

SACRED HEART

CATHOLIC CHURCH



Pentecost Sunday ~ May 24, 2026

What's Happening at Sacred Heart

Monday, May 25th, 2026

Memorial Day Mass in Cemetery

9:00 am ~ + Roberta Strunk

Tuesday, May 26th, 2026

Happy Anniversary Fr. Pat

7:30 am ~ + Orcena & Irene Metzinger

Wednesday, May 27th, 2026

6:30 pm ~ + L/D members of the

Walter & Mildred Seiler family

Thursday, May 28th, 2026

7:30 am ~ + Michael Ternes

Friday, May 29th, 2026

6:00 am ~ Kapaun's Men/Marian Room

7:30 am ~ + Ruthe Spexarth

Saturday, May 30th, 2026

4:30 pm ~ + Dr. Hector Rios

Sunday, May 31st, 2026

The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 am ~ People of the Parish

10:00 am ~ + Marilee Cooper



PENTECOST SUNDAY

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

Memorial Day Mass

Monday, May 25th

Mass will be in the Cemetery at

9:00 am

Bring a lawn chair if you wish

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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Flocknote: Text SHCOLWICH to join

Weekly Financial Report

5/11/2026	Weekly	Fiscal YTD
Regular Giving	\$43,230.82	\$1,159,806.19
Gifts/Designated/Church Maintenance	\$312.00	\$38,914.81
Misc. Income	\$19,468.38	\$736,107.09
Endowment Income	0.00	\$19,356.56
Total Income	\$63,011.20	\$1,954,184.65
Estimated Expenses	\$24,526.00	\$1,030,092.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$38,485.20	\$850,514.65
Special Collections		
Christmas Collection Receipts		\$30,213.50
Easter Collection Receipts		\$12,863.00
Lenten Rice Bowl Receipts		
Receipts for Sharing/Poor or Disaster	\$377.00	\$30,198.00

Hall renovation paid thus far—\$1,482,039.14

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.

Saturday, May 30th @
4:30 pm

Sunday, May 31st @
8:00 am

Sunday, May 31st @
10:00 am

Altar Servers

Ava/Lucas Simon

Leo Mumford
Hendrix/Charlee Purkey

Macie Madersky
Joseph/Elizabeth Weber

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Linda Wapelhorst

Scott Carter

Joe Wary

Gift Bearers

Cederberg Family

Tyler Mies Family

Shearrer Family

Music Ministry

Arlys Ewertz
Ron Jackson

Ron Jackson
Laura Seiler

Anthony Weber
Ron Jackson

Lectors

Joan Lane

Evan Burke

Anthony Seiler

Sacristans

Staci Simon

Leia Gutschenritter

Darci Shideler

Ushers

James Aschenbrenner
Ken Clupny/Marvin Wetta
Aaron Schwaiger

Jonah Ungles
Donnie Seltenreich/Chase Kear
Mark Mertes

Jeff Goebel
Volunteer/Rob Meyer
Joe Hemmen

Weekday Servers

June 2nd- 5th
T, Th, F-Norah/Owen Spexarth
W-Ian Jackson

June 9th-12th
T, Th, F-Hendrix/Charlee Purkey
W-Logan Payne/Leo Mumford

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

June~ Karla Neville, Adrienne Theis, Pat Kraus and Maria Seiler

AV Ministry

Zack Thimmesch

Vocations Statue

Chad and Abby Winter

Family Pascal Candle

Chad and Abby Winter

2026 Cemetery Moving Schedule

May- Group 3
Group 4

Kevin Bergkamp
Pat Kraus

June- Group 5
Group 6

Donnie Seltenreich
Joe Hemmen

Memorial Day ~ Monday, May 25th

Did you know...that Memorial Day was originally known as Decoration Day? Americans first celebrated it in 1868 after the Civil War, but its name was changed to Memorial Day in 1967, and the country established it as federal holiday in 1971. It is a day that celebrates and honors the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. Let's remember this day and reflect on the ultimate sacrifice that so many gave for our nation's freedom.

A big thank you to Melanie Kraus and her students at Colwich Elementary School for installing 134 patriotic pinwheels in the cemetery to honor all of our veterans.

This Memorial Day we would like to spotlight Raymond N. Schmidt. Raymond was born on January 3, 1917, in Hutchinson, KS. His family moved to Colwich when he was very young, and he went to school at Sacred Heart. He worked for many farmers in our area and was known for his fun-loving nature.

Raymond entered into service with the U.S. Army on February 8, 1942, and after three months at Camp Wolter, TX he was sent overseas. He participated in the New Guinea Campaign and also had a stop in Australia.

He was stationed next on the island of Leyte in the Philippines with the rank of Staff Sergeant. Serving as a gunner, he participated in the Battle of Ormoc Bay in November 1944, which was a series of pivotal air and sea engagements between Imperial Japan and the United States. Allied success in these engagements effectively isolated Japanese forces on Leyte, preventing significant further reinforcements and leading to their eventual defeat.

Sadly, Raymond was fatally wounded in this battle on November 11, 1944, and he died of his wounds on November 14, 1944. He was just 27 years old. Raymond was awarded the Purple Heart posthumously for his gallant actions.

