

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away." - Mk 13:31

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14, 2021

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PUBLIC MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday 8:15am

Saturday Vigil 4:30pm

Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday Saturday

6:00pm 3:00—4:00pm



November 15 Weekday

8:15am † Frank Elliott

November 16 Weekday

8:15am † Fifi Jasso

November 17 Weekday

8:15am † Pat Martin

November 18 Weekday

8:15am † Sara Appelhanz

November 19 Weekday

8:15am † Dorothy Lukert

November 20 Weekday

8:15am † Clif Hess

4:30pm † Marie Putnam

November 21 34th Sunday Ordinary Time

7:30am † Boyd 'Buck' Reed

9:30am † Pat Gleason

11:30am † Lou Bruno



Thank you to all parishioners who donate on a regular basis to help support and continue our mission of forming disciples of Jesus Christ through our Church, CTK School, and Early Education Center.

We appreciate your much needed support.

Receipts for October 27, 2021 to November 3, 2021 Collection Report for fiscal year July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022

	Weekly Total	FY To Date
Envelope (white)	\$39,307.70	\$643,266.01
Plate (non-envelope)	\$1,863.19	\$25,620.58
Total Collections	\$41,1 <i>7</i> 0.89	\$668,886.59
Budgeted Collections	\$33,350.00	\$772,300.00
Income Over/(Under) Budget	\$7,820.89	(\$103,413.41)



Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Or are you taking your first steps in exploring the Catholic Faith? Wherever you are in your journey, you are most welcome here. Classes meet once a week at 10:00am to 11:15am on Sunday in our Saint John XXIII Room upstairs. If you have any questions, contact Angela at hermana@haydencatholic.net.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to help with our religious education program on Wednesday nights 6:15pm-7:30pm by supporting teachers and students in the classrooms.

Contact Religious Education Director, Deb Frost, at dfrost@ctktopeka.org or call our Church office at 785-273-0710 to volunteer.



Stewardship Drive 2022

Each of us is blessed by God more than we can imagine. Our very existence is a gift from God. Each breath we take and every beat of our hearts are gifts. All of our talents and abilities are given to us by God. Every night hundreds of things have to go right in our bodies in order for us to wake up in the morning. All of this, the entire universe in fact, is held together in God's Providence. Since God is always giving us these gifts, most of us don't think of them as gifts.

When we stop to consider it, the magnitude of God's gifts to each of us is staggering. To say that gratitude is an appropriate response seems woefully inadequate. How can I not want to make some kind of return to God for all that he has given and continues to give me?

This is the foundation for our 2022 Stewardship Drive. Sharing our time, talent, and treasure with God, our parish, and the wider community is one way of making some small return to God for all that he has given me.

The mailing you will receive outlines the ministries we are highlighting this year. These include Perpetual Adoration, liturgical ministries, carrying Holy Communion to those in nursing care facilities, hospitals, and homes, and assisting fellow parishioners with snow removal. Please prayerfully consider these opportunities to share your time and talent.

Our parish's financial needs continue to grow, so I also ask you to prayerfully consider increasing your tithing commitment for the 2022 calendar year.

Humbly I thank you for your generous support of our parish. Please ask God how He is inviting you to share your time, talents, and treasure throughout the coming year and do whatever He tells you.

Until next time, God bless you, Fr. Matthew

Finance Council:

Parish Office Contacts: 785-273-0710

Please call the office (before traveling to the church) to ensure that staff will be available to meet your needs.

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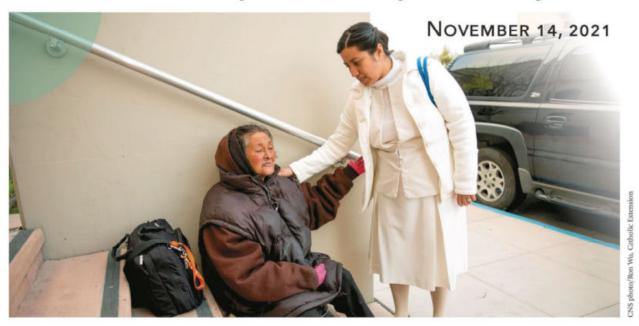
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You can also sign up for text messages by sending the word "ctktopeka" to 84576 on your mobile phone.

