

Beacon of Faith,
ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Cathedral of the Plains,
THE BASILICA OF ST. FIDELIS

Pearl of the Prairie,
ST. BONIFACE CATHOLIC CHURCH



Parish Office:	601 10th Street, Victoria, KS 67671 • 785-735-2777 • Fax: 785-735-2779 Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30-12:00 and 1:00-4:30 — Friday 8:30-12:00		Catholic Faith Education Office: 785-735-9244
Gift Shop Hours: Monday-Thursday: 8:30–noon and 1:00–4:30 Friday: 8:30–noon	Weddings: Couples planning to marry must contact the Parish Office at least 6 months before the wedding date for marriage preparations.	Baptisms: All new parents are asked to complete a Baptismal Preparation class before their child is baptized. For information, please call the Parish Office.	Hospital Visits: To arrange for our pastor to visit someone in the hospital, please call the Parish Office.
In-Home Mass: Any homebound or hospice family interested in having Mass in their home should contact the Parish Office.	Holy Communion Brought to Homebound: Holy Communion can be brought to homebound parishioners. Please contact the Parish Office if you or someone you know is unable to come to a Sunday Mass.	BULLETIN ITEMS: Deadline is Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. Please contact Connie (sftech@ruraltel.net or 785-735-2777) at the Parish Office.	

www.stfidelischurch.com / www.stbonifacevincent.com

September 30, 2018 – 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 • 10:00 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

Oct. 26 — No Mass @ St. Fidelis — Fr. John not available
Oct. 28 — Priesthood Sunday
Oct. 29-31 — No Masses @ St. Fidelis — Fr. John not available
Oct. 31 — Halloween
Nov. 1 — All Saints Day—PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Nov. 3-4 — Cemetery Blessings
Nov. 4 — Daylight Savings Time Ends
Nov. 6 — Election Day
Nov. 11 — Veterans Day
Nov. 21 — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED @ noon for Thanksgiving
Nov. 22 — Thanksgiving Day—PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Nov. 23 — PARISH OFFICE CLOSED for



For whoever is not against us is for us.

(from the Holy Gospel according to Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48)

The Parish Office will be closed Thursday, October 4 for the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and Monday, October 8, for Columbus Day.



Cardinal Jorge Bergoglio, a Jesuit, surprised everyone when he took the papal name of Francis. His thoughts on St. Francis of Assisi are an impartial and timely reflection for the feast of St Francis, October 4, this Thursday.

“Francis was the son of a wealthy merchant of Assisi. His encounter with Jesus led him to strip himself of an easy and carefree life in order to espouse *Lady Poverty* and to live as a true son of our heavenly Father. This decision of Saint Francis was a radical way of imitating Christ: he clothed himself anew, putting on Christ, who, though he was rich, became poor in order to make us rich by his poverty (2 Cor 8:9). In all of Francis’ life, love for the poor and the imitation of Christ in his poverty were inseparably united.”

“What does Saint Francis tell us today? What does he have to say to us, not merely with words, but by his life? His first and most essential witness is this: that being a Christian means having a living relationship with the person of Jesus; it means putting on Christ, being conformed to him.”

“Francis’s journey to Christ began with the gaze of the crucified Jesus. The cross does not speak to us about defeat and failure; paradoxically, it speaks to us about a death which is life, a death which gives life, for it speaks to us of love, the love of God incarnate, a love which does not die, but triumphs over evil and death. Francis teaches us to remain before the cross, to let the crucified Christ gaze upon us, to let ourselves be forgiven, and recreated by his love.”



“The second witness of Francis is that everyone who follows Christ receives true peace, the peace that Christ alone can give, a peace which the world cannot give. This peace of Christ, which is born of the greatest love of all, the love of the cross. It is the peace which the Risen Jesus gave to his disciples when he stood in their midst and said: ‘Peace be with you!’, and in saying this, he showed them his wounded hands and his pierced side.” (Jn 20:19-20)

“Turn to Francis and ask him to teach us to be ‘instruments of peace’, of that peace which has its source in God, the peace which Jesus has brought us. May he obtain for us God’s gift of harmony and peace in our life and in our world.”

