



SACRED HEART BEAT

October 2014

NEWSLETTER OF SACRED HEART PARISH

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“What you do to the least.....”

Suicide

Suicide is a direct rejection of God's absolute sovereignty over life and death. All members of the human race are stewards of the life God has entrusted to humanity and are required to preserve life. It is morally objectionable to destroy one's life or to assist another in destroying his/her life.

Christian responses to another's extreme pain:

- Help to ease the pain if possible
- Be compassionate to the one suffering

Negative responses to another's extreme pain:

- Assist another to take his/her life
- Claim the power to decide who lives and who dies

Some of the consequences of suicide:

- It breaks the ties of solidarity with family, with nation, and with other human societies
- If done as an example to others, it is a morally evil scandal

Some of the causes of suicide are psychological disturbances, anguish, great fear of hardship, of suffering, or of torture-----these may diminish the responsibility of the one committing suicide.

The Christian response to suicide according to the “Catechism of the Catholic Church”:

Christians do not despair of the eternal salvation of persons who have taken their own lives. By ways known to him alone, God can provide the opportunity for salutary repentance. The Church prays for persons who have taken their own lives.

AUGUST 2014 FINANCES

INCOME:

Collections	17,526.01
Special Donations	150.00
Endowment	
Interest	2.67
Farm	
PSR	
Fundraisers	562.75
Miscellaneous	<u>1,377.13</u>
TOTAL	\$19,618.56

EXPENSES:

Stewardship	1,807.81
Salaries	11,799.91
Insurance	1,626.00
Utilities	1,382.63
Maintenance	789.22
Improvement	2,987.64
Office	784.17
PSR	25.46
Farm	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,362.49</u>
TOTAL	\$22,565.33

OCTOBER AT A GLANCE

- Oct 1 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Oct 1 ~ PSR Class (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Oct 1 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM
- Oct 7 ~ Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM
- Oct 7 ~ Adult Religious Formation Team Meeting, 7:00 PM
- Oct 8 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Oct 8 ~ PSR Class (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Oct 8 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM
- Oct 9 ~ Stewardship Council Meeting, 6:30 PM
- Oct 12 ~ Parish Outreach Meeting, 11:30 AM
- Oct 14 ~ Pawnee County Blood Drive, Noon-6:00 PM, Haas Building
- Oct 15 ~ Adoration, 5:00 to 6:00 PM
- Oct 15 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Oct 15 ~ PSR Class (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Oct 15 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM
- Oct 16 ~ Pastoral Council Meeting, 6:30 PM
- Oct 19 ~ Endowment Board Meeting, 11:30 AM
- Oct 21 ~ Finance/Property Meeting, 12:00 Noon
- Oct 22 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Oct 22 ~ PSR Class (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Oct 22 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM
- Oct 29 ~ PSR Classes (Gr. K-8), 6:30 to 7:30 PM
- Oct 29 ~ PSR Class (Gr. 9-12), 7:00 to 8:00 PM
- Oct 29 ~ RCIA, 7:00 PM



Sacred Heart Altar Society ABC Sale

The ABC (Attic, Basement, Closet) Sale is back! Sacred Heart Altar Society will again sponsor the ABC Sale on Friday, October 10 from 4 to 7 pm and on Saturday, October 11 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. At this sale, we will accept winter coats, stocking hats, mittens, scarves and snow boots.

PLEASE NO OTHER CLOTHING OR SHOES. Items may be brought to the SHS Gym on Thursday, October 9 from 4 to 7 pm or Friday, October 10 from 7 to 9 am. All proceeds from the ABC Sale will benefit the activities of the Altar Society and for the poor. 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).

FINANCE/PROPERTY COMMISSION

- ❖ Met September 16th
- ❖ Members present: Bob Haymaker, G.L. VonFeldt, Dennis Wilson, Jim Damm, Don Jensen, Kathy Couchman, Pam Hutfles & Fr. Warren. Unable to attend: Jack Molleker, Leon Sanders & Sharon Larsen.
- ❖ Minutes of the August 19, 2014 meeting were approved as read.
- ❖ The group reviewed the financial reports for August reflecting \$19,618.56 in income and \$22,565.33 in expenses for a new loss of \$2,946.77. It was pointed out that the new sidewalks in front of the Church were paid in August in the amount of \$2,987.64 and the City of Larned reimbursed the Church in September for \$1,000.00 of the cost under the Sidewalk Improvement Program. The balance sheet showed assets of \$507,603.02 compared to \$535,611.78 at the end of August 2013.
- ❖ The group discussed the Church HVAC system and agreed something needed to be done before winter to ensure the system will work properly. Fr. Warren will contact the company that put the system in to get a firm bid to upgrade and restore the system to a proper working condition.
- ❖ Pam contacted the insurance adjuster regarding the claim on the Church, Rectory and office roof replacement. The paper work was sent to Catholic Mutual on August 20th but no further information had been received. The council discussed that cooler weather may delay replacing the shingles until next spring. Pam or Fr. Warren will contact Catholic Mutual to verify our deductible and replacement time frame.
- ❖ Carol Jacob was on the signature card as a third signer for the Church account, so she needed to be replaced. The council agreed to have James Damm added as the third signer. Jim and Pam will ensure the necessary changes are made at the bank.
- ❖ Next meeting: October 21, 2014 @ 12:00 Noon.

