

May 6, 2018 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

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Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat. 4:00pm Ellinwood,
Sun., 8:00am Claflin, 7:30am Odin & by appointment.

INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Weekday (5/7)

Mass 10:15am Wdhvn [E] +Gerald Reichuber

Tues. Weekday (5/8)

Mass 8:15am [C] +Marie Thomas

Wed. Weekday (5/9)

Mass 8:15am [E] For Rain

Thurs. Weekday (5/10)

Mass 8:15am [C] +Eleanor Reif

Fri. Weekday (5/11)

Mass 8:15am [E] Andrew Roth

Families

Ascension (5/12)

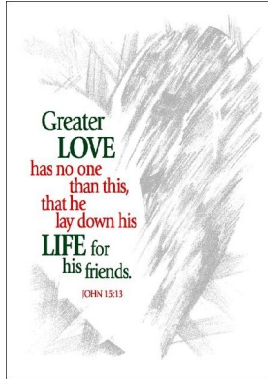
Mass 5:00pm [E] +Ambrose & Regina Sauber

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (5/13)

Mass 8:00am [O] +Matilda Penka

Mass 8:30am [C] +Elfrieda Woydziak

Mass 10:30am [E] Parish Cluster



"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends" - JOHN 15:12-13

Do you love Jesus? Do you consider Him your friend? Jesus says that if we love Him we would be willing to offer whatever we have to Him, not because we want praise and glory, but simply because we love Him. Does your giving seem mechanical out of obligation or do you share freely out of love?

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 13

Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23, Mk 16:15-20

Vocation View: It was God who chose us to go forth and bear fruit that will last. Let your heart rejoice in God's call to you. What is the fruit of your life? (John 15:9-17). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at www.dcdiocese.org/vocations

Ministers - St. Joseph

Weekday Servers: Week of May 6 - Kaleub Haynes, Colby Heinz

May 12 & 13

Lector 1

5:00pm Sat.

Rosie Joiner

10:30am Sun.

Art Huslig

Lector 2

Karen Mitchel

Heather Panning

EM

Millie Menges

Mike Moeder

Yvonne Strecker

Mel Waite

Jason Schlochtermeyer

Kirk Bressler

Melanie Zink

Joy Schlochtermeyer

Glenda Heinz

Paul Schlochtermeyer

Accomp/Cantor

Servers

Cayman Rowan

Daphne Doll

Cade Rowan

Erin Hammeke

Sacristan

Karen Kramp

Kelly & Krisen Wondra

Greeters May 12 :Joni & Louie Pivonka, Josh Komarek, Jamie Komarek, Charlie & Denise Joslin

Greeters May 13: Mark Menges, Jeff & Sandy Roth, Kim Ward, Gerry Menges, Nick Younker

Ministers - Immaculate Conception

Sunday, May 13, 2018 - 8:30am

Lectors: Lori Koester, Toby Holmes

EM: Barbara Musgrove, Nancy Liebl, Laurie Feist, Doris Feist, Cindy Stueder

Gift Bearers: High School Graduates

Greeters: Todd & Carla Liebl Family

Servers: Maryssa Menges, Jacob Oberle

Sacristan: Judy Oberle

Weekday Mass Schedule

5/8/18 Lector: Don Zink, EM: Carla Liebl & Bill Thomas

5/10/18 Lector: Jane Steinert, EM: Joan Miller, Jim Oberle

Ministers - Holy Family

Sunday, May 13, 2018- 8:00am

Lector: John Bogner

EM: Chrys Lamatsch, Joyce Koester, Joan Klug

Greeters: Dale Klug, Joseph Hekele

Gifts: Eleanor Lawrence & Victoria Miller

Servers: Paige Lamatsch, Alyx Lamatsch

DON'T FORGET TO PURCHASE YOUR SCRIP.

REMEMBER TO REGISTER YOUR DILLONS PLUS CARD AND SUPPORT ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

Church Support	
Wkly offering needed to meet budget \$7,732.01	
Envelopes \$3,016.00	Offertory \$107.00
Online Giving \$1,260.00	
Total Weekend Collection \$4,383.00	
Envelopes Mailed	204
Envelopes Returned	48
Online Donors	44
Sp. Collections:	

PETITION SCHEDULE, Weekend of May 13th: Kent Robl.

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING, Monday, May 21st, 7:00pm at the parish office.

