


«Beacon of Faith»  
**ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH**

«Cathedral of the Plains»  
**THE BASILICA OF ST. FIDELIS**

«Pearl of the Prairie»  
**ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH**



<b>Parish Office:</b>	601 10th Street, Victoria, KS 67671 • 785-735-2777 • Fax: 785-735-2779 <b>Hours:</b> Monday-Thursday 8:30-12:00 and 1:00-4:30 — Friday 8:30-12:00	<b>Catholic Faith Education Office:</b> 785-735-9244
<b>Gift Shop Hours:</b> Monday-Thursday: 8:30–noon and 1:00–4:30 Friday: 8:30–noon	<b>Weddings, Baptisms, Hospital Visits, In-Home Mass, Holy Communion to Homebound:</b> Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements for these events.	<b>Morning Coffee:</b> Thursdays 9:00 a.m. at the Parish Office with the Pastor & friends
<b>St. Fidelis Thrift Shop:</b> Monday, Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday 10:00–2:00; Wednesday 10:00–3:30; Thursday 10:00–4:00 If these hours do not work to drop off donations, contact Jan at the Parish Office.		<b>St. Fidelis Food Pantry:</b> For residents of the tri-parishes. Call the Parish Office. Donations accepted. 
		<b>BULLETIN ITEMS:</b> Deadline is <b>Wednesday at 11:00 a.m.</b> Please contact Connie at the Parish Office (sftech@ruraltel.net or 785-735-2777)

**PLENARY INDULGENCE**—The faithful may obtain a plenary indulgence—a remission before God of the temporal punishment for a previously forgiven sin—by visiting a minor basilica. To obtain a plenary indulgence during a pilgrimage to a basilica, one must participate in any sacred rite or recite the Lord’s Prayer or the profession of faith while there, then go to Confession and Communion, and pray for the intention of the pope. ~ taken from *The Register*, Salina Diocese newspaper

[www.stfidelischurch.com](http://www.stfidelischurch.com) / [www.stbonifacevincent.com](http://www.stbonifacevincent.com)

## February 2, 2020 – The Presentation of the Lord

### Masses:

#### St. Fidelis, Victoria

Saturday — 5:00 pm  
 Sunday — 10:00 am  
 Monday — 7:00 pm  
 Tuesday through Friday — 6:45 am

#### St. Ann, Walker

Saturday — 6:30 pm — November - April  
 Sunday — 7:30 am — May - October

#### St. Boniface, Vincent

Sunday — 8:45 am

### Eucharistic Adoration:

**THURSDAYS • 9:30 A.M. TO 11:30 A.M.**  
 in St. Fidelis Chapel behind the main altar

### Confessions:

at St. Fidelis — Mondays — 7:30 pm  
 or by appointment (contact Parish Office)

### Tri-Parish Prayer Line

Anyone wishing to request prayers for family or friends may call Helen Windholz (735-2508) or Teresa Shepherd (735-9576) to add their requests to the Prayer Line

### Dates To Remember

- Feb. 9** — Confirmation @ 9:00 Mass at St. Fidelis (No 10:00 Mass that day; Mass at St. Boniface will be at 7:45)
- Feb. 14** — Valentine’s Day
- Feb. 15-16** — Anointing of the Sick after all Masses
- Feb. 17** — President’s Day — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
- Feb. 26** — Ash Wednesday Masses at 6:45 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
- Feb. 28** — Stations of the Cross @ 5:30
- Mar. 1** — First Sunday of Lent
- Mar. 8** — Girl Scout Sunday
- Mar. 8** — Daylight Savings Time Begins—Turn clocks ahead 1 hour

# Boy Scout Sunday





# Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep



As a child you were probably taught this night prayer: *Now I lay me down to sleep, I pray the Lord my soul to keep. If I should die before I wake, I pray the Lord my soul to take.* Children learn and say that prayer willingly. It is a good night prayer – for children. But what is a fitting night prayer for adults?

The Liturgy of the Hours, the official prayer of the church, uses for its night prayer the canticle of the prophet Simeon in today's gospel. When the aged Simeon finally held the promised Messiah in his arms he said: *Now Master you can dismiss your servant in peace: You have fulfilled your word. For my eyes have witnessed your saving deed displayed for all to see: a revealing light to the Gentiles, the glory of your people Israel.*

That prayer from the gospel of Luke is known as the Canticle of Simeon, and is referred to as the *Nunc Dimittis*, from its opening words in the Latin text. It has been set to beautiful Gregorian chant.

