St. Patrick Catholic Church
Osage City & Scranton

“Growing as Disciples of Jesus, Making Disciples for Jesus!”

Church Office
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Osage City, KS 66523
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www.stpatrickchurches.org

Rectory
505 Lord Street
Osage City KS 66523

Scranton Church
302 South Boyle Street
Scranton KS  66537

Office Hours
Closed Mondays.
Tuesday-Thursday.............. 9:00 AM-3:00 PM
Fridays.......................After daily Mass-12:00 PM

Confessions
Scranton............................Tuesdays 5:15-5:45 PM
Osage City.......................Saturdays 4:15-4:45 PM
1st Saturday 9:00-9:30 AM
Or call the office for an appointment

Adoration
Osage City
1st Saturdays .......................9:00 AM-4:00 PM
Scranton
Tuesdays..........................5:00-5:45 PM

Pastoral Staff
Parish Administrator:  frhammes@mphm.com
Fr. Greg Hammes  785-272-5590

Secretary/Bookkeeper:
Julie McCoy  office@stpatrickchurches.org

Parish Ministry Coordinator:
Monica Greenwood  pmc@stpatrickchurches.org

Music Director
George Alexander  785-549-3419

Knights of Columbus
Tom Mock  785-217-4790

Altar Society Presidents
Osage City: Elaine Henrie  620-528-3376
Scranton: Ann Delzeit  785-793-2891

Director of Religious Education
Monica Greenwood  785-654-3572

Youth Group
Lisa & Joey Ginzel

Bulletin Deadline is Tuesday at noon.
Please email bulletin@stpatrickchurches.org

"Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day.

John 6:53-54

August 19, 2018
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Marriage: Couples considering marriage are required to contact the Church Office six months prior to the proposed date of marriage.

Baptism: Parents are required to meet with priest prior to baptism.

Funeral: Please consult the parish priest for funeral services.

1st Holy Communion: Celebrated yearly with one prior year of religious education required.

Confirmation: Celebrated every two years. It is a two year program & students must attend both years to be Confirmed.

Rite of Christian Initiation: Yearly program beginning in September. New Catholics are received into the church at the Easter Vigil.

Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the priest.

Communion to the Sick & Homebound: Weekly

Sacrament Preparation

Stewardship Report

Your Gifts to the Lord Fiscal Year July '18-June '19
Osage Aug Offerings: $ 5,192.00
Osage Aug Expenses: $ 6,092.92
Osage FYD Offerings: $ 17,902.94
Osage FYD Expenses: $ 14,633.27
Profit YTD July '18-Jun '19 $ 3,269.67

Scranton Aug Offerings: $ 3,511.75
Scranton Aug Expenses: $ 3,141.30
Scranton FYD Offerings: $ 10,638.95
Scranton FYD Expenses: $ 9,669.75
Profit YTD July '18-Jun '19 $ 969.20

Scranton Aug Bldg Pledges: $ 4,098.25
Scranton Aug Bldg Expenses: $ 70,451.96
Scranton 5YYD Bldg Pledges: $ 492,694.38
Scranton 5YYD Bldg Expenses: $ 307,582.86

Capital Campaign
Campaign Pledge Goal: $ 500,000.00
Campaign Pledges: $ 520,668.62
Pledges Received: $ 399,411.08
Pledge Amount Outstanding: $ 121,257.54
Fund Raising Efforts: $ 87,862.18
Total New Church Cash in Banks: $ 242,280.85

Upcoming Events
- August 19 - Rural Youth Ministry Outreach Summer Tour 2018 with Sarah Swafford at Scipio
- August 19 - Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament
- September 8 & 9 - Religious Education Enrollment
- September 16 - Osage City’s 1st Religious Education Class
- September 19 - Scranton’s 1st Religious Education Class
Parish News

**Religious Education:**
Preparation for the new RE year is in the works. Parent letter and enrollment information will be mailed out at the end of August. Enrollment will be the weekend of September 8 & 9 following all Masses. Classes will begin:
- September 16 in Osage City
- September 19 in Scranton.

**Parish Administrator & Visiting Priests**
Fr. Greg Hammes, pastor of Most Pure Heart of Mary in Topeka, has been named our Parish Administrator until we receive our new pastor. Fr. Greg will not be in the parish for Masses but will help us with any questions or situation that may arise. Please find his contact information on the front page of the bulletin.

Fr. Anthony Saiki will cover all daily and weekend Masses until September 8. Thank you Fr. Saiki!

**Scranton Altar Society News:**
**Farmers Market:** The Scranton Altar Society has a booth at the Carbondale Farmers Market every Wednesday 4:00-6:30 pm. Items sold must be grown or made by individuals. Donations of any type foods, crafts, or money (to buy our baking-team ingredients), will help St Patrick’s Market Booth. Contact Greg or Mary Burgett 836-7887 or mev56b87@gmail.com about the Farmers Market project.

Our 11 weeks for the Market is $1,973.75! Thank you for your support; buyers, donors, & prayer warriors!

**Canning Jars Needed:** Our wonderful ladies are in need of canning jars for jelly. If you would like to donate jars, pints or smaller, please contact Sonia Roberts at 785-554-0115.

**Coffee & Donuts:**
There will be coffee & donuts served after the 10:00 AM Mass in Scranton. Please join us for “sweet” fellowship!

