

CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES of MEADE COUNTY

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Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

June 16, 2019

*“Glory to the Father, the Son,
and the Holy Spirit; to God who is,
who was, and who is to come.”*
(Alleluia Verse for Trinity Sunday)

Mass Schedule and Intentions for the Week

16	Sun	8:30 am	(F)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity.....+Joe Raple
16	Sun	10:30 am	(P)	Solemnity of the Most Holy TrinityFor Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life
16	Sun	1:00 pm	(P)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity..... (Spanish).....For the Parishioners
17	Mon	6:00 pm	(M)	Week day in Ordinary Time.....For an end to abortion
18	Tue	7:30 am	(M)	Week day in Ordinary TimeFor an end to human trafficking
19	Wed	12:05 pm	(F)	St. Romuald.....+Julianne Post (Fred & DeAnn Boyd)
20	Thu	8:30 am	(P)	Week day in Ordinary TimeFor couples having marital problems
21	Fri	8:30 am	(P)	St. Aloysius Gonzaga.....For an end to religious persecutions
22	Sat	5:30 pm	(M)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....+Melva Dewell (Melva D. Family)
23	Sun	8:30 am	(F)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.+Ron Beckerman (Dixie Hageman)
23	Sun	10:30 am	(P)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....For Vocations to the Priesthood
23	Sun	1:00 pm	(P)	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ.....(Spanish).....For the Parishioners

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

45 minutes before Masses

HOMEBOUND If you would like Communion brought to you at home, or have someone in the hospital, please notify Father.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED IN OUR PARISH? If you are new, we welcome you and would like to get to know you.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please send any announcements you want put in the bulletin to the Fowler Rectory, or call the Dewells (646-5300), or email @stanthonyfowler@gmail.com no later than **THURSDAY** noon. Thanks!

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Couples anticipating marriage are asked to contact their parish priest as soon as possible so that preparation can begin. The dioceses of Kansas prefer at least 6 months notice; 4 months is required.

Liturgical and Other Ministers

FOWLER – Sunday, June 23rd, 8:30 am

LECTOR: Laurie Devine, Andra Cunningham

SERVERS: Caleb H., Kate C., Mia V.

GREETERS: Dave & Sarah Weber

COLL. COUNTERS: John Weber

NURSING HOME: Brigid Thurman

PLAINS – Sunday, June 23rd, 10:30 am

LECTOR: Lucy Bromwell

SERVERS: Hailey S., Hayes S., Kerri V.

GREETERS: Bob & Gloria Kaberlein

COLL. COUNTERS: Traci Eakes

MEADE – Saturday, June 22nd, 5:30 pm

LECTOR: Kevin Dewell

SERVERS: Taryn I., Walker K., Alek H.

GREETERS: Welsh Family

COLL. COUNTERS: Smith Family

PLAINS – Sunday, June 23rd, 1:00 pm

LECTOR:

SERVERS:

~~ **IF YOU CANNOT FULFILL YOUR OBLIGATION, PLEASE FIND SOMEONE TO TAKE YOUR PLACE** ~~

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES: Today's Psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God's hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the used of those gifts!

EUCH MIN: Kevin & Stacy Milford, Tom Leis

MUSIC MIN: Angie Dewell, Karen McDowell/Jan

USHERS: Van Heinz, James Hamilton

ROSARY: Decina Heinz

EUCH. MIN: Larry E., Debbie E., Silvia O.

MUSIC MIN: Martha Saucedo

ROSARY: Teresa Garza

EUCH MIN: Audrey F., Cindy H., Debbie T.

MUSIC MIN: Brooke & Cali Keith

GIFTS: Flavin Family

ROSARY: Flavin Family

EUCH MIN:

USHERS:

	<u>FOWLER</u>	<u>MEADE</u>	<u>PLAINS</u>
ENVELOPES:	\$1,308.00	\$781.00	\$1,365.00
OFFERTORY:	\$113.00	\$80.00	\$377.00
CHILDREN:	\$3.00	\$0.00	Bldg. Fd. \$40.00
RENT:	\$0.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
OTHER:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
CANDLES:	<u>\$64.50</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$22.55</u>
TOTAL:	\$1,488.50	\$1,061.00	\$1,804.55
		\$1,250.00	

THOUGHTS FROM FATHER TED: Early in my ministry here in Meade County, I realized that, because of my age, my time here would be shorter than in most of my former assignments. I began to ask what would be the most important thing on which to focus my attention. I believed that I should focus on the spiritual growth of parishioners, i.e. growth in prayer. I also realized that spiritual growth can come at a quicker pace for some than for others. As I prepare to finish my ministry here, I want to encourage continued efforts to grow closer to the Lord. Only a relationship with the Lord Jesus can fulfill one's deepest desires. Many other things are attractive but they will eventually fail us. The Lord Jesus will never fail us or leave us empty and abandoned. To Him we must go. Fr. Ted Skalsky

