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Liturgy Schedule

Annunciation Parish
Tuesday's, Thursday's and
Friday's at 8:00; 10:00am on
Wednesday's at the Care
Home.

Weekend Mass Saturday's at
4:00pm with Confessions
prior at 3:00pm
Sunday Mass at 10:30am

Adoration, Benediction &
Rosary Service:
Tuesday's at 7:00pm

Adoration on Friday's
from 1:00pm to 5:00pm

*St. Monica \ St. Elizabeth
Parish Blue Rapids:*
Mass on Sunday Morning at
8:30am with confessions from
8:00am to 8:15am

*St. Columbkille Parish
Blaine*
Mass on Saturday evening at
6:00pm with confessions from
5:30pm to 5:45pm

Sacraments

Baptism
Contact Fr. Anthony to schedule a
baptismal preparation class.

Marriage
Arrangements need to be made at
least six months prior to the
wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick
Contact the office for an appointment
or for emergency instructions.

Confessions
Before weekend liturgies and any
time by appointment

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Annunciation Parish

Serving St. Monica \ St. Elizabeth in Blue Rapids
and St. Columbkille in Blaine

JULY 28TH 2019

The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Growing as Disciples of Jesus, Making Disciples for Jesus

ST. MARTHA

July 29th

One of the most precious things in life is to have a home where you can go at any time and find people who accept, love, and understand you. Jesus found such a home in Bethany, at the house of a woman named Martha. She welcomed him and served him, and they developed a special bond of friendship.

Martha lived with her sister Mary. Like many other pairs of sisters, these two women were different in personality. Martha was energetic and outspoken, while Mary was quiet and reflective. Jesus loved both of them and appreciated the gifts that each one had.

The Gospel of Luke records that once when Jesus was visiting, Martha prepared the meal while Mary sat talking to their visitor. Martha complained that Jesus should tell Mary to help her. Jesus said that because Martha was worrying so much

about the work, she did not have time to enjoy being with him and listening to his words.

Another time recorded in John's Gospel, the sisters sent a message to Jesus that their brother, Lazarus, was ill. They knew Jesus would come and cure him; they trusted in his loving care for them. When Jesus finally came, Lazarus had already been dead for four days. As soon as she heard that Jesus was nearby, Martha, a woman of action, went out to meet him, while Mary stayed in the house. In her grief, Martha told Jesus honestly what she had expected from him. Jesus asked her to believe that he was the resurrection and that he had power to give eternal life to all who believe in him. Without really understanding this mystery, Martha trusted Jesus totally and said, "I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, the one who was to come into this world" (John 11:27). That day Jesus raised her

brother Lazarus from the dead, showing that he has power over life and death and power to give eternal life.

The home Jesus found in Bethany was not only in the house but in the faithful heart of a woman named Martha.

St. Martha is the patron of housewives, cooks, servants, waiters, and waitresses.

St. Martha, pray for us!

Mass Intentions

Date	Day	Notes	Intention
7/29/2019	Monday	St. Martha	No a.m. Mass
7/30/2019	Tuesday	Weekday	Liv/Dec'd Knights of Columbus #1383
7/31/2019	Wednesday	St. Ignatius of Loyola	No Care Home Mass
8/1/2019	Thursday	St. Alphonsus Liguori	+Elmer & +Mary Skoch
8/2/2019	Friday	Weekday	Liv/Dec'd Wessel family
8/3/2019	Saturday	Frankfort 4:00 p.m.	+Aloysious Noud
8/3/2019	Saturday	Blaine 6:00 pm	For All Parishioners of the 3 Parishes
8/4/2019	Sunday	Blue Rapids 8:30 am	For All Teachers & Students
8/4/2019	Sunday	Frankfort 10:30 am	+Roy & +Rachel Seematter

Saturday, Aug. 3rd: Annunciation 4:00 pm

Lector	Stephanie Huninghake
Servers	Chase & Gage Stallbaumer
Communion	P. Brady, Ralph Broxterman, & Hannah Stallbaumer
Musicians	Marilyn D. & Emily F.
Ushers	Jim Roeder & Phil Maas
Gifts	Ushers to appoint
Rosary	Erin Owen
Sacristan	Pat Brady

