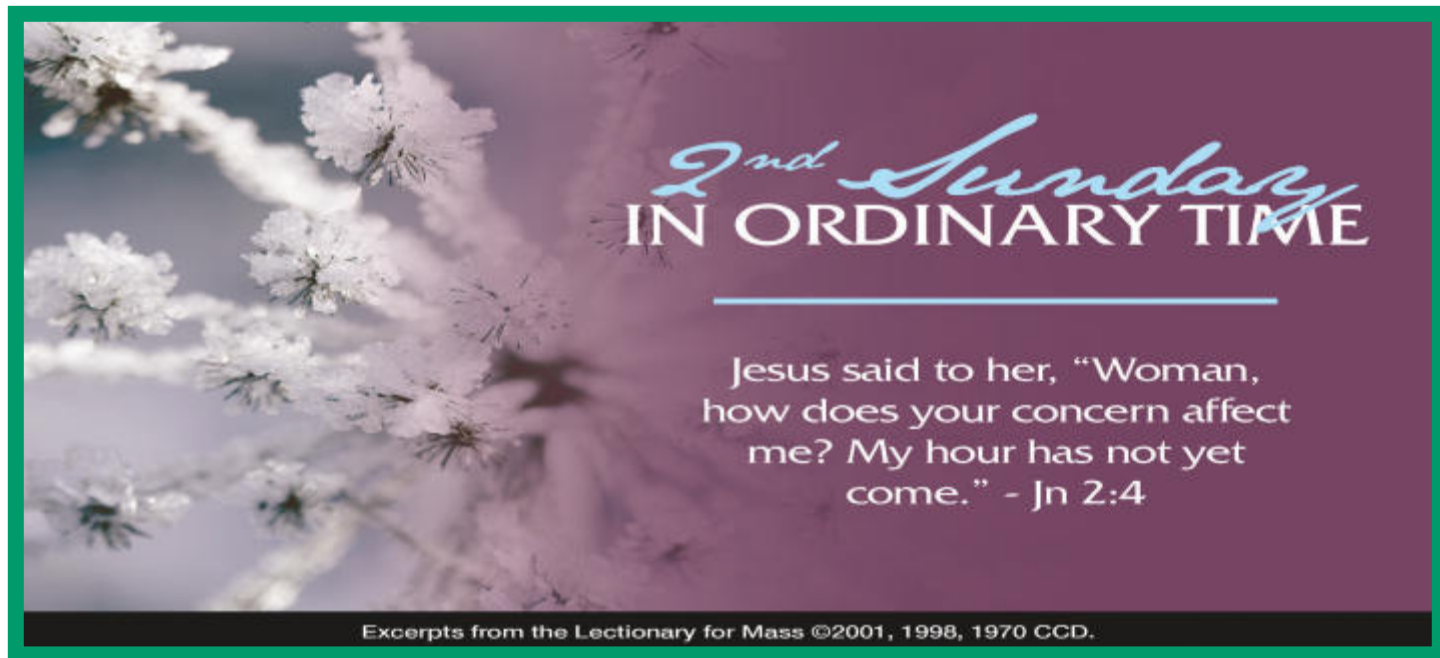


# Sacred Heart Church

332 North Oak Street, Pratt, Kansas 67124



**JANUARY 20, 2019**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

## GOSPEL MEDITATION

When you think of being Catholic, what do you think of? Perhaps you grew up with your only associations being fasting, nuns with rulers, and “Catholic guilt.” Our faith can sometimes have the connotation of restriction and absence, not abundance. Who is God in your life? Is He the divine law-giver, the judge punishing the rule-breakers? These are certainly attributes of God. But the laws don’t exist for themselves alone. They exist to help us love one another as God loves us. And this loving God is the author of abundance and joy.

Did you hear today’s Gospel? “There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee.” Here at this wedding, Jesus would perform “the beginning of his signs...and so reveal his glory.” This first sign isn’t a miraculous healing. He didn’t raise someone from the dead. He kept a party going! “There were six stone water jars there for Jewish ceremonial washings, each holding twenty to thirty gallons...the water...had become wine.” The wine has run out. Jesus creates somewhere between 120 and 180 gallons to help his friend save face. We may not have such momentous miracles in our lives, but God is watching out for us. The string of green lights when you’re running late. The sale on the replacement appliance you need. The friend who calls at just the right time. These are the little moments of God’s abundance. We just need to look for them!

Not only does Jesus surprise, but the guests point out to their host: “You have kept the good wine until now.” The divine wine is better than the earthly variety. God’s goodness is better than what we can grasp at for ourselves. Isn’t that how it always goes?

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## Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

## Sacraments

Penance: Saturday: 4:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

Baptism: Contact the church office at 672-6352

Marriage: Diocesan policy requires a minimum of a four month preparation period. Please make early arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick: On the Fourth Thursday of every month at the Ministry of Praise Mass or by appointment.



## NOTICES

### ADULT EDUCATION

Formed.org parish code: VFMVGH

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mark the following important dates on your calendar:

March 4 Life students return on Jan. 20th.

