

Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Catholic Parish

Father Tim Haberkorn, Pastor
SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org



The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph
December 27, 2020

Weekend Mass Schedule:		Daily Mass Schedule:	
Saturday	SH 4:00 pm	Wednesday, Friday	SJ 6:30 am
Sunday	SJ 8:00 am	Tuesday, Thursday	SH 8:00 am
Sunday	SH 10:30 am	First Saturday Only	SJ 7:30 am

Sacred Heart Church
312 NE Freeman Ave
Sacred Heart Church Rectory
333 NE Freeman Ave
Topeka KS 66616-1216
Rectory/Office: 234-3338
Church Hall: 234-6727

Fr. Tim Haberkorn
St. Joseph Church Rectory
227 SW Van Buren St
Topeka KS 66603-3319
Rectory/Office: 232-2863
Fax: 232-3845
Church Hall: 233-8610

We welcome you to Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Catholic Parish. We are a Christ-centered community of faith that gathers to worship around the real presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist and the sacramental life of the Church. Through the love of Christ's Sacred Heart, and the intercession of St. Joseph, we hope to journey from this life into the everlasting life to come. Come journey with us! Fr. Tim Haberkorn



Principal: Mr. Nick Anderson
HolyFamilyTopeka.net
East: Grades K-8 1725 NE Seward Ave 234-8980
Fax: 234-6778 singerm@holyfamilytopeka.net
West: Pre-School 210 NE Branner 233-9171
Fax: 232-8800 bennett@holyfamilytopeka.net

Collection December 20

Tithe	22,214	Catholic Home Missions	5	Latin America	20
Plate	184	Catholic University	5	Insurance Refund	621
Candles	3	Catholic Charities	265	Memorials	50
Mass	20	Christmas Family	50	Peter's Pence	5
All Saints	40	Holy Family Donation	500	Priesthood	5
All Souls	40	Holy Land	5	Retirement Religious	665
Ascension	5	Human Development	30	Solemnity of Mary	15
Assumption	5	Immaculate Conception	40	Spires Book	50
Christmas	600	Catholic Communication	5	World Mission	5
Leaven	21				

Notes from Father Tim...



Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (New Years) Masses: Because of the current suspension of the obligation to assist as Mass on Sundays and other days of precept, the precept for the faithful to attend Mass for The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (New Years) is likewise

suspended due to the Pandemic. We will however have Masses to celebrate this Holy Day for those who wish to attend. Our Mass schedule for The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God "New Years" is the following:

- **December 31st, New Year's Eve:** 4 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Church
- **January 1st, New Year's Day:** 9 am Mass at St. Joseph Church

We will be live streaming our 4 pm New Year's Eve Mass on our Parish website and Facebook for those wishing to view from their homes.

For those attending our Masses in person, proper social distancing and the wearing of mask will be observed.



Happy Birthday, Father Jim!

May God bless you abundantly on your day and always!



Reminder for Confirmation Students: The due date for Confirmation letters addressed to Abbot James Albers of "Why I Wish to be Confirmed" as well as your completed Confirmation Service Hours sheet need to be returned **no later than Sunday, January 17th, 2021**. If you attend Holy Family School, these need to be returned to your teacher. If you attend the Sacred Heart-St. Joseph C.C.D. Program, these need to be returned to your teacher. If you are Homeschooled, these need to be returned to Father Tim. Thanks for your cooperation in this matter.



Happy Birthday to Father Tim as he celebrates another year of life on December 28th! From Your Parishioners and the Parish Vocations Committee.



Contributions for credit in the 2020 tax year must be received at the Rectory by *this* Sunday, December 27, 2020. Thank you.



Dear Members of the Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Altar Society! Thank you so very much for all the wonderful baby items Birthright received over the past few weeks. Beautiful blankets, baby clothes, diapers, bottles, wipes and more were received and will be enjoyed by many of God's Littlest Ones. We even received monetary donations!! A pandemic stopped us from our annual Christmas gathering, but it does not stop the needs of the new mother. It does not stop the young woman who wonders if she might be pregnant from needing a pregnancy test and a non-judgmental ear to listen. With your help, we can be there for them even when they must see our smiles through a mask. Thank you again. You always come through for us! Connie Everett, Secretary-Treasurer, Birthright of Topeka, Inc.

Thank You: Thanks to all those who helped to make our Christmas Masses so beautiful. Special thanks to all who participated in music ministry, our ushers, eucharistic ministers, sacristans, lectors, and those who decorated the Churches. Blessings, Fr. Tim

A Note of Thanks: Thanks for all the cards, gifts, treats, prayers, and words of support we received this Christmas from parishioners. Thanks in particular to the following Parish organizations for your generous gifts as well:

- The Sacred Heart- St. Joseph Altar Society
- St. Anthony's Guild

We are so grateful for all your tremendous generosity. May the Lord reward you for your kindness. With deep appreciation, Father Tim and Hans

May God bless you and yours with a safe, happy, and holy 2021!

