



St. MARK *the* EVANGELIST

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Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time — September 8, 2019



“OUR MISSION IS TO CREATE A WELCOMING
 CATHOLIC CULTURE OF LOVE AND CHARITY THAT
 PROVIDES ALL PARISHIONERS THE OPPORTUNITY TO
 BECOME DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.”

DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION	MASS SCRIPTURES
Sat., September 7	6:00 p.m.	+ Joe Martin	Wisdom 9:13-18b; Philemon 9-10,12-17; Luke 14:25-33
Sun., September 8	8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish	
	10:00 a.m.	Cocking Family	
Mon., September 9	8:00 a.m.	+ Cy Gruenbacher	Colossians 1:24—2:3; Luke 6:6-11
Tues., September 10	8:00 a.m.	Anna Hermes	Colossians 2:6-15; Luke 6:12-19
Wed., September 11	8:00 a.m.	Carlene Lubbers	Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 6:20-26
Thurs., September 12	8:00 a.m.	+ Gene Kapaun	Colossians 3:12-17; Luke 6:27-38
Fri., September 13	8:00 a.m.	+ Mark (Butch) Ast	1 Timothy 1:1-2,12-14; Luke 6:39-42
Sat., September 14	6:00 p.m.	+ Chantelle Rausch	Exodus 32:7-11,13-14; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32
Sun., September 15	8:00 a.m.	+ Walt & Geraldine Faber	
	10:00 a.m.	People of the Parish	

St. Mark's Cash Bingo

The Altar Society will be hosting their Cash Bingo & Quilt Raffle on **Sunday, September 15th** in the parish hall. Doors open at 11 am and games begin at 1 pm. Don't miss out on chili, cinnamon rolls and homemade pies.



Interested in becoming Catholic?

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or becoming Catholic, we will be starting RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) classes on **September 17th @ 7 pm**. If you are unsure, this would be a great way to learn more so you can make an informed decision. Contact Fr. Brian (frbrian@stmarkks.org) or Molly Milana (mollym@stmarkks.org) with questions. You may call the parish office to reach either of them at 796-1604.



Kapaun's Men

Meetings are starting September 6th in the Marion Room at Sacred Heart, Colwich at 6:00 am. There's still time to join. Contact Jim Lane at 671-2030 for more information.



Save the Date

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, October 12th** for St. Mark's Oktoberfest. Mass will be at 4:00 pm, and food, fun, & activities will follow.



Welcome

James & Elizabeth Anderson have newly registered in St. Mark Parish. We warmly welcome them as members of our parish family.

Ministry Scheduler Pro

Ministry Scheduler allows you to request a sub for your weekend liturgical role if you are going to be gone. Please follow up to see that it has been filled before the weekend. Thank you.

Last Week's Stewardship of Treasure

Ordinary Parish Income	\$ 10,117.88
Extraordinary Parish Income	\$ 2,100.00
TOTAL	\$ 12,217.88

Thank you for your generous sacrificial giving.

ST. MARK'S CYM

Join us Wednesday night at 8pm for adoration and praise & worship music! We will meet downstairs before walking to the church. Bring your prayer materials, if you'd like.



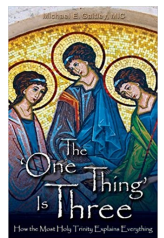
Looking ahead...

Sept. 18: Glow-in-the-dark Tag

Sept. 25: DTS

Women's Group: *The One Thing is Three*

This 10-week women's study will begin on **Monday, September 16th** from 6:00pm -7:00pm. The book *The One Thing is Three* is the third in a series by Fr. Michael Gaitley and focuses on the relevance of the Holy Trinity in our lives. It is recommended that readers have already completed *33 Days to Morning Glory* and *Consoling the Heart of Jesus*, but not required. All women are welcome. Contact Molly Milana at 402-613-9790 for more information.



*St. Michael the Archangel, pray for them!
Father Emil Kapaun, pray for them!*

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| Amn Derek Hemmen | Sgt Mark Mohr |
| 1stLt Shane Brittain | James Strunk |
| Sgt John Schaffer | Andrew Klausner |
| Sgt Justin Flint | TSgt Pete Sevart |
| Cpl K. Shaun Boosinger | Cpl Andrew Nutter |
| E7 Jonathan Casey | SSgt Michael Hermann |
| Michael J. Klausner | Michael Klausner |
| SSgt Wesley Mains | Lt Col Charles Timmermeyer |
| MAJ Shawn Mains | |

May God watch over all our military personnel!

