

The Church of the Holy Spirit

Fr. Michael Nolan, Pastor
Kelly Bright, Principal
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Jennylee Doyle, School Secretary

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	8:00am & 10:00am
Saturday	5:00pm
Weekdays	8:00am (Tues-Fri)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday Afternoons 3:00-4:00pm (or by appointment)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact Father directly.

REGISTRATIONS

New parishioners, please pick up a Registration Packet after Mass or at the Parish Office (located in the metal building to the north of the Church). You may also register online at our website: www.holyspiritwichita.com. Forms may be returned via the collection basket, mail or delivered to the Parish Office.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated on the second Sunday of each month after the 10:00 Mass. Parents who plan to have their child baptized are required to attend our **Baptismal Preparation Class** held the second Sunday of each month in the school office. You are strongly encouraged to attend this class before your child is born. The Baptism Information Form must be returned to the parish office prior to the scheduled baptism. Please call the Parish Office at 316-794-3496 to register for the class.

MARRIAGES

In order for weddings to take place here at the Church of the Holy Spirit, either the bride or groom must be registered in the parish for a minimum of six months before preparations for marriage will begin. In addition, the bride or groom registered in the parish is expected to be actively participating in the life of the church by living the Stewardship Way of Life. Please contact Father for additional information and to obtain a copy of our wedding guidelines.

PARISH PRAYER LINE

If you would like to sign up for this ministry or if you have a prayer request, call Mildred Landwehr at 794-2727 or Mary Kaba at 729-9229, or any member of the prayer line.

The mission of The Church of the Holy Spirit is to serve and follow Jesus Christ through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, to grow in love and knowledge of our Catholic faith by the communal celebration of Word and Sacrament.

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School Tele: (316) 794-8139 • School Fax: (316) 794-2055
www.holyspiritwichita.com

Parish Support-Mar. 6 & 7, 2010		Parish Fiscal Support YTD	
Collection	\$ 14,348.69	Collection	\$ 521,286.58
Budget	\$ 16,758.00	Budget	\$ 603,288.00
Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (2,409.31)	Surplus (Deficit)	\$ (82,001.42)

*Using your printed envelopes reduces mistakes.
For Implementation of Electronic Fund Transfers please
call the office.*

Thanks for your generosity!

Recycled Aluminum Can Receipts - FEB	\$ 171.60
Net SCRIP Proceeds - Y-T-D	\$ 1,626.45
Matching Gifts to the School - Y-T-D	\$ 1,400.00

Several employers participate in matching gift programs for our school.
If you are interested, please call the church office.

Total Registered Families: 383

**"STEWARDSHIP:
THE GRATEFUL RESPONSE OF A
CHRISTIAN DISCIPLE"**

The first two readings present a theme of God's forgiveness and generosity. He brings the Israelites to the promised land a feeds them from the produce of the land, no longer providing manna. Paul tells the Corinthians that in Christ we are a new creation; God forgives our sins and treats us as his children. In the Gospel the parable of the prodigal son presents a picture of a father rejoicing in the son who returns to Him. May we turn to God and receive His blessings.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION We currently have openings for the following hours: Sunday-2:00pm, 4:00pm, Monday-11:00am, Tuesday-12:00pm, Thursday-9:00am, 7:00pm, Friday 2:00am 7:00pm, Saturday-12:00pm, 2:00pm, 3:00pm. Please call Terrie Eckberg at 260-4630 to sign up for an hour with Jesus.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT Enrolling **Preschool-8th grade now!** Preschool openings for 3, 4, and 5 year olds. **Full day Kindergarten available.** In coming Kindergarten round up meeting March 10, 4:00 PM. In coming Kindergarten screening April 9, 8:00 AM—2:00 PM.

NURSING MINISTRY March is National Colorectal Awareness month. According to the American Cancer Society Colorectal cancer is one of the leading causes of cancer death in the nation. Early testing is recommended for those over the age of 50. Reminder, Blood Pressure checks the first Sunday of the month following 10 am mass.

MAMA B'S IS BACK. Join Mama B for delicious biscuits and gravy after 8 & 10 Mass on Sunday, March 21st. Cost is a freewill donation. Altar Society will raffle an afghan at Mama B's. Suggested ticket donations \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

WORDS OF LIFE

"THOSE WHO ARE ACTIVE in the production and dissemination of new media content, therefore, should strive to *respect* the dignity and the worth of the human person. If the new technologies are to serve the good of individuals and of society, all users will avoid the sharing of words and images that are degrading of human beings, that promote hatred and intolerance, that debase the goodness and intimacy of human sexuality or that exploit the weak and vulnerable."