JUNE 9 & 16 — RELIGIOUS FREEDOM WEEK: Religious freedom gives us the space to carry out the mission that Jesus has entrusted to the Church. Religious freedom means that Catholics, and all people of goodwill, are free to seek the truth and to live in accordance with that truth, and so to strengthen our common life as a nation. Beginning June 22, the Feast of Saints Thomas More and John Fisher, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops celebrates Religious Freedom Week. In the midst of our current challenges, join us as we seek the kingdom and find Strength in Hope. During Religious Freedom Week, Catholics are encouraged to pray and act each day for religious freedom. The Pray-Reflect-Act (<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/religious-freedom-week>) series aims to help Catholics build solidarity with people of faith who are persecuted abroad and find strength to carry out the mission of the Church here in the United States. Learn more at www.usccb.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek

HOSPICE OF THE PRAIRIE & Prairie Home Health invites those who have experience the death of a loved one to a Remembrance Service on Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. There service is a faith-based celebration of the lives of those special people who are no longer with us. It will take place at Hospice of the Prairie & Prairie Home Health, 200 Fourth Circle, Dodge City and is open to everyone in the community. Please RSVP by June 18, 2019 at 620-227-7209.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT in Kansas City: Are you or a loved one suffering from abortion? Find hope and allow God to heal your heart by attending a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat. The second of three 2019 retreats to be held in the Kansas City area will be on July 26-28. For more information or to register, please call Teresa O'Donnell at (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com (please note: you might have to check your Spam folder for the guaranteed email reply) or visit www.rachelsvineyardkc.org.

SAVE THE DATE: Can't make it to the whole weekend of the Midwest Catholic Family Conference? Just join us Friday night August 2nd, 2019 for the inspiring performance by MJM7, a Catholic Family Band, a surprise guest who is a Hollywood actor, and a moving talk by Fr. Donald Calloway. Friday night registrations are available online at catholicfamilyconference.org or onsite. Email questions to info@catholicfamilyconference.org

VOCATION VIEWS: The love of God is being poured forth into our hearts. Open yourself to receive and share that love. Be open to God calling you to spread love through a Church vocation. (Romans 5:1-5). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at www.dcdiocese.org/vocations.

ACTS RETREAT FOR WOMEN: An ACTS retreat for women will be held October 17-20 at the Heartland Center for Spirituality in Great Bend. Registration forms are on the Diocesan website under "Retreats" or at greatbendcatholic.com. ACTS retreats are active, busy and community-building meant to bring us more fully into our faith and parish life. Many witness that their attendance at an ACTS retreat has been instrumental in changing their lives and leading them to become better friends, parents and spouses. These retreats are for adults of all ages. For more information, contact Paula Brozek at 620-703-8172 or Dan Thompson at 620-797-4685.

Announcement for Plains

PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY: On Sunday, there will be rosary for our country at 5:30 p.m.

THRIFT SHOP: The time has come for our turn to take care of the Thrift Shop. June is our month. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board. All help is greatly appreciated. The Thrift Shop is open Tuesday evening from 6-8 p.m. and on Friday afternoon 2-4 p.m. Thank you to all who help with this service project in our community.

2019-20 PARISH COUNCIL: Dolores Amerin, Kathy Jacobs, Mayra Puentes, George Eakes, Greg Donahue, Raul Herrera, Traci Eakes, Elisa Labra, Minerva Bernabe, Araceli Arvarado, Year Valenzuela, Nereyda Alvarado.

Announcements for Meade

JUNE-JULY IS OUR TURN FOR THE FOOD BANK: There will be boxes in the entrance area for people to place food donations for the Meade Food Bank. Thank You for your generosity to this endeavor.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED: We are looking for a Sacristan to help with weekend Masses. You can either contact Brenda Knott or Father Ted.

COME JOIN US! We are having a Potluck dinner immediately following Mass on Saturday, June 29. Main dishes, salads, & desserts are encouraged. Drinks and table service will be provided. Father Ted will be leaving us, so we would like to take this time and meal to thank him for his ministry to our parish.

Announcements for Fowler

PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY: On Monday, there will be rosary for our country at 5:00 p.m.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED: We are looking for another person to join the Pastoral Council. If you feel that you would be interested in this ministry, please text or talk to Father Ted.

PASTORAL COUNCIL: On Wednesday, June 19, our Pastoral Council is scheduled to meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish School.

POTLUCK FOR FATHER TED: St. Anthony's will be hosting a potluck meal for Father Ted on Sunday, June 30th, 5:30 p.m. at the Catholic School. Main dishes, salads, & desserts are encouraged. Drinks and serving ware provided. We want to wish Father Ted a happy retirement and are sincerely appreciative for his service and blessings to our parish!

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!