... and mirth

A big fight broke out in heaven when St. Peter called St. Francis a sissy.

Parish Staff

Pastor:

Fr. John Schmeidler, OFM, Cap.
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Bookkeeper/Minister to the Elderly and Homebound/Thrift Shop/Food Pantry:

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Housekeeping/Sacristan:

Darlene Dreiling

Groundskeeper: Julius Dreiling

Maintenance: Joe Brungardt

Organists: Kathy Dreiling-Amrein Lou Ann Hammersmith

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Technology Coordinator:

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Council Members

St. Fidelis Pastoral Council

Peggy Fitzpatrick 735-8186 (Chair)
Andy Kuhn 639-2156 (Vice-Chair)
Janea Dinkel 735-9529 (RelEd)
Doug Kuhn 650-1058 (Bldgs & Grounds)
John Schulte 735-2444
Deb Braun 735-7106
Gina Oberle 735-8056
Jacque Schmidt 735-5011

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John R. Braun 735-2622
Harland Rupp 735-2206
Randy Leiker 259-1392

St. Boniface Pastoral Council

Carol Freitag 735-9282
Randy Huser 735-4836
Fred Tholen 735-4801

St. Ann Pastoral Council

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

Contributions September 22-23, 2018

ST. FIDELIS:

Adult 3045.00 Loose 970.61

ST. ANN:

Adult 617.00 Loose 280.25

ST. BONIFACE:

Adult 200.00 Loose 242.00

Candles 47.00

~ MONEY COUNTERS ~

October 1 —

October 9 (Tuesday) — Anita
Braun, Marilyn Braun

ANNUAL Family Picnic

for the tri-Parishes

Sponsored by
 **KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
Council 1867 Victoria, Ks.

**EVERYONE IS INVITED!
BRING THE FAMILY!**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2018 • AFTER 5:00 P.M. MASS
GATHERING SOUTH OF VICTORIA GRADE SCHOOL**

Knights will be serving: Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Chips, and Pop

ALL FREE! **COME JOIN THE FUN!**

HOW TO STUDY
AND PRAY
THE PSALMS

PSALMS

**TUESDAYS
7:00 - 8:00 P.M.**

**OCTOBER 16, 23, AND 30
AND NOVEMBER 6**

CAPUCHIN CENTER FOR SPIRITUAL LIFE

PRESENTED BY
FR. EARL MEYER, OFM CAP.

ST. BONIFACE

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Bishop Vincke to Celebrate at St. Boniface

The 24-Hour Adoration at St. Boniface parish will begin **Saturday, December 15, at 8:00 a.m.** and will conclude **Sunday, December 16, at 8:00 a.m.** with Benediction with Bishop Vincke and the St. Boniface Choir.

The bishop will then celebrate Mass at 8:45 and join the parish for breakfast in the parish hall after Mass.

ADULT CHOIR

Choir Practice

The adult choir will resume practice in October. Practices begin at 7:30 p.m. Dates of the remaining practices for this year are:

Wednesdays, October 3, 10, and 17; and Tuesday, October 23.

Wednesdays, November 7 and 14; Monday, November 19; and Tuesday, November 27.

Tuesday, December 4; and Wednesdays, December 12 and 19.

Anyone who would like to sing with the choir is welcome. Simply join us at practice in the choir loft.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

K. of C. Selling Tickets for Religious Education Fundraiser

The Victoria of Knights of Columbus Council #1867 is selling raffle tickets to raise funds for the St. Fidelis Religious Education program. Tickets are \$100 each and can be purchased by calling 785-523-1368 or you may pick one up at the Parish Office.

The local Council has a limited supply of tickets.