A weekly email with news & upcoming events is sent every Monday at noon.

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The Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



World Day of the Poor

WHO LIVES IN POVERTY USA?

All those who make less than the Federal government's official poverty threshold... which for a family of four is about \$25,700. People working at minimum wage, even holding down multiple jobs. Seniors living on fixed incomes. Wage earners suddenly out of work. Millions of families everywhere from our cities to rural communities.



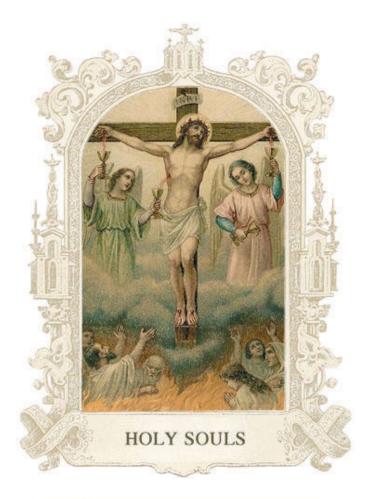
Poverty does not strike all demographics equally. For example, in 2018, 10.6% of men, and 12.9% of women lived in Poverty USA. Along the same lines, the poverty rate for married couples in 2018 was only 4.7% - but the poverty rate for single-parent families with no wife present was 12.7%, and for single-parent families with no husband present was 24.9%.

In 2018, the poverty rate for people living with a disability was 25.7%. That's nearly 4 million people living with a disability—in poverty.

Learn more about how you can encounter, educate and act at PovertyUSA.org

Sources: How the US Census Measures Poverty, US Census Bureau; Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2019, US Census Bureau (p. 18-19).





Prayer for Souls in Purgatory

Father, God of all consolation, in Your unending love and mercy for us, You turn the darkness of death into the dawn of new life. Through Your Son, Jesus Christ, we ask You to deliver the souls in Purgatory, especially those for whom we now pray...(mention them here). Welcome them into Your presence and bless them with eternal light and peace. Raise them up to live forever with all Your saints in the glory of the Resurrection. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



THERE IS POWER IN PRAYER

Christ the King Prayer Ministry is comprised of over 100 of your fellow parishioners, who are ready to respond to the prayerful needs of the parish. Let us pray for your loved one, friend, relative or anyone in need of prayers! We are here for you.

If you have someone needing prayers, contact Annie Lackey by phone at 554-7875 or by email lackeyannie12@gmail.com. If you have questions, you may also contact the church office at 273-0710.

A weekly recap of the prayer needs of the parish is compiled and emailed out to the Prayer Warriors each Thursday evening.

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing."

1 Thessalonians 5:11



PLEASE HELP US LIFT THE FOLLOWING UP IN PRAYER:

Ezra Fellers, Bill Martin, Alan Muckenthaler, Lee Lobmeyer, Rose Mary Whitford, Char Brazil, Rita Bates, Martin Chidalek, Pat Harman, Gerva Sunneberg, James Sampson, Jr., Luke Spitler, Brent Trueblood, Trudy Horting, Kelli Breer, Eleanor Strecker, Dan Lykins, Ruth Baldridge, Owen Burns, Bryson Andrew Baum, Dorothy Herbert, Neil Manke, Eileen Miller, Gary Slover, Hudson Gartner, Lois Conklin, Vincent Woodfield, Sarah Sachs-Jepson, Janet Sparling, Janet Matute, Robert Goupil, Jr., John Shellenberg, Ethel Jenkins, Jennifer Bloom, Bob Grochowsky, W.B. Bennett, Mary Martin, Maxwell Kelly, Emmett Flinn, Regina Bennett, Tonya Campbell, James Nunley, Richard Moran, Donald Von Feldt, Debby (Rottinghaus) Clifford, Katie Fritton, Adam Clark, Jamie Ireland, Judith Macdonald, Allie Shump, Joe Sapata, Katie Fritton, Mary Kirk, Dennis Johnson, Joseph Matthew Stevens, Dorothy Stevens, Eugene Ralston, Roy Macdonald, Ed Aldrine, Leah Deihl and Buena Enriquez.

