

Sacred Heart Catholic Parish

408 South Cedar, Ottawa, Kansas 66067

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Weekend Mass Schedule	Saturdays	5:30 pm; Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am
Weekday Mass Schedule	Tuesday through Friday.....	8:05 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation	(by appointment) Fridays 8:40 am and Saturdays 4:30 pm	
Catechesis Wednesdays:	Dinner - 6:00 pm; Class 6:30 - 8:00 pm	

Weddings

Begin your wedding preparation with a minimum of 6 months (preferably 1 year) prior to your wedding date with a meeting with your pastor

Baptisms

Baptisms are usually celebrated after weekend Masses.

Baptismal Preparation classes are offered by Pastor through appointment

Preregister by calling (785) 242-2174

New Parishioners

Welcome to Sacred Heart Parish Community! Get involved and begin meeting your fellow parishioners. Start with a phone call to the Parish Office.

- Parish Office (785) 242-2174
- Pastor's Office Phone Number (785) 915-1508
- Pastor (frkclem@gmail.com) Rev. Kenneth Clem
- Parish Secretary (shcottawa@gmail.com) Carmelita Sieg
- Faith Formation Coordinator(savrbas@gmail.com) Sandy Vrbas
- Knights of Columbus Council 3018 (cevans@cofts.org) Grand Knight Craig Evans
- Finance Council Advisory Chair (bhayden1720@gmail.com) Bob Hayden
- Altar Society Guild President (bbirzer@yahoo.com) Betty Birzer
- Pastoral Advisory Chair (greg.wellnitz@gmail.com) Gregory Wellnitz
- Sacred Heart School Office (785) 242-4297
- Principal (pjgreer@sacredheartottawa.eduk12.net) Patrick Greer
- School Secretary (ssiebenthall@sacredheartottawa.eduk12.net) Shayla Sienbenthall

DEC. 23 - DEC. 25, 2023

MONDAY, Dec. 25, 2023

9:00 AM CHRISTMAS DAY MASS
+ Bill & Wilma Gibson
by: the Redeker Family

TUESDAY, Dec. 26, 2023

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 27, 2023

NO MASS

THURSDAY, Dec. 28, 2023

8:05 AM MASS

+ Ethel Sobba (sister)
by: Eileen Bowling

ADORATION: 8:40 AM to 8:00 PM

FRIDAY, Dec. 29, 2023

8:05 AM MASS / 8:40 AM CONFESSION
+ Jama Carney
by: Rosemary Pratt

SATURDAY, Dec. 30, 2023

4:30 PM CONFESSION/ 5:30 PM MASS
+ Frank Seibert
by: Angela Gurule

SUNDAY, Dec. 31, 2023

9:00 AM MASS

+ James Bien
by: Nancy Bien

11:00 AM MASS

For the People of the Parish

HOLY COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND

If you or a family member is a shut-in and would like to have Holy Communion brought to you, please call 785-242-2174. We would be more than happy to do this.

LITURGICAL ROLES

SAT., Dec 30, 2023 - 5:30 PM MASS

Gifts: Dan & Michelle Gast
Eucharistic Minister: Dan Gast
Lector: Alan Bina
Sacristan: Debbie Blakeley
Rosary Leader: Mike Fischer

SUN., Dec. 31, 2023 - 9:00 AM MASS

Gifts: Dixie Dorsey / Jeremy Stone
Ushers: Rosemary Pratt
Servers: Braeden & Zach Winter
Eucharistic Minister: Maureen Downing
Music: Mark Paquette
Lector: Christy Winter
Sacristan: Maureen Downing

SUN., Dec. 31, 2023 - 11:00 AM MASS

Gifts: Dan & Amy Jo McKean
Ushers: Walt & Clarice Dengel/
John Golden/ Joan Hazelton
Servers: Reid Sears / Clara Moyer
Eucharistic Minister: Stephanie Orr
Lectors: James Boyer / Rick Vrbas
Sacristan: Sandy Vrbas
Rosary Leader: Miranda Vrbas

MON., Jan. 1, 2024 - 6:00 PM MASS

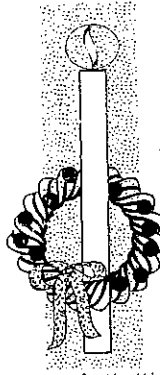
Ushers: Michael, Jamie & Aidan Keiter/
Bud Stratton
Servers: Lilli & Haiden Moll
Eucharistic Minister: Bud Stratton
Lector: Blake Jorgensen
Sacristan: Kelly Jorgensen

WED. Jan. 3, 2024

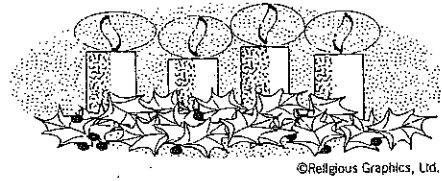
Counters: Deb Henningsen / Ann Hunsicker