The drawing will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2018, at 8:00 p.m. in Wichita. Prize amounts will be: One \$25,000 ticket, one \$6,000 ticket, three \$4,000 tickets, six \$2,000 tickets, and twenty-one \$1,000 tickets.

All tickets need to be sold and returned before October 25. Donations are not tax deductible.

CATHOLIC FAITH EDUCATION CALENDAR

OCTOBER CALENDER

Tuesday, October 2

7:00 P.M. – Religious Ed Committee Meeting at PAC

Wednesday, October 3

2:30 – 3:15 P.M. – Kindergarten gathers at St. Fidelis Church

5:15 – 6:15 P.M. – Jubilee Choir practice (in choir loft)

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

Thursday, October 4

PAC and Religious Ed Office closed for St. Francis of Assisi

Sunday, October 7

10:00 A.M. Mass – Jubilee Choir sings

Monday, October 8

PAC and Religious Ed Office closed for Columbus Day

Wednesday, October 10

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

Wednesday, October 17

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

Sunday, October 21

[Tentative] Freshman candidates Confirmation Retreat at St. Fidelis 10:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Wednesday, October 24

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

Sunday, October 28

Jr. CYO – Trick or Treat So Others Can

Eat

Wednesday, October 31

No Religious Ed classes – Halloween

NOVEMBER CALENDER

Thursday, November 1

PAC and Religious Ed Office closed – All Saints Day

6:45 A.M. – All Saints Day A.M. Mass

7 P.M. – All Saints Day P.M. Mass

Sunday, November 4

10:00 A.M. Mass – Entrance & Covenant Rites (9th and 10th grade Confirmation candidates)

Confirmation retreat for sophomores and sponsors immediately following Mass at St. Fidelis Church



If you live in Victoria you can also contribute to this by leaving nonperishable items on your front door step on Sunday, October 28, by 2 PM

Where? Victoria's Tin Gym/Auditorium

When? Sunday, October 28 2:00 - 4:00 P.M.

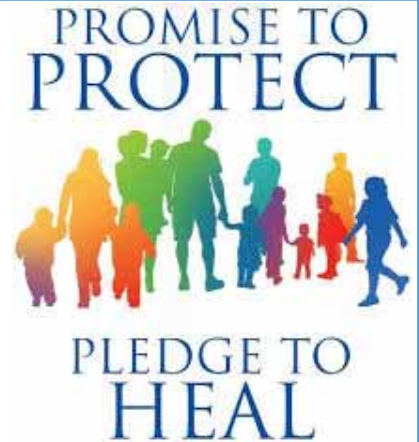
Who? 6th - 8th graders plus parents, families, &

siblings are welcome and needed to go door to door and pick-up items from the community! 9th - 12th graders: to help count, package and load items as they arrive to the tin gym.

Adults (25 years +) needed to drive/transport. Adults must complete diocesan required background check and online training. This is free and only takes 90 minutes of your time! Once completed, it is good for five years.

*Trick or Treat So Others Can Eat is being overseen by the Office of Youth Ministry. All adults who would like to volunteer need to contact Jeanette Brungardt at St. Fidelis' Parish Office.

Parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles — your child, our youth, need YOU! In order to support a thriving youth ministry and children's ministry program, WE need YOU! The diocesan guidelines state that all adults volunteering within youth ministry or Religious Ed activities MUST complete a background check and online training.



This involvement includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. Providing support to catechists during Religious Ed classes
2. Substitute teaching
3. Supervising youth during Jr. CYO and CYO day activities and/or overnight trips — Trick or Treat so Others Can Eat, Christmas caroling and delivering care packages, Lenten Mass / retreat, dinner or dance with the youth
4. Transporting youth during Jr. CYO and CYO day activities and/or overnight trips — CYO ski trip, March for Life, National Catholic Youth Conference, local retreats/speaking events, CYO Convention, etc.
5. Assisting with Vacation Bible School: supervising, teaching, etc.
6. Providing support or teaching during Liturgy of the Word for Children on Sunday's

If you have an interest and wish to be considered for volunteering within Religious Education and Youth Ministry activities, then please take some time to complete these diocesan requirements now. Or if you believe there will ever come a time where you could provide assistance at any activity within the parishes of St. Fidelis, St. Ann, and St. Boniface — PLEASE complete this training now! :) You don't know how much that support means to our youth. By completing the following diocesan background check and training you are not committing yourself to any specific activity but it does help us to be able to quickly call upon parents and adult chaperones when the need arises.

