



“The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day.”

-St. Gianna Molla



19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the desert, but they died; this is the bread that comes down from heaven so that one may eat it and not die.” - Jn 6:48-50

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MASS SCHEDULE & OFFICE HOURS

Daily Masses May28-September 6:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 7:30 am

*Tuesday Masses are available at:

Corpus Christi at 8:15 am,
St. Lawrence Center at 12:10 pm,
Holy Family, Eudora at 9:00 am,
Sacred Heart, Tonganoxie at 7:30 am.

Weekend Masses May28-September 6:

Saturday: 4:30 pm;
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am,
1:00 pm Spanish, 5:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Wednesday: 11:00 am – Noon;
Saturday: 3:00-4:00 pm;
Other: by appointment

Office hours June 1-August 16:

Monday-Friday-8:30 am-2:30 pm. After 2:30 pm please call staff members direct extension (see pg. 2). Thanks.

WELCOME TO SAINT JOHN

Saint John the Evangelist, a Catholic Capuchin Franciscan Parish, welcomes all who are called to be disciples of Jesus Christ and proclaims His Gospel through prayer, worship, His Word, and the sacraments. Members, inspired by the Holy Spirit through faith formation and spiritual renewal, witness to the Gospel in lives of justice and charity, build up families and children through education, hospitality and fellowship, and serve those in need with compassion.

“Love the Lord, your God with all your *heart*,
with all your *soul*,
and with all your *strength*.”

-Deuteronomy 6:5

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Wednesday - 11:00 am-3:00 pm; Saturday - 8:30am-12:30 pm

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centrohispano.lydia@gmail.com

SIMON PARISH CENTER

Mailing Address 1229 Vermont St., Lawrence, KS 66044
Phone.....785-843-0109
Office Hours.....**PLEASE WEAR A MASK**
Monday-Friday8:30 am-2:30 pm
After 2:30 pm please call staff members direct extension.
Thank you.

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Wednesday 11:00 am-12:00 pm
Saturday 3:00 pm-4:00 pm
Other by appointment

Bulletin Deadline

Submit info by **noon on Thursday** to bulletin@sjevangelist.com
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PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

JOB OPENING DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT

St. John Church and School in Lawrence seeks a full-time Director of Advancement. The Director will develop and administer development plans to ensure the long-term viability of the Church and School. The Director will oversee all advancement activities necessary by building relationships with a broad range of parishioners, parents, alumni, volunteers and community members. Candidates with three to five years of fundraising experience and bilingual (English and Spanish) are preferred. Please see full job description and requirements at: www.sjevangelist.com. This position is eligible for an Archdiocesan benefits package. Position will be open until filled. Please send cover letter and resume to Fr. John Cousins at: frjohn@sjevangelist.com or 1229 Vermont Street, Lawrence, KS66044.



JOB OPENING BUSINESS MANAGER

St. John Church and School in Lawrence, KS seeks a full time Business Manager. The Manager will administer the finances of the parish and school, maintain accuracy of all financial operations, and serve as HR officer. Applicants need computer/new technologies competencies. Candidates with a degree in Business/Accounting with 1-3 years of experience or its equivalency, and bilingual (English and Spanish) are preferred. Please see full job description and requirements at: www.sjevangelist.com. This position is eligible for an archdiocesan benefits package. Anticipated start date July 26. Position open till filled. Send cover letter and resume to Fr. John Cousins at: frjohn@sjevangelist.com or mail to 1229 Vermont St., Lawrence, KS 66044.



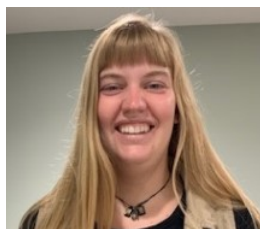
JOB OPENING PARISH COORDINATOR



St. John Parish and School seeks a part-time parish coordinator. The parish coordinator will be responsible for the efficient use of parish facilities and managing supportive services. Candidates with 1-3 years work experience and bilingual (English/Spanish) are preferred. Please see full job description and requirements at: www.sjevangelist.com. Anticipated start date August 1. Position will be open until filled. Please send cover letter and resume to Fr. John Cousins at: frjohn@sjevangelist.com or mail to: 1229 Vermont St., Lawrence, KS 66044.

