



SACRED HEART BEAT

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NEWSLETTER OF SACRED HEART PARISH

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SO GLAD YOU ASKED



“Why Do Catholics Honor Mary?”

Catholics honor Mary because of her importance in the history of salvation. There is a misunderstanding that Catholics ‘worship’ Mary. Catholics do not ‘worship’ Mary. We honor her. Mary said ‘yes’ to God and therefore sent Jesus to enter the world. She was faithful to Jesus, even at the foot of the cross.

We honor Mary and all the saints. It is important to honor and remember people in our history who have brought holiness to our world.

The “Hail Mary” prayer and other prayers we direct to any saint, are asking them to pray for us:

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with you.

Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of our death.
Amen.

The first two lines are from the Bible of what the angel said to Mary at the Annunciation (Luke 1:28). The next two lines are words Elizabeth says to her cousin Mary at the Visitation (Luke 1:42). The second half of the prayer is a request for Mary to pray for us.

JANUARY FINANCES

INCOME:

Collections	16,060.80
Special Donations	
Endowment	
Interest	4.30
Farm	
PSR	3,332.62
Fundraisers	749.05
Miscellaneous	<u>6,320.00</u>

TOTAL \$26,466.77

EXPENSES:

Stewardship	2,841.77
Salaries	12,369.58
Insurance	1,493.00
Utilities	2,596.95
Maintenance	2,279.27
Improvement	
Office	369.69
PSR	5,493.47
Farm	
Miscellaneous	<u>739.60</u>

TOTAL \$28,183.33

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

MARCH 28 – HOLY THURSDAY

5:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper (Larned)

7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper (Belpre)

Adoration following until midnight.

(If you cannot keep your assigned time, please feel free to come at another time.)

Last Names

Time

D - G After Mass until 8:30 PM

H 8:30 – 9:00 PM

I - L 9:00 – 9:30 PM

M - N 9:30 – 10:00 PM

O - R 10:00 – 10:30 PM

S 10:30 – 11:00 PM

T - Z 11:00 – 11:30 PM

A - C 11:30 – Midnight

MARCH 29 – GOOD FRIDAY

3:00 PM Solemn Liturgy (Belpre)

6:30 PM Solemn Liturgy (Larned)

MARCH 30 – HOLY SATURDAY

8:00 PM Easter Vigil and Mass

MARCH 31 – EASTER SUNDAY

8:30 AM Easter Mass (Belpre)

10:30 AM Easter Mass (Larned)



Lenten Penance Service

Wednesday, March 13th

6:45 PM



FINANCE/PROPERTY COUNCIL

- ❖ Met February 19th
- ❖ Members present: Bob Haymaker, Dennis Wilson, G.L. VonFeldt, Carol Jacob, Sharon Larsen, Jim Damm, Don Jensen, Leon Sanders & Pam Hutfles. Unable to attend: Fr. Warren
- ❖ Minutes of the January 22nd meeting were approved.
- ❖ The group reviewed the financial reports for January reflecting \$26,466.77 in income and \$28,183.33 in expenses for a net income of negative \$1,716.56. Our YTD net loss is \$5,016.06. The loss is attributable to the Centennial Celebration expense. Total assets at the end of January totaled \$548,093.13 compared to \$538,711.55 this time last year.
- ❖ Old Business:
 - a. Landscaping: G.L. reported that there wasn't much elevation change on the south side of the church so drainage away from the building would best be accomplished by replacing the splash blocks with longer units.
- ❖ New Business:
 - a. Money counters are needed for March weekends. Pam and Sharon will do it this year. If anyone is interested, please let Pam know.
 - b. The parish will be responsible for a portion of the priest's long term care insurance policies that has been implemented through the Diocese.
- ❖ Next meeting March 19, 2013 @ 12:00 Noon.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

- ❖ Met February 28th
- ❖ Members: Michael Klemens, Mary Klinge, Philip Hammeke, Matt Stucker, David O'Gwin, Barbara Hammond, Nicki Roof, Sr. Rebecca & Fr. Warren.
- ❖ Next meeting: March 21, 2013 @ 6:30 PM.

