

*"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased;
listen to him."*

ALTAR SERVERS

This Week: Dawson Wood & Colby Schreiner

5:00 pm – Peyton Thimesch & Gage Clouse

8:00 am – Joseph Leland, Colby Arensdorf, Thomas Behring

10:00 am – Sam & Simon Stasiak, Ty Birkenbaugh

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm – Steve Seiwert

8:00 am – Rich Miller

10:00 am – Branden Seiwert

LECTORS

5:00 pm – Stacey Walters

8:00 am – Gilbert Kaiser

10:00 am – Joe Hill

GIFT BEARERS

5:00 pm – Wes & Shelly Harden

8:00 am – Tim & Janelle Koehler

10:00 am – David & Theresa Walker

ROSARY LEADERS

5:00 pm – Lenora Zoeller

8:00 am – Janice Neville

10:00 am – Maureen Bogner

CANTORS

5:00 pm – Marti Gillen

8:00 am – Quiet Mass

10:00 am – Aubrey Campbell

ORGANISTS

5:00 pm – Michelle Brady

8:00 am – Quiet Mass

10:00 am – Deb Osborn

USHERS

5:00 pm – Nic & Karen Lacio

Becky Hart, Doug Bradshaw

8:00 am – Levi Ziegler, Marvin Harrel

Alvin Henning, Jason Belt

10:00 am – Jim Roberts, Joe Harbert

Gordon Stucky



**Adorers needed for the
following hours:**

Wednesdays – 3:00 am;

Fridays – 1:00 am, 11 pm and Midnight. For more
details, call Connie Seiwert at 316-641-1909.



STEWARDED OUR GIFTS: GO IN PEACE, GLORIFYING THE LORD BY YOUR LIFE."

February 125, 2018

Second Sunday of Lent

"God put Abraham to the test." And what a test it was! Sometimes we might think that our gifts of time or treasure are more than we can afford to give. Most of us, however, are not making the kind of sacrifice Abraham was willing to make. He was about to take the greatest gift God had given him -- the son he and Sarah had pleaded for -- and offer him back to God. Abraham proved that his love for God was greater than anything, even his love for his only son! We might not be asked to sacrifice our child, but we are asked by God to entrust our children to Him. To let go of anxiety or control, and allow God to provide for our children. Everything we have comes from God, and must be offered back to Him with a grateful heart, and we trust that God will provide, even for our children.

Contributions last Weekend \$13,698.00
*Stewardship is the grateful response of a
Christian disciple, who recognizes and receives
God's gifts and shares these gifts
in love of God and neighbor!*

Liturgy of the Hours (Morning Prayer)

Mondays thru Fridays 7:15 am

**Loved ones that have strayed from the Catholic
Church?? Come join in prayer every Tuesday before the
6:30 pm Mass. Prayers & rosary start at 5:55 pm.**



**Stations of the Cross
Fridays 5:30 pm.**

Adult Choir Practice

Wednesdays – 6:00–7:00 pm. All are welcome.

ST. PATRICK PARISH ANNUAL DINNER

Sunday, March 11th

3:00-6:30 pm.

If you need to change jobs, please contact Rudy Sasina 491-1281 or Jenn Sasina 491-0490.

St. Patrick Pre-School Enrollment

St. Patrick's 3 and 4-year-old preschool and prekindergarten are now enrolling for the 2018 - 2019 school year. Students must be 3 or 4 years old by August 31st and must be toilet trained. There is a limit of 12 spaces in the 3-year-old program and 16 spaces in the 4-year-old program. These spaces will be filled on a first come first served basis. Tuition for the 3-year-old program is \$50.00 a month, there is no tuition for the 4-year-old program due to a grant that covers the costs. There is a \$100 enrollment fee for both classes. Please call 620-532-2791 if you have any questions or would like an enrollment packet. We are asking that forms be returned by March 28th so we can plan for the next school year.

Lent Parish Adoration Event - March 4th

Are you looking for a way to recharge your spiritual life this Lent? Join St. Patrick and Wichita Adore Ministries for a beautiful evening of adoration, with a reflection, confessions, and Benediction.