THANK YOU
To those who
water the
plants.

MEET OUR NEW YOUTH MINISTER



Hi, my name is Allison Loecker, and I am the new high school youth minister, and the middle school religion teacher. I am a recent graduate from Benedictine College, and I got my degree in Theology and Education, two things that I love! I'm originally from a small town in Nebraska, so I love the outdoors. I am one of four

kids, and have two adorable nieces that I love to spoil! I am very excited to join this wonderful community and parish! Everyone has been so welcoming, and I cannot wait to meet more people! Teaching and leading people towards Christ are huge passions of mine, and I am beyond blessed to have the opportunity to do them!

SOCIAL LIFE COMMITTEE: WANNA HAVE SOME FUN?



Do you enjoy planning fun events? Does community mean a lot to you? Then this is your committee! The St. John social life committee is looking for additional members to help plan and carry out monthly events to support and restore the community in our parish. This work will be creative and fun! If interested, please email Susan

Tabor at: souljourner@sbcglobal.net or phone her at 785-865-9949.

BOSCO ROOM IS OPEN AND IN NEED OF UPDATING

The Bosco Room is open again to youth ministry and other adult formation groups! If you aren't aware, the Bosco Room is in the school and a space designated for small faith groups to share in a casual "living room" type setting. Over the years, some of the furniture has gotten a bit beat up. Do you have any good used furniture that you would like to donate? Occasional chairs, loveseats, recliners, end/coffee table and lamps would be appreciated! Please contact Shelly or Allison at the parish office. Thanks in advance!

SAINT JOHN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

BOOKENDS BEFORE/ AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Our Before and After School Care program is looking for staff members for our morning and afternoon shifts. Staff members will be responsible for the supervision of students. Staff members will need to be willing to help with homework, engage the students in fun activities, and provide consistent supervision. Before school hours are from 7:00 - 8:05 am and After school hours will be from 3:30-6:00 pm. We are looking for college students who might have flexible hours or someone who might want a part-time job and would love to have the opportunity to work with kids. If you are interested, please send your email pdasto@sjegales.com.

SCHOOL MISSION

Faith-Knowledge

-Service-Growth

All St. John Catholic School students will be challenged to grow in their faith and knowledge, learn to show respect and compassion for themselves and others, and live their beliefs through service in their community and the world.



SOCIAL JUSTICE SOCIAL ACTION

Social Concerns for Peace and Justice Committee

As we discern and reflect on our call to justice, we offer this reflection as a resource:

Your gifts—whatever you discover them to be—
can be used to bless or curse the world.
The mind's power,
the strength of the hands,
the reaches of the heart,
the gift of speaking, listening, imagining, seeing, waiting
Any of these can serve to feed the hungry,
bind up wounds,
welcome the stranger,
praise what is sacred,
do the work of justice
or offer love.
Any of these can draw down the prison door,
hoard bread,
abandon the poor,
obscure what is holy,
comply with injustice
or withhold love.
You must answer this question:
What will you do with your gifts?
Choose to bless the world.
The choice to bless the world is more than an act of will,
a moving forward into the world
with the intention to do good.
It is an act of recognition,
a confession of surprise,
a grateful acknowledgment

that in the midst of a broken world
unspeakable beauty, grace and mystery abide.
There is an embrace of kindness
that encompasses all life, even yours.
And while there is injustice, anesthetization, or evil
there moves a holy disturbance,
a benevolent rage,
a revolutionary love,
protesting, urging, insisting
that which is sacred will not be defiled.
Those who bless the world live their life
as a gesture of thanks
for this beauty
and this rage.
The choice to bless the world can take you into solitude
to search for the sources
of power and grace;
native wisdom, healing, and liberation.
More, the choice will draw you into community,
the endeavor shared,
the heritage passed on,
the companionship of struggle,
the importance of keeping faith,
the life of ritual and praise,
the comfort of human friendship,
the company of earth
the chorus of life welcoming you.
None of us alone can save the world.
Together—that is another possibility, waiting.

