



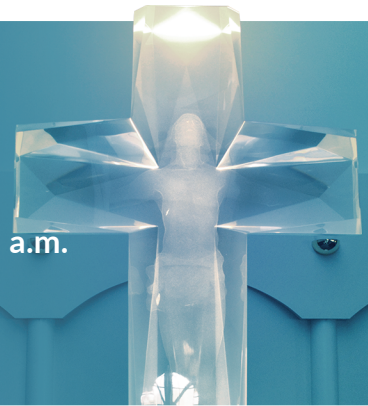
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ALL ARE
Welcome

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 p.m. • Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

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 **November 10, 2024**
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Parishioners,

Every fall, we renew our promises of baptism, where we promise to follow Jesus and avoid evil. One of the manners in which the Lord provides us means to fulfill our baptismal promises is in community.

Notice, Jesus did not walk alone, but was with community. Even when He was in solitude on the mountain, or in Gethsemane, He had the community close by. Our parish community, diocesan community provides us with that strength to follow Jesus, and the opportunity to serve Him.

We will begin our stewardship renewal this month. I would like for you to prayerfully consider recommitting yourself to our community in the following manner:

1. Fill out the forms.... We cannot get to know you and what your needs and gifts are if you don't complete the forms. "Oh, I did that years ago!" Yes, but things change. Children grow up and leave the home; your needs change. Please complete the forms.
2. Prayerfully consider what the Lord is inviting you to be.... not do, but be! Yes, we "do" many things, but perhaps the Lord is inviting you to "be" more generous, be more prayerful, be more attentive to His Word. From what the Lord is inviting you to "be" you can decide what you want to "do."

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Mass Intentions

Monday - November 11
Titus 1:1-9 / Luke 17:1-6

Tuesday - November 12 - 8:10 a.m.
Titus 2:1-8, 11-14 / Luke 17:7-10
Pat and Lynn Jeane by a friend

Wednesday - November 13 - 5:30 p.m.
Titus 3:1-7 / Luke 17:11-19
✠Patty and ✠Rob Haderlein & ✠Rob Self by Trisha Self

Thursday - November 14 - Noon
Philemon 7-20 / Luke 17:20-25
Max Martin by Jeanine Gagnon

Friday - November 15 - 8:10 a.m.
2 John 4-9 / Luke 17:26-37
John Patrzykont by Jeff and Patti Tredway

Saturday - November 16 - 9 a.m.
3 John 5-8 / Luke 18:1-8
Parents by Steve and Ann Buckendahl

see Sunday readings
5 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Parishioners

Sunday - November 17 - 9 a.m.
Daniel 12:1-3 / Hebrews 10:11-14, 18 / Mark 13:24-32
✠James "Jim" Robert Mullen by Gary and Beth Bowen
11 a.m. ✠Mike Alfaro by Monique Viner and Mark Lewis



Welcome

NEW PARISHONERS

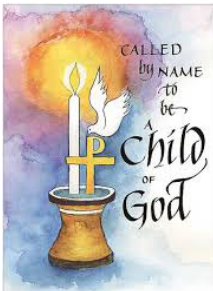
We would like to extend a warm welcome to all new parishioners and visitors! If you would like to join our family, we invite you to become a registered parishioner. Check out the Welcoming Desk in the Gathering Space, our website, or visit us in the Parish Office for more information.



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 the parish office at 316-733-1423.

Confessions in Daily Mass Chapel



Confessions are heard 1/2 hour prior to all daily Masses, and 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

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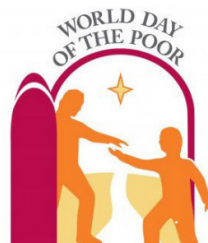
3. Pray. Pray for the unity of our Church and our parish church. In a world torn by rudeness and dissension, our church can stand as a beacon of unity in the midst of diversity.

Being a good steward of our lives, families, and parish is fulfilling our promises we made at baptism.

Blessings,

Father Kenneth S. VanHaverbeke

PASTOR



St. Vincent de Paul Society

Personal Hygiene & Paper Goods Drive - Please purchase or set aside personal hygiene items (toothpaste, deodorant, body wash/bar soap, shampoo/conditioner, feminine hygiene) and paper goods

(napkins, paper towels, toilet paper, tissues) for the World Day of the Poor collection, November 2/3 and 9/10.

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will collect the items before the Masses and distribute them to the Andover Food Bank.



Welcome to everyone who will be attending the **Harry Hynes Grief** support meeting on Tuesday, November 12th in the Brides Room at 10:00 am.

It is a place of Warmth, Love, and Friendship as we share our memories of love with one another. Feel free to invite anyone who may benefit from counselors that come from Harry Hynes Hospice.

No pre-registration is needed. Morning refreshments will be served.

The Bereavement Ministry

HARVEST HOUSE
NOVEMBER LUNCHEON

Thursday, November 14 at 12:30 p.m.
LUNCH - YOUR CHOICE
CHICKEN & NOODLES
OR
PUMPKIN SOUP
\$5.00 PER PERSON
INCLUDES DESSERT!

