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Welcome

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 p.m. • Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

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January 15, 2023

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastoral Perspective

Dear parishioners,

Recently I was asked about what has impressed me these past two years of being pastor of Saint Vincent de Paul? I responded the deep prayer life of parishioners, and service to those beyond our parish campus.

This weekend is an example. We welcome back Father Mark Beran from our sister parish, Saint Augustine Indian Mission in Winnebago, Nebraska. Our many years of relationship with Saint Augustine Indian Mission, a mission which was founded in 1909 by Saint Katherine Drexel, provides us both the opportunity for prayer and service.

Saint Augustine Indian Mission provides us the opportunity to look beyond our own spiritual and material needs, assisting the school with equipment and supplies each fall, and by funding the salary of a kindergarten teacher each year.

Father Mark will give us an update of what is happening at Saint Augustine, giving us a glimpse into the ministry that we support.

Welcome Father Mark!

Father Kenneth S. VanHaverbeke

PASTOR



Mass Intentions

Monday - No Mass - January 16

Hebrews 5:1-10/ Mark 2:18-22

Tuesday - 8:10 a.m. January 17

Hebrews 6:10-20 / Mark 2:23-28

✠Sheila Ricke by Jim and Cathy Ashley

Wednesday - 5:30 p.m. January 18

Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17 / Mark 3:1-6

✠Sol Esposito by Knights of Columbus

Thursday - 12 noon - January 19

Hebrews 7:25—8:6 / Mark 3:7-12

✠Polly Howell by Judy Worrell-Wilson

Friday - 8:10 a.m. - January 20

Hebrews 8:6-13/ Mark 3:13-19

✠Rev. Patrick Larkin

Saturday - January 21

See Sunday's readings

5 p.m. ✠Freida Bornhoft by Leonard Bornhoft family

Sunday - January 22

Isaiah 8:23—9:3/ 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17 / Matthew 4:12-23

9 a.m. Jim and Cathy Ashley by Bob and Susan Grelinger

11 a.m. People of the parish

Office Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Welcome
NEW PARISHONERS

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners and visitors! If you would like to join our family, we invite you to become a registered parishioner. Check out the Welcoming Desk in the Gathering Space, our website, or visit us in the Parish Office for more information.

Adoration
Tuesdays from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.
in our Worship Space
Blessed Sacrament Chapel
open 24/7

Called to Name to be a Child of God
We are excited to welcome new members at St. Vincent de Paul parish through Baptism!
Please call Kathleen in our parish office at 316-733-1423.

Confessions in Daily Mass Chapel
Confessions are heard 1/2 hour prior to all daily Masses, also from 4-4:50 p.m. Saturday afternoons.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL YOUTH GROUPS
MIDDLE SCHOOL: TUESDAYS FROM 7-8:30 PM
HIGH SCHOOL: WEDNESDAYS FROM 7-8:30 PM
meets upstairs in the youth room

Saint Vincent de Paul Catholic Church is seeking a choir Director for our 9 AM Sunday choir.

The 9:00 Choir Director is in charge of rehearsing and directing the 9:00 choir, which is made up of volunteer church members. Rehearsals take place Wednesday evenings 7:30-8:30. The choir sings at all 9:00AM Sunday Masses from September – May.

Choir rehearsals begin the Wednesday after Labor Day and the final Sunday to sing is Pentecost Sunday. The 9:00 Choir Director will follow the weekly music schedule (created by the Director of Music Ministries) but will be in charge of selecting special pieces (meditations and preludes) for the 9:00 choir.

Skills Required: Strong musicianship skills, ability to rehearse and conduct a medium-sized ensemble (25-30 members), and ability to collaborate with other members of the Music Ministry team.

Budget Weekly Needs: \$34,500
Week ending January 9, 2023

Regular Tithe	\$13,673.20
Annual Fund Drive	\$310.00
St. Augustine Indian Mission	\$35.00
Children's Collection	\$36.00
Online/Electronic	\$310.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$110.00
Hospitality	\$95.00

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul – Andover Asks for your support of our annual **Warming Souls Ministry**. For several years, our parish has provided meals for about 40 homeless men, women, and children for three consecutive days. We need both financial support and volunteers to help serve the meals. If you wish to volunteer mark February 1-3 on your calendar. We will have a sign up/donation table the weekend of January 21/22 for you to participate. If you are a past volunteer look for an email to reserve a time this year. Contact the Society at SVDPsandover@gmail.com or 316-518-2843 for more information.

Join us on January 29th, 2023 for our LIFE session **Praying Through Lent**. Lent shouldn't be another thing on our "to-do" list. It is all about being intentional. During this session, you will rotate through 3 different prayer stations that will give you ideas on how to enhance your prayer time this Lent. You will experience prayer through music, Adoration, and be given ways to pray at home with your family. We will have a delicious dinner provided by Louie's Restaurant. We hope you will join us as we explore this topic and learn to be more intentional this Lent. To register call the office or visit our website.

www.svdps.org/january-life-session/

Schedule:
5:00-5:45 Dinner
5:45-6:00 Opening Presentation
6:00-7:00 Adult and Children's Breakouts
7:00-7:15 Closing

34th BASKETBALL CLASSIC for VOCATIONS
Between The Padres (Priests of the Diocese) and Knights of Columbus Council #4118 is scheduled for Sunday, February 5, 2023 at the Bishop Carroll High School Activity Center.
Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Tip-off at 7:00 p.m.
Suggested Donation Adults \$5.00, Kids \$3.00, Family Pass \$15.00.
PROCEEDS SUPPORT RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS!