Our youth display a growing excitement and yearning for participation in the church and community within the children's and youth ministries such as Jubilee Choir, Liturgy of the Word for Children, Jr. CYO, CYO, etc. It is SO wonderful to see. This year for example, we have 20+ youth interested in attending the CYO Ski Trip in December. We have youth interested in even more local events such as dinners, game nights, etc. These won't be possible without adequate adult leadership and chaperones. In short — we need you! **If we do not have enough adult leadership that have completed the background check and online training than we have to limit the amount of youth we can take or not offer activities.** This applies to all activities within our children and youth ministry program.

If you could take the time, allow about 1 1/2 to 2 hours altogether to complete this training and background check, you can make a difference and help support your child and the youth ministry as well as the religious education programs! This training is also good for five years. Please contact Jeanette in the Rel Ed Office for further details

Thank you sincerely,
Jeanette Brungardt &

The children and youth active in our Religious Education and Youth Ministry programs at St. Fidelis, St. Ann, & St. Boniface

Questions? Please contact Jeanette at 785-735-9244 Email: Fidelisyouth@ruraitel.net Cell: 785-639-5067



Attention Religious Ed families:

Between September 26 to October 24, all classes will practice utilizing alternative fire escape routes. For those classes on the second floor, the alternative routes include the exterior fire escapes. For those classrooms in the basement, the alternative routes include the egress windows & step ladders.

Notifications will be published on Seesaw as to when your child’s class will be participating in this evacuation and preparedness course. If your child has an injury which limits them from using alternative fire escapes, please notify Jeanette Brungardt, as we do not wish to cause injury or aggravate current injuries. Please still send your child to religion as this drill will only take a small portion of the evening and catechists do have lesson plans in place. Thank you!



Jubilee Choir will practice this Wednesday, October 3, from 5:15—6:15 P.M. in the St. Fidelis choir loft. Jubilee choir sings on Sunday, October 7.

Religious Education Committee

The Religious Education Committee meets this **Tuesday, October 2, at 7:00 P.M.** in the PAC’s Meal Site Room.



Freshman Confirmation Retreat

The 9th grade Confirmation retreat will be held on **Sunday, October 21.** The retreat will begin with the 10:00 A.M. Mass at St. Fidelis. Seating at the front of church will be reserved for the freshman class, catechists, & chaperones attending. This retreat is for the confirmandi only, no sponsors. Parents, if you wish to chaperone this retreat, you are welcome to. (Only a few chaperones will be needed.) If not already completed, chaperones will be asked to complete the online background check and training through CMGconnect.org at least one week prior to the retreat date. Please speak with Jeanette for further details/instructions.



The March for Life attendees, youth,
WILL HOST A
Spaghetti supper and game night for
St. Ann's parishioners and our tri-parish
families of St. Fidelis and St. Boniface



Saturday, November 3
at St. Ann's parish hall following the 6:30 P.M. Mass at
St. Ann's Church in Walker.

**This is a very family and children friendly event;
we sincerely hope you can join us!**

Festivities will be held in St. Ann's parish hall and begin immediately following Mass. The evening will include a spaghetti and meat ball supper prepared and served by our March for Life youth, complimented with a dinner salad, garlic bread, and refreshments. If St. Ann parishioners would like to bring a side dish or dessert, they are most welcome to.

The youth will host the children's games during the evening while the adults socialize and partake in card games and board games following dinner.