**PSR class on Jan. 23rd and 30th**

## PRAYERS REQUESTED

Please pray for the following:

Rita Haen (sister in law of Ruth Menzer),  
Jack Gardner (father of Linda Johnson),  
Cliff Dipman (brother of Norma Voss),  
Madison Hunt-continue prayers for health  
Rochelle Westerhaus- ALS disease  
Carla Trujillo (sister of Robert Torres) - colon cancer  
Sara Schneider and twins, for continued improvement  
Christina Bohrer, continuing health issues  
Helen Harper, broken hip  
Roma Kay Jackson, cousin to Marsha Kile, breast cancer  
Gerald Bowman, heart surgery recovery  
Kraeton Sullivan, 6 mo. old grandson Rhonda Haas,  
very ill.

### Readings for the week of January 20, 2019

Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor  
12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11  
Monday: Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 2:18-22  
Tuesday: Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c [5]/  
Mk 2:23-28  
Wednesday: Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk  
3:1-6  
Thursday: Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [8a and  
9a]/Mk 3:7-12  
Friday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/  
Mk 16:15-18  
Saturday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a,  
10 [3]/Mk 3:20-21  
Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn  
6:63c]/1 Cor  
12:12-30 or 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

### Stewardship of Treasure for the Weekend of January 6, 2019 Number of Envelopes - 109

<b>Auto Withdrawal Envelopes</b>	<b>\$670.00</b>
<b>Envelope</b>	<b>\$7,239.00</b>
<b>Loose Collection</b>	<b>235.20</b>
<b>St. John Pastor Reimbursement</b>	<b><u>\$750.00</u></b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,894.20</b>
<b>Required Budget</b>	<b><u>7,000.00</u></b>
<b>Net Surplus</b>	<b>1,894.20</b>
<b>Year to Date</b>	
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$226,069.79</b>
<b>Required Budget</b>	<b><u>196,000.00</u></b>
<b>Net Surplus</b>	<b>30,069.79</b>

**VISION STATEMENT:** As Disciples in Christ, we are called to know, love, and serve God and each other in celebrating and living the message of the Gospel.

**MISSION STATEMENT:** We are a faith community who recognizes and acknowledges individuals' gifts and talents, encouraging spiritual growth.

#### **Bulletin Entries**

The deadline for bulletin submissions is Monday at noon for the following week's bulletin. If your submission is not on time, it will be held for the following week's bulletin. Please carefully proofread your entries for the bulletin, as they will be published exactly as received. Do not send attachments. All submissions must be emailed to: [sacred\\_heart\\_bulletin@live.com](mailto:sacred_heart_bulletin@live.com)

## Activities Corner

**Traveling Prayer Statue:** The Statue is to be used in home for rotation prayer. If you are interested, sign up forms can be found at entrance of the church. Participants will be notified of the weekend they will receive the statue. For more info call Annette Adelhardt, 672-3239

## **Bulletin Announcement:**

**Pilgrimage to Conception Seminary:** Join Bishop Brungardt and Fr. Wesley Schawe for a 3 day-2 night pilgrimage to Conception Seminary, March 3,4, 5. Cost is only \$265 for single occupancy or \$255 for double occupancy. Trip includes: deluxe motor coach transportation; a tour of the Clyde Monastery; time with the Seminarians; tour of Conception Seminary; evening dinner with Bishop Brungardt, Fr. Wesley and the Seminarians; accommodations at the Seminary and time for prayer and Eucharist with the Seminarians. Seating is limited. A \$50 deposit with reservation is required. Make checks payable to: Diocese of Dodge City and send to: Office of Development, PO Box 137, Dodge City, Kansas, 67801. Trip is sponsored by the Office of Vocations and Development to help foster, promote and support vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

**Garage Sale:** Due to changes in the residence for our priest, the closing of the school and other changes in the past several years there are many items that are not in use or necessary for the parish any longer. These items will be gathered and made available for a garage sale in the later part of January or the first part of February. There is a large number of books from the library that will be available for anyone interested. Some of our previous alumni have voiced an interest. More information to follow on Facebook and the bulletin. This is a great opportunity for that “one event stewardship”, that some signed up for, to help get everything ready. Time TBA. Call Luke Kumberg, Kim Evert, Rita Hitt or the parish office for more information.

**Baby Bottle Campaign:** The Knights of Columbus will be holding a “Baby Bottle Campaign” in recognition of the anniversary of Roe vs. Wade. Baby bottles will be distributed after Masses on January 19 & 20 and picked up after Masses on February 9 & 10. You may also drop off the bottles in the church office any time before February 9th. Donations will help fund the purchase of 3D Ultrasound within the state as well as assisting a regional crisis pregnancy center.

### CATHOLIC QUOTES - WORDS TO INSPIRE THE FAITHFUL

“Our entire good consists not only in accepting the truth of God’s word, but in persevering in it.”

