



SACRED HEART BEAT

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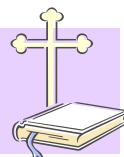
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SO GLAD YOU ASKED

About

Evangelization



Evangelization? A big scary word? What is your idea of evangelization? Does it mean going from door to door to encourage people to join your church? Are you aware that by their Baptism and Confirmation, every Christian receives the commission to bear witness to the message and work of Christ? He promises to be with us always in this work of evangelizing the world, (*Yes, the world!*) "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." *Matthew 28:19-20*

Evangelization is an all-inclusive word to describe the entire range of activities by which the Church proclaims and communicates to the world the saving message, the Good News, of Christ, contained in its fullness in the gospel accounts of His words and deeds. We are the Church, priests, laity, and religious, working collaboratively in the Church's missionary and evangelization activity. As Catholics, we are encouraged to share this life of the Church with others, so that they may know Christ and believe in Him. But, before any of us can call others to enter into an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ, we ourselves must be evangelized and living as Christians. Convinced people convince others!

We don't have to go door to door to evangelize. We can do it in the context of our lives within our families, friendships, parish communities, civic communities, and the workplace. Friends, relatives, and neighbors account for four out of five of those who become Catholics.

The inspiration of evangelization is love – for Christ, who enjoins us to make Him known, and for our neighbors, whose destiny is to be joined to Him forever.



JULY FINANCES

INCOME:

Collections	23,724.35
Special Donations	
Endowment	
Interest	4.09
Farm	11,086.47
PSR	
Fundraisers	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,233.14</u>
TOTAL	\$36,048.05

EXPENSES:

Stewardship	2,144.76
Salaries	12,912.41
Insurance	1,493.00
Utilities	1,217.82
Maintenance	1,719.60
Improvement	10,028.82
Office	1,387.27
PSR	475.39
Farm	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,027.69</u>
TOTAL	\$32,406.76

SEPTEMBER AT A GLANCE

- Sept 2 ~ Parish Office Closed, Labor Day
- Sept 3 ~ Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
- Sept 3 ~ Adult Religious Formation Team Mtg., 7:00 PM
- Sept 4 ~ Catechist Formation, 6-9 PM, St. Rose, Great Bend
- Sept 4 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, Parish Office
- Sept 8 ~ Parish Outreach Meeting, 11:30 AM
- Sept 11 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, Parish Office
- Sept 15 ~ After Mass Luncheon @ Peking Garden
- Sept 15 ~ Eucharistic Minister Training, 1:30 to 4:30 PM
- Sept 17 ~ Finance/Property Meeting, 12:00 Noon
- Sept 17 ~ Liturgy Commission Meeting, 5:30 PM
- Sept 18 ~ Adoration, 5:00 to 6:00 PM
- Sept 18 ~ PSR (K-8th Grade) Opening, 6:30 PM, SHS Gym
- Sept 18 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, Parish Office
- Sept 19 ~ Pastoral Council Meeting, 6:30 PM
- Sept 21 ~ Eucharistic Minister Training, 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
- Sept 22 ~ Minister of the Word (Lector) Training, 1:30 to 3:30 PM
- Sept 25 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Sept 25 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Sept 25 ~ RCIA, 7:15 PM, SHS Classroom
- Sept 28 ~ Minister of the Word (Lector) Training, 9:00 to 11:00 AM

FINANCE/PROPERTY COMMISSION

- ❖ Met August 20th
- ❖ Members present: G.L. VonFeldt, Dennis Wilson, Don Jensen, Jim Damm, Carol Jacob, Sharon Larsen, Leon Sanders, Pam Huffles & Fr. Warren. Guests: Barbara Harris & Tim Schaller. Unable to attend: Bob Haymaker.
- ❖ Minutes of the July 16, 2013 meeting were approved.
- ❖ The group reviewed the financial reports for July reflecting \$36,048.05 in income and \$32,406.76 in expenses for a net income of \$3,641.29 for the month. Our net profit for the fiscal year ending July 31 was \$3,972.75. Total assets at the end of July were \$533,092.08 compared to \$551,796.59 this time last year.
- ❖ Old Business:
 - a. Barbara Harris, a professional landscaper from Pratt gathered input from the group on plans for the church grounds. She will prepare a master plan to present to the group at the September meeting. As a member of the Pratt parish, she is donating her time and talents for this project.
 - b. Don mentioned the evergreens on the north side of the parish office are dying from the back due to lack of sun. There are 3 that need to be removed and 2 that can remain.
 - c. Tim Schaller visited with the group concerning the renovation of the church restrooms to make them handicap accessible. The project would take 3-4 weeks with a tentative start date the first part of October. The group discussed using the restrooms in the school during the renovation phase.
 - d. The black triangle has been removed from behind the crucifix. The response from most parishioners is to plug the holes in the stone wall and leave it like it is.
- ❖ Next meeting September 17, 2013 @ 12:00 Noon.

