



Monday, April 26
No Mass OR Communion Service

Tuesday, April 27
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service

Wednesday, April 28
St. Peter Chanel
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, April 29
St. Catherine of Siena
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service

Friday, April 30
St. Pius V
 8:00 a.m. Communion Service

Saturday, May 1
First Saturday
 8:00 a.m. Sherman Harlow †

Saturday, May 1
 5:00 p.m. Virginia Hink †

Sunday, May 2
 8:00 a.m. The Parish
 10:30 a.m. First Communicants

Confessions are heard in the Confessional located at the front of the church on the south side. Confessions are heard Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. before the 8:00 a.m. Mass AND Saturday at 4:00 p.m. before the 5 p.m. Mass.

Stewardship

April 18, 2021

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,155.25
Capital Improvements	\$ 140.00
Easter	\$ 100.00
Priesthood	\$ 30.00
Holy Land	\$ 20.00
Home Missions	\$ 15.00

Thank you for your continued generosity in supporting our parish and the works of the universal church! It is through your generosity that we will continue to see progress and growth in our parish family!

The parish offers **Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)** for your stewardship contributions. You can choose monthly or every two weeks. Forms are available through the parish office. Please provide a voided check for the bank account from which the funds will be debited.

Need an ANNULMENT and/or CONVALIDATION???

If you find yourself in the situation where you are living in a marriage that has not been blessed by the Church or cohabitating (living as husband and wife without being actually married) OR you are in need of an annulment in order to have a present marriage convalidated, please contact Fr. Bruce at his email address on the cover of the bulletin. Fr. Bruce will assist you with either or both situations, so that you will be able to start receiving Holy Communion again.

The next Altar Society meeting will be held next Sunday, May 2nd, 9:00 am, in the church basement.

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Mass Ministries

April 24—5:00 p.m.

Servers—Delaney Wieland, Dacey Wieland
Lector—John Maddock
Greeters—Becky & Chuck Golba

April 25—8:00 a.m.

Servers—Aidan Cannon, Grant Cannon
Lector—Patti Wagner
Greeters—Bruce Ewalt, Dean Wagner

April 25—10:30 a.m.

Servers—Carter Schneider, Ethan Kuhlman
Lector—Scott Schneider
Greeters—Danny & Mary Quinn Family
Counters—Benny Rice, Boyd Akins, Jim Vogel

May 1—5:00 p.m.

Servers—Nate Capuro
Lector—Bradley Hennigh
Greeters—Judy and Phil Dixon

May 2—8:00 a.m.

Servers—Kylie Baalman, Connor Baalman
Lector—Amy Goode
Greeters—Julie and David Baalman

May 2—10:30 a.m.

Servers—Aidan Cannon, Grant Cannon
Lector—John Urbom
Greeters—Pat and Tom York
Counters—Cheryl Gray, Janie Prettyman, Karen Wood

The monthly schedule is also posted on the bulletin boards at the North and East entrances of the Church.

High School Graduates ~ Mark your Calendars!

The 2021 Graduation Mass will be celebrated May 23rd at 10:30 a.m.

Open to Louisburg and ALL area High School Graduates. Wear your cap and gown, if possible. Of course, the men will be expected to remove their caps, while seated in the Church. Let us see your school colors!

Please pray for our 2nd grade School of Religion students who will be receiving their **First Holy Communion** next Sunday, May 2nd at the 10:30 Mass.



Readings for the Week of April 25, 2021

Monday, 4/26 Acts 11: 1-18 / Pss 42,43 / Jn10: 1-10
 Tuesday, 4/27 Acts 11: 19-26 / Ps 87 / Jn 10: 22-30
 Wednesday, 4/28 Acts 12: 24—13: 5a / Ps 67 / Jn 12: 44-50
 Thursday, 4/29 Acts 13: 13-25 / Ps 89 / Jn 13: 16-20
 Friday, 4/30 Acts 13: 26-33 / Ps 2 / Jn 14: 1-6
 Saturday, 5/1 Acts 13: 44-52 / Ps 98 / Jn 14: 7-14
 Sunday, 5/2 Acts 9: 26-31 / Ps 22 / 1 Jn 3: 18-24 / Jn 15: 1-8

BULLETIN COVER ~ In the up-coming weeks, you will notice that the bulletin cover will have experienced a "Spring cleaning"! ;) It is always helpful to assess the best format in which to share necessary information with the parish community and any visitors.