-- St. Francis de Sales

## **STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

### **Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Christmas was nearly a month ago. Take a moment to reflect on the gifts you may have received...where are they now? Undoubtedly, some of those gifts have become prized possessions that get used daily. Some of them may have been put away for later use. Some of them may have been returned to the store, or even re-gifted. Let’s be honest, people today don’t always receive gifts with an open mind. We want what we want and we get rid of what we don’t want. How does this behavior carry over to our acceptance of the gifts we have received from the Holy Spirit? Today’s reading from 1 Corinthians tells us that we have each been given a unique gift that we did not choose. Rather, it was chosen specifically for us. What have we done with THAT gift? Is it prized and loved each day? Is it fully alive? Or did we hide it away for “later”? Paul tells us we should use that gift to allow the Holy Spirit to work through us -- but first, we have to accept the gift and get to know it. This comes through prayer and practice! Ask the Holy Spirit for guidance and allow Him to make you a little uncomfortable as He encourages you to use your gift in the lives of others!

La Navidad pasó casi un mes atrás. Toma un momento para reflexionar en los regalos que probablemente recibiste; ¿Dónde están ahora? Sin duda algunos de esos regalos se han convertido en posesiones de gran valor que usas a diario. Algunos de ellos, puede que estén guardados para ser utilizados después. Algunos pueden que los haigas regresado a la tienda, o los hayas regalado más adelante. Seamos honestos, en estos tiempos, la gente no siempre recibe los regalos con una mente abierta; queremos lo que queremos y nos deshacemos de lo que no queremos. ¿Cómo este comportamiento se espere a nuestra aceptación de los regalos que recibimos del Espíritu Santo? En la lectura de hoy de la 1era de Corintios, nos dice que cada uno de nosotros ha recibido un regalo único que no escogimos. Al contrario, ha sido escogido específicamente por nosotros. ¿Qué es lo que hemos hecho con ESE regalo? ¿Es valuado y amado cada día? ¿Está plenamente vivo? ¿O acaso está guardado para “después”? Pablo nos dice que debemos usar ese regalo para dejar que el Espíritu Santo trabaje por medio de nosotros, pero primero debemos de aceptar el regalo y aprender a conocerlo. Esto solo es posible por medio de la oración y la práctica. Pide al Espíritu Santo que te guie y deja que.

## Calendar of Events

### January 2019

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22 7:00pm RCIA session

23 4:00pm-5:15pm Adoration  
5:30pm Mass  
7:00pm PSR K-12

24 8:30am Ministry of Praise Mass/  
Anointing and refreshments  
9:30am Helping Hands Sew Circle

25 8:00am Mass  
7:00pm Spanish Rosary/Prayer

26 4:30pm Confession  
5:30pm Mass

27 8:00am Confession  
8:30am Mass  
10:45am Mass in St. John



23 Bishop Gerber by Dick & Doris Beard

24 Doug Melcher by Danny Knop

25 Gladys Grannell by Ruth Menzer

26 (Sat. eve.)

Pro populo

27 (Sunday)

Pratt – Don Prosser by Ken & Gerry

Bukman

St. John – Mildred Siebert by Larry & Amy

Teager

**New to the Parish?**

We would like to welcome you to Sacred Heart. Please fill out this short form and drop it in the collection basket or in the mail slot at the rectory. Someone will contact you to help you complete your registration.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
best time to call \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for helping us include you here at Sacred Heart.

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**January, 2019**

**Week 4**

**SATURDAY, Jan. 26th, 5:30 p.m. MASS**

Lector: Luke Kumberg, Lynn Southard  
Commentator: Luke Kumberg  
Cross Bearer: VOLUNTEER  
Servers: Joseph Kiley, James Kiley  
Euch. Ministers: Ken Beckman  
Tom & Arlene Garland  
Susan Wilczek, Glenna Borho  
Gifts: VOLUNTEERS  
Ushers: Bryan & Diana Barnard  
Sacristan: Mary Harms  
Rosary Leader: Janet Horton

**SUNDAY, Jan. 27th, 8:30 a.m. MASS**

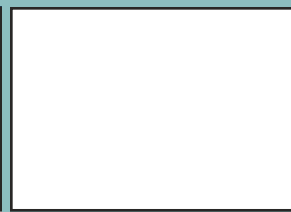
Lector: Joyce Temanson, Scott Stucky  
Commentator: Stephanie Becker  
Cross Bearer: Brenna Stegman  
Servers: Aden & Isaac Temanson  
Euch. Ministers: Kim Evert  
VOLUNTEER, VOLUNTEER  
Jan Merz, Rita Hitt  
Gifts: Lamatsch Family  
Ushers: Cole Schmidtberger,  
Rick Stegman  
Sacristan: Robin Langford  
Rosary Leader: Leola Hageman  
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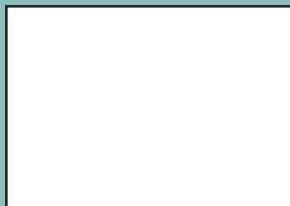
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