Sunday, Aug. 4th: Annunciation 10:30 am

Lector	Charlie Gerstner
Servers	Tara & Grady Fox, & Kale Koch
Communion	T. Dressman, L. Schreiner, & Alyce Dressman
Musicians	Lynn B. & Lexi D.
Ushers	Jerry Broxterman & Gerald Gerstner
Gifts	Ushers to appoint
Rosary	Myron Dressman & Ivan Dressman
Care Home	Wilma Harrington
Sacristan	Dorothy Schreiner

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

monthly meeting Wednesday, July 31st at 8:00 pm

No Adoration, Rosary, or Benediction on Tuesday, July 30th as Fr. Anthony is not available.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Fridays, 1:00 pm to 4:00.

NOTICE ALL

PARISHIONERS Volunteers are still needed for the Fabulous Finds on 99 Garage Sale Parish Fundraising event that will be held in the Cigna Center the **weekend of Sept. 27th & 28th.** Questions or to volunteer contact Marilyn. Donations for the garage sale will be greatly appreciated.

CARD OF THANKS— to Ed & Pat Brady for purchasing a new coffee maker for Fr. Anthony to use in the Rectory. We are so appreciative of your generosity!

FRANKFORT DEVELOPMENT TRUST-

Benefit Breakfast for the renovation of the historic Frankfort Grade School on Sunday, July 28, at the Annunciation Cigna Center in Frankfort. Serving from 8 am to 1 pm. Sausage, bacon, eggs, biscuits & gravy, hash browns, and more! Free will donation.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES WILL BEGIN IN THE

FALL-Please prayerfully consider bringing your faith to the students by being a teacher. There are a few open positions for the Grade School classes. Please contact Jan Stallbaumer at 785-292-4787 to volunteer. Jr/Sr High volunteers please contact Linda Dressman.

ANNUNCIATION OFFERINGS

July 21, 2019

Envelopes \$1092.00

Plate \$ 156.05

Children's Plate \$ 0

Total \$1248.05

Other Income

Kelly Youth Rally \$ 30.00

PRAYERS FOR OUR COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO ARE ILL.

Third Monday of every month at 4:00pm. Come and pray a rosary for the sick and suffering of our Frankfort community. Put a reminder on your calendar: **August 19th**. There is strength in numbers.

St. Bede's Parish will be hosting the **22nd Annual Kelly Youth Rally** on August 17th. If you would like to make a donation to the rally it would be greatly appreciated by the sponsors and the youth participating in this spiritual event. **Checks may be made payable to "Kelly Youth Rally" and sent to Leah Hermesch at 1040 M. Rd, Corning, KS 66417 by July 20, 2019.** Thank You for your generosity.

St. Gregory Catholic School, Marysville, KS is seeking a **Long-Term Substitute** for our 5th grade classroom in October and November 2019. Applicants must be certified with either a Kansas teaching, substitute teaching, or emergency substitute teaching certificate. Interested applicants, please contact Principal, Karen Farrell through e-mail a kfarrell@stgregorychurch.org or call the school office at 562-2831.

"LIVING IN LOVE" RETREAT

See why over 700 couples in the Archdiocese have experienced the "Living in Love" retreat. You can sign up now for the "Living in Love" retreat at Christ the King Parish in Topeka, KS, August 10-11, 2019. Register online at www.archkck.org/LivingInLove or contact Mary Anne Kierl at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345 for information.

FRANKFORT FOOD PANTRY-

Please help us support our local food pantry. There is a basket in the back of church to drop off non-perishable food items

AREA CHURCH PICNICS

ST. JOSEPH ANNUAL FLUSH

PICNIC- Wednesday, July 31st. Serving 5:00 to 8:00 pm Chicken dinner. Country Crafts & more. All are Welcome!

ST. GREGORY'S,

MARYSVILLE, ANNUAL

CHURCH PICNIC, Sunday, Aug. 11th.

SACRED HEART, SABETHA ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC,

Sunday, Aug. 11th. Serving begins at 4:30. Chicken & Ham dinner served buffet style. Games for all ages. All are Welcome to attend!