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Christ the King Elementary School

FALL FUNDRAISER

Christ the King PTO would like to say THANK YOU to everyone for a very successful fall fundraiser. As a result of your hard work and generosity, we were able to raise over \$9,000! All of the money raised will directly benefit CTK school and students.

The three students who had the highest dollar amount sold were:

Sawyer with \$467.50 sold Caylee with \$485.00 sold Genevieve with \$1,152.00 sold

Way to go kiddos! The classroom with the highest dollar amount sold was Mrs. Appelhanz's class with \$3,321.00 sold. WOW! They were rewarded with a pizza party at school.



Christ the King Early Education Center





REMEMBERING THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Our friends at the Early Education Center learned about All Souls' Day and how the church honors, remembers and prays for the faithful departed especially during the month of November. We pray for all souls to reach Heaven.







UPCOMING EVENTS THIS WEEK



FIRE YOUTH GROUP EVERY WEDNESDAY, 7:00PM-9:00PM YOUTH GROUP ROOM

FIRE Youth Group (grades 9-12) meets weekly on Wednesdays. Anyone interested in youth group activities, please sign up to receive youth group communications on Flocknote at christheking44.flocknote.com. If you have any questions, please reach out to Joanna at 316-641-8971.



OPENING THE WORD EVERY THURSDAY 6:30PM-8:00PM

(Arrive at 6:10pm for Rosary)

YADRICH HALL

Join us for Lectio Divina on Thursday evenings to pray and study the Word of God as a small group. Each week we read, pray & reflect on the upcoming Sunday Mass Readings.



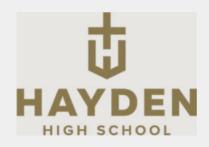
THAT MAN IS YOU EVERY SATURDAY 6:30AM-8:00AM YADRICH HALL

Join our men's group at Christ the King Church. That Man is You is an interactive, multimedia men's program focused upon the development of authentic male leadership. All men at our parish are welcome!



DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA LITTLE FLOWER CIRCLE SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST YADRICH HALL

The next meeting will be held on November 21, 2021, at 1:00 PM in Yadrich Hall at Christ the King Parish, 5972 SW 25th St. The Annual Memorial service will be followed by the business meeting and social time. If anyone knows of a member or family member of Daughters of Isabella in need of the Circle's prayers call Diana Ortiz at 785-554-4256.



HAYDEN IS ENROLLING FOR THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR

Give the Gift of a Catholic Education

Hayden is accepting applications for the 2022-2023 school year. Families that fill out an application for an incoming Freshman by Thanksgiving, will receive the Early Bird \$200 tuition reduction!

If you would like to explore a faith based high school education, contact us at haydencatholic@haydencatholic.net

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Check out our CTK YouTube Channel

Our Church's mission is to form disciples of Jesus Christ through prayer, learning, generosity and sharing the faith.

We share videos on our YouTube channel to answer common questions about the Catholic Faith and also to provide food for thought on a mix of different topics.

Scan this QR code to start watching our videos!







CHURCH RENOVATION

MASS INSTRUCTIONS

Masses are being held in our gym during construction. Please enter the gym doors on the southeast side of our campus for daily and Sunday Masses.

CHURCH OFFICE

To visit our church office, please go to the entrance of the school. You can then push a button by the door to be buzzed in and walk up through Yadrich Hall.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Our chapel is closed during the renovation.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are held in the two rooms on the northeast corner of our gym.