—Rebecca Parker

STEWARDSHIP OF GIVING

WEEKLY PARISH GIVING

Our fiscal year is July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022

Below reflects donations received July 1, 2021 through July 11, 2021.

Budgeted weekly collection amount	\$28,365.38
Average weekly collection amount.....	\$21,468.57
Budgeted collection fiscal YTD	\$56,730.76
Actual collection fiscal YTD.....	\$42,937.14
NET SHORTAGE	\$13,793.62
FY 2020/2021 Current Net Deficit	\$257,811.13
FY 2019/2020 Total Deficit	\$267,486.68

Visit: sjevangelist.com/giving for more information or to set up and manage your account today!

Contact Cris Denning at: cdenning@sjevangelist.com or phone 785-843-0109 if you have any questions.

-Thank you for your continued generosity to St. John Parish!

STEWARDSHIP OF PRAYER

PARISH PRAYER LIST

The "Prayer List" includes the most recent information that the Simon Parish Center has about a parishioner and/or their family member.

Contact the Center to request someone for the "Prayer List."

Thank you on behalf of the families of those individuals for whom we pray.

Steven Avila
 Mariele Berthold
 Chris Besler
 Jenn Bole
 Andrew Bouchard
 Susan Guenther Brown
 Donna Callaghan
 Bob Carlson
 Loretta Chavez
 Ricky Dalton
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 Lori Fleming
 Linda Flyer
 Danielle Foote
 Janet Fox
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 Charles Hermann
 Kathy Higley
 Maureen Hirt
 Janet Ikenberry

Michele Johnson
 Joani Kampschroeder
 Allen Kehde
 Gretchen Kehde
 Becky Kuhn
 Diana Matthews
 Leo Mauler
 Russ McDonald
 Ellen Mesa
 Vickie Mesa
 Zackary Messerly
 Paul Milburn
 Linden Morgan
 Augustus Nelson
 John Nelson
 Mary Beth Nelson
 Danny Nguyen
 Theophilus Obiefule
 Lupe Otero
 Kathy Otter
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 Julie Patterson
 Mike Reilly
 Joel Rivera
 Virginia Romero
 Jon Rossillon
 Greg Schurer
 Carole Scott
 Mary Kay Seidl
 Pete Sethatut
 Christine Shipley
 Gerald Simon
 Brett Smith
 Scott Smith
 Linda Snyder

Joseph Soza
 Cameron Stupansky
 Jack Taylor
 Deloris Tharp
 Amelia Tinio
 Fleda Umscheid
 Lily Van Giezen
 Oren Van Walleghem
 Cindy Vasquez

Lou Volpe
 Jeanette Walker
 Ted Walker
 Susan Williams
 Jon Yarnell
 Dena Yepa

IN MEMORIAM
 -LARRY SMITH



AUGUST 9 – AUGUST 15

Mon.:	7:30 am.....	Czeslawa Namyslowskat
Tues.:	7:30 am	NO MASS
Wed.:	7:30 am.....	Stanislawa Andrzejewska†
	5:10 pm (Sp.).....	NO MASS
Thurs.:	7:30 am	Dr. Rita Tablante
	12:10 pm.....	NO MASS
Fri.:	7:30 am.....	Carol Zebas
	12:10 pm.....	NO MASS
Sat.:	8:00 am.....	NO MASS
	4:30 pm	End to the Pandemic
Sun.:	7:00 am	Parishioners of St. John
	9:00am.....	Blum-Mach Family
	11:00 am.....	Students & Teachers
	1:00 pm (Sp.).....	José Ordaz Soria†
	5:00 pm	Weiss & Benelli Family

MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO

El ser humano por naturaleza es terco y obstinado, de corazón duro y le resulta muy difícil creer en las realidades que vive. Por ejemplo: ya ha pasado más de un año de estar viviendo esta pandemia y aún existen personas que no creen en ella. Han perdido la vida miles de personas alrededor del mundo y muchos siguen obstinados en su propio círculo. “¡Mientras a mí no me toque, que importan los demás!”. La experiencia que hemos estado viviendo nos invita al cambio; es tiempo de darnos cuenta que somos frágiles y que la ciencia y la medicina, sin el poder Dios, no quedan en nada.

