

## ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Office Hours** - Main Office Tues. & Thurs. 9a.m. – 1p.m. Fr. John is available following Tues & Thurs Mass

**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, Tuesday & Thursday 7:45am-8:15am, Thursdays 5-5:45pm, or by appointment.



### June 7, 2026 - The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ, Corpus Christi

“There is no need to pay attention to gossip, much less get ill by giving in to those who perhaps have never know what truth is.”  
– Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati, *Wisdom of the Saints*

### CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 7, 2026

**TUESDAY JUNE 9 8:30am MASS** at St. Aloysius - Intention for + Barbara Martin

**WEDNESDAY JUNE 10 8:30am MASS** at St. Theresa

**THURSDAY JUNE 11 8:30am MASS** at St. Aloysius - Intention for Mark Spenard  
5:00-6:00pm Adoration and Confessions  
6:10pm Parish Council Meeting

**FRIDAY JUNE 12 8:30am MASS** at St. Theresa

**SATURDAY JUNE 13 8:30am MASS** at St. Theresa

**SATURDAY JUNE 13 - The 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**4:00pm MASS** at St. Aloysius

- Intention for Parishioners of St. Aloysius & St. Theresa

**SUNDAY JUNE 14 - The 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:45am MASS** at St. Theresa

**10:30am MASS** at St. Aloysius - Intention for + Adam Sands

**5:30pm Youth Group - 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Meeting**



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

Traveling this Summer? Find Mass times at [masstimes.org](http://masstimes.org)

### MINISTRY SCHEDULES – The 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Sat. June 13, 4:00pm MASS

**Lector:** Dolores Korb

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

George McMahon, Shannon McMahon, Beth Williams

**Server:** Joe Grote

**Offertory Procession:**

George and Shannon McMahon

#### Sunday June 14, 10:30am MASS

**Lectors:** Wayne Fletcher

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

Sharon Desch, Avis Fletcher, Beth Williams

**Server:** Charlotte Stallbaumer

**Ushers/Greeters:**

Rita Lavin, Benji Holthaus, Joel and Jennifer Dickey








**Offertory Procession:** Gladys Petesch & Rita Lavin


**HOW ARE WE DOING? END OF FISCAL YEAR TO DATE 7/1/25- 6/30/26**

|   |                      |                     |                      |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Weekly Regular/Children's/Plate (May 23/24 & 30/31)   | \$ 4,350.00          | YTD Regular Plate - | \$ 132,797.07        |
| Weekly Other Income & Bazaar (May 23/24 & 30/31)  | \$ 335.00            | YTD other income -  | \$ 25,419.10         |
| (Does not include extra parochial collections or donations to specific agencies i.e. God's Storehouse etc.) |                      |                     |                      |
| Weekly Income based on  | <b>Total Income</b>  | <b>YTD Income</b>   | <b>\$ 158,216.17</b> |
| Budget amount for 2025/2026   | Weekly Income Needed | Income Needed       | \$ 153,760.00        |
| Thank you!!!  | <b>Difference</b>    | <b>Difference</b>   | <b>\$ 4,496.17</b>   |

**BUILDING FUND**

|   |             |                                    |              |
|---|-------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Previous Weeks YTD Donations            | \$19,439.00 | End of Dec Building Fund Balance - | \$83,899.36  |
| Weekly Income (May 23/24 & 30/31)       | \$ 210.00   | Jan., Feb, March Donations         | \$6,510.00   |
| YTD Building Fund Donations             | \$19,649.00 |                                    |              |
| YTD Funds are for the Fiscal Year       |             | End of March Balance -             | \$ 90,409.36 |
|   |             | Reserve                            | \$ 0.00      |
| Projected Balance is updated Quarterly. |             | Projected Balance -                | \$ 90,409.36 |

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|  | <b>ST. ALOYSIUS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION</b><br>Sundays 9:15-10:15am - DRE Linda Smith<br>766-1616 / <a href="mailto:staloysiusdre@gmail.com">staloysiusdre@gmail.com</a> |   | <b>YOUTH GROUP – 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sundays 5:30-7:30pm<br>??'s Samantha 785-249-1303                                     |
|  | <b>Have a Blessed Summer!!!</b>  |  | <b>Next Youth Group June 7 at 5:30pm</b>   |
| <b>P<br/>A<br/>R<br/>I<br/>S<br/>H</b>   |  <b>1:00pm Pickleball Tuesday &amp; Thursday</b>                                    |  | <b>Friday Women's Summer Book Club</b><br><i>"Girlfriends &amp; Other Saints: Companions On My Journey of Faith - Teresa Tomeo. Friday Mornings from 8-9:00am, June 12 - July 31</i> |
|  |  <b>St. Aloysius Exercise Class</b><br>Wednesdays & Fridays 9:30-10:30am           |  |  During the Summer Months there will be no Music for Saturday Evening Mass.                       |
|  |  <b>THURSDAY 5-6:00pm</b><br><b>ADORATION &amp; CONFESSIOINS</b>                  |  |  |