This Canticle of Simeon is a fitting night prayer and more. It is a prayer for the occasion of any completed task: for the end of a job, a transfer, retirement, any milestone in life. It is a prayer for ending something with



gratitude to God and joyful resignation to his will.

Today's gospel describes the prophetess Anna as constantly in the temple praying night and day. There is an ancient Christian tradition, exemplified by Simeon and Anna, to say prayers in the morning and at night. Christians are to pray always, as St. Paul says, but there is a special significance to prayers at the beginning and at the end of each day.

Our days should be anchored by morning and evening prayer so that prayer becomes part of the fabric of life, not just something we do in church or when we are in trouble. Most people want to be faithful to daily prayer, but too often they forget or cannot find the time. Life is too fast, too full, too frantic; without daily prayer it becomes even more frustrating.

Parents teach children to pray at bedtime. Scripture teaches adults this fitting night prayer of the church: *Now Master you can dismiss your servant in peace: You have fulfilled your word. For my eyes have witnessed your saving deed displayed for all to see: a revealing light to the Gentiles, the glory of your people Israel.*

## ... and mirth

As long as there are math tests, there will be prayer in schools.

### Parish Staff

**Pastor:**

Fr. John Schmeidler, OFM, Cap.  
email: frjohncap@gmail.com

**Bookkeeper/Minister to the Elderly and Homebound/Thrift Shop/Food Pantry:**

Jan Brungardt  
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Jeanette Brungardt, R.E. Coordinator/  
Youth Minister  
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Sacramental Records  
email: sfreled@ruraltel.net

**Housekeeping/Sacristan:**

Darlene Dreiling

**Groundskeeper:** Julius Dreiling

**Maintenance:** Joe Brungardt

**Organists:** Kathy Dreiling-Amrein  
Lou Ann Hammersmith

**Choir Director:** Kathy Dreiling-Amrein

**Technology Coordinator:**

Connie Windholz  
email: sftech@ruraltel.net

### Council Members

**St. Fidelis Pastoral Council**

Peggy Fitzpatrick 735-8186 (Chair)  
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Janea Dinkel 735-9529 (RelEd)  
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John R. Braun 735-2622  
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**St. Boniface Pastoral Council**

Fred Tholen 735-4801  
Curt Wellbrock 259-6564  
Kathy Huser 735-4193

**St. Ann Pastoral Council**

Terry Riedel 735-9375  
Jerry Nowak 637-5273  
Bill Robben 806-669-5264

### Contributions January 25-26, 2020

Envelopes 3212.00 Loose 1020.75  
Repair Fund 170.00

**ST. ANN:**

Envelopes 1047.00 Loose 273.00

**ST. BONIFACE:**

Envelopes 205.00 Loose 203.00  
Candles 27.31  
Building Fund 25.00

~ MONEY COUNTERS ~

**Feb. 3** — Connie Dreiling, Janie Dinges  
**Feb. 10** — Kenny and Bertha Brungardt



## With Sympathy

The sympathy of the parishes is extended to the family of **Darren Peter Breit** of Hays, who passed away on Monday, January 20, 2020. Services were held at Holy Cross Catholic Church, Pfeifer, on Saturday, January 25, 2020, with inurnment in Holy Cross Cemetery, Pfeifer.

## Throats Blessed

In honor of the feast of St. Blaise (February 3), throats will be blessed after all Masses **this weekend, February 1-2.**

## Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered after all Masses **the weekend of February 15-16.**

## ST. BONIFACE

### Cemetery

Please contact Neal Rajewski at 785-735-8770 for cemetery soil removal or any other concerns related to the cemetery.

### Parish Meeting Set

St Boniface will have a parish meeting on Sunday, February 23, following Mass. Coffee and donuts will be served.

## ADULT CHOIR

### Choir Practice

The Adult Choir will sing for the Confirmation Mass on Sunday, February 9, 2020. Practice will be held on the **February 5.** Practice time is 7:30 p.m. in the Basilica of St. Fidelis choir loft.

New members are always welcome.

## DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

### REMINDER: DUES ARE DUE

St. Fidelis Daughters of Isabella dues of \$20.00 are due by March 1, 2020. Please mail dues to Kathy Kuhn, P.O. Box 395, Victoria, Kansas 67671.