**Please Pray:**
Please pray for the soul of Doris Braunbeck, Scranton parishioner, who passed away August 12, 2018 and Pam Braddy, sister of Scranton parishioner, Brad Roberts, who passed away August 15, 2018. Eternal Rest grant unto them, Oh Lord, and let the Perpetual Light shine upon them.

**Please pray for the following people, their families and their caregivers:** Ray Santin, Avery Elizabeth Hart, Jessica Hoover, Jazmine Van Valkenburg, Fay Frey, Lloyd Mitchell, Cora Mae Briggs, Larry McCormick, Debra Hortenstine, Don & Myrtel Heronime, Curtis Janssen, Matt Ast, Mikie Nosekabel, Maurice Koch, Tory Elder.

**Rural Youth Ministry Outreach Summer Tour 2018 with Sarah Swafford**
"Perfectly Imperfect" Outdoor Youth/Family Rallies:  
August 19th - St Boniface, Scipio  
3:00 PM Mass @ 6:00 PM  
Information & Registration:  
www.archkck.org/rural-outreach  
Email: ruralyouth@archkck.org  
Phone: (785) 221-2644  
This is a wonderful family event! Make plans to attend!

Meals on Wheels: Just a reminder that August 20-24 is Osage City’s week for Meals on Wheels.

Save the Date  
**Carbondale Funfest:**  
Carbondale Funfest will be Saturday, September 8th. Anyone who would like to donate home baked goods, home canned goods and home crafted items please contact Nanette O’Flaherty at 785-633-5390. Watch the bulletin for more details.

**Scranton Fall Heritage Celebration:**  
Scranton Fall Heritage Celebration will be September 22, 2018. The schedule for the day is:  
- 7:00 PM Friday Co-Rec all night Softball Tourney $225 per team, T-Shirts available for $10  
- Lions Club Breakfast 7:00 – 11:00  
  Eggs “cooked to order”, Sausage, Pancakes, Biscuits & Gravy, Coffee  
- 5K Walk / Run 8:00 Start Time $25 includes T-Shirt if registered by September 8th. $30 if after the 8th  
- 11:00 Kubb Tournament $30 per team of 2 - 3 players T-Shirts available for $10  
For registration of any events and shirt order contact Tim Nedeau 785-806-0322 or nedeatim@usd437.net

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**RCIA:**
Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults classes will begin in September. If you are interested or know someone who may be interested, please contact the office or fill out the information below and place in the offertory collection.

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RCIA:
Work, homework, school activities ... these things are all gearing into high speed. Most of us have heard how important family dinners are, but it is hard to make them happen!

In this weekend’s readings, Wisdom invites people for dinner and Jesus feeds us on his own Body and Blood. In this context, simple meals together have elevated meaning and are opportunities to grow in our faith and our love for each other. If scheduling is a challenge, try:

- Get up early and do breakfast together
- Keep one or more nights per week free from outside commitments
- Even if everyone can’t be present for a meal, pray as a group for anyone absent

If you don’t have kids, or they have left home, don’t discount the importance of family dinner for you as a couple!

### Christ’s Peace House of Prayer retreat:

Christ’s Peace House of Prayer will host a retreat, The Cross: the value of suffering, on Saturday and Sunday, September 8-9, 2018. The retreat will begin with a talk at 9:00am on Saturday, and will conclude with Eucharistic Adoration and evening prayer at 3:00pm on Sunday. There will be Mass Saturday evening at the local parish, daily Eucharistic Adoration, 4-5 talks and time for private prayer, spiritual reading and walking in nature. The cost is $125 for couple or $85 for individuals. If interested, please contact info@christspeace.com or call 913-773-8255. Address for Christ’s Peace 22131 Meagher Road Easton Kansas, 66020.

### Join our Saddle Club!

Bring your boots and your bibles, as we delve into the beauty of Christian discipleship on horseback. Offered twice a year in the spring and fall, Saddle Club meetings introduce members to various aspects of Christian thought and horse ownership through demonstrations, unmounted lessons, barn projects, and riding time each week. Saddle Club is open to ages 9-18 and runs on Saturdays from September 22nd – October 20th. Limited spots are available! Register today at www.archkck.org/ranch or contact the Retreat Team at: psrministry@archkck.org; 785-746-5693

What: Saddle Clubs
Where: Prairie Star Ranch, 1124 California Road, Williamsburg KS 66095
When: Saturdays, Sept. 22nd - Oct. 20th

### Mass with Prayers for Healing:

Mass with Prayers for Healing to be held at Most Pure Heart of Mary Church, 3601 SW 17th Street, on Thursday, August 30th, at 7:00 p.m., sponsored by Glory to God Community. Father Greg Hammes, pastor at Most Pure Heart, will be our celebrant. Confessions will be offered from 6:00 to 6:50 PM. Fr. Hammes will also offer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Refreshments following Mass in O’Connor Hall. Any questions call Allan or Vickie Holthaus 862-9738.

### Sexuality, Gender and the Church

Where does a Catholic understanding of chastity intersect with today’s questions around sexuality, gender, attractions, marriage etc.? Come join Andrew Comiskey for his insightful and hope-filled presentation, “Sexuality, Gender and the Church.” Andrew Comiskey, Executive Director of Desert Stream Ministries, will be addressing these issues with compassion and clarity, offering a path for individuals and families who may be dealing with these issues directly, or in their churches and communities. Tuesday, August 28 6:30-8:00pm Church of the Nativity 3800 W. 119th Street (119th Street and Mission Road) Leawood, KS 66209 Please RSVP to Tom@KCNativity.org Phone: 913.491.5017