Please remember the sick in your prayers

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| Pat Aylward | Jeanette Walker |
| Dolores Mies | Curt Mohr |
| Andrew Erker | Tom Strunk |
| Lucas Schauf | Luke Eck |
| Michael Mertes | Jerry Giebler |
| Donald Stockemer | Jan Stuart |
| Pete Swingle | Mike Hurley |
| Ky Heinz | Ambrose Martin |
| Dylan Schneider | Marcia Maybrier |
| Cindy Seiwert | Carl Burrows |
| Kim Reiman | Shannon Gould |

Parish Phone Directory

If you did not pick up the Parish Phone Directory, you can still pick one up in the parish office.

40th Annual Colwich Golf Tournament

Four-person golf scramble at Hesston Golf Park on Sunday, September 22th at 08:30 am, hosted by K of C 9510 council. Registration is \$260 per team which includes green fees, carts, dinner, beverages, and prizes (entry deadline 09/13). Please contact Paul Kear at (316) 706-5493 for more details. Proceeds will benefit the Lord's Diner and youth development group of the parish.



Sacred Heart, Colwich Cash Bingo

St Anne's Altar Society Cash Bingo will be **Sunday, September 8** at The Keg Dance Hall (temporary location due to church renovations) 130 Chicago Avenue. Doors open at 1 pm and games begin at 2 pm. Snacks & desserts will be available. Proceeds go toward Seminarians, Retired Priests, and Catholic charity organizations.

Religious Freedom Symposium

The Diocese of Wichita to co-host the Religious Freedom Symposium. On September 11th, various religious communities in the Wichita area including the Diocese of Wichita will host a Religious Freedom Symposium. The event will be from 7 to 9 p.m. **Wednesday, Sept. 11**, in the Roger D. Lowe Auditorium at Wichita State University's Eugene M. Hughes Metropolitan Complex. The symposium will focus on religious freedom and why as individuals we should care. The event is open to all faiths and denominations.

Event Registration located here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/religious-freedom-symposium-tickets-69767070185?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Saturday, September 7

5:00 pm Young Adult Choir Practice
6:00 pm Young Adult Choir Sings

Monday, September 9

12:00 pm Adoration
7:00 pm SMAC Practice

Tuesday, September 10

Parish Office Closed

3:30 pm Children's Choir practice
10:00 pm Adoration ends

Wednesday, September 11

6:30 pm PSR & Mass
8:00 pm CYM

Thursday, September 12

11:00 am Bulletin Deadline
4:00 pm Organ Lessons

Saturday, September 14

6:00 pm SMAC Sings

Sunday, September 15

10:00 am Children's Choir Sings
1:00 pm Altar Society Cash Bingo Begins

Ministry with Persons with Disabilities

The Nourish for Caregivers™ Support Group

Meetings are the second Thursday of each month. Next meeting is Thursday, September 12, Noon-1:30 pm at St. Joseph Pastoral Center (437 N Topeka, Wichita)

Maturing Gracefully - Workshop on Vision Concerns

This is an ecumenical gathering designed for those who are facing vision difficulties, those who may face difficulties in the future, and for those who provide care for individuals with vision concerns.

Tuesday, October 1, 10:15 – 12:00. Advance Learning Library (Downtown), Conference Room C

Informational Night for Parents with a Child with a Disability

Monday, October 7, 6:00 – 8:45 pm at St. Joseph Pastoral Center, 437 N. Topeka Street.

Topics will include Guardianship, Financial Planning, Independent Living, and Mental Health.

Elijah Cup

Families Praying for Vocations

Please return the Elijah Cup to Church by Noon Saturday.



Sept 7	6 pm	Steve & Carrie Patton family
Sept 8	8 am	Dan & Debra Brand
Sept 15	8 am	Connie & Chris Wiss
Sept 15	10 am	Jerome & Pat Newby

Call Gaye Horn at 722-9601 to be scheduled for a week of prayer with the Elijah Cup.