**A special
thank you!**

Thank you to all involved in the planning, organization, and execution of the CYO's dinner and game night at St. Boniface Church this past Saturday! Thank you to the parishioners at

St. Boniface, Randy Huser, our local Knights of Columbus, and CYO Sponsors:
Amanda Truan & Jeanna Wellbrock.



A few seniors from St. Mary's CYO will be visiting our CYO this Wednesday, October 3, following religion classes. Any 8th graders interested in learning more about NCYC or attending it next November SHOULD ATTEND THIS MEETING! :) Parents are welcome to join.

Finger foods/dinner & refreshments will be provided. CYO—please gather in the north lawn following religion classes until the 1st graders have had time to dismiss from the Meal Site Room. See you all than! :)

Victoria Recreation Adult Open Gym

The Victoria Recreation Commission will have open gym at the Victoria Elementary School Gym on Wednesday nights when religion is in session. If religion classes are cancelled for any reason so is Open Gym.

TIME 6:30-7:30 PM


Victoria Recreation Commission nor USD 432 will be responsible for any accidents, injuries, or lost or stolen articles. They ask that you bring your own equipment (basketballs, volleyball, etc.), please be respectful of the school property, and clean up after yourself. No alcohol or tobacco products allowed. You will be asked to sign in when you come.

Tell your friends and get together for a night of drop-in basketball or volleyball or whatever you choose. For questions, contact Sharon Bleske @ 785-735-2454.

October - March Schedule (Must be over 18)

OCTOBER	DECEMBER	FEBRUARY
3 Men	5 Men	6 Men
10 Women	12 District	13 Women
17 Men	Christmas	20 Men
24 Women	Concert	27 Women
	19 Women	
NOVEMBER	JANUARY	MARCH
7 Men	2 Christmas Break	3 Ash Wednesday
14 Women	9 Men	13 Spring Break
21 Thanksgiving	16 Women	20 Men
Break	23 Men	27 Woman
28 Men	30 Women	

American Red Cross
Give blood. Help save lives.



Blood Drive
Victoria Community
VFW
 204 E Main
Tuesday, October 16
9:30 AM to 3:30 PM

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to schedule an appointment.
 1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

KATHARINENSTADT'S ESSENFEST

German Style Cook-Off

Do you make the best German bean dumpling soup, Brats, Raw Burger, Bierocks, Potatoes & Dumplings, Hearts, Kuchen, Spitzbuben, or any other German Delicacy? If you think you do, now is your chance to prove it at the 2nd Annual Katharinenstadt's Essenfest, a German Food Cook off, on **Sunday, October 21, from 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.** at Kennedy Middle School Cafeteria.

There will be raffle prizes, a mini bake sale, beer, and live polka music provided by Karl Meis. You—the public—are the taste testers and the judges!

Tickets to enter and taste all entries are \$5 and can be purchased from any St. Catherine Christian Mother from September 24 until the day of event at the door.

To enter as a contestant, please contact Sarah Shubert at 785-656-2399 (call or text message) or email sarah.shubert@outlook.com.



27TH ANNUAL Festival of Faith

UPLIFTING PRAYER
SPECIAL MUSIC
ENCOURAGEMENT

Wednesday, October 3, 2018
7:00-8:00PM
Beach-Schmidt Performing Arts Center
Inside Sheridan Hall, FHSU Campus, 600 Park Street



HAYS, KANSAS
 DAY OF Prayer

Sponsored by: Hays Area Chamber of Commerce & Ellis County Ministerial Alliance

Cancer Council's Day of Caring

"Reflections" is the theme for the 23rd Annual Day of Caring Brunch and Fashion Show at FHSU Memorial Union on **Saturday, October 6**, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Come celebrate a day of Breast Cancer Awareness and Survivorship. Models are breast cancer survivors. **Tickets are available for \$20 a person until Monday, October 1.** For more information call the Cancer Council of Ellis County at 785-625-6653.

