

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.

**November
9, 2025**

"The first degree of humility is prompt obedience."

- St. Benedict, Wisdom of the Saints

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF November 9, 2025

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 11 - 8:30 MASS at St. Aloysius - Intention for The Martin Family
Church Office Closed

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 12 - 8:30am MASS at St. Theresa

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 13 - 8:30am MASS at St. Aloysius - Intention for + Pat O'Toole
5:00pm-6:00pm Adoration & Confessions at St. Aloysius

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 14 - 8:30am MASS at St. Theresa

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15 - 8:30am MASS at St. Theresa

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 15 - 4:00pm MASS at St. Aloysius

Intention for Members of St. Aloysius and St. Theresa

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 16 -

8:45am MASS at St. Theresa

9:15-10:15am Religious Education

10:30am MASS at St. Aloysius - Knights of Columbus Remembrance Mass

- Intention for + Deceased Knights of Columbus Council Members

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. 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 & prayers the sick, home bound, their families & caregivers, especially: Connie Harper, Angela Winn, Joel Rivera, Vera Welsh, Shirley Bright, Janice Long, Joe Morgison and Celeste Clelland.



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 Seymour
barb@myseymours.com

MINISTRY SCHEDULES – The Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat. November 15, 4:00pm MASS

Lector: Joe Grote

Eucharistic Ministers:

Gene Boden, Nancy Boden, Beth Williams

Server: Dennis Noll

Offertory Procession: Terry and Jane Stueve

Sunday November 16, 10:30am MASS

Lectors: Knights of Columbus

Eucharistic Ministers:

Knights of Columbus

Server: Knights of Columbus

Ushers/Greeters: Knights of Columbus

Offertory Procession: Knights of Columbus

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

Weekly Regular/Children's/Plate (week of Nov 1 & 2)	\$ 4,864.00	YTD Regular Plate -	\$ 52565.23
Weekly Other Income & Bazaar (week of Nov 1 & 2)	\$ 293.00	YTD other income -	\$ 20,014.66
(Does not include extra parochial collections or donations to specific agencies i.e. God's Storehouse etc.)			
Weekly Income based on	Total Income	YTD Income	
Budget amount for 2025/2026	Weekly Income Needed	Income Needed	
Thank you!!!	Difference	Difference	
	\$ 5,157.00	\$ 72,579.89	
	\$ 3,660.00	\$ 62,220.00	
	\$ 1,497.00	\$ 10,359.89	

BUILDING FUND

Previous Weeks YTD Donations	\$ 4,245.00	End of May Building Fund Balance –	\$86,725.57
Weekly Income (week of Nov 1 & 2)	\$ 3,865.00	June, July, Aug, Sept. Donations	\$4,894.00
YTD Building Fund Donations	\$ 8,110.00	New Parish Hall Refrigerator	- \$3,958.21
*Building Fund Projected balance is		End of Sept Balance -	\$ 87,661.36
Updated Quarterly.		Reserve October replace HVAC Unit.	- \$11,221.00
YTD Funds are for the fiscal year.		Projected Balance -	\$ 76,440.36



ST. ALOYSIUS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sundays 9:15-10:15am - DRE Linda Smith
766-1616 / staloyusdre@gmail.com



YOUTH GROUP – 8th-12th grade

1st & 3rd Sundays 5:30-7:30pm
??'s Samantha 785-249-1303

November 9 – 1st Reconciliation Retreat

Donate Items for God's storehouse Thanksgiving!

IN THE PARISH



ADORATION & CONFESSIONS
THURSDAYS 5:00-6:00pm



1:00pm Pickleball Tuesdays



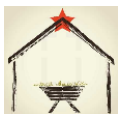
St. Aloysius Strength & Balance
Exercise class Wednesdays & Fridays
9:30-10:30am in Parish Hall



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE
FINAL 2025 LOTTERY WINNER**

Tom Schuler!!!

Lottery winners will be mailed a check.



All are invited to
JOURNEY TO THE MANGER
Sunday Nov. 23, after 10:30am Mass

Come enjoy a meal, games, crafts &
time for reflection to prepare for the start of
Advent. Sign up to help at church today.



God's Storehouse has been blessed to
receive help from Harvesters, but this
assistance will no longer be available. Please
consider grabbing extra non- perishable food items to
support our local food pantry & place them in the bin.



Congratulations St. Aloysius! We Sur-
passed our Call to Share Goal this year!
Thank you for your generosity!

SPECIAL COLLECTION for AMS. AMS is the
Archdiocese for the Military. The AMS receives no
funding from the U.S. Government or Military & has no
parishes to receive a weekly assessment it must rely on
the generosity of those whose values & priorities align
with its mission. Please prayerfully consider a
contribution to support active-duty military & their
families.

Cards at Knights of Columbus Hall - 105 N Norton Avenue, Nortonville, KS All are invited!
5 Point Pitch: \$5 to play, \$.50 a set, November 15, & 29 Questions contact Leroy Funk 785-806-2442

Surge of the Heart Parish Mission – November 9 & 10 6:30-8:00pm – John Leonetti will be at Mother
Teresa Catholic Church to deliver 2 power talks. Location: 2014 NW 46th St., Topeka. Join us.



The November edition of the "Building a Civilization of Love" family newsletter is now available. We
hope that it will provide resources & offer encouragement along your journey! Use the QR code or go
to the link & read now! <https://archkck.org/family/life/parenting-resources/more-parenting-resources/>

Next Weekend 11/16/25 7:30am-10am at Mother Teresa Knights of Columbus are holding a **pancake feed** for
Cor Christi Catholic Center. The money raised will help students who will be attending the SEEK26 conference.

Jeff West Elementary has been recognized as 1 of only 3 schools in Kansas to receive the **National Blue
Ribbon Award for Educational Excellence!** We are thrilled to share this honor with our community & invite
you to celebrate with us on **Tues., Nov. 18, 5–6:30 p.m.** for a **Community Open House.** Come meet the staff,
tour the school, view student work samples, & enjoy some Blue-Ribbon treats as we celebrate this exciting
achievement together. We look forward to seeing you there!