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION,

ST. MARY'S PICNIC, Saturday, August 17th serving begins at 4:00 pm. Chicken dinner and all the trimmings. Games and Prizes start at 5:00.

SAVE THE DATE

Annunciation Church, annual Church Picnic, Sunday, September 15th.

VIRTUS TRAINING

St. Michael Parish in Axtell will host a VIRTUS Protecting God's Children Safe Environment Program. The training will be in the St. Michael Hall Wednesday, August 7 at 6:30PM. Parish employees and volunteers are required to be VIRTUS trained, and all adults of our faith community are encouraged to attend. A Parental Permission Form is required for those under 18 years of age. Attendees may pre-register at www.virtusonline.org. Contact Fr. Jim Shaughnessy (736-2220) or Marla Porting (736-2777) with questions. ce.com or call 913-773-8255.

DIVINE MERCY

Divine Mercy 101 – A 1-hour DVD showing to explain a deeper meaning and understanding of the Divine Mercy will be presented on **Sunday, August 25 at 6PM in the St. Peter & Paul parish hall.** Learn about the powerful devotion and graces associated with it in this dynamic presentation with Fr. Chris Alar, MIC. Contact Susan for more details at 785-336-1124.

Divine Mercy Retreat – "A Day of Reflection" will be presented on **Saturday, September 14th at Sts. Peter and Paul Church.** Lunch will be served. \$15 per person. Call or text Susan Stallbaumer at 785-336-1124 to register.

Marriage Minute- I don't know how to pray! Have you ever been intimidated at the prospect of praying with your spouse? If so, you are not alone. However, the Gospel teaches us this week that it is not the perfect prayer that rises to God, but rather, the persisting prayer. Prayer between spouses is the last frontier of intimacy that couples endeavor, but it is so crucial for growth in the Sacrament of Matrimony. If prayer is new with your spouse or uncomfortable, you are not alone. Try the following to start:

- Praying one "Our Father" together before going to sleep.
- Asking Jesus to bless your spouse's day at work before he or she leaves in the morning.
- Take 2 minutes to each share your needs and end with a "Hail Mary." For other tools check out the resources page www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

SOPHIA SPIRITUALITY CENTER ATCHISON, KS COFFEE AND

SILENCE Tuesday, August 13 9:30

a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Come for the morning or bring your lunch and spend the day. We'll have the coffee on for you. Spend time in silence, walk our beautiful grounds, or pray in St. Scholastica Chapel. Donation. Registration required. **Register online** or call 913.360.6173.

STUDY & PRAYER RETREAT

Retreat Opportunity - Christ's Peace House of Prayer is hosting a study and prayer retreat on 4 dogmatic Marian teachings of the Church: the Immaculate Conception, the Virgin Birth, Mother of God, and the Assumption from 5:30pm Friday, August 16 to 4:00pm Sunday, August 18, 2019. There will be 4-5 talks, daily Eucharistic Adoration, Mass at the local parish and time for private prayer and reflection. The cost is \$125 per night for couples and \$85 or \$40 per night for individuals. If you are interested, please contact us at info@christspea



Reflecting On Sunday's Readings

Prayer is one of the great mysteries of the Christian faith and one of the most difficult, yet most fruitful disciplines. It requires simple faith, not great faith, but simple faith. If it required great faith it would only be available to a few. Faith, "Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen, ..." is the ability to believe God for things which we do not currently see. Consequently, prayer is both our first line of offense and first line of defense in spiritual warfare, for spiritual warfare is the unseen battle for the souls of people. Rightly so, did the disciples recognize early in their relationship with Jesus that his life was marked by prayer, and that power and union with the Father was somehow linked to this discipline of prayer. They did not hesitate to ask, "Lord, teach us to pray." The disciples were not religiously ignorant men. They were schooled in the prayers and praying of their Jewish faith, but they recognized that somehow Jesus', and also John the Baptist's, level of praying exceeded that with which they were familiar. So they asked, "Lord teach us to pray." Perhaps that is the first lesson of this week's Gospel Reading; when we recognize the ineptness of our prayer life we need to humbly ask Jesus to teach us to pray. Imagine what would happen if for a month or two you daily asked him to do this. Ask another to teach you to pray and they probably will take you to their bookshelf or the local religious bookstore to find one of the myriad how-to books on the subject. Jesus simply taught them a useable format, so powerful that it has had enduring value for centuries both as a learned prayer and as a valuable pattern for praying. You can learn some things about prayer by reading about it, but you really learn to pray by praying. Imagine what would happen if along with your request to Jesus to teach you to pray, you began praying the Lord's prayer daily for a month or two, not simply as a prayer but also as a pattern for other prayer. Interestingly, in

