



Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. Kent O'Connor

Associate Pastor: Fr. Anthony Mersmann

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Church Office Hours: M-F 8:30am - 4:00pm

As Good Shepherd Catholic community, we promote the Kingdom of God by living as disciples of Jesus.



Sunday, May 28, 2023

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to them again,
"Peace be with you. As
the Father has sent
me, so I send you."
- Jn 20:21

**Readings: I - Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
II - 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
Gospel - John 20:19-23**

Masses: Saturday 5pm / Sunday 8am, 10am, 4pm (Bilingual)
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:30am / Tuesday 6:00pm

Misa en Español: Domingo 12:30pm / Jueves 6:15pm

Reconciliation: Thursday 5-6pm / Saturday 3:30-4:30pm

Adoration: Thursday's - Romero Chapel 6am-10pm

Pray for our Faith Community

Mass Intentions

May 27 - June 2

Saturday 5/27


5:00pm - Intentions for Adam Larson,
by Karen & Lauren Larson

Sunday 5/28

8:00am - Landis Larson - d,
by Lauren & Karen Larson

10:00am - Herschel Keitel - d,
by Eileen Keitel

4:00pm - Intentions for Dick Sullivan
& Family,
by Gerry Sullivan & Donna Sullivan

Monday 5/29 

*6:00pm - Ben Winkelman - d,
by Donna Sullivan

Tuesday 5/30

6:00 pm - Cleeanne Castleman - d,
by Havranek Family

Wednesday 5/31

8:30am - Joseph & Frances Kronek - d,
by Linda Black

Thursday 6/01

8:30am - Intentions for Mersmann
Family

Friday 6/02

8:30am - Bill Bolton - d,
by Vickie Bolton

(*Monday, 5/29 daily Mass is at
6:00pm, NO 8:30am Mass that day.)

Pray for the Sick

Sue Laverdure, parishioner

Jim Allen, husband of Mary Kay

Jackie Muder, mother of Martha Tady

Debbie Hirsch, niece of **Mickie Mettee**

Lauren Brennan, daughter of Paula & Sean

Steve Shikles, son of Joann

To add a family member to the Prayer list, please contact the
Church Office @ 913-631-7116 or Caring Ministry @ 913-563-5308.

Catholic Cemeteries of NE Kansas
will host Memorial Day Masses on Monday,
May 29 at several locations in JO & WY CO

JOHNSON COUNTY:

8 a.m. at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Olathe

8:15 a.m. at Holy Trinity Church, Lenexa

9 a.m. at Resurrection Cemetery, Lenexa

9 a.m. at St. Joseph Cemetery, Shawnee

WYANDOTTE COUNTY:

9 a.m. at Mt. Calvary Cemetery, KCK

9 a.m. at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, KCK
(commemorating persons buried at this
cemetery & at Mt. Calvary Cem., Lansing)

In case of rain, Masses will be in
mausoleum chapels or nearby churches.
For more information, call 913-371-4040

*Please note: The Church Office will be
closed on Monday, May 29th in
observance of Memorial Day.*

Pray for our Military

We pray for: Army Capt. Kenneth Englert, son of Jeff and Lisa Englert

Lt Col Amanda Owens, US Embassy, daughter of Sandy Owens

Army 1st Lt Sean Bowen, son of Don & Colleen Bowen

If you or a family member are currently an active duty member of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast
Guard or National Guard, and would like to be added to prayers as a thank you for service,
please email name, rank and branch of service to shavranek@gsshawnee.org.

New to Good Shepherd? Welcome! We're glad you are here!

Register with us and begin receiving our weekly newsletter for information on news and
events. Online registration at gsshawnee.org, under the "I'm New" tab, or call the Parish
Office at 913-631-7116.