Kapaun Mt. Carmel TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, February 18

Doors open at 6 | Play begins at 7

KMC Commons | 21 & Older

Adult drinks, food & fun!

Purchase tickets at kapaun.org

Snacks will be provided. Food will be available for purchase.

Cash bar with beer, wine, and margaritas.

Prizes awarded for the first and second place trivia teams. Participate in the team theme contest; best dressed team gets a prize.

Volunteers are needed! Contact gallen@kapaun.org.

Sponsor tables of eight are \$400. Includes three drink tickets per person, event signage, and recognition.

Reserved tables of eight are available for \$300. Includes two drink tickets per person.

Individual tickets are available for \$35. Includes one drink ticket.

All proceeds benefit the students, faculty and staff at Kapaun Mt. Carmel Catholic High School.

Night of Romance – Saturday, February 11th, 2023 – St. Peter Schulte

We invite you to join us for a great evening of fun, food, wine, and music as we celebrate the 2022 Night of Romance. This year's theme is: The Mystery of Marriage: A View from the Vineyard. The evening will be held from 5:30 to 9 p.m. at St. Peter Schulte Catholic Church. Those attending are invited to a vigil Mass at the parish at 4:00 p.m. Cost is \$50 per couple. Register online: <https://2023nightofromance.eventbrite.com>

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Shoot at Prairie Creek Elementary School at 654 YMCA Dr. on Sunday January 22nd from 1:00 to 3:30 for all Boys and Girls from 9 to 14! Any Questions contact Sam Milner at 620-750-0101 or E-Mail swmilner59@gmail.com.





Saint Charles of Sezze's - January 18

Charles thought that God was calling him to be a missionary in India, but he never got there. God had something better for this 17th-century successor to Brother Juniper.

Born in Sezze, southeast of Rome, Charles was inspired by the lives of Salvator Horta and Paschal Baylon to become a Franciscan; he did that in 1635. Charles tells us in his autobiography, "Our Lord put in my heart a determination to become a lay brother with a great desire to be poor and to beg alms for his love."

Charles served as cook, porter, sacristan, gardener and beggar at various friaries in Italy. In some ways, he was "an accident waiting to happen." He once started a huge fire in the kitchen when the oil in which he was frying onions burst into flames.

One story shows how thoroughly Charles adopted the spirit of Saint Francis. The superior ordered Charles—then porter—to give food only to traveling friars who came to the door. Charles obeyed this direction; simultaneously the alms to the friars decreased. Charles convinced the superior the two facts were related. When the friars resumed giving goods to all who asked at the door, alms to the friars increased also.

At the direction of his confessor, Charles wrote his autobiography, *The Grandeurs of the Mercies of God*. He also wrote several other spiritual books. He made good use of his various spiritual directors throughout the years; they helped him discern which of Charles' ideas or ambitions were from God. Charles himself was sought out for spiritual advice. The dying Pope Clement IX called Charles to his bedside for a blessing.

Charles had a firm sense of God's providence. Father Severino Gori has said, "By word and example he recalled in all the need of pursuing only that which is eternal" (Leonard Perotti, *St. Charles of Sezze: An Autobiography*, page 215).

He died at San Francesco a Ripa in Rome and was buried there. Pope John XXIII canonized him in 1959.

Reflection

The drama in the lives of the saints is mostly interior. Charles' life was spectacular only in his cooperation with God's grace. He was captivated by God's majesty and great mercy to all of us.

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Spiritual Life Center Programs - For more information and to register, please visit www.slcwichita.org or call (316) 744-0167

Loving Through Loss: Couples' Workshop
January 21st; 9am - 5pm | Red Bird Ministries

Red Bird Ministries is a non-profit, pro-life, and pro-family, Catholic grief support ministry serving individuals and couples who have experienced the loss of a child from pregnancy through adulthood. An organization that systematically guides individuals and couples through the complexity and trauma that happens with a loss of a child. This workshop helps couples understand how the trauma of child loss affects the family dynamic, while teaching them how to love each other through the complexity of child loss. \$50 per couple - see www.slcwichita.org for more details

SERIES: Making Sense of The Senses of Scripture

February 1st, 8th, 22nd; 7pm - 8:30pm |
Dr. Matthew Umbarger

This three-part series on the senses of scripture will guide you through methods of biblical interpretation. Dr. Umbarger will lead informative lectures and provide guided time to put your new-found skills to practice. You will come away with both more confidence in interpreting scripture and a deeper appreciation for the divine inspiration of God's Word. \$30.

Interior Sanctuary Retreat

(Livestream Option Available)
February 17th - 18th | Fr. Boniface Hicks

Come and explore the question of how to surrender your heart to Jesus Christ in "a genuine dialogue of love" with the Divine. This call to deep prayer is offered and asked of each person; a most necessary stronghold of grace from which we weather the attacks of this secular age. Facilitator Fr. Boniface Hicks will guide retreatants to their interior refuge where God speaks to each of us most clearly. Retreat costs apply.

The Center is open for private prayer from 7 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. each day. Visitors may also take advantage of our walking paths, outdoor Stations and statues, as well as our St. John the Baptist Nature Trail.