## DIOCESE

## An invitation from Bishop Jerry Vincke:

"Our Blessed Mother gave life to the One who is our Life. She is our loving Mother who desires to help us in our needs. As the bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Salina, I would like to extend an invitation to all of our parishioners to join me in a special state-wide rosary crusade every Thursday to help us pass a human life amendment to the Kansas Constitution. This amendment will reverse the Kansas Supreme Court's decision to grant a constitutional right to abortion.

"I believe that our prayers have the power to change the hearts of our legislators and with the help of the Blessed Mother, we will be able to overturn this ruling.

"I thank you for your willingness to participate and I encourage you to join me in praying for an end to abortion and respect for all life from conception to natural death."

To join the Rosary Crusade visit [kansarosarycrusade.org/](http://kansarosarycrusade.org/).

What she saw **changed everything** and began an eye-opening journey across the life line.

**Abby Johnson**  
Former Planned Parenthood director and accomplished author who inspired the movie *Unplanned*.

**LEADING THE WAY TO A CULTURE OF LIFE.**

**Saturday**  
**5.2.20**  
**1:00 pm**

**Location** | Expo Hall  
Century 2 Convention Center  
225 W. Douglas Ave.  
Wichita, KS 67202

**TICKETS** | \$10 per person  
Children 12 and under free  
Available @ [www.century2.org](http://www.century2.org)  
On sale 1.1.20  
*All proceeds will be donated to pro-life causes*

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

# Jubilee Choir 2020 Practice and Singing Dates

Revised 1-9-2020



February—Jubilee Choir does not meet to practice or sing in February.

**Practice**

**Singing**

March 4 .....March 8

April 1 .....April 5 (Palm Sunday)

April 12 (Easter Sunday)

April 22 4:15—5:15 P.M.....April 26 (First Communion)

(Jubilee Choir practices from 5:15—6:15 P.M. with the exception of Wednesday, April 22.)



## Kindergarten religion gathering

Wednesday, February 5

2:20—3:15 P.M.

St. Fidelis PAC, Meal Site Room

Please check your child's Religious Ed Seesaw page for further details. Children must be enrolled to attend. Please contact Jeanette Brungardt to enroll your child.

Fidelisyouth@ruraltel.net Office: 785-735-9244



## Confirmation practice

**Wednesday, February 5, from 6:30—8:00 P.M.**

Practice will be held at St. Fidelis Church and will include Reconciliation.

Practice will conclude by or before 8:00 P.M. Sponsors are welcome to attend but are not required to. All sophomores must attend this practice.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be received on Sunday, February 9, at 9:00 A.M. at St. Fidelis Church.

The person sitting at home with you, whatever you have wrong with them, small or big, let it go. We tend to hold on to things that often don't matter. Life is precious and can be gone before you know it. Love the people around you. Stop getting upset over things that don't matter with the people that matter.

~ Jay Williams, ESPN

## YOUTH MINISTRY / CATHOLIC FAITH EDUCATION

# Religious Education and Youth Ministry Calendar of Events

### FEBRUARY CALENDAR

#### Wednesday, February 5

2:20 – 3:15 P.M. – Kindergarten gathering in PAC Meal Site Room  
6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes  
6:30 – 8:00 P.M. – Confirmation practice at St. Fidelis with Reconciliation

#### Sunday, February 9

9:00 A.M. – Bishop Vincke presides over Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Fidelis

**\*There is no 10:00 A.M. Mass\***

#### Wednesday, February 12

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes  
6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion parent meeting Part 1/2 "Presence" – Gather on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of Spiritual Life Center

#### Wednesday, February 19

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes  
6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion parent meeting Part 2/2 "Presence" – Gather on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of Spiritual Life Center

#### Wednesday, February 26

Ash Wednesday – No Religious Education Classes. Children should attend 5:30 P.M. Ash Wednesday Mass with family.  
5:15 – 8:00 P.M. – Jr. CYO gathers – attends 5:30 P.M. Mass then gathers immediately following on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of Spiritual Life Center

### MARCH CALENDAR

#### Wednesday, March 4

**\*SACCOS gift catalog purchase requests and payment due to Religious Ed Office\***

5:15 – 6:15 P.M. – Jubilee Choir practice  
6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes  
Advent Penance Service for grades 2 – 12 during religion