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY

- ❖ Met August 18th
- ❖ Decided to have as a major fund-raising event a Parish-wide ABC Sale. It will take place Friday, October 11, 4-7 pm; and Saturday, October 12, 8 am-noon. We will price only the larger ticket items, and accept donations for everything else. There will be no clothing or shoes, but other personal accessories will be welcome, as well as any and all kinds of household items.
- ❖ Executive Committee will meet August 28 at 5:30 pm in to plan and organize the sale. Chairman is Mary Klinge.
- ❖ Elections of Officers will be held at the November meeting. Nominating Committee is Sally Dreiling, Lu Ann Pankratz and Janet Skelton.
- ❖ Next meeting is Pot Luck on Sunday, November 17, 2013 @ 5:00 PM

ADULT RELIGIOUS FORMATION COMMISSION

- ❖ Met August 6th
- ❖ Members: Sr. Irene Hartman, Sr. Rebecca Otter, Diane Dodez, Lynne Eck & Regis Lopata.
- ❖ Minutes of the June 4th meeting were approved as written.
- ❖ Planned the topics for the "So Glad You Asked" column for the Sacred Heart Beat and Adoration/Holy Hours for the next few months.
- ❖ Discussed making available material from Lighthouse Catholic Media for parishioners although no specific decision was made at this time.
- ❖ Dates for training sessions for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and Lectors were set for September.
- ❖ Discussed the planned Advent formation activity of making Advent wreaths. This is scheduled for Sunday, November 24th @ 2:00 pm.
- ❖ Briefly discussed having a Lenten formation activity. The commission will also look into a formation activity for the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, which will be June 27, 2014.
- ❖ Next meeting: September 3, 2013 @ 7:00 PM

PSR NEWS



"Hear Ye, Hear Ye! The PSR year is beginning!"

Mark your calendars...September 18th parents & K-8 grade will meet in the school gym at 6:30 pm for orientation and refreshments. September 25th K-8 PSR will be from 6:30-7:30 pm with the High School beginning at 7:00 pm in the parish office garage. Preschool Dismissal begins October 6th during the 10:30 am Sunday Mass

This year promises to be a fulfilling one! With a few new faces, our catechists will share their experiences while helping our young people learn of the wonders of God and our religion.

October 6th will jump start our middle school youth with a rally in Dodge City. We'd love to see all of our 6-8th graders attend this!

Seventh graders will get a taste of Confirmation prep this year with lessons being incorporated. Eighth graders will get the full meal deal. Confirmation will be early this year on February 1st.

If you have any questions, please contact me at the parish office, 285-2035. Registration forms are in the church vestibule and parish office.

God Bless!

Brenda Johnson, DRE

Training for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion and Ministers of the Word (Lectors)

Just as anyone in a professional position keep themselves updated and informed in their profession, so we who are involved in any of the parish liturgical ministries need to keep ourselves renewed and updated. The Pastoral Council Bylaws states that the Adult Religious Formation Commission "provides an initial and compulsory on-going training program for liturgical ministers." Therefore, all who are presently Eucharistic Ministers or Lectors, all who have been invited to answer the call to either of these ministries, and all who feel called to either of these ministries, are encouraged and expected to attend one of these training sessions. If these dates are not compatible with your time, please inform the parish office.

With this in mind, the ARF Commission has set the following dates for the training of:

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Sunday, September 15th, 1:30 to 4:30 pm, or Saturday, September 21st, 9:00 am to 12:00 Noon.

Ministers of the Word (Lectors): Sunday, September 22nd, 1:30 to 3:30 pm, or Saturday, September 28th, 9:00 to 11:00 am.