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| <b>ST. ALOYSIUS PRAYER WARRIORS</b><br><i>pray for the needs of others.</i><br>Send requests to Carol Kahler<br><a href="mailto:kckahlerfamily@gmail.com">kckahlerfamily@gmail.com</a><br>or Call or text 785-221-9787 | <b>PRAYER LIST:</b> We keep in our thoughts & prayers the sick, home bound, their families & caregivers, especially: Connie Harper, Angela Winn, Joel Rivera, Shirley Bright, Janice Long, Joe Morgison, And Celeste Clelland. |  <b>Ministry of Care:</b> 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 Seymour <a href="mailto:barb@myseymours.com">barb@myseymours.com</a> |
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Catholic Charities of NE Kansas is offering **disaster relief assistance** to individuals & families affected by the recent tornadoes & storms in our area. Financial assistance is available for home repairs, temporary housing, & insurance deductibles to those of any faith. If you or someone you know needs help, please call 913-433-2012.

**UPCOMING VIRTUS TRAINING SESSION** at Christ the King in Topeka on Tuesday, June 9th @ 6pm in Yadrich Hall. Register for this session online at: [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org). Please contact your parish's safe environment coordinator about creating your Virtus account or completing your background check and policy documents.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** for Prairie Star Ranch Special Needs Family Camp at Camp Tekakwitha June 12-14. They will help support the camp staff & families to ensure the safety & enjoyment of everyone! No previous experience is required. Reach out to Josh Ruoff at [jruoff@archkck.org](mailto:jruoff@archkck.org) or 913-647-3054 if you are interested



Catholic Charities of NE Kansas & Let's Help, Inc. are pleased to announce a planned organizational transition that will strengthen & sustain critical services for individuals & families in need. Through an asset transfer agreement, Let's Help will transition its programs & operations to Catholic Charities, ensuring continuity of care while expanding long-term impact. Catholic Charities' Topeka operations will relocate to Let's Help's current facility at 245 SW MacVicar Avenue. For the full press release, visit our website at [catholiccharitiesks.org](http://catholiccharitiesks.org)

“This program gave us the opportunity to move our marriage relationship beyond what we ever perceived it could be”  
-2013 Retrouvaille couple

**UPCOMING KC WEEKEND**  
**June 19-21**  
**HelpOurMarriage.org**



Build a Stronger Marriage  
Rediscover Your Love  
Retrouvaille 800-470-2230



**CAMP TEKAKWITHA**

DATE  
**26-28 JUNE**

[HTTPS://ARCHKCK.ORG/CAMP-TEKAKWITHA/FAMILY-CAMPS/](https://archkck.org/camp-tekakwitha/family-camps/)

GROW CLOSER AS A FAMILY AND TO GOD!

JOIN THE FUN! ENGLISH & SPANISH

**FAMILY CAMP**

Rekindle the love and joy, the hopes and dreams that you and your spouse cherished on your wedding day by attending the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience**.

“It was amazing! The most fruitful weekend my wife and I have ever had. Do whatever it takes and schedule yours now!” – Bruce R.

Visit [www.WWME.org](http://www.WWME.org), scan the QR code or email [greaterkc.wwme@gmail.com](mailto:greaterkc.wwme@gmail.com) for registration & information!

**Save the Date**  
June 19-21, 2026 in Kansas City, KS  
Sept 18-20, 2026 in Carthage, MO  
Oct. 23-25, 2026 in Kansas City, KS

worldwide marriage encounter

**JUNE**

**EVENTS IN THE REGION**

## Encounter KC Summer Intensive

**SPIRITUALLY HUNGRY FOR MORE?** You've sensed it. A hunger for something deeper. A desire to experience God's presence and power, not just read about it. The Encounter KC Summer Intensive is a 4-night experience designed for you to encounter the living God, be transformed and refreshed by the presence of the Holy Spirit, and be equipped to bring healing, encouragement, and joy into your everyday life. There is more to being Catholic, come experience it.

**June 22-25 | EncounterKC.com**

**Honor Our Blessed Mother and Our Lady of Fatima on Sunday June 21st from 3 to 4:15 pm at St. Pius X Parish at 5500 Woodson Ave. Mission, KS. We will pray the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious mysteries of the Holy Rosary followed by Benediction and the opportunity for attendees to enroll in the Brown Scapular. For driving instructions or future dates for the Kansas City monthly Holy Rosary rallies, please visit [www.rosaryrallieskc.org](http://www.rosaryrallieskc.org)**

## did you know?

Every year, the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas Special Needs Ministry hosts a **Special Needs Totus Tuus Camp** offering a joyful week of faith, friendship, and fun for individuals with special needs.

This year it will take place July 27-31, but this beautiful week can't happen without the support of our community!

You can help by:

- Hosting Totus Tuus missionaries in your home during the week
- Volunteering to assist with daily camp activities
- Providing meals for missionaries and volunteers

Your generosity helps make this special experience possible for families in our archdiocese.

Learn more or sign up to help at [archkck.org/special-needs](http://archkck.org/special-needs) and click on "EVENTS"