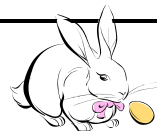
ADULT RELIGIOUS FORMATION TEAM

- ❖ Met February 12th
- ❖ Members: Sr. Rebecca, Lynne Eck, Regis Lopata & Fr. Warren. Unable to attend: Sr. Irene, Elaine Coulson, Diane Dodez.
- ❖ Minutes of the November 13th meeting were approved.
- ❖ Future subjects of the "So Glad You Asked" column in the Sacred Heart Beat were discussed.
- ❖ Discussed having study groups in the parish for the Year of Faith.
- ❖ The Holy Hour/Adoration for February will involve Vespers and quiet time for prayer. At the March Holy Hour, there may be a presentation on the seven last words of Christ, and in April the focus will be on spring, planting, farming, and Earth Day.
- ❖ Next meeting: April 9, 2013 @ 7:00 PM

RCIA REPORT

Since the beginning of September, our candidates, Luis Loya and Ben Ramsey, have been attending RCIA sessions. They have been very faithful in attending these sessions and are planning to receive the sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil this year. In February, they participated in the Rite of Election at the cathedral in Dodge City. We are very blessed to have these young men joining us as members of our parish family. I would invite all members of our parish to join in their celebration at the Easter Vigil Mass. This is the most beautiful liturgy of the year, and will begin at 8:00 pm on March 30th with the lighting of the Paschal Candle.

PSR NEWS



Confirmation is getting closer & closer (April 6th), and so watch for notes home in regards to their activities. Their retreat will be on Sunday, March 10th with their sponsors. Letters to the Bishop & guest count are due March 6th. A parent meeting will also be on the 6th for Confirmation parents. (Please check the calendar page 3 for more activities scheduled.)

The 6-8th graders have been invited to the diocese youth rally on Sunday, March 24th. This is always a fun day with awesome speakers & fun activities for youth all over our diocese. RSVPs are due the 6th also.

There will be NO PSR on March 20th due to Spring Break. Also, just a reminder that whenever school is canceled, PSR is also canceled.

A Bake Sale will be held after Masses on the weekend of March 23rd & 24th. Plan to stock up on goodies & help support the high school PSR!

Parents, don't forget to be working with your child on their prayers! A special thanks to all my catechists! They are doing a GREAT job!

God Bless!

Brenda Johnson, DRE



Easter Egg Hunt

On Easter Sunday, March 31st the Knights of Columbus will be providing an Easter Egg Hunt following the 10:30 am Mass. We invite toddlers – 3rd graders to bring your Easter baskets and enjoy collecting your goodies!



March Birthdays



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| (01) Brady Carlson
Berny Unruh | (16) Colleen Carlson
Ella McNett |
| (02) Don Kazmaier
Koby Lang | Shelly Stanton
Andrew VonFeldt |
| (03) Macy Cook
Jace Holopirek | (17) Amanda Cenicerros
Katie Hammeke |
| (04) Susan Aistrup
Alicia Bixby | Michael Mauney |
| Diane Dodez
Debbie Steinert | (18) Lucille Fox
Augusta Hauck |
| (05) Tama Hanson | Joel Kelty |
| (06) Dorothy Edmonds | (19) Maci Perez
Tricia Smith |
| (07) Rita O'Gwin | Adrian Tucker |
| Brooke Simmons | (21) Audri Kozlowski
Bob Murdie |
| (08) Charles Wonsetler | Reese Watkins |
| (09) Amelia Wright | (22) Janet Adams
Morgan Koch |
| (10) Preston Burgess
Megan McDonald | (24) Drake Harding
Sonia Mabusat |
| Brittney Perez
Mary Ellen Schinstock | A.W. Schartz |
| (11) Casey Cloninger
Linda Garcia | (25) Lana Bauer |
| (12) Kelton Barrett
Damian Garcia | (26) Barbara VonFeldt |
| Jacque Johnson
Mason Perez | (27) Joyce Greathouse
Ed Haremza |
| (13) Anthony Lemuz
Kathy Lopata | Alvin Hutfles
Mike Tanner |
| Dolores Martin | (28) Leann Simmons |
| Zachary Reed | (29) Sr. Rebecca Otter
Dennis Wilson |
| Anna Simmons | (31) Joe Haberman |
| Lane Snodgrass | Janice McDonald |
| (15) Elizabeth Fisher
Gage Skelton | Shawn Smyth |

March Anniversaries

- (02) Bill and Pat Schartz
(10) Bert and Karla Schartz
(17) Michael and Marissa Klemens
(22) Don and Grethe Jensen

If your birthday or anniversary is not listed,
Call 285-2035. We want to include everyone.