Good Shepherd This Week

Monday, 05-29

Church Office Closed

MASS - Church 6:00 pm

Boy Scouts - CC Meeting Rm. 6:30pm

Tuesday, 05-30

Rosary - Romero Chapel 5:30 pm

Choir Rehearsal - Music Rm. 7:00 pm

Wednesday, 05-31

JHigh / Oasis - Conf. Rm. C. 9:00 am

Adult Sacrament Prep/Span.-Library 6:00pm

Thursday, 06-01

Parish Council Meeting - Library 7:00 pm

Quinceanera Rehearsal - Church 7:00 pm

Friday, 06/02

1st Friday Rosary - Church 9:00 am

Saturday, 06-03

CCR Jobs Club - CC Meeting Rm. 8:30 am

Quinceanera Retreat - SH 8:00 am

Baptism - Church 9:00 am

Quinceanera - Church 1:00 pm

Boy Scouts Rummage Sale - GS Parking Lot

***Heavenly Dusters
clean the Church on the 2nd and 4th
Mondays each month from 9-10:30am.
If you would like to help, please
contact: Donna Cornett 816-225-1433.
(Special Cleaning Day on
Friday, June 9th at 9:00am.)***

***If you would like a Parish
Directory, please visit
the Church Office,
M-F 8:30am-4:00pm.***

For the most up-to-date information, visit ***www.gsshawnee.org***



Sign up for Flocknotes

**Thanks to your
donations, 138 bags
of groceries were
collected this past
weekend for the Catholic
Charities food truck!
We appreciate your
generosity!**



**Our collection for June will be
June 17 & 18, and most needed
donations are:**

**Boxed meals, dry beans,
canned fruit (low sugar),
cereal & canned vegetables
(no corn or green beans.)**

**Please no glass jars or industrial
size food items. Low sodium &
pop-top cans if possible.**



Divine Mercy Cenacle

The Divine Mercy Cenacle (Prayer Group) meets the 1st & 3rd Monday of each month at 1:00pm in the Romero Chapel. We read & discuss topics from St. Faustina's Diary & pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet together.

Next meeting is Monday, June 5th.

Catholic Career Roundtable

The CCR Job Club meets Saturdays at Good Shepherd - Meeting 8:30-9:30 AM

Networking 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM

At our weekly workshops, we discuss all facets of the job search, from identifying target companies to finding contacts to help you get in the door, to following up after interviews.

Have additional questions? Contact Phillip Morgan at (816) 582-1809 or Phillip@ccrjc.org.

There will be no meeting on Saturday, May 27th.



STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Pentecost Sunday

"To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good." Corinthians 12:7

To receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and invite Him in! Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your thoughts, words and actions every day. Be grateful for all the gifts God has given you. Regardless of our individual circumstances, God has given all of us many blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God. By generously sharing everything we have and everything we are, we become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered" and our lives truly reflect God's light, love and mercy.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory Collections - week of 5/14/2023	\$ 29,820
YTD Actual (July1-current)	\$1,695,251
12 mo Annual Budget	\$ 1,919,200

This weekend especially we are reminded how much the Spirit is with us and visible in our good works, teaching and guiding us through our lives.

We are grateful for the working of the Spirit in your lives, for your sharing of your many special and varied gifts of time, talent and treasure with our faith community and beyond. **THANK YOU.**

Monday is Memorial Day, a national holiday dedicated to service men and women who gave their lives for freedom and country. Take some time to remember your lost loved ones in whatever way you feel appropriate.

Good Shepherd's 50th anniversary celebration is Friday, June 9th.

Plan to join us for Mass with Archbishop Naumann at 5:30 pm with a dinner and social following. Please sign up to attend so we can plan accordingly: in person signups in the narthex after weekend Masses this weekend and next OR check your online Flocknotes for a SignUp Genius. Thanks!

ARE YOU OVER 70 ½?

... and looking for an easy, tax-friendly way to donate to Good Shepherd? Normally, a distribution from your IRA is taxed as ordinary income, but a special IRS provision allows those who are 70½ or older, to make a direct gift from your IRA to Good Shepherd, federal tax free. If you're 72, your gift counts toward your required minimum distribution (RMD) and can reduce your adjusted gross income (AGI). Consult your tax advisor about your unique situation.

Provide for your family and help sustain
your parish for future generations
with estate and gift planning.