ACTIVITY CORNER



Unscramble words from today's Gospel:

shaken glory chosen clouds angels leaves gather heaven power <u>s h a k e n</u> shknae gthrae chsnoe cldsou glryo hvneea pwroe angsle



Saint Elizabeth
of Hungary,
pray for us!

CATHOLIC HUMOR

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KANSAS: NOW A "HAVEN" FOR UNLIMITED ABORTION?

Abortion Industry attorneys are celebrating Kansas as "a haven state in the Midwest" for unlimited abortion. Passage of the VALUE THEM BOTH state constitutional amendment on August 2, 2022, is the only way to protect women and babies in the heartland from this predatory industry.

How did we get here? Kansas became one of the most pro-abortion states in the country after a 2019 ruling by the State Supreme Court discovered and created a nearly unlimited right to abortion in the Kansas Constitution. Even the most basic limits on the abortion industry are now "presumed unconstitutional." Kansas is the "new New York" when it comes to abortion!

Abortion Industry lawyers state that Kansas will even be a destination state "if federal laws protecting abortion are overturned or significantly limited or undercut in other states."

Seizing upon this new, horrific legal landscape, Kansas abortionists began filing lawsuits to block the state's bipartisan, broadly supported abortion limits that protect preborn babies and mothers. Taxpayer-funded abortions in Kansas, up to the moment of birth, are almost certain to happen without the VALUE THEM BOTH Amendment.

In fact, abortions in Kansas are already increasing. For the first time in three decades, the number of Kansas abortions climbed by a staggering 9.1%, for a total of 7,512 lives lost. 52% of these abortions were performed on non-Kansas residents.

ABORTIONS IN KANSAS

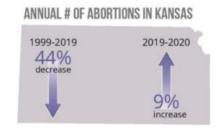
"Texas, up from 25 abortions[in Kansas] in 2019 to 289 abortions [in Kansas] in 2020; Oklahoma, up from 85 to 277; and

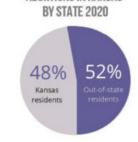
Arkansas, up from 40 to 74.

The number of Missouri residents obtaining an abortion in Kansas climbed by 23, pushing that annual total to 3,201."

The Missouri numbers show precisely why Planned Parenthood announced plans for a new clinic in Kansas City, Kansas ⁸—easy access across the state line.

Get involved. Join the fight to save babies and protect moms.





2019-2020 INCREASE IN OUT-OF-STATE RESIDENTS GETTING ABORTIONS IN KANSAS



¹ https://www.washingtonpost.com/national/kansas-supreme-court-rules-state-constitution-protects-abortion-rights-bars-law-that-aimed-to-ban-procedure/2019/04/26/54361c/a-6834-11e9-8985-4d30147bdca_story.html

² https://lozierinstitute.org/impact-of-the-strict-scrutiny-standard-of-judicial-review-on-abortion-legislation-under-the-kansas-supreme-courts-decision-in-hodes-nauser-w-schmidtr

³ http://theleaven.org/kansas-is-the-new-new-york-for-abortion/

^{*}https://www.washingtonpost.com/inational/hansas-supreme-court-rules-state-constitution-protects-abortion-rights-bars-law-that-aimed-to-ban-procedure/2019/04/26/54361c4a-6834-11e9-8985-4d30147bdca_story.html

[§] https://www.christianpost.com/news/judge-strikes-down-kansas-ban-on-dismemberment-abortions.html

⁶ https://www.kdheks.gov/phi/abortion_sum/2020_Preliminary_Abortion_Report.pdf

⁷ https://kansasreflector.com/2021/06/01/Influx of texas-oklahoma-residents-seeking-an-abortion-drives-up-kansas-total-in-2020/

⁸ https://sunflowerstatejournal.com/planned-parenthood-looks-to-add-new-clinic-in-kd/





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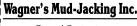


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