



ST. ISIDORE'S

CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

Kansas State University

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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
4:30 p.m., 6:00 p.m.
Daily Mass
Tuesday-Thursday 10:00 p.m.
Friday 12:10 p.m.

Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Fr. Mike, 539-7496, or frmike@stisidores.com. An instruction class is required for the baptism of the first child. Classes this semester: 2:00 p.m. on Sunday Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15, Dec. 20.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions are heard at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, or by appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage: A six-month preparation period is required. Please contact the office for an appointment at least six months prior to your intended wedding date.

RCIA: If you, or someone you know, are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please call the office to register. Class begins in September and ends in April of each year.

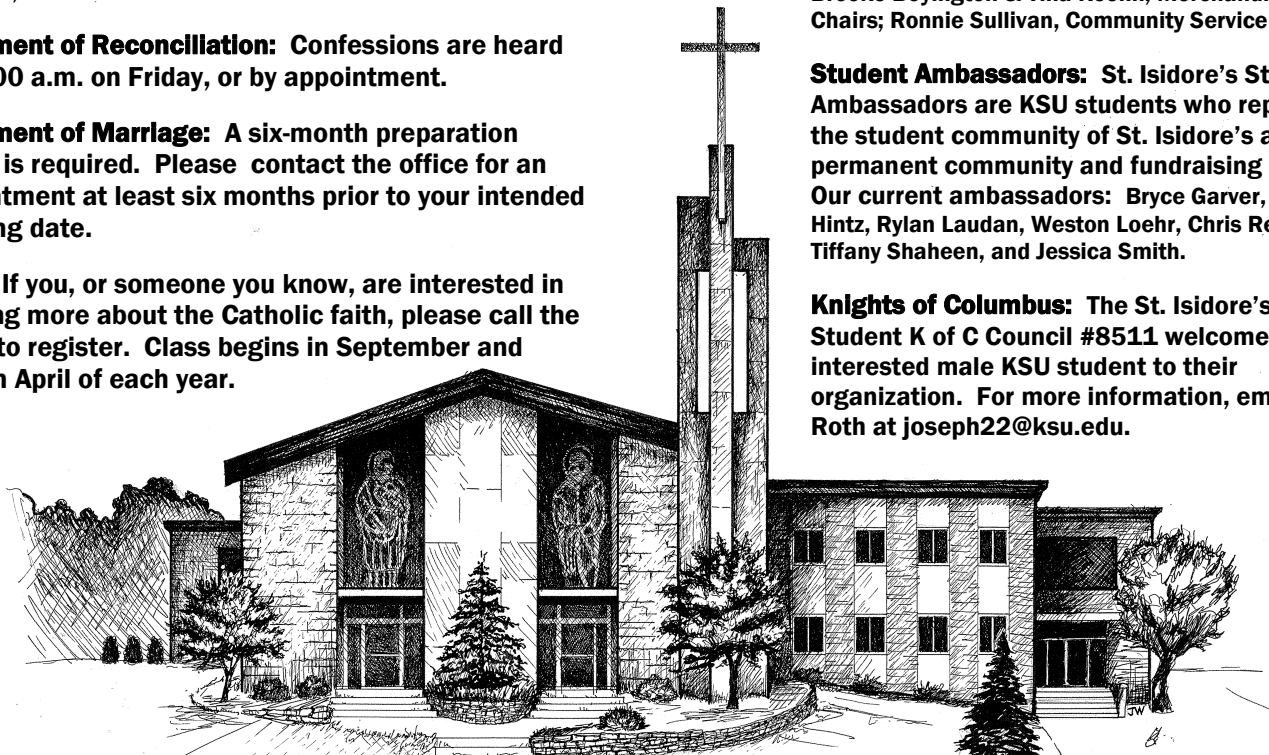
St. Isidore's Staff

Fr. Michael Demkovich, O.P.	Pastor, Chaplain
Fr. Robert Barry, O.P.	Parochial Vicar, Chaplain
Frank Schmeidler	Director of Worship
Mary Lou Hoss	Office Manager
Kimberly Fund	Stewardship Director
Jenna Koster	Campus Minister
Breanna Elley	Campus Minister
Quenten Troyer	Facilities Manager
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Josh Langford (PT)	Computers/Website
Michaela Gleason (PT)	Office Assistant
Lori Harlan (PT)	Publications
Aaron Gleason (PT)	Maintenance
Jake Miranda (PT)	Maintenance