Hoy, en el Evangelio, Jesús insiste en dar a conocer a los de su tiempo, y a nosotros, que él es el Pan bajado del cielo para dar vida. Pero la gente seguía en su misma terquedad. No lo escucharon, mucho menos abrieron los ojos para ver. “Conocemos a su padre y a su madre, ¿no es cierto? Él no es sino Jesús, el hijo de José. ¿Cómo puede decir que ha bajado del cielo?” (Juan 6:42). Que terrible confusión, para ellos era imposible darse cuenta de lo que Jesús seguía anunciando: “Yo soy el pan vivo bajado del cielo. El que coma de este pan vivirá para siempre. El pan que yo daré es mi carne, y lo daré para la vida del mundo” (Juan 6:51). Bien, y ahora, ¿qué sigue? Yo creo que debemos reflexionar en la siguiente pregunta: ¿Por qué mucha gente que asiste a Misa no comulga? Quizá porque no cree que Cristo es el verdadero pan del cielo. Recordemos que la Eucaristía es el alimento espiritual para la jornada.
¡Acerquémonos a este Pan!

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“Yo soy el pan de la vida. Sus padres comieron el maná en el desierto y sin embargo, murieron. Este es el pan que ha bajado del cielo para que, quien lo coma, no muera”. - Jn 6, 48-50

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MUSICA, CORO, MUSICA

¿Te gusta cantar? ¿Tocas algún instrumento musical, o te gustaría aprender? Ven a practicar con nosotros, comunícate al **785-304-5509**.

CADA LUNES EN TODO EL AÑO

A las 8 de la noche rezamos el Santo Rosario, para pedir por nuestras necesidades y por los que amamos; también si alguno de sus parientes fallece podemos hacer el novenario, nos vemos los lunes en LA CAPILLA DEL PADRE PIO, frente a las veladoras.

PLATICAS PARA BAUTIZAR

Cada primer sábado del mes de **6:00 a 9:00 de la noche**, sin niños, llamar antes para anotar su asistencia.

RECICLAGE

Trae tus latas de aluminio y ayuda a tu Parróquia, por un mundo mas limpio, déjalas atrás de la oficina y ponle para María Mota. Gracias.

LA FE SE PUEDE ALIMENTAR

Hermano, a veces te sientes triste o con necesidad de Dios, ven yo te puedo acompañar a orar, nos podemos ver en la Iglesia o en la oficina. Estoy para ayudarte. Oro por todos, bendiciones María Mota.

Preparación al matrimonio por la Iglesia Católica, solo para parejas que viven juntos y tienen niños.

Adultos que necesitan los sacramentos de confirmación y primera comunión.

CATECISMO EN ESPAÑOL

Las Inscripciones son en agosto. Por favor para mas información llamar a Maria Mota.

CONFESIONES

Sábado de 3:00 pm a 4:00 pm y Miércoles de 11:00 am a 12:00 pm Habrá confesiones en español para quien lo necesite, y pueda recibir este sacramento.

LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA DEL 8 DE AGOSTO

Domingo: 1 Re 19, 4-8/Sal 33, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7. 8-9 [9]/Ef 4, 30—5, 2/Jn 6, 41-51

Lunes: Dt 10, 12-22/Sal 147, 12-13. 14-15. 19-20 [12]/Mt 17, 22-27

Martes: 2 Cor 9, 6-10/Sal 111, 1-2. 5-6. 7-8. 9 [5]/Jn 12, 24-26

Miércoles: Dt 34, 1-12/Sal 65, 1-3. 5 y 8. 16-17 [cfr. 20 y 10]/Mt 18, 15-20

Jueves: Jos 3, 7-10. 11. 13-17/Sal 113, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Mt 18, 21—19, 1

