

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH



Fifth Sunday of Easter – May 3rd, 2026



My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
my spirit rejoices in God my Savior
for he has looked with favor on his lowly
servant.

From this day all generations will call me
blessed:
the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.

What's Happening at Sacred Heart

Monday, May 4th, 2026

10:00 am ~ SI Philip Eck
7:00 pm ~ Parish Mission

Tuesday, May 5th, 2026

7:30 am ~ SI Anthony Jackson
7:00 pm ~ Parish Mission

Wednesday, May 6th, 2026

6:30 pm ~ + David Spexarth
7:00 pm ~ Parish Mission

Thursday, May 7th, 2026

National Day of Prayer
7:30 am ~ + Margaret Eck

Friday, May 8th, 2026

6:00 am ~ Kapaun's Men/Marian Room
7:30 am ~ + Sherry Konda

Saturday, May 9th, 2026

4:30 pm ~ + Samantha Mumma

Sunday, May 10th, 2026

Mother's Day

6th Sunday of Easter

8:00 am ~ People of the Parish
10:00 am ~ + Alvin Merrill
10:00 am ~ Senior Mass & Breakfast

Rev. Patrick York, Pastor

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Website: www.sacredheartcolwich.org

Office Hours: M-Th 9 am - Noon 1 pm - 4 pm ~ Fri 9 am - Noon

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Parish Information

Welcome to Sacred Heart!

We are happy to have you join us whether you are visiting or are a member of our parish family. If you are new to the parish, please visit our website or contact the parish office to register.

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Confessions

Saturdays from 3:00-4:00 pm
15 minutes before each weekday Mass

Office Hours

M-Th 9am-4pm and Fri 9am-Noon

Adoration Chapel Hours

Sunday @ Noon-Saturday @ 4 pm

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@SacredHeartKS

Flocknote: Text SHCOLWICH to join

Hall renovation paid thus far—\$1,455,285.41

Parish Directory photos September 15-19th

As we celebrate our Parish's 125th Anniversary this September, we're creating a new Photo Directory! With over 150 new families since our last directory, we want everyone included.



Photo Dates: September 15-19

- Weekdays: 2:00-8:30 PM
- Saturday: 10:00 AM-4:30 PM

Scheduling begins this summer.
Each family who takes a family picture will receive a **FREE** 125th Anniversary Directory.

Weekly Financial Report		
4/20/2026	Weekly	Fiscal YTD
Regular Giving	\$22,234.93	\$1,079,482.27
Gifts/Designated/Church Maintenance	\$176.00	\$38,161.81
Misc. Income	\$4,320.00	\$716,415.40
Endowment Income	0.00	\$19,356.56
Total Income	\$26,730.93	\$1,853,416.04
Estimated Expenses	\$24,526.00	\$1,030,092.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$2,204.93	\$823,324.04
Special Collections		
Christmas Collection Receipts		\$30,213.50
Easter Collection Receipts	\$1,550.00	\$12,863.00
Lenten Rice Bowl Receipts		
Receipts for Sharing/Poor or Disaster	\$296.00	\$19,225.00

Saturday, May 9th @
4:30 pm

Sunday, May 10th @
8:00 am

Sunday, May 10th @
10:00 am

Altar Servers

Addi/Ella Butterfield

Leo Roth/Ian Jackson
Henry Hoffman

Jozie/Jacob Dugan
Henry Hoffman

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Carol Fisher

John Hecht

Anthony Weber

Gift Bearers

Paul Kear Family

Donnie Seltenreich Family

Scott Family

Music Ministry

Christi Butterfield
Ann Fox

Jena Roth
Ron Jackson

Lori/Ben Kraus

Lectors

Kelly Gerber

Stan Gegen

Nancy Denny

Sacristans

Staci Simon

Diane Slagle

Mike and Julee Freese

Ushers

Mike Kraus
James Simon Bill Lane
Kerry Gage

James/Tina Ast
Dominic Bergkamp
Darren Harp

Robert Olsen
Mike Robben Bryan Guy
Trevor Meyer

Weekday Servers

T, Th, F-Anniston Coomes/Savannah McKenzie
W-Sylvie Sigg/Leo Mumford
Wk. of 5/12-5/15

T, Th, -Autumn Mies/Jenna Carmichael
W-Savannah McKenzie/Charlee Purkey
F-Fulton/Henry Corrigan
5/19-5/22

If you are unable to fulfill your scheduled responsibilities, please arrange a substitute. Thank you for helping ensure everything runs smoothly. You will find a Server Roster in the South Vesting Sacristy for your convenience.