CHURCH CLEANING ANGELS

ANGIE DAUGHARTHY/ BARBARA WONDERLY
DEB HENNINGSEN



Glory to God in the Highest



PLEASE PRAY FOR: Clara Guerin, Ron Myers, Virginia Quintana, JoAnn Nowatzke, Shirley Fischer, Erin Chappell, Phillip Pearce, Dennis Nowatzke, Jim Jumet, Terry & Jack Shepard, Reba Miller, Koby Becker, Eddie Heiman, Larry Fisher, James Fisher, Kathy Jordan * Cal Lantis, Bryan Sweetman, Shirley Osladil, Tom Mersman, Maggie Davis, Rylan Lombardo, Lori Helmick, Judy Ferguson-Fabert, Joann Kaufmann, Ron Brady, Amanda Wray, Rev. Bill Prather, Mark Andrew Kohn, Mark Austin Kohn, Shelly Frank, Shirley DeVore, Coby Parkin, Annie Obrien, Jerry Krause, Kenny Read, Marla Seusy, Lauren Ring, Alicia Brown, Sandra Kleier, Leah Blaufuss, Tim Chanay, Richard Grabbe, Beckham Moody, J Dalton Hennessy, Maria Wingert, Jonathan Pogge, Eddie Scheufler, Cindy D. Eden, Patrick Shannon, Amy/Allen Richardson & Family, Kent Porter, Liem Nickerson, Florence Tetuan.

Merry Christmas,

It has been a wonderful journey through Advent and now we together get ready to begin the triumphant season of Christmas. At the feast of the Nativity of Our Lord we begin our celebration of how the God of the Universe would reduce Himself to take on flesh and come to us here on Earth. But then, we continue for the remainder of the season as we take joy and celebrate what that means that Our Lord would come to us.

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and I pray that you too will come to encounter the depth of God's love for you in our celebrations of His birth.

*In Christ Our Lord,
Fr. Kenneth Clem*

FINANCIAL CORNER – Dec. 16 – Dec. 17, 2023

Collection	-\$4,013.00
Cash	-\$ 391.00
Candles	-\$ 15.00
Retirement Fund for Religious	-\$ 20.00
Christmas Flowers	-\$ 240.00
On-line Giving	-\$ 377.49
	<u>\$5,056.49</u>

OTHER DONATION – Masses \$ 500.00

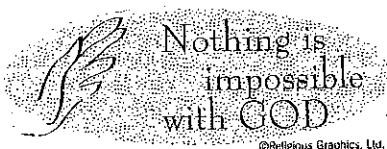
WILLS & TRUST WORKSHOP

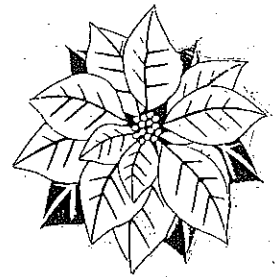
Creating your Legacy

St. Ann Catholic Church, 301 William Street, Parish Hall, Effingham, Kansas
 Wednesday, Jan. 17, 2024 – 6PM – 7:30 PM
 Fr. Hughes Sundeme welcomes all to attend Casey Connealy's Wills and Trusts Workshop. Learn how to protect your family and assets from taxes with the right estate plan. Register online at <https://www.cfnek.org/events/wills-trusts-workshop> or email Jane Schmitt at jschmitt@archkck.org or call 913-647-3060.



HEALING RETREAT FOR ADULT CHILDREN OF DIVORCE Adult children of divorced or separated parents can come find healing at the Life-Giving Wounds retreat, January 12-14 at Savior Pastoral Center in Kansas City, KS. The weekend is presented by trained peer leaders and includes insightful talks, Reconciliation/Adoration, time for prayer and optional small groups. Limited scholarships are available upon request for residents of the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas! Spots are limited! Register today at: archkck.org/LGW





CHRISTMAS FLOWER MEMORIALS

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE JIM & SHERRY ENGELBERT FAMILIES

by: Jim & Sherry Engelbert

TONY BIRZER, MILDRED & JEROME BIRZER,
JOHN FIG, BILL & BILLIE BOODRO

by: Betty, Jennifer & Jaime Birzer

AUGUST & BERNICE ROCKERS & FAMILY;
LEONARD & FRIEDA HERMRECK & FAMILY

by: Dale & Linda Hermreck

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STEPHAN AND SUMONJA FAMILIES

by: Mike & Michelle Stephan

FRITZ & THERESA KATZER; RUSSEL & DOROTHY DAUGHARTHY

by: JR & Angie Daugharthy

OUR DECEASED FAMILY MEMBERS *by: Lynn & Jean Nilges*

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STRAWDER FAMILY

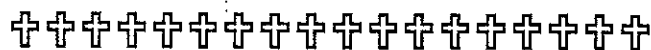
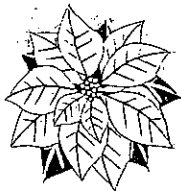
by: Jakobe & Landry Strawder

ROBERT LICKTEIG *by: Lickteig & Douglas Families*

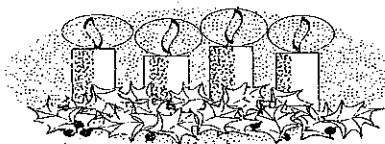
JOHN, FRANZ & JOHNNY BIRZER *by: Bibiana Zweig*

DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE RHODES & MCCONVILLE FAMILIES

by: Roberta Rhodes



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and to the Art and Environment Committee who work lovingly to add to the beauty of
our spiritual experience.*



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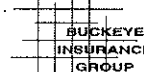


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