Divine Mercy Radio's Coats 4 Floats

Donate a coat and receive a free root beer float during Divine Mercy Radio's *Coats 4 Floats* drive. Coats may be dropped off between now and Tuesday, October 9, at the following locations: A & W, Holy Family Elementary, TMP-Marian, Master Cleaners, and the Divine Mercy Radio offices.

Coats will be distributed to those in need on Saturday, October 13, at Master Cleaners and Top Notch Cleaners, both on 8th Street in Hays. Divine Mercy Radio thanks all the participating businesses in this endeavor to keep everyone in the community warm this winter.

Wheelchair Wanted

If anyone has a wheelchair they are looking to get rid of, the Victoria Elementary School would take it.



Monday — October 1

Lunch Menu: Quesadilla, black bean salad, nacho chips, fresh cauliflower, banana, salad, milk

AIM period—Students will have directed study

4:30 pm JV football @ TMP. Depart 3:00

5:00 pm JH football vs. Ness City

Tuesday — October 2

ACT test for select students in JH/HS library

Lunch Menu: Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy, dinner roll, corn, peaches, salad, milk

AIM period—Students will have directed study

3:30 pm Cross country @ Ellsworth. Depart 1:40

3:30 pm Tennis @ Russell. Depart 2:15

6:00 pm HS volleyball @ Central Plains/Ellinwood. Depart 4:00

Wednesday — October 3 — PLC early dismissal

FCCLA Fall Leadership Conference @ Stockton. Mrs. C. Braun and select students will attend and depart at 7:00 am

CPL league meeting in Hoisington

Lunch Menu: Italian dunkers, oven fries, steamed broccoli, bread sticks, tropical fruit, salad, milk

AIM period—Students will have directed study

2:20 pm PLC early school dismissal

Thursday — October 4

Lunch Menu: Chicken strips, pasta salad, green beans, biscuit, watermelon, salad, milk

AIM period—Students will have directed study

Friday — October 5

KSHSAA regional tennis @ Phillipsburg

Lunch Menu: Ham slice, scalloped potatoes, mixed vegetables, fruit cocktail, corn bread, salad, milk

AIM period—HS students will have SEL time during AIM. JH students will have directed study

7:00 pm HS football vs. Washington County

Saturday — October 6

KSHSAA regional tennis @ Phillipsburg

CPL JH volleyball tournament @ LaCrosse. Depart 7:30

Commodities to Be Distributed

Government surplus commodities will be distributed on **Tuesday, October 2**, at 1:30 p.m. at the Parish Activity Center. Please use the north entrance.



LOST & FOUND

A key was found on the north driveway of St. Fidelis Cemetery. To claim, please call the Parish Office (785-735-2777).

“Healing” Meetings

The Center for Life Experience, 2900 Hall Street, Hays

For information on these groups, contact

Ann Leiker at 785-259-6859 or email ccfpc@ruraltel.net.

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 groups will gather on **Monday, October 1**, from 6:00-7:00 p.m. for the Recovery Group and the Family Support Group at the Center for Life Experience. There will be 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 eat supper at 5:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, October 2**, at Jalisco's Mexican Restaurant, 2520 Vine St., Hays. They will then gather at 6:30 in The Center for Life Experience.



Victoria VFW Post 1751

RAFFLE DRAWING



to help fund a Handicapped Bathroom

PRIZES: Two \$500; One \$300; Twelve \$100

Drawing to be held Sunday, October 28, at 1:00 p.m. at the VFW Hall in Victoria.

Winners need not be present to win.

Tickets are \$25.00.

For tickets, contact any Post 1751 Member or call 785-623-1368.

Tri-Parish

Cards & Games Party

Sunday, October 7, 2018 ~ 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Parish Activity Center (north entrance)

*Everyone is invited.
Pick up a friend and
come join the fun!*



There will be snacks.
You are welcomed to
bring a snack
of any kind
for everyone to enjoy.

LET'S PLAY!

