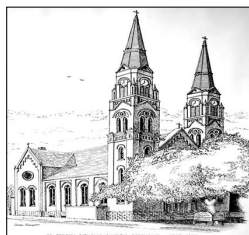




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Notes from Father Tim...

Parish Council Meeting: There will be a Parish Council Meeting on Thursday, August 20th at 5:30 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall.

Finance Council Meeting: There will be a Finance Council Meeting on Thursday, August 20th at 6 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall.

First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion Candidates and Parents Meeting: The meeting for First Communion candidates who plan on making their First Holy Communion in May 2027 and their parents is **Sunday, August 23rd at 11 am** in Sacred Heart Church. This meeting is for Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish students who are in the second grade for the 2026-2027 school year and attend either Holy Family School, our parish C.C.D. program, public schools, or homeschooled. **If your child was baptized in a Church other than Sacred Heart or St. Joseph in Topeka, then you are to please bring a RECENT COPY of their baptismal certificate to the meeting. This can be obtained by contacting the Church of your child's baptism and requesting a copy.** In order for your child to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, this meeting is a requirement for both the child candidate and their parents to attend. Thanks for your cooperation in this matter. Fr. Tim

The Sacrament of Confirmation

Candidate and Parent Meeting: This special meeting is **Sunday, August 30th at 11 am** in Sacred Heart Church for Confirmation student candidates who belong to Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish and are in the 7th and 8th grades for the 2026-2027 school year. This meeting is for Confirmation student candidates from our parish who attend Holy Family School, our parish C.C.D. program, public schools, or home schooled. In order for your child to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, this meeting is a requirement for both the student and their parents. In preparation for this meeting, student candidates should come to this meeting with the name of their Confirmation Sponsor as well as the Confirmation Saint's name that they have chosen. **Secondly, if the Confirmation Student was baptized in a Church other than Sacred Heart or St. Joseph Church in Topeka, they need to bring with them to the meeting a RECENT COPY of their Baptismal Certificate. NOT THE ORIGINAL, BUT A COPY OF THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE.** A copy of their Baptismal certificate can be obtained by contacting the Church of their child's baptism and requesting a copy. Please have all the above requests brought with you and ready for the meeting **August 30th.** Thanks for your cooperation in this matter. Fr. Tim

Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Catholic Parish



Father Tim Haberkorn, Pastor

SHStJCatholic.org

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 9, 2026



***Weekend Mass Schedule:**

Saturday SH 4:00 pm
Sunday SJ 8:00 am
Sunday SH 10:00 am

***Daily Mass Schedule:**

Wednesday, Friday SJ 6:30 am
Tuesday, Thursday SH 8:00 am
First Saturday Only SJ 7:30 am

We welcome you to Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Catholic Parish. We are a Christ-centered community of faith that gathers to worship around the real presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist and the sacramental life of the Church. Through the love of Christ's Sacred Heart and the intercession of St. Joseph, we hope to journey from this life into the everlasting life to come. Come journey with us!

Collection August 2

Tithe	34,167	Lenten Project	25	SHC Stained Glass Project	1,545
Plate	764	Mass	20		
Assumption	20	Peter's Pence	182	Germanfest:	
Candles	255	StJ Restoration	255	Sales Biergarten T-Shirt	80
Leaven	50	Church in Africa	25	Sales Jewelry	250

Archdiocese Announces Ongoing Investigation Regarding Father Denis Pickert:

With deep sorrow for the suffering of victims and survivors of abuse, the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas shares news of a credible allegation of sexual abuse of a minor against Father Denis Pickert. Before his death in 1994, Father Pickert served in this parish as well as several other parishes in the Archdiocese. For more information and to view a list of his pastoral assignments, please refer to: [Allegation Announcements - Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas \(archkck.org\)](http://archkck.org). Based on several factors, including input from the Independent Review Board, Archbishop Shawn McKnight deems the reported allegation to have credibility, but in order to proceed with a complete investigation, the Archdiocese seeks information from those who might have knowledge about this situation and encourages them to come forward. The announcement of this ongoing investigation should not be understood as a determination of guilt. Anyone with information regarding misconduct by any church volunteer, employee, religious or clergy member - regardless of when it may have occurred - is encouraged to contact civil authorities first and then call or text the Archdiocese's confidential report line at 913-276-8703 or online, www.archkck.org/reportabuse.

Regular bulletin announcement deadline is Tuesday 8 am. Half or full page request must be emailed in an *editable* format. Please send all announcements to Therese@SHStJCatholic.org (preferred) or Sacred Heart Rectory, 333 NE Freeman Ave, 66616.