Viernes: Jos 24, 1-13/Sal 135, 1-3. 16-18. 21-22 y 24/Mt 19, 3-12

Sábado: Jos 24, 14-29/Sal 15, 1-2. y 5. 7-8. 11 [cfr. 5]/Mt 19, 13-15

Domingo siguiente: Vigilia: 1 Cr 15, 3-4. 15-16; 16, 1-2/Sal 131, 6-7. 9-10. 13-14 [8]/1 Cor 15, 54-57/Lc 11, 27-28

Día: Ap 11, 19; 12, 1-6. 10/Sal 44, 10. 11. 12. 16 [10]/1 Cor 15, 20-27/Lc 1, 39-56

FOCUS ON THE WORD

GOSPEL MEDITATION

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The lens through which we view life makes a difference. It also determines who we choose to learn from and what we allow to shape our thoughts and feelings. For many, life is simply what it appears to be, a given that either through evolution or some other means just came to be. There is no apparent rhyme or reason to things and things can be dissected and understood only in terms of what they empirically present. To the person using this lens, a tree is a tree and a flower is a flower. Their composition and existence can be understood only to the extent that current human knowledge allows. Through this lens, what gives life purpose and meaning? This lens has an essentially unknown beginning and definite end. Once those are accepted, the middle becomes some kind of pursuit of happiness, with values and principles being things that are self-created and found acceptable.

But there is a Divine lens that also exists and deserves mention. It is found when one stumbles upon faith and begins to see things differently. This lens is of God and reveals a Divine Energy and Life that flows through and in all things. Faith then shows us that all that lives come from this one Source of Love. This is the only true lens that can give human beings the purpose and meaning they desperately need. From this perspective, all of life is much more than what is immediately apparent! It now tells and reveals a story about God generous, creative, and unconditional love! The unfolding of the human story is the unfolding of God's story. What meaning our lives have when



they are viewed as a part of God's love affair with humanity! We are indeed special.

The lens of our faith asks us to learn from Jesus Christ. Jesus, as the real Bread of Life, shows us our eternal destiny and completes and frames our lives. It is only in allowing ourselves to be taught by Jesus, that faith, hope, and love take on much greater importance. All the relationships in our lives are now structured and ordered using God's primary commandment of love. Jesus, then, is not just some man who lived at some point in history. Jesus is the incarnate Son of God who shows us the way, the truth, and the life. Using this lens changes things up a great deal. Looking at the creation that surrounds you and the special unique people you love, what is God trying to teach you about His love for you and the eternal life He wants you to have?

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EVERYDAY REFLECTION

What's Your Hearth Cake?

"Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you." I've been to a lot of meetings in my years of work in the Church, and you can take my word for it: the ones with snacks just seem to go better.

I don't know what it is exactly. Maybe it's just that people are in a more agreeable mood if you show up with donuts. Or maybe it's about the very real sense of community and camaraderie that is created at a table where people are engaging in that most human of tasks — eating — beside one another. I think a big part of it comes down to the simple fact that we're all just nicer people when we're fed.



in turn, are to feed others. Think of a time when you have neglected your relationship with God — when you haven't fed yourself with whatever it is that you need to remain committed to the journey of a Christian life. Is it Mass attendance? Is it prayer or Scripture reading? Is it time with your small group, or conversation with a trusted friend who knows your soul? What sustains your ability to be a good disciple, a good steward? What inspires you to give more freely, to love more abundantly?

Whatever it is, that's your hearth cake. That's your jug of water. Don't neglect it. The Angel of the Lord is nudging you in your sleep: "Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you."

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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This rings true spiritually, too. We simply must remain fed if we,

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS



We pray, we laugh, we cry and we eat

Do you love Jesus, like to have fun, and like teenagers?

Did you know that an average teen will only spend 6.8% of their time with adults who are truly invested in the future of the teen? As a church we need to turn that upside down!

St John's is known for its small group ministry and we are extending that to our youth ministry. These small faith groups will work similarly to our adult Emmaus groups that the parish launched several months ago. We believe faith is best fostered in these small discipleship groups and are so excited to provide this opportunity for our parish.