Visit
CatholicPlannedGiving.com

Pick up an empty baby bottle in the narthex

Fill it with change and cash

Return the bottle to church on Fathers' Day weekend (6/18)

Baby Bottle Project
May 14 - June 18

Giving life to moms and their babies

All proceeds will benefit crisis pregnancy centers in Johnson and Wyandotte Counties

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Contact Paul Faltermeier at 913-980-1075



Celebrate Our

50th Anniversary

1973 - 2023

Friday, June 9th

Mass at 5:30 PM with Archbishop Naumann

Dinner follows

GOOD SHEPHERD LEGACY SOCIETY

CELEBRATING THE 50 YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

A Great Legacy in His Glory

Help and sustain our legacy for future generations with a gift to the parish through your estate plans.



Estate Planning Guide Flip Book

Friday, June 23rd at 6:00pm - Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art
Free city-wide event for Catholic married couples of all ages

school of love

Date Night

ART TOURS & SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK

@ the Nelson-Atkins Museum

www.schoolofloveusa.com

All married Catholic couples are invited to a city-wide Date Night event at the Nelson-Atkins Museum hosted by School of Love on Friday, June 23rd. The event will be followed by Museum Tours and Shakespeare in the Park.

6:00 - Social Hour - (on the shuttlecock lawn)
6:45 - Talk - (in the museum auditorium)
7:30 - Museum Tours... OR
8:00 - Shakespeare in the Park - (across street at Southmoreland Park)

Find out more at www.schoolofloveusa.com/date-night



Prayer Shawl Ministry makes beautiful Shawls as a symbol of the unconditional love of God who enfolds, comforts, nurtures and shelters you. These are available for those who wish to give them to someone who may need the blanket of God's love. You are welcome to pick one up in the Outreach closet on the shelf in the right front corner.

**A reminder -
there are no Daily
Masses Tuesday,
June 6, Wednesday,
June 7 and Thursday
a.m., June 8th.**



Spring Cleaning Donations needed for El Buen Pastor

Time to go through those closets for any denim jackets / shirts / vests that you no longer need, and donate them to the **El Buen Pastor Women's Group**. The women are currently doing embroidery on denim items as a project for income and to offer a better variety of products at our annual craft sale.

Drop any donations in the box for EBP in the Outreach closet through the month of May. Our delegation will deliver them to the women in June.



Troop 394 Rummage Sale
Sat. & Sun., June 3 & 4th / 8 AM - 4 PM
Good Shepherd Church & School
NE Parking lot-12800 W. 75th St.
Do you have items you want to donate:
Text: "I want to donate" to 913.430.2394
All funds raised will go directly to the individual Scouts to assist with year-round camp activities. Your participation helps build future leaders by combining educational activities, core values and creating lifelong memories.

Staff Accountant

Good Shepherd Catholic Parish and School in Shawnee, KS is looking to hire a full time Staff Accountant. This position's responsibilities include, but are not limited to, overall financial management, general ledger record keeping, reconciliation of accounts, annual budgeting and monthly reporting to the Pastor, Director of Administrative Services and Finance Council.

The successful candidate will have:

- Familiarity and competence with accounting systems and current technology.
 - A minimum of an Associate's degree in Accounting and 5+ years of relative experience.
 - Strong communication and interpersonal skills are required.
- Spanish language skills are an asset.

A demonstrated commitment to the Catholic faith and mission is essential, along with a desire to work in a positive, faith-oriented environment.

This full-time position is eligible for Parish and Archdiocesan benefits. Please submit a cover letter and resume to frkent@gsshawnee.org. Resumes will be accepted until the position is filled.

Start date is negotiable.



Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Monday, June 12th

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Social Hall
12800 W. 75th



Appointments are preferred. Book your appointment today at savealifenow.org/group, enter **Group Code: 2U**. For additional details contact Jack Carson at (816) 225-2789 or johnfcarson@kcrr.com.

Medical eligibility questions? Call 1.800.688.0900

GET YOURS WHEN YOU DONATE!



Please remember to eat, drink, and bring your ID with your name and photo. Appointments are preferred however walk-ins will be welcomed if space permits. Visit savealifenow.org/coronavirus for complete COVID-19 safety protocols.



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Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus (Totally Yours) is a week-long program led by young Catholic adults to bring youth closer to Jesus through Mary. Students learn about the rich Catholic faith through prayer, skits, songs, games and Sacraments.

Grades 1-6
July 24-28,
2023
9:00 am-3:00

Grades 7-12
July 23-27,
2023
6:30-8:45 pm