~ Pope Benedict XVI, "Message of the Holy Father for the 43rd World Communications Day, May 24, 2009

SURROUNDING PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

22ND ANNUAL BASKETBALL CLASSIC between The Padres (Priests of the Diocese) and Knights of Columbus Council #4118 is scheduled for Sunday, March 14 at the NEW Bishop Carroll Gym & Activities Center. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Tip-off at 6:30 p.m. Suggested Donation Adults \$5.00, Kids \$2.50, Family Pass \$15.00. PROCEEDS SUPPORT RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS!

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ANNUAL MEXICAN DINNER at St. Margaret Mary Parish, 2635 S. Pattie, on Sunday, March 14th from 11:00am—4:00pm. Carry out Available 267-4911.

50TH ANNUAL PARISH DINNER St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 132 S. Milwood, Wichita, KS will host its 50th Annual Parish Dinner on Sunday, March 21, from 11:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. It is all you can eat and served family style. Tickets available at the door only. Adults, \$7.00; children 4-12, \$4.00; Children 1-3, \$1.00; Children under 1 eat free. Carry-out and Drive-thru meals are available. Raffle prize drawings held throughout the day. Call 261-5810 for raffle ticket information. (The Grand Prize this year is a \$10,000.00).

XAVIER SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND Do you know someone who has poor vision or is blind? Do you know someone who has trouble holding a magazine or book? The Xavier Society for the Blind has religious material in Braille, large print and audio CD's, at no charge. For more information, call (212) 473-7800 or (800) 637-9193. Visit them on the web at www.xaviersocietyfortheblind.org.

BCCHS JIVIN' JUKEBOX CHOIR is getting ready for Golden Review, (March 26th and 27th) the theme this year is Jivin' Jukebox. With music from the 50's 60's 70's and 80's including At the Hop, My Boyfriends Back, Mack the Knife, Stand By Me, I'll Be There, How Will I Know, 4 Medleys of Songs including an 80's Girl Group Medley, and Michael Jackson's Thriller. For more information call Vocal Music Director, Melissa Seiler at (316) 722-2390.

ST. JOSEPH ALTAR SOCIETY QUILT PARTY will be held on Sunday, March 28, 2010 in Conway Springs, KS. 21 Handmade Quilts, and one will be auctioned off. Refreshments will be at 12:30 p.m., and games begin at 2:00 p.m.

THE LORD'S DINER Since opening on February 13, 2002, The Lord's Diner has served more than one million meals to the hungry and homeless of our community. The Lord's Diner is currently serving an average of 425 people a night. With the economy continuing to struggle, we anticipate that our nightly average will increase as we move into the summer months, our busiest time of the year. We are blessed to have some of Holy Spirit's church members sharing their time with us at The Lord's Diner. Donations of canned and non-perishable food items in their original sealed packages are needed. They can be delivered to the Lord's Diner Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. To donate to the Lord's Diner, mail monetary donations to 520 N. Broadway, Wichita, KS 67214.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT is a retreat for women and men struggling with the psychological or spiritual pain of abortion is planned for April 9-11, 2010. The cost for the weekend is \$30.00 (limited financial assistance is available to those unable to pay). The retreat is open to all regardless of faith background, residency, or ability to pay. To register, please call 316-269-HOPE (4673). All communications are kept in loving confidentiality.

MASS INTENTIONS

Tue	16	8:00AM	†	Albert & Cherubim Staab
Wed	17	8:00AM	†	Albert Mies
Thurs	18	8:00AM	†	John Roe Jr.
Fri	19	8:00AM	Int.	Paul & Bettie Some
Sat	20	5:00PM	†	Ken & Diane Brown
Sun	21	8:00PM	Int.	People of the Parish
Sun	21	10:00AM	†	Helen Carrocci

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR WILL.
A BEQUEST TO YOUR CHURCH CAN BE A LIVING MEMORIAL TO THE NOBILITY OF YOUR LIFE. A BEQUEST TO YOUR CHURCH PRODUCES TAX BENEFITS. OUR LEGAL TITLE IS:
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF WICHITA
FOR THE BENEFIT OF HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC CHURCH.