LEAVES AREN'T THE ONLY THINGS FALLING THIS TIME OF YEAR!

Do you know how to protect yourself from falling or how to get back up if you fall? Come to our Harvest House November program and we will have an expert on hand to provide you with some great tips on keeping your life in balance!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
CATHOLIC CHURCH
123 N. ANDOVER ROAD



Join us for Mass at noon and then stay for lunch!

We invite all seniors to attend our November Harvest House Luncheon. This month we will welcome Korey Garland, Director of Sales/Marketing of Home Health and Hospice of Kansas, and Eric, a physical therapist. They will provide us with tips on how to keep our lives in balance by avoiding falls.

We will also have a 50/50 raffle. Please bring a toiletry item for our SVdP Society RSVP by calling the parish office at 316-733-1423

Budget Weekly Needs: \$34,500
Week ending 11/04/24

Regular Tithe	\$7,892.00
Annual Fund Drive	\$30.00
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$175.00
Children's collection	\$30.00
Online/Electronic Giving	\$120.00
St. Augustine Indian Mission	\$75.00

Memorial flower donation

Gary and Cathy Metzger honoring *Darcy Metzger and Cheryl Stockwell*

Kay Wegerer honoring *Frank Wegerer*

Family Movie Night



**Join us
December 6th
for
The Grinch**

Mark your calendars and join us for an evening of food, fun, and fellowship! We will serve breakfast for dinner, popcorn, and a special Grinch drink. Wear your PJs and robes. Don't forget to bring your pillows and blankets. The event will be held on December 6th from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. To register, visit our website: www.svdpks.org.

Catholic Women's Conference
Diocese of Wichita

03.08.25

Save the Date!

Church of the Magdalen, Wichita
8:00am - 3:00pm

Join us for a day of spiritual renewal, inspiration, and community! Enjoy inspiring talks from Claire Dwyer and Sr. Mary Grace, S.V., and an opportunity for Mass, Confession, and Adoration.

Early bird registration available now through Dec. 31 by using the QR Code below.



Saint of the Week

Saint Josaphat's Story
(c. 1580 - November 12, 1623)

Saint Josaphat's Story

In 1595, the Orthodox bishop of Brest-Litovsk in present-day Belarus and five other bishops representing millions of Ruthenians, sought reunion with Rome. John Kunsevich—who took the name Josaphat in religious life—was to dedicate his life, and die for the same cause. Born in what is now Ukraine, he went to work in Wilno and was influenced by clergy adhering to the 1596 Union of Brest. He became a Basilian monk, then a priest, and soon was well known as a preacher and an ascetic.

At a relatively young age, upon becoming both bishop of Vitebsk and archbishop of Polotsk, Josaphat faced a difficult situation. Most monks, fearing interference in liturgy and customs, did not want union with Rome. By synods, catechetical instruction, reform of the clergy, and personal example, however, Josaphat was successful in winning the greater part of the Orthodox in that area to the union.

But the next year a dissident hierarchy was set up, and his opposite number spread the accusation that Josaphat had “gone Latin” and that all his people would have to do the same. He was not enthusiastically supported by the Latin bishops of Poland.

Despite warnings, he went to Vitebsk, still a hotbed of trouble. Attempts were made to foment trouble and drive him from the diocese: A priest was sent to shout insults to him from his own courtyard. When Josaphat had him removed and shut up in his house, the opposition rang the town hall bell, and a mob assembled. The priest was released, but members of the mob broke into the bishop's home. Josaphat was struck with a halberd, then shot, and his body thrown into the river. It was later recovered and is now buried in St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. He was the first saint of the Eastern Church to be canonized by Rome.

Josaphat's death brought a movement toward Catholicism and unity, but the controversy continued, and the dissidents, too, had their martyr. After the partition of Poland, the Russians forced most Ruthenians to join the Russian Orthodox Church. In 1964, newspaper photos of Pope Paul VI embracing Athenagoras I, the Orthodox patriarch of Constantinople, marked a significant step toward the healing of a division in Christendom that has spanned more than nine centuries.

Reflection

The seeds of separation were sown in the fourth century when the Roman Empire was divided into East and West. The actual split came over customs such as using unleavened bread, Saturday fasting, and celibacy. No doubt the political involvement of religious leaders on both sides was a large factor, and doctrinal disagreement was present. But no reason was enough to justify the present tragic division in Christendom, which is 64 percent Roman Catholic, 13 percent Eastern—mostly Orthodox—Churches, and 23 percent Protestant, and this when the 71 percent of the world that is not Christian should be experiencing unity and Christ-like charity from Christians!

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The Lord's Diner turkey drive 

Help provide a turkey dinner to our guests on Thanksgiving by donating a whole, uncooked turkey to The Lord's Diner!

Please drop off turkeys by November 22nd at our 520 N. Broadway location between 10 am and 4 pm.

Thank you!