Prayer Line



To place a prayer intention on the prayer line, please call Kathy (Mrs. Ray) Mies at 796-1909. Your intention will be sent to all who signed up for this ministry on their Stewardship form.

Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples

In today's Gospel, Jesus lays out a pretty clear path to discipleship:

renounce your worldly possessions, plan like an architect, and prepare to battle with king-like



strategy. This definition may be clear, but it is certainly daunting! Humans tend to seek a life of ease, and discipleship is anything but easy!! Jesus wants us to understand that discipleship does not lead to worldly fame and glory, and it will likely cost us everything that is dear to us. Being a true missionary disciple is so much more than simply being a follower of Jesus. Most of us will hesitate to leave everything behind in order to pick up our crosses in a true act of discipleship. Stewardship is so much more than writing a check or signing up for a ministry! It requires loyalty, sacrifice, perseverance, and faith in God.

Virtus Training Dates

Wanting to volunteer to help with kids in your parish? Need Virtus Training?? Here's a list up upcoming dates. Participants can sign up on the virtus website at <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/>

Saturday, October 19, 9:00 am—St. Francis

Monday, November 4, 6:30 pm—St. Catherine

Tuesday, November 12, 6:30 pm—St. Elizabeth

Spiritual Life Center Programs

For more information or to register, please call 744-0167 or Visit www.slcwichita.org

Series: Surviving Divorce; 12 Mondays, starting Sept. 9; 7-8:30 p.m. Surviving Divorce was created to bring hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. It is for the newly separated and divorced and those still struggling with issues years later. It will help them answer their questions, restore hope, and begin authentic healing. Meet each Monday thru Nov. 25.

Series: Tolkien for Today; Six Thursdays, starting Sept 19; 7-8:30 pm. Study J.R.R. Tolkien's worldview and the insights he can offer to our contemporary lives. Attendees will study the Lord of the Rings trilogy, including clips from the films, insights from Tolkien's life and letters, and commentary from various Tolkien scholars. \$60

12 Steps—A Spiritual Journey; Thursdays, starting Sept. 26; 7-8:30 pm or Wednesdays, starting October 2; 10-11:30 am. A program of healing and renewal for adults who grew up in repressive or dysfunctional families - 30 sessions taking place over 7 months. Helpful workbook available for \$20 and donations accepted for program. Registration period open through mid October.

Contemplative Prayer with the IHM Sisters; Saturday, Sept. 28; 9 am - 3 pm. Join the Sisters of the Immaculate Conception for this beautiful day-long workshop on contemplative prayer. Sr. Marie Therese and Sr. Mary Agnes will guide participants through a study of what contemplative prayer is. The day will include conferences, daily Mass, lunch, and private prayer time. \$30

Liturgical Roles for September 14th & September 15th

	Saturday 6:00 p.m.	Sunday 8:00 a.m.	Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Acolyte or MC	Matthew Seiler	Gavin Newell	Luke Hill
Altar Servers	Harrison Potucek Easton Linnens	Porter Newell Elijah Carlin	Lucas Hemmen Laine Graf
Lector	Chris Schneider	Peter Sheahon	Ethan Albert
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Sacred Host: Gavin Seiler	Sacred Host: Connie Wiss	Sacred Host: Joleen Reeger Precious Blood: Lynette Brittain, Gary Dick
Offertory	Katie Kelp	Derek & Crystal Grimes	Jim & Cheryl Brand
Head Usher	Bret Hastings	Michael Schmidt	Jerome Newby
Ushers/Greeters	Landon Hastings Peyton Hastings Justin Landwehr	Luke Schmidt Ray Mies Suzie Mies	Pat Newby Luke Betzen Arlen Freund
Musicians	SMAC	Anna Hermes Sara & Kathy Myers, Ruth May	Children's Choir
Rosary	Larry & Kathy Kincheloe	Crystal Grimes	Joleen & Cassie Reeger
Daily Servers Michael Braaten September 9 - September 13 Matthew Braaten		Daily Servers Hank Purvis September 16 - September 20 Cal Purvis	

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE AT YOUR DESIGNATED MASS, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH SOMEONE ELSE.