#### Sunday, March 8

10:00 A.M. Mass – Jubilee Choir sings

#### Monday, March 9

177 Project Tour at St. Fidelis Church: all youth, grades 6 – 12, and parents are asked to attend. Time: 7 – 8:45 P.M.

#### Wednesday, March 11

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes

#### Wednesday, March 18

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes

**\*St. Fidelis Altar Servers – DEADLINE - requests off due for April 11<sup>th</sup> through August 30<sup>th</sup>.\***

#### Wednesday, March 25

Spring Break – No Religious Ed classes

#### Monday, March 30

7:00 P.M. – Jason Evert "Purified" tour at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Hays Recommended for youth, ages 13+, and parents – requires ticket purchase in advance

### APRIL CALENDAR

#### Wednesday, April 1

5:15 – 6:15 P.M. – Jubilee Choir practice (there are two practices in the month of April, next practice is on Wed., April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 4:15 P.M.)  
6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes

#### Wednesday, April 8

2<sup>nd</sup> grade: First Communion banners due  
Pre-registration forms, payment, and volunteer applications (adults and high school youth) due for VBS: "Birthday Blast: A Celebration of Life" due (for grades pre-K through 4<sup>th</sup> grade)

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes

#### Wednesday, April 15

6:30 – 7:30 P.M. – Grades 1 – 12 Religious Ed classes

#### Wednesday, April 22

4:15 – 5:15 P.M. – Jubilee Choir practice  
5:15 – 6:15 P.M. – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade First Communion practice  
Last night of Religious Ed Classes  
End of Year Mass for students and parents, grades K – 12 – Time: TBA

# Kansas Rosary Crusade for the Passage of a State Constitutional Amendment Protecting the Constitution from a Right to Abortion

## The Mysteries of Life in the Womb

### FIRST MYSTERY

Each child in the womb is ordained by God and known personally.

*Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
before you were born I dedicated you...*

Jeremiah 1:5

### SECOND MYSTERY

Children in the womb are fully alive.

*When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said,  
"Most blessed are you among women" ...*

Luke 1:41, 42

### THIRD MYSTERY

The sacrifice of children is inconceivable to God.

*They have built the high places of Topheth in the Valley of Ben Hinnom to burn their sons and daughters in the fire—something I did not command, nor did it enter my mind.*

Jeremiah 7:31

### FOURTH MYSTERY

Abortion wounds the soul of the mother.

*"A voice was heard in Ramah,  
sobbing and loud lamentation;  
Rachel weeping for her children,  
and she would not be consoled,  
since they were no more."*

Matthew 2:18

### FIFTH MYSTERY

God calls us to warn others.

*Did you fail to rescue those who were being dragged off to death,  
those tottering, those near death,  
because you said, "We didn't know about it"?*

Proverbs 24:11-12





Winners of the Local/District Free Throw Competition pictured left to right:  
**(FRONT ROW)** Aaliyah LaBarge, Piper Nowlin, Claire Schippers, Sienna Schmeidler, and Gracy Schippers  
**(BACK ROW)** Riley Windholz, Nicholas Sander, Ethan VonLintel, Trace Jacobs, Wyatt Griffin, and Jarron Schmidt

## 2020 Competition Champions Announcement Knights of Columbus Free Throw Champions

Eleven boys and girls from the Victoria area, ages 9 to 14, were named local and district champions of the 2020 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship and have earned the right to compete at the regional level. St. Fidelis Council #1867 in Victoria sponsored the local competition at the Victoria High School Gymnasium on Sunday, January 26. All youngsters ages 9 to 14 (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>) were eligible to participate.

Nine-year-old champions were Aaliyah LaBarge in the girls' bracket

and Riley Windholz in the boys'.

Piper Nowlin was the 10-year-old girls' champion and Nicholas Sander was the winner of the 10-year-old boys' division.

In the 11-year-olds' bracket, Claire Schippers was the girls' champion and Ethan VonLintel was the boys' champion.

Twelve-year-old winners in the girls' and boys' divisions were Sienna Schmeidler and Trace Jacobs.

The 13-year-old girls' division was won by Gracy Schippers and

the boys' by Wyatt Griffin.

Fourteen-year-old boys' champion was Jarron Schmidt.

