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Welcome

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 p.m. • Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

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April 14, 2024

3rd Sunday of Easter



Dear parishioners,

It's finally here! Our parish mission! A time for us to gather, hear the word of the Lord and allow it to permeate into our daily lives.

I hope you will make every effort to attend the Parish mission. One hour. Sunday, Monday, Tuesday evening at 7 PM. After which there will be time for food and fellowship.

Father Jim Sichko is a dynamic speaker and I am confident that you will receive from the Lord both encouragement and consolation as well as motivation to follow Jesus more closely.

I look forward to seeing you at the Parish mission

Father Ken VanHaverbeke

Father Kenneth S. VanHaverbeke

PASTOR

Mass Intentions

Monday - April 15 - No Mass

Acts 6:8-15 / John 6:22-29

Tuesday - April 16- 8:10 a.m.

Acts 7:51—8:1a / John 6:30-35

✠Dr. Michael Hagan by Old Father Family

Wednesday -April 17 - 5:30 p.m.

Acts 8:1b-8 / John 6:35-40

✠Patty and ✠Bob Haderlein and ✠Rob Self
by Trisha Self

Thursday - April 18- Noon

Acts 8:26-40 / John 6:44-51

✠Phillip Swart by Victor Swart

Friday - April 19 - 8:10 a.m.

Acts 9:1-20 / John 6:52-59

✠Mary Bogle by Jessica Tarbel

Saturday April 20-

Acts 9:31-42 / John 6:60-69

9 a.m. - ✠Gene Miller by Gayle Beuke

see Sunday readings

5 p.m. ✠Rex Schwatken by Sharon Schwatken

Sunday April 21

Acts 4:8-12 / 1 John 3:1-2 / John 10:11-18

9 a.m. People of the Parish

11 a.m. ✠Duane Bergkamp by family

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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

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 P.M.
HIGH SCHOOL
Wednesdays from 7 - 8:30 P.M.

Thank you

I want to express a sincere thank you to each of you who participated, either by decorating a table, or attending this years Tablescapes event! The tables were amazing once again, and I believe those who were there, enjoyed themselves. I am always looking for feedback and suggestions on how we can do things bigger and better. So please share your thoughts about the day or things you would like to see changed or different. Again, thank you again for the wonderful day! Blessings to you all! ~ Mistee

The St Vincent de Paul endowment foundation is once again sponsoring three scholarships for students in our parish. They are the CHESSE, Fr. Mike Baldwin, and STEM scholarships. Each scholarship is worth \$3,000.00. Go to our website to read the instructions for applying and apply online.
<https://www.svdpendowment.org/>

Budget Weekly Needs: \$34,500
Week ending April 8, 2024

Regular Tithe	\$16,655.10
Annual Fund Drive	\$3,075.00
Hospitality Income	\$81.25
Online/Electronic giving	\$490.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$1,400.00
St. Augustine Indian Mission	\$1,078.00
Children's Collection	\$100.00



Join us June 17-21 from 9:00-12:30 p.m. for **Scuba Vacation Bible School!** We will take the kids on a deep dive undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never-ending love of God. The kids will be immersed in the Sacred Scripture and discover what living water is really all about!

Each day, the kids will launch into field-tested rotations that reinforce key teachings from Sacred Scripture and immerse kids in new adventures. They will rotate through Imagination Station, classroom time, games, music, and snacks! They will also celebrate Mass throughout the week! For more information, visit www.svdpks.org The deadline to register is May 17th!

YOU'RE INVITED!
LADIES SPRING FLING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 1ST
5:30 PM MASS
6-8 PM IN THE SOCIAL SPACE/COURTYARD
SMALL BITES, COCKTAILS, DOOR PRIZES & MORE
REGISTER - WWW.SVDPKS.ORG

Some frequently asked questions about the One Family, Fully Alive in Christ! Campaign effort.

- How are the parish goals set, and how much will my parish receive? The goal for each parish is established based on the average parish offertory for the last three fiscal years. Parishes will receive 20% of all undesignated donations from their parishioners. Once a parish has reached its goal, it will receive 80% of all funds raised over the goal for its local projects.
- Is the parish responsible for the difference if it does not reach its monetary goal? Parishes will not be penalized if they do not reach their fundraising goal. The expectation is that parishes put forth a reasonable faith effort and follow the recommendations of the diocese and the Steier Group in conducting the campaign.