THE D OF I Mother/Daughter Banquet is Monday, May 14th at 6:30 pm in the St. Patrick Parish Center. The meat for the meal has been provided, members are asked to bring a salad or dessert. The Living Rosary will follow the meal, and a shower for Birthright. Hostesses are Jane Bahr and Diana Drake.

COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION, Monday, May 21st from 5-6pm at United Church of Christ.

BEST CHOICE SAVE-A-LABEL PROGRAM -When you purchase Best Choice products at your favorite store supplied by Associated Wholesale Grocers, please save the UPC (proof of purchase) portion. St. Joseph School will earn \$30 cash for each bundle of 1,000 UPC's submitted. When you shop at EFF, or any store that sells Best Choice brand, consider purchasing Best Choice items, tear off the UPC labels, and place them in the Box Tops container in the entryway of church or drop them off at the school. This is another simple way to earn cash for our school!

THE 26TH ANNUAL NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS' Stamp Out Hunger® Food Drive is on Saturday, May 12. Please place nonperishable food donations near your mailbox to be picked up. Donations stay in your community. Fill a bag. Help feed families.

MANY DONORS TO THE FOOD BANK remark that they are never sure what our changing needs are when they are at the grocery store.. **Items always needed: Canned fruit, Cereal, Peanut butter, Jelly, Pickles, Hamburger Helper, Pancake Mix, Syrup, Toilet Paper, Deodorant, Shampoo and Conditioner**

ST. JOHN'S CDC SUMMER RALLY starts June 4th - 29th for ages 2years to 6years. Our top priority is to instill a love for God's word and to inspire future innovators and build their confidence in the natural ability to dream and create! Class will be from 8:00am - 11:00am or 12:00pm to 3:00pm. The cost is \$75.00 and must be paid in full by May 25th. All classes will be held at the Main Street Campus. If you have questions or to enroll your child call Jodi at 564-2885.

NEW TO THE PARISH CLUSTER? Welcome to St. Joseph Parish, Ellinwood, Immaculate Conception Parish, Claflin and Holy Family Parish, Odin we are pleased to have you join us in worship. If you would like to join one of the parishes, please register online by going to our website, www.StJosephEllinwood.com, www.IccClaflin.com, www.HolyFamilyOdin.com or you may call 620-564-2534 or stop by the parish office 109 W 3rd Street in Ellinwood and register. Welcome and God Bless!

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS - All notes for the bulletin should be emailed to jkomarek@stjosephellinwood.com or submitted in writing to the parish office, 109 W. 3rd, St., Ellinwood. The deadline is noon on Tuesday.

LOTTO ST. JOE 2018 winner of the \$50 weekly drawing for May 4th is Avery Panning. All tickets are re-entered, so one can win multiple times. All proceeds go directly to the support of St. Joseph School.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP - All are welcome to the Men's Bible Study Group. Meetings held each Friday 6:15 to 7:15 A.M. at Gather, 19 N. Main, Ellinwood. Each week we will study the Sunday scripture readings. Coffee and breakfast items available. Contact Curtis Wolf 785-623-3189 or Mel Waite 620-617-3291 for more information.

ARE YOU IN NEED OF HELP with yard work, housework, painting, cleaning windows, or need assistance during a wedding, event, or any other type of special project? If so, consider hiring the ICC NCYC group to help! Many of our ICC students are working to raise money so they can attend the National Catholic Youth Conference in 2019. If you have a project and could use their assistance, please call Sydney Rugan at 620-282-0773.

NOW THAT WEDDING SEASON IS UPON US, a reminder: if you are wanting to be married in any one of the three parishes in our cluster, your first call should be to Fr. Klein, as he has jurisdiction over the three, and he must initiate paperwork that will eventually go to the Diocese in Dodge City. The couple will have an initial meeting with Fr. Klein, who at that time will have a conversation with them to gain information such as who they prefer to marry them, as well as important Canon Law questions required by the Catholic Church. He will then direct them in what processes are needed to be taken to be approved for marriage in their choice of church within our cluster. You can make an appointment for this initial meeting to meet with Fr. Klein by calling 620-564-2534.

ELEMENTARY TEACHER POSITIONS open at St. Joseph Catholic School in Ellinwood. SJCS is a caring, positive, structured learning environment where students are excited to learn. To apply, contact Marlene Clayton, 620-564-2721 or send application to 111 W 3rd in Ellinwood.

