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Welcome

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 p.m. • Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

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September 27, 2026

Dear Parishioners

In August 2026, our Holy Father Pope Leo gave a series of Wednesday General Audiences reflecting on the Second Vatican Council Father's decision to promote liturgical reform through the 1963 Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy.

He reminds us that the liturgy is a place where we can celebrate our unity even amid diversity. He said that God's plan for the church has a clear purpose, *"To unify all creatures thanks to the reconciliation action of Jesus Christ. This is experienced first of all in the assembly gathered for the liturgical celebration: There, differences are relativized, and what counts is being together because we are drawn by the love of Christ, who broke down the wall of separation between people and social groups."*

The Holy Mass should be a sign of unity, not a place where division occurs, yet this is often not the case. This is not new to the Church! Saint Paul wrote to the Church at Corinth: *"I urge you, brothers, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree in what you say, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and in the same purpose."* (1 Corinthians 1:10)

Last week, I wrote about the differences from parish to parish in celebrating the Holy Mass. There are the elements of the Mass, Large "T" Traditions, which cannot and will not be changed, but other elements of the Mass, small "t" traditions, can be varied. As pastor of numerous parishes in the Diocese of Wichita, I have seen many variations of the small "t" traditions, which reflect the culture and even the times of the people.

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*The Parable of
the Two Sons*

Matthew 21:28—32

26TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME
27th September 2026

Mass Intentions

Monday - - September 28/ No Mass

Job 1:6-22 / Luke 9:46-50

Tuesday - - 8:10 a.m. September 29

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 / John 1:47-51

St Patricia Bird by Shelby Wasinger

Wednesday - - 5:30 p.m. September 30

Job 9:1-12, 14-16 / Luke 9:57-62

✠Greg Lohkamp by Roberta Cox

Thursday - - Noon October 1

Job 19:21-27 / Luke 10:1-12

✠John E. Gahagan by Rose Soptic

Friday - - 8:10 a.m. October 2

Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5 / Matthew 18:1-5, 10

✠Mel Thurston by Patricia Thurston

Saturday - - October 3

Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17 / Luke 10:17-24

9 a.m. *St Mary Schneider by Dan Steigerwald*

See Sunday Readings

5:00 p.m. *St Michele Carlini by Shelby Wasinger*

Sunday - - October 4

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 5:1-7 / Philippians 4:6-9 / Matthew 21:33-43

9 a.m. ✠Daryl Johnson by Barbara Johnson & family

11 a.m. People of the Parish

Office Hours: 9 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
9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Church Sanctuary
Blessed Sacrament Chapel
open 24/7



CONFESSIONS

IN THE DAILY MASS CHAPEL

Confessions are heard 1/2 hour prior to all daily Masses and from 4 – 4:50 p.m. on Saturday afternoons

We are very excited to welcome new members at St. Vincent de Paul parish through

BAPTISM

Please call the parish office at
316-733-1423





St. Vincent de Paul Youth Ministries

Adoration: Tuesday from 9 - 8:30 pm
Wednesday from 7 - 8:30 pm

The Holy Father has entrusted the following intention for September

For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

Weekly collection period ending 9/21/26	
Regular Tithe	\$13,515.00
Annual Fund Drive	\$1,875.00
Online/Electronic Giving	\$23,088.00
SVDP Society	\$527.00
Children's Collection	\$83.35
St. Augustine	\$357.00

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When you come to Mass, please pray for the unity of the Church. It is more important that we profess our one faith in Jesus Christ and His redemptive action than how the furniture is arranged in the church! I hope to use this next year to explore our St. Vincent de Paul traditions, ask questions, and explore a way forward for this 21st century.

Blessings,
Father Ken VanHaverbeke

October 3rd, 2026

Knights of Columbus Smoked Ribs & Hot Links Fundraiser

All funds benefit local women’s pregnancy centers through “COATS FOR KIDS program”




Ribs \$25 per slab & \$13 per half slab.
Smoked Hot Links \$3ea or 6ea for \$15

They will be available Noon – 6:30pm in the SVDP Parking Lot.

We accept Card payments, Cash or Check.

Please RSVP by calling, texting or emailing Bryan at 316-990-0654 or bsanger_86@msn.com

Our SVDP Parish staff can also take the Pre-Order information.

Have a Safe and Blessed day.
Vivat Jesus! Jesus Lives!



Blessing of the Animals

Bless your pet!

That’s right, bring Fido, FiFi and Fritz to a special parish pet blessing on Sunday, October 4 at 1 p.m. in the parish courtyard. Every year we enjoy seeing dogs, cats, birds, lizards, frogs, bunnies and more pets as we celebrate the feast of St. Francis of Assisi.

LIFE Session: Growing in God’s Word

This year, we are exploring Scripture and discovering how God’s Word speaks to our lives today. Join us for our first LIFE session of the year on Sunday, October 4th, as we begin our journey of Growing in God’s Word.

Dr. Matthew Umbarger from Newman University will lead us in an engaging look at the Old Testament, exploring God’s relationship with His people and discovering how the promises and covenants throughout salvation history point us toward Christ.