- Pinochle
- Farkle
- Dominos
- Rummikub
- Phase 10

DIOCESE

Anniversary Masses

The Diocese of Salina wishes to honor all couples who are celebrating 1st anniversaries and ALL other anniversaries ending in 0 or 5. Masses with Bishop Gerald L. Vincke are planned at **St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Salina, 3:00 p.m., Sunday, October 21, 2018,** and **Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Hays, 3:00 p.m., Sunday, October 28, 2018.**

If you would like to participate, please complete the registration form in the September 23 bulletin or online at salinadiocese.org/family-life, or call the Office of Family Life at 785-827-8746. Each couple wishing to attend an Anniversary Mass must register with the Family Life Office. If you have questions, please contact familylife@salinadiocese.org or 785-827-8746. **DEADLINE for reservations is October 7, 2018.**

SEPTEMBER HUMAN TRAFFICKING ALERT

Traffickers prey on children as young as 9 years old and may target their victims through social media websites, telephone chat lines, after school programs, at shopping malls, and through friends and acquaintances who recruit students. **U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking (sistersagainstrafficking.org).**

PLENARY INDULGENCE GIVEN WHEN VISITING A BASILICA

The faithful may obtain a plenary indulgence by visiting a minor basilica. An indulgence is a remission before God of the temporal punishment for a previously forgiven sin. 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, the Salina Diocese newspaper

THURSDAY MORNING COFFEE is held at the Parish Office at 9:30. Come and join Fr. John, other parishioners, and friends at the Parish Office for a cup of coffee and a snack.



St. Fidelis Food Pantry

Parish Activity Center (PAC) • 601 10th St. • 785-735-2777

ST. FIDELIS THRIFT SHOP is always accepting donations. Thrift Shop hours are Monday, Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday from 10-2, Wednesday from 10-3:30, Thursday from 10-4. If these hours do not work to drop off your donations, contact Jan at the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY	OCTOBER 1
7:00 pm Adam and Catherine Bellendir, Miriam Wasinger, Ralph Bellendir, Rita Scheck, Vernon Bellendir, Bernadette Baier, and Marvin Bellendir	
TUESDAY	OCTOBER 2
6:45 am Alfred J. and Ottilia Kuhn	
WEDNESDAY	OCTOBER 3
6:45 am Louise Weigel	
THURSDAY	FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI OCTOBER 4
6:45 am Joseph and Christina Riedel	
FRIDAY	OCTOBER 5
6:45 am Stephen Brungardt Paul and Mildred "Mickie" Brungardt	
SATURDAY	OCTOBER 6
5:00 pm St. Fidelis Denis Schulte and Bennie Schulte Bob and Marie Schmidtberger	
SUNDAY	27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 7
7:30 am St. Ann Anna Braun Bill, Germaine, and Larry Dechant and Norma Schmeidler	
8:45 am St. Boniface Amelia VonLintel (anniv) and family	
10:00 am St. Fidelis Alvin and Virginia Windholz Elmer and Mary Francis Dreiling	

* Sunday Rosary Schedule *

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| 1 st - Christian Mothers | 2 nd - Knights of Columbus |
| 3 rd - Daughters of Isabella | 4 th - Family Life |

MINISTER SCHEDULE

CANTORS

Saturday, Oct. 6, 5:00 PM — Megan Wellbrock
Sunday, Oct. 7, 10:00 AM — Leroy Schmidtberger

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, Oct. 6, 5:00 PM — Morgan S., Jessica S., Leah D.
Sunday, Oct. 7, 10:00 AM — Wesley & Lydia S., Mary Jane W.
Saturday, Oct. 13, 5:00 PM — Mackenzie H., Jillian S., Abby B.
Sunday, Oct. 14, 10:00 AM — Mason M., Brody & Brooklyn N.

Eucharistic Ministers\Lectors

These ministries are on a volunteer basis. Please sign up by the north entrance or come to the sacristy before Mass to see if anyone is needed.