response to the disciple's request, the other two things Jesus taught regarding prayer were to be persistent ("Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you,") and to have confidence that God will do better than we ask ("If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father ...") Because prayer takes discipline, is spiritual warfare, and requires faith we need to learn to never give up. This message is especially vital in our culture of instant gratification where delay is not an option, and having it now is expected. What could possibly entice us to be persistent when our prayers are not instantly answered? It could only be the conviction that God is really hearing us when we pray and that he has promised that his solutions will exceed our needs. If we perceive the Father to be like the man Jesus talked about, one from whom we have to wrestle help, we won't persist. But Jesus shows us that the Father is not that way, rather he is more loving than the most caring parent. He will respond to our requests with answers that exceed our needs. If we believe he is the Gracious Giver we will persist in prayer. St. Gregory of Nyssa, speaking of the Lord's prayer says, "Now, I make bold to add a little to what Scripture says; for the present congregation needs instruction not so much on how to pray, as on the necessity of praying at all, a necessity that has perhaps not yet been grasped by most people. In fact, the majority of men grievously neglect in their life this sacred and divine work which is prayer. In this matter, therefore, I think it right first of all to insist as much as possible that one must persevere in prayer ... secondly, that we must listen attentively to the Divine Voice which proposes to us the manner in which we should offer prayer to the Lord." So let us begin afresh by asking, "Lord, teach us to pray."

Daily Mass Readings

Monday, July 29	First Reading: <u>Ex. 32: 15-24, 30-34</u> Gospel: <u>Jn. 11: 19-27</u>
Tues- day, July 30	First Reading <u>Ex. 33: 7-11; 34: 5b-9, 28</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 13: 36-43</u>
Wednes- day, July 31	First Reading: <u>Ex. 34: 29-35</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 13: 44-46</u>
Thurs- day, Aug. 1	First Reading: <u>Ex. 40: 16-21, 34-38</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 13: 47-53</u>
Friday, Aug. 2	First Reading: <u>Lv. 23: 1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 13: 54-58</u>
Satur- day, Aug. 3	First Reading: <u>Lv. 25: 1, 8-17</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 14: 1-12</u>
Sunday, Aug. 4	First Reading: <u>Eccl. 1: 2; 2: 21-23</u> Second Reading: <u>Col. 3: 1-5, 9-11</u> Gospel: <u>Lk. 12: 13-21</u>

Reflecting On Sunday's Readings,
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St. Monica\St. Elizabeth, Blue Rapids



Calendar and Mass Intention

Aug. 4th, 8:30 am — For All Teachers & Students

July 21, 2019 offerings

Envelopes	\$252.00
Plate	\$125.00
Children's Collection	\$ 12.95

NOTICE-
Eucharistic ministers, lector and servers please meet with Fr Anthony in the vestment room 10 minutes before Mass.

Ministers of the Mass

Sunday Aug. 4th, 8:30 a.m. St. Monica\St. Elizabeth

Lector	
Servers	
Gifts	
Communion	
Ushers	

Church Cleaners: July– Peggy Waite
Sacristan Schedule: July— Peggy Waite
Collection Counters: July— John Wienck & Adam Schreiner
Rosary: Jean Ann Wilson

ROSARY LEADERS– We are just starting this. We need more volunteers to do a month at a time. There will be a sign up sheet in the back of church.

ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHICKEN BBQ The Marysville Knights of Columbus will be having their Annual Chicken BBQ on Sunday, July 28th, 12:30 pm at the Knights Hall. Chicken, Hotdogs, Drinks and table service will be provided. Please bring a covered dish. Open to all Knights members and their families and guests.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Gail Johannes 7/21
Emma Toerber 7/22
Mack Shanks 7/23
Brooke Lees 7/27

ANNIVERSARIES

Scott & Sarah Toerber 7/20

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NOTICE ALL PARISHIONERS– Please contact Mary Ann Heinen at ogmarebr@yahoo.com by Thursdays at 5:00 pm for any announcements that you want made at mass on the weekend.



St. Columbkille Parish, Blaine KS

Ministers of the Mass *Saturday Aug. 3, 6:00 p.m.*

Lector	Lisa Moser
Servers	Rebecca Krohn*, Eva Krohn, Ty Krohn
Ministers	Harry Moser, Elaine Hofman, Debbie Plummer, Pat Wulf
Hospitality	Dan & Julie Roggenkamp

Saturday July 20, 2019 offering:

7/20/2019	Envelope	473.00	
	Plate	36.00	
	Hall Rent	300.00	
			809.00

7/20/2019	Church Reno		150.00
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Server Schedule

3-August	Rebecca Krohn*, Eva Krohn, Ty Krohn
10-August	Jarritt Martens*, Maria Krohn, Bailey Martens
17-August	Ethan Karnes*, Malea Karnes, Noah Valburg
24-August	Eli Roggenkamp *, Brooklyn Plummer, Allie Valburg

Church Cleaning Schedule

Aug. 4-10	Patsy Campbell, Debbie O'Shea, Megan Campbell
Aug. 18-24	Joyce Blaske, Jennifer Blaske, Peggy Muller
Sept. 8-14	Maggie Lundberg , Jayme Lundberg, Takla Lundberg

ONAGA HIGH SCHOOL

The OHS Spirit Squad has decided to put on a Back to School Breakfast for the community in the High School commons area on Sunday, August 18 from 9:00 – 12:30. Serving Biscuits/Gravy, Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Cinnamon Rolls, Coffee & Juice. Free will donation.

Bring Holy Communion to the Sick and Housebound

If parish members are ill and unable to attend mass, please contact Father Anthony at [785-844-2575](tel:785-844-2575), Mike Sanford at [870-550-3732](tel:870-550-3732), or Pat Wulf at [785-770-0384](tel:785-770-0384) to have Communion given.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Every Wednesday from 11-3pm.

Senior Citizens of Blaine and Westmoreland meet the fourth Tuesday of each month at noon for a potluck followed by a meeting and cards. All are welcome.

Church Picnic Save the date Saturday, August 24.

Attention Parishioners: The Altar Society will again have the "Silent Auction" at the church picnic on August 24th. Please be thinking of items for donations that you would like to bring. Denise Finan will head the committee. Thank you all for participating in this money making event. All proceeds will be given to the restoration fund this year.

Your "Stuff" Needed ~ Bazaar Game to be added ~ "Kids/Adult Dime Toss" ~ We kindly ask for donations of Glassware, Happy meal items, small stuffed animals etc. all in perfect &/or gently used condition. Please contact Andrea Karnes or Kellie O'Shea with questions.

Knights of Columbus Meeting - [August 8](#) - 8PM

Divine Mercy: In the Second Greatest Story Ever Told.

Come learn more about our church and God's love for us. This week will be the seventh lesson of ten. Please consider participating, Wednesday at 6:30pm. (No prior attendance necessary.) We are watching the series on formed.org.

Donations needed Pawnee Mental Health Services annually puts on S.T.A.R.S. (Strength, Teamwork, Attitude, Relationships, Self-Esteem) Camp for children 7-17 who experience Serious Emotional Disturbances (SED). Camp is free of charge to the participants; to help fund and enhance the camp, Pawnee is seeking donations from community members. Donations needed include monetary donations or the following items: snack items (crackers, granola bars, ships, cookies, fruit snack or juice boxes), health and safety items (sunscreen, insect repellent, first aid items, small flashlights), or efficiency items (string bags, water bottles). Please bring your donations for S.T.A.R.S. camp to the back of the church or contact Diane Hinrichs, Pawnee Development Manager at [785-564-1059](tel:785-564-1059) or email at diane.hinrichs@pawnee.org.