THE CATHEDRAL OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE is seeking a Director of Finance and Administration. This leadership position is the steward of the finances of Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe to include managing and developing resources for the benefit of the ministries of the parish. To request additional information on position specifications and requirements and/or to apply: Email cover letter, resume and salary history to tlampe@dcdiocese.org or mail to Catholic Diocese of Dodge City,

Attn: Human Resources, 910 Central, Dodge City, KS 67801. (620) 227-1534.

THE ELLINWOOD AMERICAN LEGION is serving pan fried chicken every Sunday from 11:30am to 2:00pm. Cost is \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children 12 and under. Bring your family and come enjoy a great meal after church!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL LIVING LEGACY FUND

Italian Dinner

June 3, 2018 – St. Joseph Parish Center
Choice of Lasagne or Chicken Tetrazzini
See the details on Flyers,
Posters & Newsletter

ON TUESDAY, MAY 8, the movie, Edith Stein: The Seventh Chamber, will be showing at the Heartland Center for Spirituality for the spring series of “Movies with a Message.” This is a moving, artistic portrayal of the life of Jewish philosopher, Catholic convert and Carmelite martyr, Edith Stein, capturing the interior struggles of this extraordinary woman, as well as the great conflicts from her decision to convert to Catholicism. The movie begins at 6:15pm in the Auditorium of the Motherhouse of the Dominican Sisters of Peace. A free will offering will be accepted to offset the cost of refreshments.

JOURNEY TO THE HEART - FALLING IN LOVE WITH THE EARTH, May 19, 9am - 3pm is a retreat Day with the Eco-Justice Committee of the Dominican Alliance. The retreat will be held at the Heartland Center for Spirituality, 3600 Broadway, Great Bend. Come and enjoy a peace-filled day of contemplative awe and refreshment as you join in a time of awareness, healing and celebration. There is no charge for the program, but please register by May 15. If you wish to lunch at HCS, it is \$10, please register by May 9; or you may bring your own lunch. To register, please call 620-792-1232 or email: office@heartlandspirituality.org. For more information, please contact Sr. Jane Belanger, OP at 620-923-4585 or email: hfarm@gbta.net.

CAMP CRISTO REY, a camp designed to immerse young people in the beauty, goodness and truth of nature and their Catholic faith will be held in June at Camp Lakeside outside of Scott City. Two sessions will be offered. The first camp is for students who have completed their 5th/6th grade years and will be Sunday, June 10 through Tuesday, June 12. The second camp for those who have completed their 7th/8th grade years is scheduled for June 14 through June 16. Cost for each camp is \$230. Register online: www.dcyouth.org/camp-cristo-rey.

SAVE THE DATE and make plans now for the 2018 Dechant Foundation Annual Golf Classic, September 7, at Mariah Hills Golf Course in Dodge City. Get your teams organized and enter soon. The proceeds benefit the Retired Priest's Fund of the Diocese of Dodge City. Call Mark Roth at 620-227-1535 or email mroth@dcdiocese.org to register and for more information.

BE AWARE that online technologies give traffickers the ability to

exploit a greater number of victims and advertise their services globally. Social media opens the door for predators to gain access to your child. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. sistersagainstrafficking.org

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Church Support

Weekend Collection: \$1,126.00
Envelopes \$1,100.00 Offertory \$26.00
Votives \$35.25 Repairs \$500.00

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H SUNDAY OF EASTER - Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary. What gifts of myself – my skills and talents, my time and resources – will best demonstrate my love for God's people?

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS Barbara Steiner who passed away and was buried from here April 25th. May she rest in peace! May her family find consolation.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

Church Support

Weekend Collection: \$939.00
Envelopes \$810.00 Offertory \$129.00
Altar Society Dues \$10.00

PLEASE CONSIDER giving online to our parish. You can sign-up for it through the parish website, and you determine the amount and frequency of the donation, which you can change at any time. There are a number of advantages of online giving.

- the parish receives a steady and reliable donation, independent of travel or illness
- the parish saves the cost of sending out envelopes
- you have constant and immediate access to your record of giving

Online giving costs our parish about \$25.00 a month, a fee we pay to the company that administers it. The \$25.00 fee is fixed, so we pay it whether 10 people use it or 100 people use it. Currently with the number of parishioners that are using the online option, it is generating about \$530 a month in donations to the parish. Envelopes for parishioners cost our parish \$80.52 a month. Therefore, the more people that use online giving, the less envelopes we need to purchase, which means more money goes to the church, and not to the cost of buying the envelopes.