A Ministry for Birth Mothers

If you are a birthmother, (a woman who placed a child for adoption) please consider joining us at our monthly meetings held at 6:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Spiritual Life Center in Bel Aire. If you know of a birthmother who might benefit from this support group, please share this information with her. Our next meeting is May 7th. Questions? Call Bonnie Toombs at 316-269-3900, or email Carolyn Utter at carolyn@utterproperties.com.

Midwest Winefest Supports the Working Poor

Midwest Winefest is back in 2024 with the Old Town Walkabout on Thursday, April 25 th and the Reserve Room on Saturday, April 27 th . Proceeds benefit the Guadalupe Health Foundation whose primary beneficiary is the uninsured patients of Guadalupe Clinic. The Clinic has provided compassionate health care to people without health insurance in our community for almost 40 years. Tickets for both events can be purchased at www.MidwestWinefest.org

"Faith is to believe what you do not see. The reward of faith is to see what you believe."

St. Augustine of Hippo

Saint of the Week

Saint of the Day for April 19
(October 4, 1922 – April 28, 1962)

Saint Gianna Beretta Molla's Story

In less than 40 years, Gianna Beretta Molla became a pediatric physician, a wife, a mother and a saint!

She was born in Magenta near Milano, the tenth of Alberto and Maria Beretta's 13 children. An active member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society and a leader in the Catholic Action movement, Gianna also enjoyed skiing and mountain climbing. She earned degrees in medicine and surgery from the University of Pavia, eventually specializing in pediatrics. In 1952, Gianna opened a clinic in the small town of Mesero, where she met engineer Pietro Molla.

Shortly before their 1955 marriage, Gianna wrote to Pietro: "Love is the most beautiful sentiment that the Lord has put into the soul of men and women." In the next four years the Mollas had three children: Pierluigi, Mariolina, and Laura. Two pregnancies following ended in miscarriage.

Early in her final pregnancy, doctors discovered that Gianna had both a child and a tumor in her uterus. She allowed the surgeons to remove the tumor but not to perform the complete hysterectomy that they recommended, which would have killed the child. Seven months later in April 1962, Gianna Emanuela Molla was born at the hospital in Monza, but post-operative complications resulted in an infection for her mother. The following week Gianna Molla died at home, and was buried in the cemetery of Mesero.

Gianna Emanuela went on to become a physician herself. Gianna Beretta Molla was beatified in 1994 and canonized 10 years later. Her liturgical feast is celebrated on April 28.

Reflection

With great faith and courage, Gianna Molla made the choice that enabled her daughter to be born. We can often wish that we were in different circumstances, but holiness frequently comes from making difficult choices in bad situations.

Saint Gianna Beretta Molla is a Patron Saint of:
Doctors, Unborn Children, and Wives

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Quilt Bingo

St. Vincent de Paul Church, Andover, KS
\$20 for 20 games • April 28, 2024 • 1 p.m.

Sloppy Joe Lunch • Noon • \$5.00 each

Desserts • \$1.00 each

Quilt Raffle Tickets • 6 for \$5.00



Mass of Repentance and Healing

Bishop Kemme invites the faithful to participate in a Mass of Repentance and Healing on April 28 at 10 a.m. at Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Wichita. The Church recognizes the deep wounds caused by sexual abuse of children and vulnerable persons. Through the Mass of Repentance and Healing we pray that those who have suffered abuse may experience God's profound love for them and God's healing powers.



Seasoned Servant Appreciation Mass,

luncheon with Bishop Kemme April 23
An Appreciation Mass and luncheon will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 23, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Wichita for all retired adults from our diocese. A lunch catered by Carriage Crossing restaurant will be served after Mass. On the menu are roast chicken, German sausage, homemade pie, and all the fixings. Door prizes will be given out and an outstanding "Seasoned Servant of the Year" will be honored. The cost is \$10. Checks should be made payable to the Catholic Diocese of Wichita and mailed to The Office of Marriage and Family Life, 424 N. Broadway, Wichita, KS 67202. Or sign up with a credit card at <https://buytickets.at/marriageandfamilylife/1157537>. There is no extra fee for using a credit card.