Each contestant was allowed 15 free throw attempts in the contests. Ties were settled by successive rounds of five free throws per contestant until a winner emerged.

Each of these winners can compete in the regional competition to be held on February 16<sup>th</sup> at the Tipton Community Center, Tipton, Kansas, with an eye toward moving on to the state and international levels.



**Pictured at Left:**  
 Participants in the local Knights of Columbus Free Throw Competition held at Victoria High School Gymnasium on Sunday, January 26.

## TMP Singers Annual Dinner Theater "Blasts from the Past"

at TMP-Marion, Hays

### PRESENTATIONS ON:

Friday, Feb. 7 ..... 7:00 p.m.....\$10.00 ..reception to follow  
Saturday, Feb. 8..... 6:30 p.m.....\$20.00 .. with a formal meal  
Sunday, Feb. 9..... Noon .....\$20.00 .. with a formal meal

### MEAL MENU:

Tossed salad, grilled chicken fettuccini alfredo,  
garlic bread, strawberry and lemon poke cake

**For tickets, call Kathy Amrein 785-650-4371**

## HEALING KIDS HEARTS RETREAT

Saturday, March 28 | 9:45 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

at Sternberg Museum

sponsored by Center for Life Experience

205 E. 7th St., Suite 251, Hays



The retreat is for children ages 7-12 years old that have experienced the lost of a loved one, a friend, or special companion. They are invited to apply for the retreat to learn

about, embrace, and cope with grief so that they move forward in their journey of healing. An adult, trained and matched "buddy" will guide and support the children throughout the day with a variety of activities.

**The brochure and application are located at**  
<https://www.cflehope.org/healing-kids-hearts-retreat.html>.

**REGISTRATION DUE MARCH 6, 2020**

For information, contact Ann Leiker at 785-259-6859  
or email [cfle1@eaglecom.net](mailto:cfle1@eaglecom.net).

## "Healing" Meetings

THE CENTER FOR LIFE EXPERIENCE, INC.

OFFICE: 205 E. 7th St., Suite 251, Hays (Hadley Center)

MEETINGS IN SUITE 257

For information on these groups, contact

Ann Leiker at 785-259-6859 or email [cfle1@eaglecom.net](mailto:cfle1@eaglecom.net)

**PLEASE CALL TO RESERVE CHILDCARE.**

**NAMI-HAYS** (National Alliance on Mental Illness Hays affiliate) is the point of contact for the public for information, referrals, and support for people with mental illness and their family and friends. The NAMI Recovery Group and the Family Support Group will gather from **6:15-7:45 p.m. on Monday, February 3**, at the Center. No Education Workshop that night.

**HEALING AFTER LOSS** is an organization offering hope, encouragement, and understanding to those who have had an adult loss such as a spouse, parent, sibling, or friend in their lives. The group will gather on **Tuesday, February 4, from 10:00-11:45 a.m.** at the Center, followed by lunch at noon at JD's Chicken, 740 E. 8th Street, Hays.

**CORRECTION: The date of the IHM Mardi Gras was incorrect in previous bulletins.**



## IHM MARDI GRAS!

Saturday, February 22

Immaculate Heart of Mary Activity Center  
1805 Vine Street, Hays

6:00 p.m. - doors open for Social Hour

6:45 p.m. - full-catered meal by Chartwells

Dance and evening entertainment by Solitaire  
(Musician Tim Schumacher of Hays)

**\$25 TICKET INCLUDES OPEN BAR**

Only 150 tickets will be sold. Must be 21 to enter.

For tickets, call IHM Parish Office 785-625-7339.

Make checks payable to Immaculate Heart of Mary

## Engaged Couples Retreat

A one-day retreat offers engaged couples a look into the long-term commitment of marriage and working through challenges as a couple. It explores the spiritual and eternal reality behind "I Do." It will be held at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Office upper room, 1805 Vine St., Hays, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

To pre-register for the upcoming retreat on **Saturday, February 15**, contact Susan Kisner at [skisner@ihm-church.com](mailto:skisner@ihm-church.com) or Nancy Urban at [nurban76@gmail.com](mailto:nurban76@gmail.com).

## Living with Parkinson's Presentation

Shana Gatschet with Parkinson Connect, LLC, will present "Resilience in 2020: Living WELL with Parkinson's" at the AARP monthly meeting on Wednesday, February 5, at 11:30 a.m. at Rose Garden, Hays.