Student Leadership Team: This team is made up of KSU students who help plan and organize social, service, spiritual, and educational programs offered by the Center. Nate Hoffman, President; Mary Khadivi, Secretary; Derek Haug, Treasurer; Jonathan Wolfe, Social Chair; Marie Feldpausch, Intramural Chair; Michaela Gleason & Meg Eilert, Food Chairs; Brooke Boyington & Tina Keehn, Merchandise Chairs; Ronnie Sullivan, Community Service Chair.

Student Ambassadors: St. Isidore's Student Ambassadors are KSU students who represent the student community of St. Isidore's at permanent community and fundraising events. Our current ambassadors: Bryce Garver, Jeri Hintz, Rylan Laudan, Weston Loehr, Chris Reusz, Tiffany Shaheen, and Jessica Smith.

Knights of Columbus: The St. Isidore's Student K of C Council #8511 welcomes any interested male KSU student to their organization. For more information, email Joe Roth at joseph22@ksu.edu.



We extend a sincere welcome to all K-State students, faculty and staff, visiting parents, alumni, and friends. It is great to have you here! Registration cards are available in the lobby or online at www.stisidores.com.

This Week

Tuesday, Sept. 8

5:30 p.m. – Women's Group/Basement
7:00 p.m. – RCIA/Newman Hall
7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal/Music Room

Wednesday, Sept. 9

6:30 p.m. – Prayer Shawl Ministry/Upper Rm
7:00 p.m. – RCIA/Newman Hall
7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal/Music Room
Music Room
11:00 p.m. – Eucharistic Adoration/Side Chapel

Thursday, Sept. 10

7:00 p.m. – Praise & Worship/Chapel
8:15 p.m. – Bible Study/Newman Hall

Friday, Sept. 11

10:00 a.m. – Confessions/Chapel

Saturday, Sept. 12

1:00 p.m. – Freshmen Retreat

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Sept. 5

5:00 p.m. - St. Isidore's Community

Sunday, Sept. 6

9:30 a.m. - Bernard and Bobbie Rust
11:00 a.m. - In Memory of Gilbert and
Mary Ann Seeberger
4:30 p.m. - In Memory of John Canter
6:00 p.m. - Don Ford

Monday, Sept. 7

No Mass

Tuesday, Sept. 8

10:00 p.m. - Poor Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, Sept. 9

10:00 p.m. - In Memory of BJ Orbison

Thursday, Sept. 10

10:00 p.m. - Maureen V. Zanoni

Friday, Sept. 11

12:10 p.m. - O.J. Peterka Family

Saturday, Sept. 12

5:00 p.m. - In Memory of Ryan Sloan

Sunday, Sept. 13

9:30 a.m. - Gregory J. Anderson
11:00 a.m. - In Memory of
Alfred and Mary Ellen Clark
4:30 p.m. - St. Isidore's Community
6:00 p.m. - For Vocations

September 6, 2015 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings:

Is 35:4-7a
Jas 2:1-5
Mk 7:31-37



"He took him off by himself away from the crowd. He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue." Jesus could have healed this deaf man another way. He could have spoken a powerful word or, for that matter, just silently willed that the man's health be restored. It wasn't uncommon for Jesus to cure people simply by a quick touch. But instead, Jesus chose to heal him in this unique way. He made it a private event, one that involved an unusual kind of physical ritual.