Praying for others is a blessing for all concerned! Sometimes, however, we forget we asked to get someone on the prayer list. Please remember to check on those you have asked to have on the list. **When ready to be removed, or for new additions to the prayer list, please call Therese at 234-3338.**



Please pray for expectant mothers and their unborn blessings. Expectant mamas may call Teresa T. at St. Joseph Rectory, 232-2863, to be placed on this special prayer list.

Kathryn Ziegler - February 2021



Holy Family Raffle Fundraiser is January 16th. Raffle items include an iPad (newest 8th generation 128GB Wi-fi Space Gray model), a 50 inch TV, and gift cards to The Pennant, Iron Rail, Blue Moose, Cyrus Hotel, and Herman's Beef and Sausage House. Tickets are 3/\$25 or \$10 each. You need not be present to win. Tickets will be sold after weekend Masses through December 20th. Thank you for your support of our school.

Friends and Family of our Holy Family School community: The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic has led to a need for social distancing to help prevent the spread. For this reason, we've made the difficult decision to not gather for our Winter Extravaganza Event for Holy Family Catholic School. Our event will be held virtually on Facebook Live January 16th at 6 pm. We welcome everyone to attend and look forward to another successful event! To find out more about our Extravaganza event, to make a donation, purchase raffle tickets, or become a sponsor, visit holyfamilytopeka.net or call 234-8980. As always, thank you for supporting Holy Family's student success!

Hayden News...Pave the Future: If you're looking for a unique Christmas gift that will last for years to come, consider purchasing a personalized paver at Hayden. Honor graduates, deceased alumni or supporters. These are one of a kind! Email Haydencatholic@haydencatholic.net.

Becoming a Hayden student is more than merely submitting an application. It's a process for you to come to know our school and decide if Hayden offers the experience you and your family want to be a part of. We love our school and want every Hayden family to feel as we do! Email questions to haydencatholic@haydencatholic.net.

Honoring Those Who Have or Are Currently Serving Our Country: Hayden is working to update the Alumni list of those who have or are serving our country. If you know someone who should be added to our list email Haydencatholic@haydencatholic.net.



The Kansas Mass, March, and Rally for Life will take place Thursday, January 21st to observe the National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children, and the 48th anniversary of Roe vs. Wade.

Let's stand up for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life, in penance for the over 60 million lives lost, and to end violations to the dignity of the human person-both child and mother-committed through the act of abortion! 10:30 am Mass with the Kansas Bishops-livestream.com/ArchKCK/KSMassforLife 12 pm March to the State Capitol for the Kansans for Life Rally-In-person! Unfortunately, due to Covid gathering restrictions, in-person Mass attendance this year is by invitation only. All are invited to join in the March for Life from the Topeka Performing Arts Center to the Kansans for Life Rally at the State Capitol steps. Visit archkck.org/prolife for updated information and details on the day's event.



"Value Them Both" petition: We'll begin to pray weekly for the passage of the Value Them Both amendment with a petition during the Prayer of the Faithful. VTB is the proposed state constitutional amendment for life supported by the Catholic Bishops of Kansas. The amendment is crucial because the Kansas Supreme Court recently created a nearly unlimited "right" to abortion in our state. This means all of our existing pro-life laws, including bans on taxpayer-funded and late-term abortions, and parental consent requirements, will be considered unconstitutional once challenged. The Value Them Both amendment will reverse the Supreme Court ruling and allow Kansans, through their elected representatives, to pass laws that will help protect mothers and their unborn babies from the abortion industry. Please pray for passage of Value Them Both.



New Year's Spiritual Reflection and Planning Retreat, Christ's Peace House of Prayer, 22131 Meagher Rd, Easton, KS is January 8th starting at 5:30 pm and

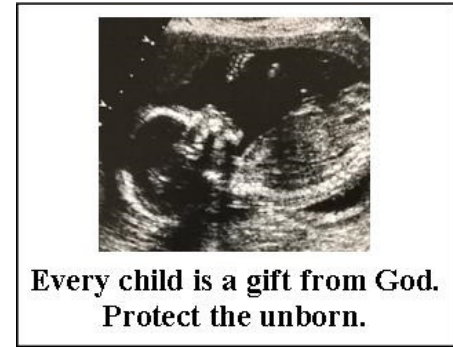
ending on January 10th at 4:30 pm. Set aside time this year to focus on spiritual growth, create growth goals for various roles, devise steps to reach goals, and write a vision statement for the year. The structure of the retreat will allow ample time for you to work on your plan. Resources and ideas will be provided to incorporate in your plan. There will be time to brainstorm and share plans with others as well as time to meet with a spiritual director, if you prefer to speak on an individual basis. Private time for prayer/reflection, daily Eucharistic Adoration, praying of the Liturgy of the Hours, Confession, and Mass at the local parish will also be available. The suggested donation is \$170/Single or \$250/Couples for the Cabins and Courtyard Rooms, or \$100 for the Single Guest Rooms (meals included). To attend, send an email to info@christspeace.com, or call 913-773-8255.