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL

- ❖ Met September 11th
- ❖ Members present: Mary Klinge, Don Kazmaier, Sheryl Giessel, Brenda Langdon, Elaine Coulson, Mary Mitchell, Sr. Rebecca Otter & Fr. Warren.
- ❖ Mary K., Sr. Rebecca & Don attended the Stewardship Conference in Dodge City. They shared with the group ideas they got from breakout sessions. Mary shared a book called Stewardship MD that had many good suggestions for the development of a stewardship life.
- ❖ Discussed possible speakers for lay witness talks.
- ❖ Brenda shared samples of the stewardship form for review. A few corrections were suggested. Don volunteered to assist with the printing.
- ❖ Mary K. will email Eric at the Diocese about Stewardship Posters.
- ❖ Next meeting: October 9, 2014 @ 6:30 PM

PARISH OUTREACH

- ❖ Met September 14th
- ❖ Members present: Ann Ellis, Toni Novotny, Brian Haberman, Connie Mauney, Stacy Sanger & Fr. Warren. Unable to attend: Lisa Burgess & Gretchen Whittington.
- ❖ Gifts were taken to our newly registered and baptized in the parish.
- ❖ Extra school supplies from the "Back to School" Bingo Party were given to the elementary schools.
- ❖ Election of Officers was held. Ann Ellis, chairman and Toni Novotny, secretary.
- ❖ Next meeting: October 12, 2014 @ 11:30 AM



LITURGY COMMISSION

- ❖ Met September 9th
- ❖ Members present: Linda Befort, Mary Smith, Sherry Lemuz, Regis Lopata, Sharon McGinness, Sr. Rebecca Otter & Fr. Warren. Unable to attend: Janet Skelton, Lee Durler & Jo Molleker.
- ❖ Election of Officers was held. Linda Befort, chairman; Sherry Lemuz, vice-chairman; Sharon McGinness, secretary.
- ❖ Discussed the use of the prayer cards in church. It was agreed to remove the cards in November and place them on the boxes at the back of church so they will still be available to parishioners.
- ❖ Fr. Warren explained that All Saints Day, which is a Holy Day of Obligation falls on Saturday this year and therefore the obligation is abrogated. We will celebrate All Souls Day at the Saturday, Nov. 1 and Sunday, Nov. 2 Masses.
- ❖ The Book of Remembrance will be available for parishioners to enter their loved ones names and tables will be in the vestibule of church during November for parishioners to display photos of their deceased loved ones.
- ❖ Discussed plans for Advent. This year, as last year, families and/or individuals will be invited to participate in the processional, carrying the Advent candles to the front of church and placing them on the wreath.
- ❖ Next meeting: January 27, 2015 @ 5:30 PM

SACRED HEART ALTAR SOCIETY

- ❖ Met September 7th with 22 members present.
- ❖ There was no correspondence and no funeral dinners since last mtg.
- ❖ The guidelines and schedule for the upcoming ABC Sale were reviewed. Sign-up sheets were passed around and announcements will be made at Mass the two weekends preceding the sale.
- ❖ Annual election of officers was discussed. A motion was made and passed that the current officers serve another year. Mary Klinge, president; Susan Aistrup, secretary; Kathy Kazmaier, treasurer.
- ❖ Next meeting will be the annual potluck meeting on Sunday, November 2nd at 5:00 pm in the SHS auditorium.

ONCE AGAIN, Altar Society is making another plea for the ladies of the parish to check the shelves above the coat racks at the north end of the vestibule to see if you have a dish there that could be yours. Any unclaimed dishes at the time of the ABC sale will be placed in the sale. Please take a few minutes to check to see if one of the dishes might be yours. Thank you.