Clearly, this was not for Jesus' sake. And since it was away from the crowd, it wasn't for their sake either. This particular healing was for this particular man. For whatever reason, Jesus knew that this man needed these signs--touching his ears and putting saliva on his tongue--in order to be freed of his inability to hear and speak well.

Jesus knows what we need. His care for each and every one of us is not some standardized package of generic charity. He loves us all as unique individuals and understands us. He sees our weaknesses and knows our strengths. He offers himself to us as an intimate friend, not an unfamiliar acquaintance. When we come to him with our hopes, our fears, our desires and needs, he hears and answers us ... in the way he knows is best. It might seem odd. It might be unexpected or different from what we have seen him do for others. But we need to trust, even when we are desperate for "healing," that Jesus does care, that he does listen, and that he does act on our behalf.

Let us have confidence in today's Old Testament proclamation from Isaiah: "Thus says the LORD: Say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God ... he comes to save you."

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RCIA

We are off to a great start with our RCIA classes this year. Even though we have already begun, if you would still like to join, please call the office at 785-539-7496 or email stisidores@stisidores.com.

Women's Group

Join us for Women's Group this Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. in St. Isidore's basement. Women's group is open to all female students and meets every Tuesday evening. During this time we enjoy fellowship with each other while discussing topics of interest to the group, as well as enjoy a meal together once a month. Please contact Campus Minister Jenna Koster at jenna.koster@stisidores.com with any questions. This month's theme will be "*Keeping the Faith Through Your College Years.*"

Music Ministry

A great way to be involved at St. Isidore's is through our music ministry. Our program includes cantors, instrumentalists, and three choirs. Choirs are accompanied by piano, guitar, and various instruments, rehearse once weekly, and sing at one of the following Sunday Masses - 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., or 4:30 p.m. Cantors and pianists lead the music at the 5:00 p.m. Saturday and the 6:00 p.m. Sunday Masses. If you are interested, please call Frank at 539-7496, or come to one of the rehearsals held every Tuesday and Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. upstairs in the Music Room.

Student Groups

Are you looking to grow in fellowship and faith with other Catholic K-Staters? Student Groups are a great opportunity to get to know others in a small group setting, as well as study the Bible together. Sign-ups for these groups are in the lobby; please return completed forms to the office. Contact Campus Minister Jenna Koster at jenna.koster@stisidores.com with any questions.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The purpose of this ministry is to reach out to someone in need of comfort after a loss, in times of stress, before a medical procedure, during an illness, etc., through a prayer shawl. Shawls can be knitted or crocheted, and all skill levels are welcome. The group meets on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Upper Room. Newcomers are welcome! For more information, please contact Judy Hedman at 785-341-8615.

Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration begins this Wednesday, Sept. 10, in St. Isidore's side chapel after 10:00 p.m. Mass. It ends with Benediction immediately before Mass on Thursday night (when school is in session). If you are still wanting to sign up, we have one-hour openings on Thursday at 3:00 a.m., 4:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon. Please sign up on the sheets in the lobby.

Praise & Worship

Do you love music? Praise & Worship is a great way to spend time with God through music and reflection. It's also a great place to meet other Catholic K-Staters! Join us Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel starting this week, Sept. 10!

Bible Study

Bible Study begins this week! Join Fr. Bob this Thursday, Sept. 10, at 8:15 p.m. in Newman Hall. This semester the study will focus on the Gospels and Acts of the Apostles, Paul's letter to the Romans and the Book of Revelations.

Freshmen Retreat Saturday, September 12

The St. Philip Neri Retreat is designed exclusively for freshmen students. Become familiar with St. Isidore's, reflect on what it means to be a person of faith in college, and meet new people! The retreat is next Saturday, Sept. 12, from 1:00 to 7:30 p.m. at St. Isidore's. Mass and dinner Saturday evening are included.

► To sign up, contact Breanna at breanna.elley@stisidores.com or call 785-539-7496. The deadline to sign up is Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Liturgical Ministry Training

A training session will be held in the Chapel next Sunday, Sept. 13, at 1:00 p.m. for anyone willing to serve as a Minister of Holy Communion, Minister at the Altar, Lector, or Hospitality this year at the weekend Masses. This session is required for new ministers as well as for those who have served in the past. In addition to attending the training session, you must be a registered member of St. Isidore's.