Money Counters May~ Carol Lies, Mary Belton, Pat Strunk June~ Mark Blasi, Karla Neville, Adrienne Theis

AV Ministry

James Aschenbrenner

Vocations Statue

Volunteer Needed

Family Pascal Candle

Anthony Weber Family

2026 Cemetery Moving Schedule

May- Group 3 Kevin Bergkamp
Group 4 Pat Kraus

June- Group 5 Donnie Seltenreich
Group 6 Joe Hemmen

Ways to Strengthen Your Marriage

Exciting News – Four Marriage Retreats coming to Wichita this summer

The JPPII Healing Center “Unveiled” Retreat is coming to Wichita, July 16–18, 2026

We are thrilled to announce that the JPPII Healing Center's Unveiled retreat is coming to Wichita in July 2026, hosted at the Church of the Magdalen. Registration is now open! For more information, go to <https://jpiihealingcenter.org/event/unveiled-couples-retreat-july-2026/>.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend in Wichita, August 7–9

Put Spring into your marriage! The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a chance to look deeply into your relationship with each other and with God. It offers married couples an opportunity to learn a technique of loving communication that they can use for the rest of their lives. Sign up today to attend our upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, Aug. 7–9, at the Courtyard by Marriott Wichita at Old Town. To apply, go to Worldwide Marriage Encounter – Weekend Application Form. For information, contact: Gary & Brenda Granger at 402-370-5839.

The Domestic Church Evangelization Retreat, August 14–16 at the SLC

Grow in faith with your spouse, strengthen your marriage, and build lasting friendships with other couples. Experience intentional prayer and marriage formation within a Catholic small-group community rooted in everyday family life. Register at <https://slc.retreatportal.com/events/>.

Retrouvaille is Coming Back to Wichita, August 28–30

We have booked a weekend for August 28–30 at the Spiritual Life Center, and we couldn't be more excited to see Retrouvaille active in this area again. Our team is ready to come and lead a weekend, and post sessions will be held via Zoom with the international community. To register, go to <https://helpourmarriage.org/register>.

If there are any questions, please call 316-685-5240 or email me at omfl@catholicdioceseofwichita.org.



2026
SACRED HEART CHURCH
Parish Mission

Preacher
FATHER JAMES SULLIVAN, O.P.

MAY | 4, 5, & 6 | 7:00 PM
Father Sullivan will preach in the church followed by light refreshments in the Gathering Space.



Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love is everlasting

THANK YOU

Dear Sacred Heart Parish Family,

We are so very grateful for the outpouring of prayers and acts of kindness throughout Joe's recovery. Your love and support is truly inspiring. May the Good Lord bless you for your generosity!

With many thanks and prayers,

Joseph & Maria Hilger Family



Sacred Heart Senior Recognition
Mass and Breakfast
Sunday, May 10th
10:00 AM Mass



JUNE 5TH & 6TH
VETERANS PARK

NEW THIS YEAR
 Friday night BINGO!
 Saturday 5k & kids run!

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Please join us in the Baby Bottle Project, which supports the educational activities of Kansans for Life.



Bottles will be available after all Masses on Mother's Day weekend. We kindly ask that you consider taking a bottle home and filling it over the next month with loose change, cash, or a check (payable to Kansans for Life).

Please return your bottle anytime leading up to Father's Day.



May 17 - Andale High School
Graduation Mass - 2:30 PM at
St. Joseph Church in Andale.

All graduates and their families
are welcome to attend.

**BAPTISM
BLESSINGS**

CY MATTHEW MEYER
 SON OF ETHAN AND ELISE MEYER
 BORN MARCH 27, 2026
 BAPTIZED APRIL 26, 2026

CONGRATULATIONS!