ROSARY RALLY

Each year, America Needs Fatima holds the Public Square Rosary Crusade, with thousands of rosary rallies in cities all across the country. Last year, there were 11,247 groups simultaneously praying for our country and the world all across America – 2,000 more than in 2012! These Public Square Rosary Rallies take place on the closest Saturday to October 13, feast of the last apparition of Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun. Sacred Heart Parish will have a Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 11th at 12:00 noon in the Church. All are invited to come and pray together. For further information contact: Helen Finger – 527-4351 or Karen Bidne – 285-6324.

October Birthdays



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| (01) Joshua Larsen | (16) Damon Chilcott |
| Coltin Ann Sell | Brad Collins |
| (02) Frank Callahan | Kris Smith |
| Bernadine Hammeke | (17) Jim Damm |
| Martin Lyon | Susan Huerter |
| Meisha Perez | Mark Schartz |
| (03) LeAnne Hammeke | Mary Shelton |
| Kathy Kazmaier | (18) Kathy Stucker |
| (04) Sally Dreiling | (19) Joe Schartz |
| Autumn Millan | Jim VonFeldt |
| Kay Warner | (21) Ben Kelty |
| (06) Daniel Ryan | Kayla Langdon |
| Lorene Schartz | (22) Jon Houser |
| (07) Karla Schartz | Karisa Ruiz |
| (08) Nolan Bauer | (23) Julie Martel |
| (09) James McGinness | Pat Schartz |
| (10) Norma Delaney | (24) Agnes Finger |
| Walter Martin | Frank Prosser |
| Shane Parr | (25) Sara Bauer |
| (11) David O'Gwin | Blake Connelly |
| Chuck Orth | Jace Snyder |
| Craig Schartz | Bryce Walker |
| Mike Snyder | (26) Norman Dreiling |
| (12) Connie Mauney | Carie Perez |
| Kyle Stanton | (27) Judy Damm |
| (13) Sophia Smith | Gordon Schartz |
| (14) Lisa Burdett | Barbara Straub |
| Betty Tauscher | (28) Cordell Hammeke |
| (15) Felicia Davis | (29) Pat Barrett |
| Roger Myers | Evelyn Fertig |
| | (30) Devin Belt |
| | Morgan Holmes |
| | Joan Slagle |

Remember with Prayer

Coletta Meier	Elora Robinson
Mary Schartz	Grace Sloan
Calvin Blattner	Pat Thompson
Maxine Ackerman	Elsie Jones
Grace Perez	Mickey Perez
Phyllis Neidig	Mary Ann Schartz
Kindra Perez	Clayton Kelty
Jayden Waller	Amy Herter
John Harmon	Catherine Orth
Sharon Larsen	Joyce Greathouse
Betty Tauscher	Susan Colglazier
Fr. Warren Stecklein	Carol (Bartz) Eaton
Fr. Charles Mazouch	Sr. Clara Ann Fluech
Mary Beth Herrmann	Fheno Perez
Jesse Lemuz	Ryan Shelton

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

October Anniversaries

- (03) Denis and Lee Gilcris
 (05) Gordon and Malia Schartz
 (07) Oliver and Sonya Whetstone
 (09) David and Rita O'Gwin
 (10) Brian and Mary Ann Haynes
 (11) David and Linda Zecha
 Eric and Jessie Fox
 (17) Ross and Sara Bauer
 (18) Norman and Sally Dreiling
 (24) Kevin and Leann Simmons
 (27) Richard and Laurie Josefiak
 (29) Gary and Betty Hulsey
 (30) Tom and Sheryl Giessel
 (31) Ralph and Lynn Streit



CONGRATULATIONS!

Gary & Betty Hulsey ~ Married 60 years
 Denis & Lee Gilcris ~ Married 45 years
 Gordon & Malia Schartz ~ Married 40 years
 Ralph & Lynn Streit ~ Married 25 years



DIED IN CHRIST

Emily Dannels ~ August 29, 2014
 Pedro (Pete) Mariche ~ September 16, 2014



UNITED IN MARRIAGE

Jason Ryan & Jenae Skelton
 September 13, 2014



BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

Ava Frances, the daughter of
 Gustavo & Kathy Flores
 September 13, 2014

Blake Lee, the son of
 Joshua & Abby Holmes
 September 13, 2014

Kambrie Jae, the daughter of
 Jason & LeAnne Hammeke
 September 14, 2014

KNIGHTS OCTOBER EVENTS

Oct. 5 Dinner Theatre (G)
 Oct. 7 Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00 PM





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Non Profit Org.
Bulk Rate
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Permit No. 41

"30 Days of Cash Giveaway"

Nov. 1 – Nov. 30, 2014

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

Norman Dreiling – 285-6547

Pam at the Parish Office – 285-2035