Yep, we know this is a different way of thinking about youth ministry. Yep, we know that it is a complete shift from large group events to small group discipleship. This is an approach that can truly transform the spiritual lives of young people by applying the same one-to-one method that Jesus Himself used to form His twelve original disciples.

If you are interested or know someone who might be interested in learning more about these new Emmaus groups for teens, please contact Allison Loeckerat at: sjyouth@sjevangelist.com or the parish office. You can also hop onto a zoom meeting Tuesday, August 10 at 6:00 pm to learn more. Neither the phone call or zoom meeting commits you to anything; it's purpose is to share the vision.

Zoom meeting information
Meeting ID: 890 3834 2642
Passcode: 976398

For more updates - follow us on instagram @sjyouthgroup

THE LEAVEN

Thanks to those who want to read The Leaven online <http://theleaven.org>. That is a \$21/subscription savings for St. John. If you would like to cancel, please email: pquadian@sjevangelist.com or call Patty at 785-843-0109.

ST. JOHN BENEFIT YARD SALE



A yard sale on **Friday, September 10** from 8:00 am to noon; and **Saturday, September 11** from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm located at 705 Mississippi Street. This will benefit the St. John Church Building & Grounds Projects!

Please sort through your belongings and set aside items to donate to this yard sale. Items can be dropped off on the front porch the day before the sale. (We cannot manage big furniture or truckloads of items). Leftover items will be handled thoughtfully. Call Nora Murphy at 785-331-0421, or e-mail noramurphy777@gmail.com for more info or to volunteer to help with the sale.

K OF C CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT COUNCIL #1372

The Knights of Columbus are having a Cornhole tournament **Saturday, August 21** in the St. John Parish School Gym **beginning at 9:00 am**. The entry fee is \$20/team, concessions will be available. All proceeds go to St. John Parish School.



CYO REGISTRATION IS OPEN AND SURVEY

Hello St. John Community,

Registration is Open!

You can sign your student up for volleyball (3rd-8th grade), cross country (3rd-8th grade), and flag football (2nd-5th grade).

You can sign up at: <https://cyojwa.org/current-programs>.

Coaches Still Needed!

If you're interested in being a head or assistant coach, please fill out this quick survey: https://kusurvey.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7X77dnLYTRWr4cC



Certifications for Parents and Coaches

CYO requires new parents complete Play Like a Champion training and coaches complete VIRTUS training. Flag Football coaches must also complete a USA Football certification.

Information on these trainings is at this link: [https://cyojwa.org/Layouts/evolved/Content.aspx?](https://cyojwa.org/Layouts/evolved/Content.aspx?d=neeyAnV7CDLbwsU8uzw0J0ni%2fQV99Gwh%2bbs1XThVUNA%3d)

[d=neeyAnV7CDLbwsU8uzw0J0ni%2fQV99Gwh%2bbs1XThVUNA%3d](https://cyojwa.org/Layouts/evolved/Content.aspx?d=neeyAnV7CDLbwsU8uzw0J0ni%2fQV99Gwh%2bbs1XThVUNA%3d)

For information on Sports and Registration: <https://cyojwa.org/current-programs>

Best,
Jordan and Robin Bass
SJ Athletic Directors

ST. JOHN LINK ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2021

Lawrence Interdenominational Nutrition Kitchen (LINK) is located at First Christian Church, 1000 Kentucky, and provides nutritious meals to 150 people in need. Our parish helps LINK by rotating with other Lawrence churches to furnish food and volunteers.



Name _____ Daytime Phone _____

Email _____ Evening Phone _____

FOOD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED CHECK MARK WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP

Chicken and Noodle Casserole - 11 casseroles needed. Make casserole to feed 15 people. No need to bring in a disposable pan. Simply go to LINK with your casserole, volunteers remove the casserole immediately, take your pan, and you are done.

- I can make one casserole I can make two casseroles

Vegetarian Casserole - 1 vegetarian casserole needed. Make casserole to feed 8 people. No need to bring in a disposable pan. Simply go to LINK with your casserole, volunteers remove the casserole immediately, take your pan, and you are done.