Raymond is recognized on a headstone in our cemetery between the names of his parents Fedale and Mary, but he is buried at the Manila American Cemetery and Memorial, Manila, Philippines. It should be noted that the Schmidts had five sons in the service during WWII.

Please visit Raymond's marker along with all the veterans in our cemetery and thank them for their service. And let us never forget that freedom isn't free.

“Our flag does not fly because the wind moves it. It flies with the last breath of each soldier who died protecting it.”--Unknown



Sacred Heart, Colwich



Manila , Philippines



COLWICH

ROCK THE BLOCK
3 x 3 

BASKETBALL @ VETERANS PARK
TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, JUNE 6, 2026
TOURNAMENT BEGINS AT 11:30 AM

TEAM REGISTRATION ~ \$15

CASH PRIZE FOR 1ST PLACE TEAM ~ \$150
CASH PRIZE FOR 2ND PLACE TEAM ~ \$75

REGISTER NOW!



PRE-REGISTER BY THURSDAY, JUNE 4 @ 9PM

DIVISIONS
(BASED ON YOUR 2026 GRADE)

6TH - 8TH GRADE
FRESHMAN AND OLDER

***BRACKETS WILL BE DETERMINED AFTER REGISTRATION.**

Don't Miss Out
on this Fun
Event!!!



ROCK THE BLOCK
FOAM PARTY

Get ready for 60 minutes of bubbly excitement at our Ultimate Foam & Splash Party

Time: 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM
Location: North of the church & 5th Street.

The Colwich Fire Department will be there helping everyone cool off with a refreshing hose spray for the kids!

Suggested items to bring:

- ~Bathing Suit
- ~Goggles
- ~Towel

Sponsored by: The Gathering Space



FOOD TRUCK

LINE UP & SCHEDULE
JUNE 5TH & 6TH

AT COLWICH VETERANS PARK

FRIDAY EVENING
Food trucks will arrive by 6pm. Bingo begins at 6:30 pm
Busy B Food Truck
Mobile Moo Ice Cream Truck

SATURDAY

Breakfast: Come out early & grab some delicious breakfast before or after the Fueled by Fiat race!

Houser Hut
Howdy-Icious

Lunch & Dinner

CCF Meal Deal (Lunch)
K of C Holiday meal deal (Lunch)
Howdy-Icious (All Day)
Ken & Barbies Rolling Diner (All Day)
Q's your Daddy BBQ (All Day)
Houser Hut Snow Cones (All Day)
DZ Ice Cream Truck (All Day)
Mariscos Tachin (Dinner)

come HUNGRY

Rock the Block



Saturday, June 6th
6:00pm
Kansas Ave.
(North side of Veteran's Park)

Age Groups:
(2026-2027 grade)

Prizes to the winner of each youth age group!
A traveling trophy for the winning adult team.

- Kindergarten & below
- 1st & 2nd Grade
- 3rd & 4th Grade
- 5th & 6th Grade
- 7th & 8th Grade
- High School & Adults

The high school/adult teams must have 4 members and at least 1 member must be a female.

Sponsored by: Mt. Hope Dental Katie Neidig DDS

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). Registration closes on May 31st.



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

Friday 3 p.m.

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



Totus Tuus-

Join us for Totus Tuus this year at St. Marks June 14-19.

You can register by scanning the QR code or going to

<https://form.jotform.com/260855201765155>. Contact Jessie with any questions at jschoech@stmarkks.org.



✠Prayer of Blessing Against Storms✠

Please make the sign of the cross where the crosses are in the prayer.

Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, has come in Peace,
✠ God became man, ✠ and the Word was made
flesh. ✠ Christ was born of a Virgin. ✠ Christ
suffered. ✠ Christ was crucified. ✠ Christ died. ✠
Christ rose from the dead. ✠ Christ ascended into
Heaven. ✠ Christ conquers. ✠ Christ reigns. ✠
Christ orders. ✠ May Christ protect us from all
storms and lightning. ✠ Christ went through their
midst in Peace, ✠ and the Word was made Flesh. ✠
Christ is with us with Mary. ✠ Flee you enemy
spirits because the Lion of the Generation of Judah,
the Root of David, has won. ✠ Holy God! ✠ Holy
Powerful God! ✠ Holy Immortal God! ✠ Have mercy
on us. Amen!

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
Mason Barber & Allison Bullinger	January 9, 2027
Reid Abbott & Sarah Wappelhorst	April 10, 2027
Shaydyn Bowers & Alayna Summers	April 17, 2027
Cody Parthemer & Jaycee Cates	June 12, 2027

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

Our Expectant Parents

Jeremy & Erica Meyer	Gerard & Micaela Eck	Michael & Whitney Harlicker
Andrew & Clara Husband	Scott & Sarah Carter	Anthony & Cyndi Weber
Liam & Rose Collins	Matthew & Mariah Shearrer	Drew & Kaylee Goddard

Our Sick and Homebound

Jennifer Baalman 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.**



Aleaha Mumma and Derek Huhman
were Confirmed at Sacred Heart on
Sunday, May 17. Congratulations to both
of them on completing their Sacraments
of Initiation!

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