

The Catholic Communities Of Keith County

The Most Holy trinity

May 27, 2018



St. Luke's Catholic Church

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1:00 p.m. — 4:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. — 12:00 noon

Website — www.kccatholics.com

Welcome Parishioners!

**Newcomers, please register at the Office.
You are most welcome and we do want to
meet you.**

Eucharistic & Sacramental Celebrations

SATURDAY EVENING MASS FOR OBLIGATION

5:00 p.m. Ogallala

SUNDAY MASSES

8:00 a.m. in Paxton & 10:00 a.m. in Ogallala

DAILY MASSES 8:00 a.m. in Ogallala Mon. thru Fri.

(Tues. Communion Service)

HOLY DAY MASSES As announced

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4:00 p.m. or by appointment.

BAPTISMS

Call Father for an appointment to do Baptismal
preparation

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES Arrangements must be made 4 months in advance.



St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Parish Council President—Kim Elder

Pro-Life Representative — Alex McConnell



Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon.	May 28th	8:00 a.m.	Janet McQuillan
Tue.	May 29th	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Wed.	May 30th	8:00 a.m.	Mary Frances Premer
Thur.	May 31st	8:00 a.m.	Maximo Garcia
		7:00 p.m. (Paxton)	Special Intention
Fri.	June 1st	8:00 a.m.	Rosalie Jarboe
Sat.	June 2nd	5:00 p.m.	People of God
Sun.	June 3rd	8:00 a.m. (Paxton)	Bill O'Connor
		10:00 a.m.	Tom Krause



We welcome among us again Fr. Bob Sherry and Cross Catholic. Fr. Bob was here several years ago and offered a parish retreat at Paxton. Thanks for coming back!

On this weekend as we honor and celebrate the Most Holy Trinity, we are reminded that the high-point of our Christian life is union with God. The mystery of God's redeeming love leaves us completely amazed by the beauty and wonder of God as Father, Son & Holy Spirit.

Also on this weekend we celebrate Memorial Day as we set aside a special time to honor and remember those lost in defense of our great nation. We remember those who gave their full measure to protect the American way of life. May we always be grateful and thankful for their sacrifice.

Peace & Love,
Fr. Bryan

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS: The May Parish Council meeting was held on Monday, May 14th. Guest presenter was Kory Koralewski from the Diocesan Stewardship Office. Kory helped the council identify areas in the parish that are successful and those that may need to be upgraded. He pointed out the Diocesan Appeal is just **one** part of the of parish Stewardship and Ogallala has always done excellent in this area! During the most recent Appeal Ogallala is one of nine parishes that have reached their goal! Kory complimented the Council on the ongoing programs of St. Luke's and encouraged us to continue to look for ways to involve family as well as individuals in parish activities and programs.

In other business the Council received the report of completion of the men's bathroom in the church basement. The remodel looks very nice The Council continues to research ways to keep snow and ice off the drive and sidewalks on the north side of the church. Finances are in good shape, especially due to gifts of memorials and interest on endowments. The school year has come to a close and Sr. Loretta reports it was a very successful year. Continue to use your Safeway cards as this helps the school purchase needed items throughout the school year. The students raised \$4000 for Jump Rope for Heart and there are six students registered for Kindergarten next year.

The Council will next meet in September.



HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY!



Thank You to everyone for your generous financial support of the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Through this annual appeal, your donations have helped fund the mission of the Church here in the Diocese of Grand Island

during this fiscal year. Because of your generosity, we have reached our goal of \$36,931.00 and has been paid in full. If you still have pledges to complete please do so as it will affect our final numbers. This is a huge obligation for St. Luke's parish and we couldn't have met our goal without all of you. Thanks again!

Diocesan Chairman,
Doug Havermann

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

ATTENTION JUNIORS AND SENIORS!

The Grand Island Diocese requires attendance of at least one retreat as a junior or senior in high school prior to confirmation. Attendance of a Higher Ground Retreat fulfills this requirement. Higher Ground is a five-day Catholic youth program for those who will be juniors or seniors in high school. This program is sponsored by the Diocese of Grand Island's Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, with Fr. Josh Brown as the Diocesan Spiritual Director. The purpose of Higher Ground is to create an environment where Christian community may be experienced. The activities provide an enjoyable opportunity for the young people to develop a better sense of self, to build positive relationships with others and to grow closer to God.

At Higher Ground, 20-40 participants and 10 adult staff, gather in an informal atmosphere to have a lot of fun and build relationships of trust. The group is encouraged to experience the joy of playing, praying and working together as a community of faith.

HIGHER GROUND I SCHEDULE:

Week 3: June 10-15, 2018 – **Registration Deadline: June 1st**

ATTENTION MIDDLE SCHOOLERS!