We have received our
beautiful 125th
Anniversary Prayer
Cards! They will be in
the back of the church
for you to take and
enjoy.

Help us welcome our priests

back to CGS formation!

We are excited to host our priests for another week of formation in the method of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd!

We will be providing a light breakfast and lunch each day of the course (Monday-Friday, July 20-July 24), as well as a few snacks.

We anticipate meals will serve 15 people and will update via email if the numbers change after registration ends. We are grateful for any food donation or help you might feel called to provide!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D44AAA722A7FEC70-62072670-priest>



FRESHMEN Pancake FRENZY

MAY 6th

6:30pm Mass | 7:00pm Pancake Feed
Pancakes & fellowship @ City Park!

INVITING ALL PARISH HIGH SCHOOLERS,
ESPECIALLY INCOMING FRESHMEN!

Sacred Heart Faith Formation Sign-up is Here!

Please sign up using the QR code below. This registration will incorporate all ages of Faith Formation, including Morning (grades K-8) and Afternoon (ages 3-14), as well as CYM (grades 9-12).



Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

Matthew 19:14

Adoration Partner Needed! Friday 2 am

Adorer Needed
Tuesday 11 am

Please consider spending time with our Lord. Call Linda @ 316-258-5340 if you are able to fill this need. Thank you!

Important News!

No meeting in the Month of May for the Altar Society due to the Mission Speaker. We hope to see everyone there.

Prayer Intentions

Our Couples Preparing for Marriage

Gavin Post & Leah Kraus	June 6, 2026
Casey Lanoue & Maddie Cress	June 13, 2026
John Finnigan & Laura Seiler	June 20, 2026
Pete Horsch & Morgan Konda	June 27, 2026
Colin January & Rachel Bergkamp	July 11, 2026
Cody Gorges & Abby Godfrey	September 19, 2026
Zachary Dold & Lakin Russell	October 24, 2026
Jeremy Konda & Maggie Haas	December 19, 2026
Reid Abbott & Sarah Wappelhorst	April 10, 2027
Saydyn Bowers & Alayna Summers	April 17, 2027
Cody Parthemer & Jaycee Cates	June 12, 2027

Our Sick and Homebound

Jennifer Baalmann Pat Childs
Daniel/Judy Hageman Betty Pugh

Our Seminarians

Anthony Jackson, Isaac Peloquin
Gus Jirak

OCIA

Please contact Jenny Peloquin @
316-461-4561 if you
are interested in the Catholic Faith
or have questions. Classes will
begin in July.

Our Military Personnel

TSgt Jesse Kraus, Son of Pat & Lori Kraus
Sgt Chad Mertes, Son of Sam & Mark Mertes
MSgt Rochelle Palmer, Daughter of Robert & Sharon Scroggins
TSgt Gabe Palmer, Son-in-law of Robert & Sharon Scroggins
SSgt Kaleb Gage, Son of Kerry & Chris Gage
CM Sgt Lynn Lefebvre, Son of Phillip & Clara Lefebvre
2nd Lt Noah Hale, Son of Charles & LaDonna Hale
SPC Pete Herbst, Son of Steve & Cindy Herbst
Pvt David Sanders, Brother of Rebecca Meyers
Cdt Jackson Kraus, Son of Ben Kraus & Joanna Kraus
Capt. Chase Charles, Son of David & Liz Charles
Capt. Harrison Spexarth, Grandson of Fred & Barbara Spexarth
2nd Lt Jackson Spexarth, Grandson of Fred & Barbara Spexarth
Pvt John Jackson, Son of Ron & Laura Jackson
CDR John Hannah, Brother of Tori Frazier

*"Pray the Rosary every
day in order to obtain
peace for the World."*

... Our Lady of Fatima
May 13, 1917

*"There is no problem,
I tell you, no matter
how difficult it is, that
we cannot resolve by
the prayer of the Holy
Rosary."*

... Sister Lucy
of Fatima



Our Expectant Parents

Jeremy & Erica Meyer	Gerard & Micaela Eck	Michael & Whitney Harlicker
Andrew & Clara Husband	Scott & Sarah Carter	Anthony & Cindi Weber
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