Catholic Charities Collection: We extended the donation deadline to **August 16th!** Our parish is collecting non-perishable food and personal hygiene items to donate to Catholic Charities, who serve over 500 families monthly. Suggested items include rice, boxed meals/sides, vegetables, peanut butter, condiments, tomato sauce, spaghetti/sauce, pancake mix, ramen noodles, bottled water, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, feminine hygiene products, toilet paper. Standard size cans. NO GLASS PLEASE. The need is greater than ever with the reduction of SNAP benefits. Food pantries are running short on supplies. Collection bins are at the entrances to church.

Attention Mass time change:

Sunday Mass at Sacred Heart Church will begin at 10:30 am beginning Sunday, September 6th. It will remain at that time until June.

O.C.I.A. Classes: Classes for those who are interested in becoming Catholic will begin Tuesday, October 6th at 7 pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall. Bring a Catholic Sponsor with you.

Please consider spending an hour in prayer with Jesus in the St. Joseph Adoration Chapel.

Substitutes are always needed; call Jana Barnes, 785-608-1359. If you're unable to make your hour or are late, call the chapel at 785-408-1040 to inform the chapel adorer.

CCD Teachers and Subs needed!

As we prepare to begin CCD, we need one or two additional teachers and a few subs to join our team. If you've been looking for a way to become more involved or feel God calling you to share your faith, please consider joining us. No teaching experience is necessary, and we'll provide the support, materials, and guidance you need. If you're interested or would like more information, please contact Jayde Allen, 785-554-7779, or Sarah Anglemeyer, 785-643-0918. Thank you for considering this opportunity to help guide the next generation in their faith journey.

Volunteer Opportunity: Catholic Charities, formerly Let's Help, seeks volunteers to help in the kitchen. If interested in contributing your time and skills to support our community, please consider joining our Sacred Heart - St. Joseph volunteer team. We need both women and men. For more information or to sign up, contact Sandy Flower, 785-224-7907. Thank you!

Open Your Home. Change a Life.

Hayden Catholic High School seeks two host families for the upcoming school year. Alexander, from Germany, dreams of playing football and cheering on the Kansas City Chiefs, while Gabriel, from France, enjoys cooking and sharing his culture. If your family is interested in this rewarding ministry, please contact Hayden at info@haydencatholic.net

Vocation story and rosary: Fr. Donato Garza, serving Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, will lead a rosary prayer for vocations and share his vocation story on Monday, August 17th. Prayer begins at 5:30 pm in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church. Potluck supper to follow in Balandran Hall with Father sharing his vocation story. Come join us, all are welcome. Hosted by Serra Club of Topeka. Please RSVP to 785-220-3824.

Join other "Widowed Women of Faith"

Tuesday, August 18th for lunch and companionship from 11 am - 1 pm in the back room at Perkins Restaurant. No RSVP needed, just come. Please, invite other Widowed Women of Faith. We meet every month on the 3rd Tuesday. Come join us! Questions? Julie, 913-558-0191, or WidowedWomenoffaith@gmail.com.

Christian Widow and Widowers Organization (open to all faiths) will have a potluck dinner in Most Pure Heart's Culhane Room at 5 pm Thursday, August 27th. Bring a covered dish or dessert. Quarter Bingo after dinner. For more information, text Gen Orozco at 785-230-2473.

Hayden Class of 1961 Reunion Social and Lunch (off the menu) is Saturday, September 19th from 11 am-2:30 pm in the private room at Skinny's Sports Bar and Grill, 4016 SW Huntoon. RSVP to Ginny Burghart Trygg, ginny_trygg@sbcglobal.net, Suzy Salisbury Smith, dlsuzy@aol.com, Carol Butler Deghand, Caroldegband123@gmail.com, or Elaine Carson Prosser, elaineckprosser@gmail.com.

Immaculate Conception Parish 135th Annual Parish Picnic and Reunion is Saturday, August 15th at 208 W Bertrand Ave in St. Marys. Chicken dinner from 4-7 pm includes thigh, drumstick, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, roll, dessert, and drink for \$12. Kids meal (12 and under) for \$8. Chicken dinner served inside. Carry-out available starting at 3:15 pm. Bingo and games outside, garage sale inside. Concession stand outside with hot dogs, chips, cookies, and drinks. Bingo, carnival games with prizes, cakewalk, and garage sale all from 5-8 pm. Confession from 2-3:30 pm. Mass at 4 pm.

