

ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

615 Wyandotte - Po Box 364 - Meriden, Kansas 66512, Phone: (785)484-3312

Phone (785) 484-3312 -- E-mail to stalsmer@yahoo.com – Website: www.staloysiusinmeriden.org

Pastor: Fr. Barnabas Eichor, eichorbarnabas@gmail.com,
Administrative Assistant: Samantha Stallbaumer, stalsmer@yahoo.com

Office Hours - Office hours Tuesday and Thursday 9:00a.m. – 1:00p.m.

Baptisms - Contact Pastor to schedule baptisms and preparatory classes.

Weddings - Contact the Pastor, preparation for the sacrament takes 6-8 months prior to the wedding date.

Funerals - Contact Pastor

Confessions - Sat. 3:15-3:45pm, Sun 9:45am-10:15am, Tues. 7:45am-8:15am or by appointment.

March 13th
2nd Sunday
of Lent



External Sacrifice: Why are you not eating candy for the next month?

Giving up something we enjoy strengthens our love for Christ & our resilience against temptation. As Pope Benedict XVI said in his Lenten address of 2009, “through fasting & praying, we allow Christ to come & satisfy the deepest hunger that we experience in the depths of our being: the hunger & thirst for God”. It unites us with Christ’s own sacrifices & gives us a deeper appreciation of the blessings in our lives.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF March 13, 2022

Tuesday, March 15

7:45a.m. – 8:15a.m. Confessions, 8:10a.m. Rosary
8:30a.m. Mass - Intention for Parishioners of St. Aloysius
Church Office Closed

Thursday, March 17

7:45a.m. – 8:15a.m. Confessions, 8:10a.m. Rosary
8:30a.m. MASS – Intention for +Thomas P. Grote

Friday, March 18

7:00p.m. Stations of the Cross at St. Aloysius, Light Meal to Follow

Saturday, March 19

3:15-3:45pm Confessions
4:00p.m. Mass
Intention for +Dave Johnson

Sunday, March 20

NO Religious Education – Spring Break
9:45a.m.-10:15a.m. Confessions
10:30a.m. Mass - Intention for +Robert Page
11:30a.m. Confirmation Luncheon with the Saints

To schedule a Mass for a special intention, special occasion or in remembrance of a loved one, contact the office. The usual offering is a \$10 Mass stipend that goes to the general fund. No amount is required.




St. ALOYIUS IS ON FACEBOOK!!! Search “St. Aloysius Church Meriden, KS”
or go to the church website to find the link.

**ST. ALOYSIUS PRAYER
WARRIORS**

pray for the needs of others.
Send requests to Carol Kahler
kckahlerfamily@gmail.com
or Call or text 785-221-9787

PRAYER LIST: We keep in our thoughts and prayers all the sick, home bound, their families & caregivers, especially: Judi Schreiner, Connie Harper, Angela Winn, Joel Rivera, Danielle & Drew Slimmer, Vera Welsh, Pat Lee, Mary Inman, Lucy Korber, and Shirley Bright.

 **Ministry of Care:** If you are concerned about a loved one, we would love to send them a card. Please send their name & address to the office or to Barb: barb@myseymours.com

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

SAT. Mar. 19th, 4:00pm Mass – Third Sunday of Lent

Lector: Merlyn Mahoney
Eucharistic Minister: Gene Boden
Servers: Dennis Noll/Jim Cummings
Offertory Procession: Tom and Bev Schuler

SUN. Mar. 20th, 10:30pm Mass – Third Sunday of Lent




Lector: Nita Jensen
Eucharistic Minister: Brandan Giltner
Servers: Elinore Stallbaumer, Charlotte Stallbaumer
Ushers: Dan and Jackie Cote, Sam & Sawyer Stallbaumer
Offertory Procession: Joel and Jennifer Dickey & Family