ROSES FOR LIFE

A vase of silk roses is placed in front of the Blessed Mother statue with a red rose for each expecting mother in our parish, and one white rose for the unborn worldwide. The red "Roses for Life" will be given to mother and child once the baby has been baptized. It is a great way to see how much our parish is growing and to be reminded to pray for all the unborn. For more information, or if you are needing a rose contact Jody Gorges. 794-3188.

**Altar Society,
Schedule for Selling**

UPCOMING BAPTISM CLASSES & FACILITATORS SCHEDULE

Mar. 20 Linda Hermes

Mar. 21 Phyllis Betzen

Mar. 21 Dana Flickinger

Mar. 14 Rita Kerschen

Apr. 11 Lisa Coyne

May 9 Tammy Alexander

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS SCHEDULE
MARCH 20 & 21, 2010**

	GREETERS	USHERS	LECTORS	OFFERTORY	SERVERS	HOSPITALITY	EUCHARIST	MEDICAL LODGE/ HOME BOUND
5:00pm Saturday	Joe Torske Family	Brock Ricke Paul Dreiling Richard Macias Austin Monckton	Gregory Menges Jim Wildeman	Gary Koenigs Family	Daley Driscoll Aaron Kerschen Alex Kerschen		Patrick Winter Debbie Winter Karen Wilson Eric Wilson Maria Staab Louis Hotze	N/A
8:00am Sunday	Sara Reith Family	Paul Arnold Michael Martinez Craig Lefevre Daniel Pracht	Nick Biggs Patty Arnold	Brian Pendergrass Family	Richard Prue Ashley Pinkerton Adam Ritter	Ron Smith Jessie Smith	Beth Alexander Gordon Ritter Bill Gorges	Becky Nicholson
10:00am Sunday	Confirmation Class	Confirmation Class	Dana Rose M. Spottedhorse	Confirmation Class	Caitlin Trevino Fiona Trevino Taylore Rose	Rebecca Bouska Ron Bouska	James Pavlacka Kent Oborny Dianne Gibson Gilbert Trevino Glenn Dugan Larry Temes	Kurtis Dugan

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday March 14, 2010

11:00am RCIA Meeting, Charity Hall
 11:00am Baptism Class, School Office
 11:00am Baptisms after Mass
 4:00pm Boy Scouts, Spirit Hall
 4:00pm CYO Meeting, Charity Hall

Monday March 15, 2010

7:00pm Corridor Cleaning (Scott R. & Tim K.)
 7:00pm NFP, Charity Hall
Spring Break-No School M-F

Tuesday March 16, 2010

6:30pm Stewardship Meeting, Charity Hall
 7:00pm Finance Council, Parish Office

Wednesday March 17, 2010

6:30pm No Religious Education

Thursday March 18, 2010

7:00pm Altar Society, Charity Hall

Friday March 19, 2010

8:30am Breakfast at Gerrards-Harvest House
 6:30pm Mass
 7:00pm Corridor Cleaning (Scott R. & Tim K.)
 7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday March 20, 2010

8:00am Altar Society Church Cleaning (Wells, Lubbers, Krissek)

Sunday March 21, 2010

9:00am Mama B's, Spirit Hall
 11:00am RCIA Meeting, Charity Hall

NEXT WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday March 21, 2010

9:00am Mama B's, Spirit Hall
 11:00am RCIA Meeting, Charity Hall

Monday March 22, 2010

7:00pm Corridor Cleaning (Chris D. & Jamie B.)
 7:00pm Natural Family Planning Class, Charity Hall

Tuesday March 23, 2010

6:30pm Girl Scout Troop Meeting, Spirit Hall

Wednesday March 24, 2010

6:30pm Religious Education/**NO MASS**

Thursday March 25, 2010

Annunciation
 8:00am NO Daily Mass

Friday March 26, 2010

6:30pm Mass
 7:00pm Corridor Cleaning (Chris D. & Jamie B.)
 7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday March 27, 2010

8:00am Altar Society Church Cleaning (Shepherd, Coyne, Semrad)

Sunday March 28, 2010

Palm Sunday
 11:00am RCIA Meeting, Charity Hall
 4:00pm Boy Scouts, Spirit Hall