

# Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 8, 2019

## Masses This Week:

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Sept. 9<sup>th</sup></b>
8:05 a.m. -- +Art Gable	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Sept. 10<sup>th</sup></b>
5:15 p.m. -- +Fredrick Gamer	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Sept. 11<sup>th</sup></b>
8:05 a.m. -- +John McGreevy	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Sept. 12<sup>th</sup></b>
5:15 p.m. -- +Rosemary & Jerry Mackin	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Sept. 13<sup>th</sup></b>
8:05 a.m. -- +Floyd & Ruby Carder	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept. 14<sup>th</sup></b>
5:00 p.m. -- +Jackie Adam	
6:30 p.m. – People of St. Mary's Parish	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sept. 15<sup>th</sup></b>
8:00 a.m. -- +Mary Ann Sahlfeld	
9:30 a.m. -- +Edward Jacobs	
11:00 a.m. -- +Clara Finan	
6:00 p.m. – Personal Intention	

## CONFESSIONS

Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:45 am  
Thursday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 pm  
Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm

## LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS:

Sunday, September 1 <sup>st</sup> :	\$13,909.00
September to date:	\$13,909.00
Needed Weekly:	\$18,423.00
Needed for Month:	\$79,835.00

## MINISTRY OF PRAYER

**PLEASE PRAY** for Kathryn Breer, Janette Gilchrist, Rocio Burr, Shelly Klein, all those who are disabled, in rest homes and hospitals, and service personnel serving overseas. (Names will be on this list for 1 month and then removed unless notified otherwise.)

## Events This Week:

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>September 8<sup>th</sup></b>
Parish Picnic/5:00-6:30 pm/Parish Hall	
Vocatio/6:30 pm/Sacred Heart Cathedral	
C.Y.O./7:00-8:00 pm/Youth Center	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>September 9<sup>th</sup></b>
Beyond the Book/9 am/Meeting Room #1	
SHJSHS Council of Education/5:30 pm/Library	
Pax Christi/6:30 pm/Meeting Room #3	
Faith Study/7 pm/Meeting Room #1	
Pastoral Council/7 pm/Meeting Room #2	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>September 10<sup>th</sup></b>
Soldiers of Christ/6:30 am/Parish Hall	
R.C.I.A./7 pm/Meeting Room #1	
Pack 20 Committee/7 pm/Scout Center	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>September 11<sup>th</sup></b>
Parish Choir Practice/5:45 pm/Church	
Building & Grounds/6 pm/Meeting Room #2	
P.R.E./6:45-8 pm	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>September 12<sup>th</sup></b>
Grief Support Group/2 pm/Meeting Room #1	



We have had our first RCIA session for this year. It was just a quick getting-to-know-you session, and we had three people who are interested in being brought into full Communion with the Catholic Church. If you or somebody you know has considered joining the church, please contact Nancy at the parish office and visit with her about your/their interest and what the circumstances are about your/their faith upbringing.

I have always found RCIA to be a wonderful experience for the people going through the process, as well as for myself. Different people and their different circumstances bring about so many different questions, assumptions, thoughts, and feelings about the Catholic Church, and it is fun to be a part of clarifying and aiding in a better understanding about being Catholic. It challenges me to continue to learn more about my understanding of my faith as well.

Please consider joining us if you are not Catholic but are interested in conversion; or if you are baptized Catholic, but for whatever reason did not receive your Confirmation or the Eucharist.

Peace & Prayers,  
Fr. Kevin

## PARISH NEWS



**THE PARISH PICNIC** is this Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>. Grilled hamburgers & hotdogs and all the fixings will be served anytime from 5:00-6:30 pm in the parish hall. All food, beverages, and table service will be

provided at no cost! No reservations required! Children's games and activities will be held in other areas of the parish center. Please come and join us!

**ADOPT-A-STUDENT ENVELOPES** are included in your packet of September donation envelopes. Tuition assistance is given each year to families in hurting situations that want to attend our Catholic Schools or our Parish Religious Education (PRE) Program. If you are able to give \$25, \$50, \$100 or more, your gift to the children of our parish will be most appreciated! Please consider "adopting" a student from our parish by helping to support their religious education.

**BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITY:** *"Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom"* How were a few Christians, empowered by the Holy Spirit, able to spread the words and deeds of Jesus out into the world? Discover with us the earliest seeds of the Church's structure & authority. A 20-week study with an engaging video which begins on Thursday, Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am in Meeting Room #1. There is no cost if you want to attend with your Bible. Call Marlene at 342-0130 to RSVP and to reserve your optional study book (\$36).

## PRESERVING OUR PAST... BRIGHTENING OUR FUTURE

The Capital Campaign has gone very well and we are pleased with the generosity of our parish as we work to enhance our church. Although we have heard from many of you, last week, we sent a letter out to those we have not heard from, providing you another opportunity to be a part of this important effort. We encourage you to return your pledge card, noting a financial commitment and/or a commitment to continue praying for and supporting our church community as we all work together on our catholic faith journey. You may mail them back to the parish office or drop them in the collection basket at Mass.

Together we are making it happen!



## SCHOOL NEWS

### FAST CASH CALENDAR WINNERS:

\$20 – Sunday, Sept. 1 – Cecelia Sanchez  
\$20 – Tuesday, Sept. 3 – Carol Linenberger  
\$20 – Wednesday, Sept. 5 – Pestinger Heating & Air

**SACRED HEART JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL** is now accepting applications for Business Office Manager. This is a full-time position. For inquiries, please call 827-4422. Interested applicants are asked to send resume to: [john@sacredheartknights.org](mailto:john@sacredheartknights.org), or mail to John Krajicek, Principal, Sacred Heart Jr/Sr High School, 234 E Cloud St., Salina, KS 67401,



**St. Mary's School ALUMINUM CAN RECYCLE DRIVE** until Friday, September 13<sup>th</sup>. There will be a large red bin at the south end of the school parking lot to collect the aluminum cans. Thank you for saving your

cans and supporting our drive.

## AROUND THE CITY & THE DIOCESE

**The CREIGHTON MODEL SYSTEM** is a natural, safe, effective, and Church-approved method for achieving or avoiding pregnancy, overcoming infertility, and monitoring reproductive health. Introductory sessions are offered monthly by Dr. Maria Rapp, FCP. Classes will be held at Chiropractic Wellness Center, 1130 E Cloud St. The sessions are at 7 pm, they are free, and last approximately 1 hour. The next session will be Monday, September 16th. For more info, please contact Maria at 827-7779, or email: [back2000@aol.com](mailto:back2000@aol.com).