Higher Ground Middle School Retreat is a four-day Catholic youth program for those who completed sixth or seventh grade in the spring of 2018. The purpose of the Higher Ground Middle School Retreat is to create an environment where we belong and can invite others to belong. The activities provide an enjoyable opportunity for the young people to develop a better sense of self, to build positive relationships with others and to grow closer to God. Higher Ground Middle School Retreat calls participants to deepen their experience of liturgy, prayer, and community interaction. The intent of this program is to help youth discover that we all belong to God and we must help others feel welcome in the Church. They are encourage to reflect on their initiation into the Church at their baptism and our continued call to actively participate in the church that we belong to; locally and globally. This program is sponsored by the Diocese of Grand Island's Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry. *The Higher Ground Middle School Retreat does not meet Confirmation Retreat requirements.*

HIGHER GROUND MIDDLE SCHOOL SCHEDULE:

Week 2: July 22-26, 2018 – **Registration Deadline: July 13th**

REGISTRATION FOR ALL HIGHER GROUND RETREATS

IS GOING ON NOW! More information is available at

<http://www.gidiocese.org/yva/hgr>

SATURDAY: 5:00 P.M. MASS

SUNDAY: 10:00 A.M. MASS

LECTORS: 5:00 p.m. Mass

June 2nd—Darrell Bassett & Tom Malone
June 9th—Al Faesser & Ruth Sagehorn
June 16th—Mikah Hoppens & Greg Pavlik
June 23rd—Ron Hollmann & Ann Ivers
June 30th—Gary Schreiner & Paul Foy

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: 5:00 p.m. Mass

June 2nd—Mary Lou Heelan, Marietta Johnson, Mary Eichner,
Dan & Karla Eddie
June 9th—Elliott Sagehorn, Steve & Lisa Krajewski, Ann Ivers,
Jane Raether
June 16th—Paul Foy, Doug & Jean Havermann, Judy Curtis,
Gary Schreiner
June 23rd—Mary Eichner, Nancy Hollmann, Jim Korth,
Joe & Sheila McBride
June 30th—Al Faesser, Whitey Cutkosky, Jim & Lisa Streff,
Terry Folk

GREETERS: 5:00 p.m. Mass

June 2nd—Kevin & Cindy Reiss
June 9th—Ron & Nancy Hollmann
June 16th—Terry & Maria Folk
June 23rd—Kevin & Cindy Reiss
June 30th—Lois Green, Maggie Cutkosky

SERVERS: 5:00 p.m. Mass

June 2nd—Ella & Max Mueller
June 9th—Colten Knispel & Jacob Holzfaster
June 16th—Jayden Curtis & Tucker Rut
June 23rd—Dakota & Faith Storer
June 30th—Charlie Nielsen & Morgan Grafford

Weekday Servers: 8:00 a.m. Mass Monday thru Friday

Week of May 28th—Jenna McBride & Ella Schlake
Week of June 4th—Elijah & Avery Grafford
Week of June 11th—Christian Nowak & Barrett Renfro
Week of June 18th—Grace Jones & Haley Holzfaster
Week of June 25th—Luke Horvorka & Michael Skinner

MINISTRY TO SHUT-INS: 9:00 a.m. on Sunday

June 3rd—Sue Thorson & Angela Svoboda
June 10th—Diane Stevenson & Jim & Jean Wunschel
June 17th—Jean Krajewski & Peg Thalken
June 24th—Judy Curtis & Patti Soper
July 1st—Elliott & Ruth Sagehorn, Mary K Foy



Eucharistic Adoration on Friday, June 1st, after 8:00 a.m. Mass until 3:00 p.m. with Benediction Because Christ himself is present in the sacrament of the altar, he is to be honored with the worship of adoration. "To visit the Blessed Sacrament is a proof of gratitude, an expression of love, and a duty of adoration toward Christ our Lord". **Sign up in church entrance**

LECTORS: 10:00 a.m. Mass

June 3rd—Jim Perrin & Tom Jasnoch
June 10th—Jeff Stevens & Mike McGreer
June 17th—Tim Nowak & Chrissa Schlake
June 24th—Julianne Kenkel & Chuck Beckius
July 1st—Jim Ryan & Peg Thalken

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: 10:00 a.m. Mass

June 3rd—Deb Jasnoch, Chancy & Teresa Swick, Jane Skinner,
Ted Bowman
June 10th—Sharon Sheffler, Dave & Julie Schwasinger,
Mary Weber, Jim Korth
June 17th—Gerry & Shari Kraus, Sue Thorson, Kate Diaz,
Barb Meisner
June 24th—Lori Beckius, Deb Jasnoch, John & Juli Paloucek,
Jane Skinner
July 1st—Sue Thorson, Sharon Sheffler, Mary Weber,
Dave & Julie Schwasinger

GREETERS: 10:00 a.m. Mass

June 3rd—Joni Pelster, Carolyn Straub
June 10th—Tom & Sharon Struckman
June 17th—Carolyn Straub, Cindy Regier
June 24th—Jane Diaz & Barrett, Kate Diaz
July 1st—Tom & Sharon Struckman

SERVERS: 10:00 a.m. Mass

June 3rd—Kailee Shreve & Laynee Ohm
June 10th—Ella Schlake & Tayler Evans
June 17th—Jaquelyn Ornelas & Christopher Aufdengarten
June 24th—Jayden & Jacob Fanning
July 1st—Jenna McBride & Jialisia Rosales

CLEANING CHURCH

June 2nd—Jim & Lois Kampschneider
June 9th—Jane Hoppens & Kate Diaz
June 16th—Krystyna Hagan
June 23rd—Cindy Johnson & Pearl Seal
June 30th—Chuck Beckius & Phyllis Holscher

Congratulations! *Janie Widhalm* is the winner of the St. Luke's School calendar drawing this week.



Weekend Collection of 5-20-18

Reg. Envelopes—\$3652.00 **Plate**—\$279.00
Children—\$25.26 **Catholic Comm.**—\$418.00
Seminary—\$1592.86

In order to meet our 2017-2018 budget for St. Luke's we need \$8238.46 weekly for all revenue. This is an estimated amount for all budgeted & non-budgeted items for the fiscal year.

Thank you for your continued support!