- I can make one casserole

Bananas - 120 bananas needed. When you sign up to bring bananas, we ask that you bring 15 bananas.

- I can bring 15 bananas I can bring 30 bananas

Peaches - 3 industrial size cans of peaches needed. Large cans can be purchased in the large food section of the grocery store.

- I can bring one can I can bring two cans I can bring three cans

Homegrown tomatoes needed.

- I can bring a tomatoes

Corn - Large cans of corn needed.

- I can bring one can I can bring two cans I can bring three cans

Salad - 6 lettuce salads needed. Be creative. When you bring salad, use 3 heads of lettuce or bring 3 large bags of premixed lettuce.

- I can make one salad I can make two salads

Salad Dressing - Ranch and Italian salad dressing. We need 4 bottles total.

- I can bring 2 bottles of Ranch I can bring 2 bottles of Italian

Return this form in collection plate or Parish Office, or contact:

vickimcmurray1944@gmail.com

**Bring items to the LINK kitchen located at First Christian Church, 1000 Kentucky, on
August 31 between 12:00 and 12:30 p.m.**

**Can't help with
LINK this time?
That's okay because there is
another opportunity coming
up soon!**

AREA NEWS AND EVENTS



Honoring our Tradition Investing in our Future

A Stewardship Campaign for Hayden Catholic High School

This past spring, Hayden Catholic High School conducted a planning study to determine support for a stewardship campaign to help us address necessary infrastructure repairs and upgrades, provide for educational enhancements and help solidify funding for tuition assistance.

After gathering feedback from parents, past parents, alumni and from the Topeka area pastors, the Steier Group reported their findings and we learned there is significant support in our community for a campaign.

With approval from Archbishop Naumann, Hayden Catholic High School is pleased to announce that we are in the early planning stages of our upcoming *Honoring our Tradition-Investing in our Future* stewardship campaign.

For more information, contact us at info@haydencatholic.net. You can also visit us at haydencatholic.org/stewardship-campaign/

CONSECRATION TO MARY RETREAT

Consecration to Mary Retreat Christ's Peace House of Prayer 22131 Meager Road - Easton, KS **Friday, August 13 at 5:30pm – Sunday, August 15 at 4:30pm**. Come spend a weekend dedicated to Mary and make or renew your Marian Consecration on the Feast of the Assumption! There will be Marian Conferences, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass, Confession and time for private prayer/reflection/walking and a special Consecration to Mary Ceremony. Day Guests are also welcome for the Ceremony and Celebration on August 15. The suggested donation is \$170/Single or \$250/Couples for the Cabins and Courtyard Rooms or \$100 for the Single Guest Rooms (Meals Included). To attend, sign-up at: www.christspeace.com, send an email to: info@christspeace.com or call **913-773-8255**.

HEALING AND HOPE FOR TEENS

Join us for an evening of healing and hope. Kelly & Bob Specht, founders of Carl's Cause, will tell their story, and a teen breakout session will be offered. Professional counselors will offer resources and give concrete ways to foster mental wellness. Recommended for teens and up. **Tuesday, August 31, 2021 at 7:00 pm** at St. Ann Catholic Church, 7231 Mission Rd, Prairie Village, KS 66208. For more info visit: www.carlscause.org and www.archkck.org/family/caresupport/catholic-counselors/

Give the Gift of a Catholic Education!

Becoming a Hayden student is more than merely submitting an application. It is a process for you to come to know our school and decide if Hayden offers the kind of experience you and your family want to be a part of. We love our school and we want every Hayden family to feel as we do!

Contact us at haydencatholic@haydencatholic.net if you would like to explore a faith based education.

Hayden Is Enrolling For 2021-2022



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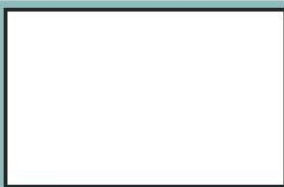
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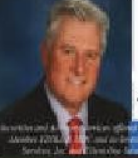
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