The event is Sunday, **March 4th beginning at 6 p.m. in the Church.** This family friendly adoration time is perfect for of all ages. Bring a friend, you won't want to miss this beautiful evening of prayer!

German Dinner. Sunday March 4th from 12 - 6.

St. Joseph Catholic School Ost Gymnasium. [12917 E. Maple Grove Road](#). 2 miles North of 21st Street on 343 West. Drive through will be available from 3:00 - 5:00. Our famous fresh bierocks, rope sausage, sauerkraut, potatoes & gravy, green beans, warm cinnamon apples, homemade bread, relishes, and dessert! Adults \$10, Ages 4-10 \$5, Ages 0-3 Free. Basket Raffle at 6:00. ****New this year: two silent auction dinner prizes! The first includes dinner for 6 adults with Fr. Daniel Duling and a mystery guest! The second auction item is a family pizza party with Fr. Daniel Duling! Both dinner parties will be held in the new parish rectory.**

"Lenten practices of giving up pleasures are good reminders that the purpose of life is not pleasure. The purpose of life is to attain to perfect life, all truth and undying ecstatic love—which is the definition of God. In pursuing that goal we find happiness. Pleasure is not the purpose of anything; pleasure is a by-product resulting from doing something that is good. One of the best ways to get happiness and pleasure out of life is to ask ourselves, 'How can I please God?' and, 'Why am I not better?' It is the pleasure-seeker who is bored, for all pleasures diminish with repetition."
(Venerable Fulton J. Sheen)

Our Deepest Sympathy

Please pray for the consolation of the family and for the repose of the soul of Tammy Ziegler, wife of Joe, mother of Alan & Dennis. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace.

Shoes Needed

Kiwanis in Pratt is collecting shoes to prevent Tetanus in 3rd world countries. When an expectant mother gets tetanus in her blood from going barefoot, she passes it on to her baby who dies within a few days after being born. New and gently used shoes are being accepted. The shoes will be donated to third world countries in Central America and Africa. Boxes for collecting shoes will be in St. Patrick School and in the back of church until March 28th. Thank you for your generosity.

Return Baby Bottles

For over 30 years Gerard House has provided a safe haven for pregnant teenage girls that have bravely chosen LIFE for their babies. Your commitment to filling your baby bottle with loose change directly assists Gerard House in their mission to help these young people. Please begin returning your filled bottles next Sunday, leaving them in the cradle at the back of church. "

A Better Choice Volunteer Opportunities



Help resurrect a culture of life. Compassionately serve women in need. Volunteer in a prayerful Catholic environment. There are many volunteer opportunities available at A Better Choice to fit your gifts and availability. Our most urgent needs are Friday morning volunteers, afternoon sonographers, and bilingual peer counselors. The next volunteer training will be held March 12-14. Please call Molly at 685-5757 for more information.

Don't miss this incredible opportunity to hear "The firsthand Witness" of Fr. Leon Pereira, OP, the Chaplain to the English-speaking pilgrims in Medjugorje, who has lived and ministered to hundreds of thousands of pilgrims in Medjugorje. He speaks with wit and insight as he shares Our Lady's Messages and his amazing testimony.

Monday, March 5th: 7pm - St. Francis of Assisi

Tuesday, March 6th: 8:30am Talk/Potluck Breakfast In Clare Hall at St. Francis of Assisi

Tuesday, March 6th: 7pm - St. Peter Schulte

Have you heard about Medjugorje? It is a village where daily apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary are reportedly taking place up to this day - for nearly 37 years! Because the reported apparitions are ongoing, the Church has not made an official ruling yet, but "devotion of Medjugorje is allowed. It's not prohibited, and need not be done in secret," confirmed Archbishop Henryk Hoser, the Pope Francis' Papal Envoy to Medjugorje.

What if Our Lady really has been appearing in Medjugorje all these years? Perhaps she is calling you to come and see!