In your monthly envelope packets is an additional red-bordered envelope for the **Stained Glass Window and Lighting Upgrade Project**. There are also red-bordered envelopes in the pews. To keep an accurate record of donations and pledge payments for this special project, we ask that you make **separate checks** to the project and use the red envelopes whenever possible.

Fatima, Lourdes, and Shrines of Spain October 11th-October 22nd:

Land starting at \$3,179/person (based on double occupancy). Starting from picturesque Lisbon, visit some of the world's most treasured Marian shrines, pilgrimage sites, and spiritual places of Portugal, Spain, and France. Hear about the apparition of the Blessed Virgin to the shepherd children in Fátima, learn about the journey taken by pilgrims from all over the world into Santiago de Compostela and visit Loyola and Manresa to get inspired by St. Ignacio's Jesuit mission. In Braga, walk the monumental steps of the Sanctuary of Bom Jesus do Monte and in Burgos, marvel at the majestic Cathedral. Join the nightly Rosary and candlelight procession in Lourdes. Spend one night by the inspiring Montserrat Sanctuary, where you will also attend Mass. End in Barcelona with time to celebrate life, reflect, and rejoice. Call Catholic Cruises and Tours, 1-860-399-1785 for more info and to make your reservation.



Encounter the marriage enrichment weekend recognized by the Holy See and experienced by millions of couples around the world. Worldwide Marriage Encounter makes good marriages great by giving you important relationship building skills to pass down to the next generation. To learn more or to apply for an upcoming experience, visit www.wwme.org or scan the QR code. Still have questions? Email us at greaterKC.wwme@gmail.com or call 816-286-4557.



Sept. 18-20, 2026 - Carthage, MO
Oct. 23-25, 2026 - Kansas City, KS

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Mass	Greeters	Ushers	Mass Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Gift Bearers	Music
Aug. 15 4 pm SH	Ron & Kathy Sommers	Brian Jansen Floyd Rockers Randy Brown Kenny Gragg Jerry Bergman Dan Konrade	Tatianna Lee Daniel Thornton	Kathy Sommers Jim Pierce	Ron & Kathy Sommers Kathy Pierce Ginger Simon	Kathy Elersic	Sue Swartzman Cailey Callahan Emily Smith
Aug. 16 8 am SJ			Daniel Longstaff David Longstaff Miles Arbaiza Jason Voegeli	Sabrina Seidl	Sabrina Seidl Bruce Danielson Renae Meier	Larry & Rose Herman	Sandy Carter Choir
Aug. 16 10 am SH	Janet Finan Mary Glatt Cindy Schneider Mary Sedlacek	Vance Allen Mike Benson Dwayne Dupree Shane Hilton Isaac Burghart Scott Henderson	Ally Williams Makiah Lopez	Valerie Self Mike Self	Mike & Valerie Self Sandy Short Lisa Deghand	Family of Janice Steinbock	Mary Franz Wendy Katsbulas Kasandra Short

Please complete the form below if you:

- * consider yourself a parishioner, but haven't returned a registration packet
- * grew up in the parish and still attend as an adult
- * are a visitor wanting to join the parish
- * are a parishioner changing information
- * are planning to leave the parish

Thank you!

Have you been a visitor to Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Parish and want to become a member? Forms will be mailed to you to complete and return; then, you'll be a registered member.

Have you changed your contact information? Leaving Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Parish?

Please complete this form and drop in the collection basket or mail to either rectory. Addresses are on page 1.

Date: ____ - ____ - 2026

Name _____

Information update for current members: Envelope ID# _____

Address _____

New phone#? _____ **Old phone#** _____

Former address _____

Phone _____ Marital Status _____

New address _____

Email _____

New email? _____



Attend virtual Mass anytime!

Website: SHStJCatholic.org

Facebook: [Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish](https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeart-St-Joseph-Parish)

YouTube: [SacredHeart StJoseph](https://www.youtube.com/SacredHeartStJoseph)

Would you like a periodic email with links to Mass, Readings, Bulletin, Website, Facebook, YouTube, and news?

Please email Lisa@SHStJCatholic.org to update our database.

Please remember Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Parish in your will.



Have you left an item in church? Please check our Lost & Found!

*Sacred Heart - ushers' room cabinet

*St. Joseph - basket on the shelf in the cry room

St Anthony found these items...see if they are yours! Ergobaby baby carrier, winter hats, caps, purple tumbler, umbrella, etc. New items this week.