HOW ARE WE DOING? END OF FISCAL YEAR TO DATE 7/1/21- 6/30/22

Weekly Regular/Children's/Plate	March 5 & 6	\$ 3,628.00	YTD Regular Plate -	\$ 102,226.24
Weekly Other Income	March 5 & 6	\$ 98.10	YTD other income -	\$ 16,144.02
(Does not include extra parochial collections or donations to specific agencies i.e. God's Storehouse etc.)				
Thank you for keeping	Total Income	\$ 3,726.10	YTD Income	\$ 118,370.26
Our St. Aloysius Community	Weekly Income Needed	\$ 3,300.00	Income Needed	\$ 118,600.00
Financially Stable!!!	Difference	\$ 426.10	Difference	\$ - (229.74)

BUILDING FUND

Previous Weeks YTD Donations	\$45,411.64	End of Dec Building Fund Balance -	\$36,771.33
Weekly Building Fund (March 5&6)	\$947.00	Building Fund Donations January -	\$2,720.00
		Parking/Tech Updates-	-\$0.00
YTD Building Fund Donations	\$46,358.64	End of Jan. Available Balance -	\$ 39,491.33
*Building Fund balance will be updated each month. YTD total reflects funds received to date in the fiscal year.		Upcoming Exp.(paint/Parking/Sound) -	-\$16,848.00
		Knights of Columbus Donation -	\$2,000.00
		Projected Balance -	\$24,643.33


	ST. ALOYSIUS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 9:15-10:15am DRE Linda Smith 766-1616/ staloyiusdre@gmail.com	
Camp Tekakwitha Reg: www.archkck.org/camp camptekreg@gmail.com	NO CLASS SPRING BREAK March 13th & 20th Sunday March 20 - Confirmation Luncheon with the Saints Friday March 25 - Student Led Stations of the Cross March 26-27 RCYC "What's Your Story" HS Conference	 Bring your cans to raise money for St. Aloysius Youth Group


P A R I S H N E W S	 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING SUNDAY MARCH 13, 6:30pm	 Runnin with the Revs Game - Topeka April 25 at 7pm - Any 8 th -12 th grader interested in playing or 7 th graders interested in a free throw contest contact the office by March 30 th .
	Bring in Palms from previous years to be used for Ashes for future years.	 CANDY NEEDED! The annual St. Aloysius Easter Egg Hunt will be held following Easter Sunday Mass. Candy donations for putting in the eggs would be appreciated over the next few weeks. Thank you in advance!
	 BOOK STUDY Rediscover Catholicism All are welcome Tuesdays at 9:15am. Beginning March 15, for 4 sessions. More info. Contact Kitty Grote 785-484-9927.	 As we approach the end of the campaign St. Aloysius sits just a little short of our goal, \$16,360.00 of \$17,000. If you have not made your donation yet, it's not too late. Thank you to all who have already donated.
	St. Aloysius on FORMED: 1) Go to Formed.org 2) Click Sign up 3) Select "I belong to a Parish" 4) Select St. Aloysius/St. Theresa	

MEALS ON WHEELS: DRIVERS AND SUBSTITUTE DRIVERS ARE NEEDED for deliveries for the Meriden & Ozawkie areas. If you are interested or would like more information contact Stacie at 785-430-2186

Hayden Christian Lifestyles Renewable Grant for eligible freshman for the 2022-23 school year. Go to www.hayden-catholic.org, to the admissions/scholarship/Christian Lifestyles Grant tab & find requirements & application. More Info. call Janet at 272-5210 ext.104. DL is **March 21st at 3:30pm**

 Knights of Columbus \$1000.00 Scholarship to a 2022 High School Senior. Email jwfiggs@gmail.com or go to: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zZU-XnysgWPR-yS-qGD8yqZh7J0n6YILL6pOg2Yh3s/edit?usp=sharing>

"Magnifying the Lord" Ladies' Lenten Retreat at Prairie Star Ranch, March 18-20
 Details and Registration at mag90.com or email kaylene@mag90.com 

 The Living in Love retreat, now called the Weekend Immersion offered by EverMore in Love, this weekend will help married couples experience the wonder of being more in love. March 26 & 27 at Church of the Nativity, Leawood. Info. & coupon code for our Archdiocese at www.archkck.org/livinginlove