MARCH AT A GLANCE

Mar. 1 ~ Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM
Mar. 1 ~ K of C Fish Fry, 5 to 7 PM, K of C Hall
Mar. 5 ~ Larned Blood Drive, 12:00 to 6:00 PM
Mar. 5 ~ Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
Mar. 5 ~ Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Choir Loft
Mar. 6 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
Mar. 6 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
Mar. 6 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, SHS Classroom
Mar. 8 ~ Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM
Mar. 10 ~ Daylight Savings Time Begins
Mar. 10 ~ Children's Dismissal @ 10:30 AM Mass
Mar. 10 ~ Parish Outreach Meeting, 11:30 AM
Mar. 10 ~ Confirmation Retreat, 11:30 AM to 3:30 PM
Mar. 12 ~ Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Choir Loft
Mar. 13 ~ Lenten Penance Service, 6:45 PM
Mar. 13 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-2), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
Mar. 13 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. 3-12), attend Penance Service
Mar. 13 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, SHS Classroom
Mar. 15 ~ K of C Fish Fry, 5 to 7 PM, K of C Hall
Mar. 15 ~ Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM
Mar. 17 ~ Children's Dismissal @ 10:30 AM Mass
Mar. 17 ~ After Mass Luncheon @ Peking Garden
Mar. 19 ~ Finance/Property Meeting, 12:00 Noon
Mar. 19 ~ Liturgy Committee Meeting, 5:30 PM
Mar. 19 ~ Choir Practice, 7:00 PM, Choir Loft
Mar. 20 ~ Adoration, 6:00 PM
Mar. 20 ~ No PSR Classes – Spring Break
Mar. 20 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, SHS Classroom
Mar. 21 ~ Chrism Mass @ COLG Dodge City, 11:00 AM
Mar. 21 ~ Pastoral Council Meeting, 6:30 PM
Mar. 22 ~ Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM
Mar. 23 ~ PSR High School Bake Sale after Mass
Mar. 24 ~ PSR High School Bake Sale after Mass
Mar. 24 ~ Children's Dismissal @ 10:30 AM Mass
Mar. 27 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
Mar. 27 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
Mar. 27 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, SHS Classroom



CONGRATULATIONS!

Bill & Pat Schartz ~ married 56 years
Don & Grethe Jensen ~ married 53 years



DIED IN CHRIST

Marjorie R. Vratil ~ February 20, 2013

Remember with Prayer

John Grant	Elora Robinson
Marjorie Vratil	Grace Sloan
Lucille Fox	Pat Thompson
Mary Schartz	Elsie Jones
Curtis Smith	Mickey Perez
Armella Dechant	Mary Ann Schartz
Calvin Blattner	Clayton Kelty
Grace Perez	Sr. Mary Ann Klein
Phyllis Neidig	Catherine Orth
Kindra Perez	Joyce Greathouse
Ed Haremza	Susan Colglazier
Jayden Waller	Betty Tauscher
Chris Gross	Carol (Bartz) Eaton
Fr. Warren Stecklein	Sr. Clara Ann Fluech

All of our men and women serving in the
United States military

KNIGHTS MARCH EVENTS

March 1 All-You-Can-Eat Fish Fry, 5 to 7 PM (R)
March 2 Duck's Unlimited (G)
March 5 Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
March 10 Major Degree (R)
March 14 Pawnee County Co-op Dinner (G)
March 15 All-You-Can-Eat Fish Fry, 5 to 7 PM (R)





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LARNED KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FISH FRY

Friday – March 1 – 5:00 to 7:00 PM

Friday – March 15 – 5:00 to 7:00 PM

K of C Hall on Scenic Drive
1216 M Road

Adults: \$7.00 Ages 5-12: \$4.00

Proceeds go toward charitable causes