May is Foster Care Awareness Month!
 There are over 7,500 children in care in Kansas. Over 2,000 foster families have opened their hearts and homes to lovingly care for many vulnerable children until they can safely return home.

To show gratitude to these families and raise awareness of the need for more loving foster homes, Archbishop Naumann will celebrate a **Foster Appreciation Mass** on Sunday, May 2nd, 9:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Lenexa. All foster families and those who serve the foster community are invited to attend.
 The Livestream link can be found on the Holy Trinity Catholic Parish YouTube Channel or by visiting htlenexa.org

Dispensation Ending on Corpus Christi, June 5-6
 Over the past year, a lot of dioceses and archdioceses have dispensed their faithful from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass, due to the pandemic, but still required them to keep holy the Sabbath. As of the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus, this dispensation will be lifted; it will cease to be in effect. What does that mean? It means that the faithful will be once more required to attend Mass on each and every weekend... and why wouldn't we... it's Mass! As in any time of the year, this does not apply to those who are sick or have a genuine underlying medical condition which would prevent them from doing so. The Archbishop will be addressing this topic in a number of his *Leaven* columns. I will address the topic both in the bulletin and from the pulpit. I just wanted to give you a heads-up, so that you can prepare accordingly.
Fr. Bruce

Saturday, May 1, is the Feast of St. Joseph the Worker
 Dear St. Joseph,
 By the work of your hands and the sweat of your brow, you supported Jesus and Mary, and had the Son of God as your fellow worker.
 Teach me to work as you did, with patience and perseverance, for God and for those whom God has given me to support. Teach me to see in my fellow workers the Christ who desires to be in them, that I may always be charitable and forbearing towards all.
 Grant me to look upon work with the eyes of faith, so that I shall recognize in it my share in God's own creative activity and in Christ's work of our redemption, and so take pride in it.
 When it is pleasant and productive, remind me to give thanks to God for it.
 And when it is burdensome, teach me to offer it to God, in reparation for my sins and the sins of the world.

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Parish Council and Finance Council ~ As life starts to return to more of a sense of normal in the parish and the community at large, we will start to resume some more of our normal meetings.

The pastoral council and finance council exist to help a pastor with keeping track of the pulse of the parish and using the resources of the parish to fulfill the mission of the Church. When a pastor either moves, is transferred, or dies, those councils cease to exist and to function. The new pastor or parochial administrator is then to form new councils or continue to utilize the previously existing councils, when and as needed. The ever-changing dynamics of the pandemic has meant a delay in the resuming of these meetings.

These councils are consultative, in that they are consulted and provide recommendations and suggestions. The councils are not deliberative, in that they are not decision-making groups. The responsibility to make the ultimate decision rests with the pastor because there are factors involved in a parish of which the council members might have no way of knowing.

I want to thank all of those individuals who have served on these two councils in the past. I am reconfiguring the councils to allow for a wider representation of the parish without necessarily increasing the numbers of members. I will be publishing a list of these council members in a future bulletin, so that you will know who the individuals are that you could contact, if you wanted.
Fr. Bruce Ansems

New to the parish? Please Register.

Please fill out or call the office, 913-837-2295.

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Address _____

Email Address _____

Complete registration materials will be e(mailed).



Are you celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary in 2021?

The Archdiocesan 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration is Sunday, June 13th, 2:00 p.m., at the Church of the Nativity in Leawood.
 To receive your invitation from Archbishop Naumann, please call the parish office, 913-837-2295, and give us your name, address, phone number and the date of your wedding. *Please do this as soon as possible.*