This intergenerational evening is designed for the whole family, with dinner, an engaging presentation for adults, age-appropriate activities for children and teens, and time to come together in faith and community. To register, visit www.svdpk.org or email susan@svdpks.org.

Sunday, October 4th, 2026



Harvest House

Thursday, Oct. 8

Mass at noon

Lunch & speaker to follow

Lunch is a “walking taco bar” and apple crisp. Beer will also be served. \$5.00 per person
RSVP by Oct. 5

Open season for Medicare 2026 is now!

Mark Landwehr has helped thousands navigate the Medicare Maze and will be available to answer questions and assist you with the changes. Invite a friend to learn how these changes could impact our future!

We will also have a 50/50 raffle. Please bring a toiletry item for the SVDP Society.



St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

“We become what we love and who we love shapes what we become.”

Clare of Assisi

October 1 – Mickey Flaharty, Kristen Gray, Lary Hill, Paul Pendleton

October 2 – Jeffrey Jergensen, Maria Matney, Veronica Ragay, Daniel Williams, Hubert Zey, Luke Zey

October 3 – Joan Dow, Brenda George, Vivienne Janssen, Dmitry Lomachenko, Debra Wilson, Rylee Wurth

October 4 – Hector Camacho, Socoro Casanova, Elsie Jo Crittenden, Emmy Lynn Crittenden, James Keller, Dennis Lebeda, Trina Wilson

October 5 – Zaid Labidi, William Leahy, Janelle McReynolds, Mary Palmgren, Eugene Vitarelli, Rosemary Wall

October 6 – Denise Abdallah, Theresa Ash, Catherine Ashley, Melinda Easterwood, Joseph Luebbe, Matthew Noah, Janine Ruiz, Nina Schwerdtfeger

October 7 – Denise Cade, Celeste Clore, Trisha Self, Ashley Smith

October 8 – Claire Utech, Maranda Zey

October 9 – Ignatius Gordon, Teolinda Milsap, Lori Steiner

October 10 – Joshua Collette, Pam Egger, Paul Esposito, Rebecca Garcia, Ronald Kringen, Rochelle Kueny, Cole McAuliffe, Laura McNaul, Wentworth Phillips, Lisa Towle, Hayden Winters

October 11 – Adam Buhman-Wiggs, Ellianna Klaus, Gabriel Klaus, Laurie Reed

October 12 – Ted Albright, Mary Engelmann, Caraleta Huslig, Yahir Olguin

October 13 – Christi Buser, Lynn Fleming, Emily Gash, Poppy Patch, Jeff Tredway, Mary Truex

October 14 – Melissa Bunyard, Jacen Close, Isabelle Cockrum, Elizabeth Gaddis, Molly Gaddis, Walter Kalu, Jared Liebl, Gregory Mnikolaicik, Joan Wilson

October 15 – Caleb Gray, Blessing Kalu, Walton Kalu, Tyler Osburn

October 16 – Harper Bezdek, John McMaster, Mary Moon, Elizabeth Olden, Richard Recker

October 17 – Makayla Hyslop, Rose Loyle, Lily William

October 18 – Philip Ayiera, Claire Gray, Paul Huffman, Corra May, Samuel Milner, Troy Schaffer, Layton Thompson, Hugh Zey

October 19 – Jake Chapin, Zoey Collinsworth, Christina Hamm, Janet Leahy, Victorija Litavniks, Randy Rohr, Zachary West

October 20 – Adalyn Armstrong, Peter Catanese, Nathan Green, Stanley Kampf, Bryant Page, Kyle Zarchan, Nelda Zukovich

October 21 – Vickie Martin, Evelyn Martinez, Louise Meeker, Michelle Moser, John Swift, Mike Thomas, Sandi Topham, Jennifer Zey

October 22 – John Frey, Craig Gaddis, Marissa May, Hailey McCaig, Anne Nelson, Anita Pacheco, Mona Stecklein, John Steere, Sophia Wheeler

October 23 – Anne Clemens, Linda Johnson, Terry Osburn, Jason Reilly, Taylor Reilly

October 24 – Amy Ducote, Angela Kennedy, Adriana McAuliffe, Catelynn Starnes, Janice Tracy, Scott Wilson

October 25 – Kendall Grillot, Avran Holguin-Smith, Katrina Leddy, Brock McCollough, Ian Northrop, Whitney Rowe, Stephanie Solis

October 26 – Richard Showalter

October 27 – Anne Cummings, Denise Curtis, Tanner Gawith, Shawna Horsch, Brad Hying, Alan Rader, Tri Tran

October 28 – Kooper Collins, Ainsley Gallagher, Bryan Massingill, Solomon Reyes, Riley Train

October 29 – Jessica Jones, Nicholas Kaechele, Melissa Kester, Victor Lindell, Linda Litavniks, Jeff Lucke, Duane Milsap, Mark Schock, Marlene Schommer-Aikins, Lisa Swada, Karen VanEpps

October 30 – Noah Hyslop, Travis Lane, Steven McHugh, Aspyn Nevin, Chris Palsmeier, Luke Schiffelbein

October 31 – Matthew Baden, Gerette Dennison, Alexandria Heiland, Leonard Miller, Noreen Northrop, Bryce Stevens, Sharon Strecker

