimosa brunch and fashion show on

Saturday, March 30th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. This year we have 30 tables decorated by members of our parish and community. We will also have a silent auction and raffle. All monies raised from this event support our St. Vincent de Paul Society, Andover Summer Lunch Program, Flint-hills Services for the disabled and Thrive!Andover.

Budget Weekly Needs \$34,500

Weekly contributions: week ending 3/4/2019

<i>Regular Tithe</i>	<i>\$20,770.80</i>
<i>Electronic Giving</i>	<i>\$480.00</i>
<i>Annual Fund Drive</i>	<i>\$20,274.00</i>
<i>Children's Collection</i>	<i>\$65.55</i>
<i>Hospitality Income</i>	<i>\$41.52</i>
<i>GO Board/Designated Donations</i>	<i>\$405.00</i>
<i>St. Vincent de Paul Society</i>	<i>\$205.00</i>
<i>St. Augustine Indian Mission</i>	<i>\$51.00</i>



Soup and Stations

Fridays during Lent starting at 6 p.m.

Harry Hynes Grief Support Group will meet March 12 in the Brides Room at St. Vincent de Paul. The feedback we receive from those who have attended is so positive. If you are feeling the loss of a loved one, we urge you to attend. No pre-registration needed. Please feel free to invite anyone who may benefit.

Ushers, Altar Servers, Lectors & Captains for Eucharistic Ministers...

Help our parish celebrate Holy Week and Easter by signing up to assist at one of our liturgies. Sign-up sheets can be found at the Information Counter. Thank you for all that you do!



Who's ready for a break from your hectic routine?

Inviting all couples to join us at SVdP for a Couples Night Out, March 19, at 6:30 p.m. in the Ville. We'll have food and drink for you and your kiddos. The nursery will be open for the young ones, and Edge will gladly welcome all middle schoolers at 7 p.m. Your high schoolers can stay home and do homework, maybe clean their rooms, wash the dog? We are hoping to encourage our couples to build relationships, network, and in general connect with their peers here at SVdP. Any questions, call the SVdP office at 733-1423 or call/email Jerry Gillespie at 316-214-8566 / jerry67230@gmail.com. Although walk-ins are welcome,

if possible please RSVP to the SVdP office or Jerry by March 15th so we can plan an appropriate amount of food.

"Sending" our RCIA friends

If you attended the 11 a.m. Mass this weekend, you witnessed our parish RCIA Catechumen and Candidates who will be celebrating the Rite of Election at the Cathedral on Sunday afternoon. Our parish officially blessed these individuals who are taking the next step on their journey in the Rite of Sending:

Catechumen (to be baptized at the Easter Vigil)
Sterling Neff

Candidates (those already Baptized & who will be received into the Church at the Easter Vigil)
Josh Ramsey
Caidon Rasico
Pyper Rasico

The Knights of Columbus meets the second Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

and our next meeting will be March 11. Our meeting room is located on the second floor of The Ville, top of the staircase. If you are a St. Vincent de Paul Knight, we encourage you to attend. Please join us for the March meeting and help plan our future endeavors. Additionally, all Knights should be receiving email announcements for meetings. If you have not received an email, please send a note to Mark Benson at: mbenson0859@gmail.com. Are you interested in becoming a Knight: visit www.kofc.org to learn what the Knights of Columbus organization is about or contact Mike James 316-253-1414 or kmkjames@gmail.com.

Rest in God (with us)

Do you want to deepen your relationship with the living Christ? Do you yearn to learn a method of prayer that moves beyond a conversation to a communion with God? Join us for a day of resting in God – a workshop and prayer experience with Centering Prayer, led by Laurinda Wade.

When: Saturday, March 23, 9 a.m.-noon
(Lunch provided)

Where: St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church – Daily Chapel

How: Sign up on the parish website or at the Information Counter, or call 733-1423 or email Susie Wilson, susan@svdps.org. (Childcare is provided, but only if you let us know when you register.)