Become a FOCCUS Facilitator: Cost is \$115/person. Includes one FOCCUS and one REFOCCUS manual, and shipping. Choose which Zoom class you would like to attend, and contact Deacon Tony Zimmerman at famlife@archkck.org or 913-647-0329, or contact FOCCUS at 877-883-5422 or focus@focccusinc.com. January 16th 9:30 am-1:30 pm, February 11th 11 am-3 pm, March 13th 9:30 am-1:30 pm, April 8th 11 am-3 pm, May 8th 9:30 am-1:30 pm, and June 10th 11 am-3 pm.

SNOWBALL Catholic Charities Snowball 2021: Due to COVID-19, many businesses have closed their doors, and many jobs have been lost. As more families are facing financial hardships, they're turning to Catholic Charities for help. Your support to our mission has never been more critical as we continue to provide help, hope, and hospitality across our 21-county service area. Snow Ball 2021 is sure to be unforgettable as the event shifts to an entirely virtual experience. Guests will host their own version of Snow Ball in their homes, much like the founders who started Snow Ball with a potluck dinner and a small gathering of family and friends over 47 years ago. Register now to join us on Saturday, January 16th. Our hope is to expand, engage, and celebrate hundreds of Snow Ball parties across the agency's 21-county service footprint and beyond! catholiccharitiesks.org/special-events/snow-ball or Theresa Gaul, 913-433-2068.



Coping with Life Alone-Peer-to-Peer Grief Support is a Beginning Experience grief support program meeting each week for eight weeks. The program helps those who have lost a love relationship due to death, divorce, or separation, move through the experience of grief and loss into a future with renewed hope. Upcoming dates are February 1st-April 5th, 10 sessions Monday evenings, 6:30-8:30 pm. Cost is \$50. This session will be held online using Zoom, and requires internet access. Please register in advance and receive the program workbook, plus detailed Zoom meeting instructions by going to beginningexperience.org. For more info contact Donna at 816-305-3760.



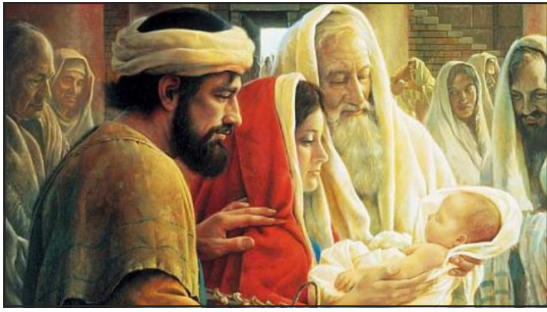
Bulletin Deadline for the January 3rd bulletin is Tuesday, December 29th at 8 am. Announcements must be submitted to Therese@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org (preferred) or Attn: Therese, Sacred Heart Rectory, 333 NE Freeman Ave, 66616.

So much is different this Christmas season, yet the focus and dedication of our parish ministries remain constant-as people in need throughout our community turn to Sacred Heart-St. Joseph for warm meals, comfort, and shelter during the holidays, we must be there for them ... which is why we are reaching out to our parishioners. Your generous online donations are needed to help sustain Christmas ministries that reflect the promise of God's love. The upheaval and distress caused by COVID-19 give these ministries added importance, and your kindness will help families all around us. We prayerfully request that you consider signing up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone, or tablet. You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Sign up at **Faith.Direct/KS196**, or text 'Enroll' to **785-246-8408**. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family. God Bless You, Fr. Tim

_____ **Have you changed your address, phone number, or other information?**
 _____ **Have you been a visitor to Sacred Heart - St. Joseph parish and want to become a registered member?**
 _____ **Leaving Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Parish?**

Please complete this form and drop in the mail to either rectory. Addresses are on page 1. Date: _____ - _____ - 2020

Name _____	For Current Members:
Address _____	Envelope/ID# _____
_____	Former Address _____
Phone # _____	_____
Email _____	(Old) Phone # _____
Marital Status _____	(Old) Email _____



Find the links to Fr. Tim's virtual Masses on our website:
SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org
 or Facebook:
[Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish](https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeart-St-Joseph-Parish)
 Attend Mass anytime!