Dollar Dinner

Are you looking for a home cooked meal on a college budget? St. Isidore's is providing dinner once a month for students for only \$1! Come to the first Dollar Dinner next Sunday, Sept. 13, at 7:00 p.m. in Newman Hall! This evening provides a great way to meet other K-Staters as well as stay updated on events at St. Isidore's. Hope to see you there!

STIR-St. Isidore's Retreat Team

Is God calling you to share your faith with teenagers? Consider joining the St. Isidore's Retreat Team! Inspired by the verse from 2 Timothy: "Stir into flame the gift of God that you have," we put on retreats for area youth groups, middle schools, and high schools. As a member of the Retreat Team, you will prepare a talk centered on an aspect of your faith and help plan activities prior to retreats, then facilitate activities, lead small groups, and give your talk during the retreats. If you are interested in joining the team or learning more, come to the informational meeting on Monday, Sept. 14, at 7:00 p.m. in Meeting Room #1, or contact Breanna Elley at breanna.elley@stisidores.com.

Ministry Schedule

Weekend of Sept. 12-13

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

MC: Jon Murphy
EMHC: Mandy McGuire
Mollie Richmeier
Rachel Severt
Meg Vernon
Lector: Trey Vernon
Hospitality: Travis Altenhofen
Alicia Kilian

Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

MC: Bryce Garver
EMHC: Alexandra Bock
Allyson Deaver
Derek Haug
Kelly Lange
Lector: Allison Pfeifer
Hospitality: Matt Dokupil
Emily Cavlovic

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

MC: Ryan Sutton
EMHC: Landon Becker
Cody King
Lauren King
Cecilia Lane
Lector: Meg Eilert
Hospitality: Gian LaManno
Emilie Taylor

Sunday, 4:30 p.m.

MC: Aaron Gleason
EMHC: Brooke Biby
Barbara Braga
Trenton Kennedy
Greg Rieber
Lector: Jessica High
Hospitality: Brooke Boyington
Gage Nichols

Sunday, 6:00 p.m.

MC: Thomas McAnerney
EMHC: Craig Ackerman
Jill Seiler
Pat Strathman
Michelle Wehkamp
Lector: Lillian Hyde
Hospitality: Crystal Dau
Matt Lenz



Pathways Retreat Sign-Up

Pathways is a weekend retreat which focuses on our relationship with God, self and others. The retreat starts on Friday at 5:30 p.m. and concludes Sunday at 3:00 p.m., Oct. 2-4. There is a limit of 30 students for this retreat. Registration forms will be available on Wednesday, Sept. 16, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The first 15 places will be filled on a first-come/first-served basis. The remaining 15 will be drawn from the completed registration forms at 5:00 p.m. that day. Cost for the retreat is \$30.

K of C Pancake Breakfast

Join the St. Isidore's Knights of Columbus for a pancake breakfast in Newman Hall on Sunday, Sept. 20, after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Masses. The proceeds will be sent to seminarians who have attended K-State. Bring your appetite and support the Knights!

Natural Family Planning Introduction to the Creighton Model System

The Creighton Model FertilityCare System is taught by Lori Harlan, FertilityCare Practitioner. Introductory sessions will be held in Meeting Room #1 on Sunday, Sept. 20, 3:00 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 20, 7:00 p.m.; and Wednesday, Nov. 18, 7:00 p.m. These are free, one-hour sessions. To sign up, contact Lori at lharlan@gmail.com.

Men's Group

On Friday, Sept. 25, at 5:30 p.m. there will be an organizational meeting in the Upper Room to discuss future possibilities for a men's group here at St. Isidore's. All interested undergrad and grad-age men, please attend.