Andrew Baldwin
 Andy Pelz
 Barry Smith
 Bella Alderman
 Betsy Smith
 Betty Dieker
 Brenda Fiola
 Brie Kerschen
 Carie Brahan Borchers
 Carol Olson
 Charles Morley
 Cheryl Williams
 Daina Blencoe
 Danny Flax
 Deanna Melendez
 Debby Haskell
 Dorale Pauly Gerlach
 Drew Macintyre
 Emily Dukes
 Gil Ponte
 Helen Burke
 Humphrey Hodges
 Jane Latsko
 Janella Crabtree
 Jeanne and Louis Barr
 James & Julia Lessman

Jan Glenn
 Jeff Temming
 Jeannie Feggen
 Joe and Tracy Krasuski
 Josephine Barrabra
 Josh Hoopes
 Judy Reagan
 Julia Wagle-Scott
 Kenneth Helms
 Leon Drouin
 Leslie Hulnick
 Lillian Fichlenkort
 Linda Skinkis
 Lisa Yingling
 Logan Clayton
 Mason Norris
 Melody Delano
 Norah West
 Paul Graber
 Richard Vincent
 River Jean Engel
 Ron Buczek
 Sam Burns
 Tom Warren
 Tom Slusser
 Tony Nash
 Travis Johnson

Prayerful Remembrance – If you would like to notify the parish that a friend, loved one, or fellow parishioner is ill or in the hospital, please call the office @ 733-1423. Names for our prayer list will be placed in the bulletin for one month, and then a request must be resubmitted. You may also call Elaine Carney @ 207-3000 or 733-7818 to be placed on our phone prayer line.

Upcoming **BAPTISMAL DATES** are listed below. Please contact Kathleen at the parish office, 733-1423

March 17 between the between Masses
 March 24 during the 11 a.m. Mass
 April 6 during the 5 p.m. Mass
 April 28 between the Masses (FULL)
 May 5 during the 9 a.m. Mass
 May 11 during the 5 p.m. Mass
 May 19 between Masses
 May 26 during the 11 a.m. Mass

Baptism Enrichment Sessions –Worship Space.
 Please call Teresa Marshall-Patterson at 733-1423 to schedule one session by appointment.

EUCHARIST CAPTAINS

March 16 & 17
 5 p.m. Mary Borst
 9 a.m. Joyce Frederiksen
 11 a.m. Beth Cunningham

ALTAR SERVERS

March 16 & 17
 5 p.m. Ronan Jacoby, Lucy Gehrer, Olivia Gehrer
 9 a.m. Pierce Padgett, Luke Osburn, Tyler Osburn
 11 a.m. Rylee Wurth, Elika Collette, Maire O’Connell

LECTORS

March 16 & 17
 5 p.m. Pam Cross & Jim Ludwig
 9 a.m. Cruz Jasso & Peggy Collins
 11 a.m. Jacob Murphy & Deb Outwater

SACRISTANS

Saturday, March 16
 5 p.m. Cathy & Jim Ashley
 Sunday, March 17
 9 a.m. Jo & Bill Rima
 11 a.m. Barb Whitehead & Audrey Placke

SOUND MINISTERS

March 16/17
 5 p.m. Dan Urenda
 9 a.m. Joseph Seiwert
 11 a.m. Chris Whitehead

TIME TRAVELERS

No Time Travelers Due to Spring Break

FRIDAY MORNING COMMUNION MINISTERS TO THE INFIRMED

March 15 Carolyn Kaplan & Julia Schreiber

WEEKEND COMMUNION MINISTERS TO THE INFIRMED

March 16 & 17 - Ray Miller

USHERS

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 Arnie Kroupa** Mistee Boatright** Lisa Butler**
 Jim Wilson* Magen Vainer* Marissa May*
 Marlo S-Aikens Hayley Boatright Brett Schoenhofer
 Marilyn Kroupa Terri Phifer Chapman clan
 Mary Wilson Brian Cox Sophia & Bella Butler
 Duane Streit Dean Boatright Shon Chapman
 Judi Streit Sonia Cox Todd Schoenhofer
 Matt Vainer Mike Butler
 Vainer clan Cade Schoenhofer
 Craig May & clan