A meal is offered for \$10; RSVP is required to Diana at 785-623-7412. The public is welcome.

Shana will also present Thursday, February 6, at 2:00 p.m. at Best Western/Butterfield Inn, Hays. Call Shana at 316-252-0445 for more information.



## Smoky Hill Chorale SPRING 2020

REHEARSALS BEGIN MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10  
7:30-9:30 p.m. MALLOY HALL, Rm 115 FHSU CAMPUS

Smoky Hill Chorale is a mixed ensemble of post-high school adults and is open to all singers. Openings are in all sections; particular need is for male voices. Singing experience is necessary, but no audition is required.

For more information, contact:  
Dr. Terry Crull at 628-4258 or [tacrull@fhsu.edu](mailto:tacrull@fhsu.edu)

## STARS AND STRIPES BREAKFAST

Sponsored by Victoria V.F.W. Council 1751

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

This fundraiser is very important as the Victoria V.F.W. needs to install a new vent above the kitchen stoves along with a fire suppressant system.



Tickets will be available for purchase from VFW members (and some other individuals) as of February 9.

To purchase, call any of the following numbers:  
785-623-1368, 785-735-4252, 785-735-9353,  
785-639-4621, 785-735-2622

## Victoria Schools Calendar



### Monday — February 3

7:00 am Biometric screenings for District employees in Library  
Lunch Menu: General chicken, fried rice, corn, fruit cocktail, salad, milk

Guided Personal Study (GPS) — Grade Check/Start Activity  
3:30 pm HS boys basketball practice  
5:00 pm HS girls basketball practice  
JH CPL league tournaments in Kinsley—Games/Times TBA

### Tuesday — February 4

6:15 am JH girls basketball practice  
Lunch Menu: Soft taco, refried beans, potato triangle, banana, salad, milk

Guided Personal Study (GPS) — Finish Activity  
3:30 pm JH boys basketball practice @ VES  
4:00 pm HS basketball vs. Ellinwood

### Wednesday — February 5—Early Dismissal 2:20 pm.

7:30 am VJSHS staff meeting in JH/HS Library  
Mentor/mentee meeting in Hays  
CPL League meeting in Hoisington  
Lunch Menu: Chicken noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, pears, salad, milk

Guided Personal Study (GPS) — Students will have directed study  
2:20 pm Early dismissal  
2:20 pm JH girls basketball practice @ VES  
3:30 pm HS girls basketball practice  
4:00 pm JH boys basketball practice @ VES  
5:00 pm HS boys basketball practice

### Thursday — February 6

Lunch Menu: Bierocks, oven fries, steamed peas, red grapes, salad, milk  
Guided Personal Study (GPS) — Students will have directed study  
3:30 pm JH girls basketball practice @ VES  
3:30 pm HS boys basketball practice  
5:00 pm HS girls basketball practice  
JH CPL league tournament in Kinsley—Games/Times TBA

### Friday — February 7

Lunch Sloppy Joe, potato chips, California blend, mixed fruit, salad, milk  
Guided Personal Study (GPS) — Students will have directed study  
4:00 pm HS basketball vs. Macksville (Snowball). Snowball ceremony will be during halftime of Varsity Boys game  
9:30-11:30 pm Snowball activity for HS students

## Announcer Needed

USD #432, Victoria, is looking for someone to announce varsity basketball games this season. If interested, contact Dylan Dronberger at Victoria Jr. Sr. High School at 785-735-9211.



**Valentine's Day Dance**  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 | 2:00 - 5:00 P.M.  
V.F.W. Hall, 248 Bob Dole Dr., Russell

Music provided by Craig Stevens.

Cost: \$8.00 (snack bar included)

**EVERYONE IS INVITED**

sponsored by The Sunflower Polka Club (785-819-2246)

## Box Top, Pop Tabs, and Dillons Rewards Can Help Victoria Elementary School

Victoria Elementary School is again collecting **Box Tops** and **Pop Tabs**. They are also a part of the **Dillons Community Rewards Program**. The school receives money for their activity fund with the Box Tops. Now you can get a Box Tops mobile app, scan your receipt, and earn cash for the school.