Please remember Sacred Heart - St. Joseph Parish in your will.

Mass Intentions December 26-January 3

- Sa 26 SH 4:00 pm Robert Knight (1st Anniv.) by Carmaleta Drum
 And Living & Deceased Family of John & Valerie Ingenthron
 by Hayden Class of 1990
- Su 27 SJ 8:00 am Denise Trygg McAlexander by Chuck & Ginny Trygg
 SH 10:30 am Nathaleen Devore by Barbara Deghand
- Tu 29 SH 8:00 am Dan Dempewolf by Craig & Carolyn Schiefelbein
- We 30 SJ 6:30 am Thomas & Ethel Williams Family by Don & Cecelia Williams
- Th 31 SH 4:00 pm Mary Lou Ziegler by Larry & Rose Herman
- Fr 1 SJ 9:00 am Living & Deceased Members of Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish
- Sa 2 SJ 7:30 am Vincent Melvin Jr by Francis & Lori Drouhard
 SH 4:00 pm Bob & Sherry Zeller by Peggy Longstaff
- Su 3 SJ 8:00 am Michael & Conrad Stattelmann by Velma Stattelmann
 SH 10:30 am Mary Warner by Marion & Judy Savoie

Parish or family members serving in the military:

- Madison Alonzo, SC
- Austin Ashley, CA
- David Darnall, NC
- Douglas Darnall, GA
- Ryan Graham, NC
- Skylar Grant, AZ
- Kirk Lawrence, CA
- Ben Spain, KS
- Amanda Spies, KS
- Garrett Wilson, VA
- Tyler Wilson, KS

To add/remove names on our prayer lists, call 234-3338 or email Therese@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org.
 We must have permission of the individual or parents of minors. Names may remain on our list for 2 months. If a longer time is needed, **call 234-3338 or email Therese@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org.** **Parish or family members who have asked for your prayers:**

Angela Ackerman	Marion Desch	Steven Ijams	Rudy Neugebauer	Chris Spies
Melisa Berger	Susan Engroff	Leo Kamer	Kenneth Olson II	Jerry 'Fireball' Stadler
Eileen Bohannon	Ezra Fellers	Brody Keil	Julia Robinson	Roberta Stadler
Bobby Chavez	Kathi Flowers	Mary Kennison	Ann Schiefelbein	Steve Swartzman
Carey Cobb	John Folds Sr.	Raymond Klein	Lyle Schiefelbein	Florence Tetuan
Linda Degand	Garrett Graham	Mary Luna	Jerry Spain	
John Dempewolf	Dave Horn	Connie McDonald	Mary Pat Spain	

SH Church Office Hours: 8 am-Noon
 Tuesday-Friday
SH Mass Intentions: c/o Therese Klein
Bulletin Deadline: 8 am Wednesday
Therese@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org
SJ Church Office Hours: 8 am-Noon
 Monday, Wednesday, Friday
SJ Mass Intentions: c/o Teresa Thomas
StJosephTopeka@juno.com
Bookkeeper: Lisa Deghand
Lisa@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org
Hall Rental
 SH Cindy Renyer 845-6031
 SJ Rectory 232-2863
SJ Adoration Chapel
 Coordinator Kevin Bychinski 215-5472

Baptism: To have your child baptized, you must be a registered active parishioner for at least 6 months prior to baptism.
 Call Fr. Tim 232-2863
Marriage: Fr. Tim needs 6 months notice
Reconciliation: Due to COVID-19, parish confessions are Wednesday 6 pm (sharp)-6:25 pm, inside entrance of St. Joseph Rectory rather than outdoors in the front of the rectory, due to cool temps. *Wait in your car and Father will signal for you one at a time.*
RCIA Classes for adults, with Fr. Tim:
 Wednesdays, 6:30 pm, St Joseph
 Begin October 6, 2020
Religious Education for Children (CCD):
 Holy Family School/East Campus, SHSJCC.org
 Coordinator: Paul Allen 221-2749

St. Joseph Church Restoration Project
StJosephChurchRestoration.org
SHSJ Youth Group (high school aged youth)
 Coordinator: Allan Towle 230-3731
Bereavement Group
 Linda Lawlor 554-5620
Natural Family Planning
 Couple to Couple League ccli.org
Project Rachel-Project Joseph
 Healing after an abortion 913-621-2199
Virtus Training
 SHSJ Lisa Deghand 234-3338
Lisa@SacredHeartStJosephCatholic.org
 HFCS Rita Bennett 234-8980
Men's Bible Study: Fr. Tim 232-2863
Women's Bible Study: Sr. Maureen 234-3060