September Birthdays



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| (01) Deanna Finger
Andrew Froetschner
Clayton Kelty
Adrian Kimble | (16) Dalton Barker
Janell Barton
Vicki Perez
Jana Schartz
Fr. Warren Stecklein |
| (02) Joseph Theis | (17) Kim Brennan |
| (03) Emily Bird | (18) Mike Schroeder
Dawn Smyth |
| (04) Jaden Carlson
Amanda Lessard
Taylor Parr
Destiny Sandoval
Denny Zook | (21) Andreus Tucker
Jennifer Turner |
| (05) Jon Roy Kelty
Marshall Newell | (22) Catherine Orth
Chance Sanger |
| (06) Bert Frisbie
Jim Zook | (23) De'Shaun Clark
Hector Marrufo |
| (07) Olivia Aguirre
Rusty Howard
Shana Reed | (24) Brian Hammeke |
| (10) Michael Butler | (25) Jay Dee Schmidt
Ann Schreiber |
| (11) Terry Martin
Ron Reichuber | (26) Isaac Lemuz
Eric Roof
Stacy Sanger |
| (12) Brenda Johnson
Lane Schartz | (27) Brian Gillett |
| (13) Nevaeh Perez | (28) Isabella Garcia
Jason Skelton
Joan Wilson |
| (14) Anthony Anunwa
Alexandra Lessard | (29) Vernita Hodges |
| (15) Eleanor Bauer
Hunter Medina
Kay Schartz | (30) Matthew Sandoval |



September Anniversaries

- (01) Brad and Christie Colglazier
Bill and Mary Kerns
(04) Jeff and Tiena Byrum
(05) Paul and Susan Aistrup
Victor and Theresa Kreutzer
Jay Dee and Vera Schmidt
(08) Allen and Beverly Taylor
(10) Rusty and Ramona Howard
(12) Kevin and Felicia Davis
Terry and Shelly Stanton
(14) Randy and Emily Bird
(18) Tyson and Kathy Couchman
(20) Joe and Jean Simmons
(21) Allen and Carie Perez
(26) Shawn and Dawn Smyth
(27) John and Pam Hutfles
(28) Leonardo and Sonia Mabugat

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



CONGRATULATIONS!

Victor & Theresa Kreutzer ~ Married 57 years
Jay Dee & Vera Schmidt ~ Married 53 years
Leonardo & Sonia Mabugat ~ Married 45 years
Allen & Beverly Taylor ~ Married 40 years

KNIGHTS SEPTEMBER EVENTS

September 3 Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
September 12 Dinner (R)
September 28/29 . . . LHS Dinner Theatre (G)



BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

Camden David

The son of Jeremy & Elizabeth McDonald
August 4, 2013

Kree Lynne

The daughter of Justin & Tricia Smith
August 10, 2013



Sacred Heart Altar Society ABC Sale

The ABC Sale (Attic, Basement, Closet) is back! Sacred Heart Altar Society will be sponsoring the ABC Sale on Friday, October 11 from 4 to 7 pm and on Saturday, October 12 from 8 am until noon in the SHS auditorium. We are asking parishioners to help us out by bringing items from around the house that you are no longer using. **PLEASE NO CLOTHING OR SHOES.** Items may be brought to the SHS Gym on Thursday, October 10 from 4-7 pm or Friday, October 11 from 7 to 9 am. All proceeds from the ABC Sale will benefit the activities of the Altar Society.

Thank you for helping us with this project. If you would be willing to help with set-up, work during the sale or assist with clean-up, please contact Pam at the Parish Office (285-2035).

Remember with Prayer

John Grant	Elora Robinson
Mary Schartz	Grace Sloan
Curtis Smith	Pat Thompson
Armella Dechant	Elsie Jones
Calvin Blattner	Mickey Perez
Grace Perez	Mary Ann Schartz
Phyllis Neidig	Clayton Kelty
Kindra Perez	Sr. Mary Ann Klein
Ed Haremza	Catherine Orth
Jayden Waller	Joyce Greathouse
Chris Gross	Susan Colglazier
Sharon Larsen	Carol (Bartz) Eaton
Betty Tauscher	Sr. Clara Ann Fluech
Fr. Warren Stecklein	Coletta Meier
Fr. Chuck Mazouch	Jim Kerr
Janet Murphy	



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



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Return Service Requested

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“30 Days of Cash Giveaway”

Nov. 1 – Nov. 30, 2013

Larned Knights of Columbus Council #3273

Net Proceeds go to K of C Council #3273

\$50.00 Donation for each ticket

Maximum of 500 tickets will be sold

November 1-27 = \$250 Each Day

November 28 = \$500

November 29 = \$750

November 30 = \$5000



One Ticket will be drawn
every day in November.

Every ticket will be included
in all 30 separate drawings.

You could win multiple times.

For your Lucky Ticket
Contact one of the following:

Richard J. Wolf – 285-2822
Maurice Schaller – 804-1574
Jeremy McDonald – 285-1481
Norman Dreiling – 285-6547
Pam at the Parish Office – 285-2035