Mass Intentions August 8-16

Sa	8	SH	4:00 pm	Nate Self by family
Su	9	SJ	8:00 am	Larry Barnes by Jim & Debbie Cromwell
		SH	10:00 am	Phyllis Jansen by Diego Garcia & Michele Perez
Tu	11	SH	8:00 am	Donald Stadler by Godfrey Burghart
We	12	SJ	6:30 am	Bonnie Konrade by Don Moritz
Th	13	SH	8:00 am	John Everett by Nancy Huske
Fr	14	SJ	6:30 am	Norman Hogan by the family
Sa	15	SH	4:00 pm	Donald Elersic by K. H. Elersic
Su	16	SJ	8:00 am	John P. Lambrecht by the family
		SH	10:00 am	Janice Steinbock (1st Anniv.) by Ken Steinbock



Are you an expectant mother? We would like to pray for you and your unborn baby!

Cailey Callahan due November

Call Teresa at St. Joseph Rectory Monday, Wednesday, or Friday, at 785-232-2863.



To add/remove Prayer List names, email Therese@SHStJCatholic.org or call 785-234-3338. We must have permission of the individual or parents of minors. Names may remain on our list for 2 months.

If a longer time is needed, please email or call. Parish or family members who have asked for your prayers:

Nolan Anderson	Susan Engroff	Cheryl Jones	Ann Meier	Marvin Schleif
Mike Baker	Geno Feinhage	Brody Keil	R. Munoz	Eric Shumaker
Derek Blanchard	Joe Fritton	Cynthia Keket	Linda Ortiz	Mike Smoot
Kevin Brumbaugh	Katie Fritton	Karen Konrade	Luke Paine	Jerry Spain
Nancy Cobler	Hudson Gartner	Ron Konrade	Vincent Ramos	Stan
Cody	Michele Guerrero	Mildred Landry	Fr. Al Rockers	Florence Tetuan
Craig	Shawndell Haas	DeeDee Lang	Barbara Russell	Angie Turnbow
Curtis	Evy Ijams	Jim Leiker	Toni S.	Brett Turnbow
Carm Drum	Steven Ijams	Kathy Maples	Greg Schell	Charles Weckwerth
Lex Elbrader				Mary Wieber

Parish or family members serving in the military:

David Darnall
Ryan Graham
Skylar Grant
Hannah Harvey
Matthew M. Harvey
Anthony Lind
Angelica Malloy
Ethan Malloy
Amanda Spies
Beau Turnbow
Nathaniel Vice
Garrett Wilson
Tori Wilson
Tyler Wilson

SH Church Office Hours: 8 am-noon
Tuesday - Friday

SH Mass Intentions: c/o Therese Klein

Bulletin Deadline: 8 am Tuesday

Therese@SHStJCatholic.org

SJ Church Office Hours: 8 am-noon

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

SJ Mass Intentions: c/o Teresa Thomas

SJosephTopeka@att.net

Bookkeeper: Lisa Deghand

Lisa@SHStJCatholic.org

Hall Rental

SH Marilyn Riddle 620-757-0194

SJ SJ Rectory 785-232-2863

SH Nocturnal Adoration

Last Thursday, prior to First Friday, 6-8 pm

Baptism: To have your child baptized, you must be a registered, active parishioner for at least 6 months prior to baptism.

Call Fr. Tim 785-232-2863

Marriage: Fr. Tim needs 6 months notice

Reconciliation:

Saturday SH 3:15-3:50 pm

Sunday SJ 7:15-7:50 am

OCIA Classes for adults, with Fr. Tim:

Begins October 6th Sacred Heart Church Hall

Religious Education for Children (CCD):

Holy Family School/East Campus

Co-Director Jayde Allen 785-554-7779

Co-Director Sarah Anglemeyer 785-643-0918

SJ Adoration Chapel

M-F 10 am-7 pm 785-408-1040

Coordinator Jana Barnes 785-608-1359

Natural Family Planning

Couple to Couple League ccli.org

Pregnant and need assistance?

helpingkansaswomen.org

Birthright of Topeka, 512 SW 7th

785-234-0701, Emergency 800-550-4900

Project Rachel-Project Joseph

Healing after an abortion 913-621-2199

Virtus Training

SHSJ Lisa Deghand 785-234-3338

Lisa@SHStJCatholic.org

HFCS Sister Roberta 785-234-8980

Knights of Columbus Council #2608

John Reb, Grand Knight

Business meeting 1st Wednesday

6:30 pm, St Joseph Church