Wine, Cheese & the Bible

This gathering is for all those adult members of St. Isidore's in their mid-20's to early 30's interested in growing in the Catholic faith and fellowship. We will meet on Friday, Sept. 25, at 8:00 p.m. in the Upper Room to discuss various possibilities for the coming year as to interests, venues and topics. The evening lasts for an hour, but everyone is welcome to stay and get to know one another. Sorry, no child care is provided.

10th Annual Oktoberfest Hosts Needed

The St. Isidore's Annual Giving Committee is in need of permanent community members interested in sponsoring our 10th annual Oktoberfest social event on Friday, Oct. 9. For more information, please call Kimberly at 785-539-7496 or email kim.fund@stisidores.com.

Interactive Class

Insights from John Paul II's *Love & Responsibility*

Fr. Karol Wojtyla (Pope John Paul II) published *Love & Responsibility* in 1960, the fruit of his pastoral work, particularly among young people. His analysis of the true meaning of human love is life-transforming and practical shedding light on real issues between men and women. In this interactive class, we will be taking insights from this work and Edward Sri's *Men, Women, and the Mystery of Love* and applying them to modern society. With the teachings, short video clips, and small group discussion, this class is designed to create a healthy environment to discuss issues such as: authentic love and friendship, the role of sensuality and emotions in attraction, and differences between men and women. This class will be on Tuesday's at 8:30 p.m. starting Oct. 6. Contact Breanna at breanna.elley@stisidores.com with any questions.

Stay Connected!

► Visit St. Isidore's web site, www.stisidores.com, for information about organizations, activities, and events, view photo albums, and update registration information. The site also includes our current bulletins; so if you are unable to pick up a bulletin some weekend, you can read it online.

► Log on to Facebook.com and "Like" the [St. Isidore's Catholic Student Center](#) page to keep updated on events!

► If you missed registration here at St. Isidore's in August, please **register online or pick up a card** in the lobby and return it to the office.

► **Rediscover Catholicism Book:** Please be sure to pick up a copy of Matthew Kelly's "*Rediscover Catholicism*" located on the tables near the exits. This book is a wonderful way to rejuvenate and reignite the fire for your Catholic faith. Also, check out the book study that is on our website, www.stisidores.com.

Mass in Spanish

Every Sunday at 12:00 p.m. Mass is celebrated in Spanish at Seven Dolors Church, 731 Pierre St., Manhattan.

Anniversary Masses

The Diocese of Salina wishes to honor all couples who are celebrating 25, 40, 50, 55 and 60 or more years of marriage. Celebrations with Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger, celebrant, are planned at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Salina, on Sunday, Oct. 11, at 3:00 p.m.; and at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Hays, on Sunday, Oct. 18, at 3:00 p.m. If you would like to participate in one of these celebrations, please notify St. Isidore's office, 785-539-7496, or stisidores@stisidores.com, by Tuesday, Sept. 8, requesting a personal invitation. Please provide last name, first name of husband and wife, street address, city, state, zip, phone number, anniversary date and year married, anniversary number being celebrated in 2015 and where you will be attending, Salina or Hays.

"C. Clyde Run" Fun Run

The 4th annual "C. Clyde Run" Fun Run 5K and Midge's Mile Walk for Shepherd's Crossing, will be held on Oct. 3. It is open to the community with a 5K race run through the K-State campus, along with Midge's Mile Family Fun Walk, to honor the K-State College of Business Administration's first dean, Dr. C. Clyde Jones and his wife, Midge Jones. Individuals of all ages and abilities will be able to participate. Plan to attend and make it a team, and the church with the most participants will get to take home the annual "C. Clyde Run" traveling trophy. Sponsorship opportunities are also available. Entry fee is \$20 for students, \$25 for nonstudents, and \$80 for a 4-person team registering together. If you would like to be on a team, or need help filling a team, please contact Rita Keating at rita.keating53@gmail.com. The race web page is <http://cba.k-state.edu/about/cclyderun.html>. Entry forms are also available in St. Isidore's lobby.