Sign up online to enroll in the Dillons Community Rewards. Each time you swipe your Dillons Plus Shopper's Card, USD 432 starts earning a rebate. The Pop Tabs are delivered to Topeka to the Ronald McDonald House where they are recycled. Money raised helps with the cost of operating the house.

The school will turn in **Box Tops** at the end of February and the **Pop Tabs** will be delivered to Topeka over Spring Break. Ask grandparents, neighbors, and anyone else you know to help VES collect these items and swipe those Dillons cards this school year!!

The St. Fidelis Minister Schedule for February 2020 can be found at the north church entrance OR on the Mass Schedule page of StFidelisChurch.com. You can contact Diane Gross with scheduling requests. dgross@gorhamtel.com or 785-735-4804

### Change in Mass Times Next Weekend for Celebration of Confirmation

Mass at the Basilica of St. Fidelis will be held at **9:00 A.M.** next Sunday during which Bishop Gerald Vincke will bestow the Sacrament of Confirmation on our youth. There will NOT be a 10:00 a.m. Mass. Mass at St. Boniface will be at **7:45 a.m.**

#### ST. ANN

#### Coffee & Rolls

There will NOT be any Coffee & Rolls after Mass at St. Ann Church on Saturday, February 15.

#### NOTICE CHANGE IN DATE FOR ST. ANN ↓ POTLUCK AND CARDS ↓

### St. Ann Parish Valentine's Potluck and Cards



After 6:30 p.m. Mass  
**Saturday, February 15, 2020**  
St. Ann Parish Hall



Join us for a fun evening of food and cards.  
Bring a dish to share!  
**EVERYONE IS INVITED!**

MASS INTENTIONS	
<b>MONDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 3</b>
7:00 pm Jane Ruder	
<b>TUESDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 4</b>
6:45 am	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 5</b>
6:45 am Leroy Sander	
<b>THURSDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 6</b>
6:45 am	
<b>FRIDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 7</b>
6:45 am Henry, Josepha, Don, Virgil, Robert, and Wayne Ruder	
<b>SATURDAY</b> .....	<b>FEBRUARY 8</b>
5:00 pm St. Fidelis Norman and Yvonne Schumacher Denis and Rosie Schulte and Melvin Gross	
6:30 pm St. Ann Linda Schoendaller Mary Schmeidler	
<b>SUNDAY</b> .....	<b>FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> .....
<b>FEBRUARY 9</b>	
7:45 am St. Boniface	
9:00 am St. Fidelis Jacob and Catherine Younger family CONFIRMATION MASS WITH BISHOP VINCKE	

I hit a turkey and it flew over my car and landed on the car behind me. It was a cop and he pulled me over and gave me a ticket for flipping him the bird.



* Sunday Rosary Schedule *	
1 <sup>st</sup> - Christian Mothers	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Knights of Columbus
3 <sup>rd</sup> - Daughters of Isabella	4 <sup>th</sup> - Family Life

#### MINISTER SCHEDULE

#### CANTORS

Saturday, Feb. 8, 5:00 PM — Pam Scheck  
Sunday, Feb. 9, 9:00 AM — Adult Choir

#### ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, Feb. 8, 5:00 PM — Taylor A., Grace & Myah Y.  
Sunday, Feb. 9, 9:00 AM — Lydia, Wesley, & Nicholas S.  
Saturday, Feb. 15, 5:00 PM — Ava S., Jarron & Jillian S.  
Sunday, Feb. 16, 10:00 AM — Brinly L., Zoe D., Averi W.

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, Feb. 8, 5:00 PM — Keith Billinger, Tina Braun, Deb Staab, Amorette Windholz, Jane Wagner, Teresa Shepherd, Karie Younger  
Sunday, Feb. 9, 9:00 AM — Wanda Kuhn, Joan Wellbrock, Michelle Geist, Bertha R. Brungardt, Kenny Brungardt, Connie Braun, Tom Tholen, VOLUNTEER choir

#### LECTORS \ COMMENTATORS

Saturday, Feb. 8, 5:00 PM — Diane Gross, Kathy Kuhn  
Sunday, Feb. 9, 9:00 AM — Karen Nowak, LeeAnn Schmidtberger

#### GREETERS

Saturday, Feb. 8, 5:00 PM — Frank & Brenda Dreiling, Mary Windholz  
Sunday, Feb. 9, 9:00 AM — Doug Oberly family, Joan Wellbrock, Wanda & Andy Kuhn