



# ST. ISIDORE'S

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## CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

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### Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.,  
4:30 p.m.  
Daily Mass  
Monday 12:10 p.m.  
Tuesday-Thursday 9:30 p.m.  
Friday 4:00 p.m.

### Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Contact Maria Leiker, 539-7496 or [mleiker@stisidores.com](mailto:mleiker@stisidores.com). An instruction class is required for the baptism of the first child.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. and Friday at 10:00 a.m.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** A six-month preparation period is required. Email [mleiker@stisidores.com](mailto:mleiker@stisidores.com) for information 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.

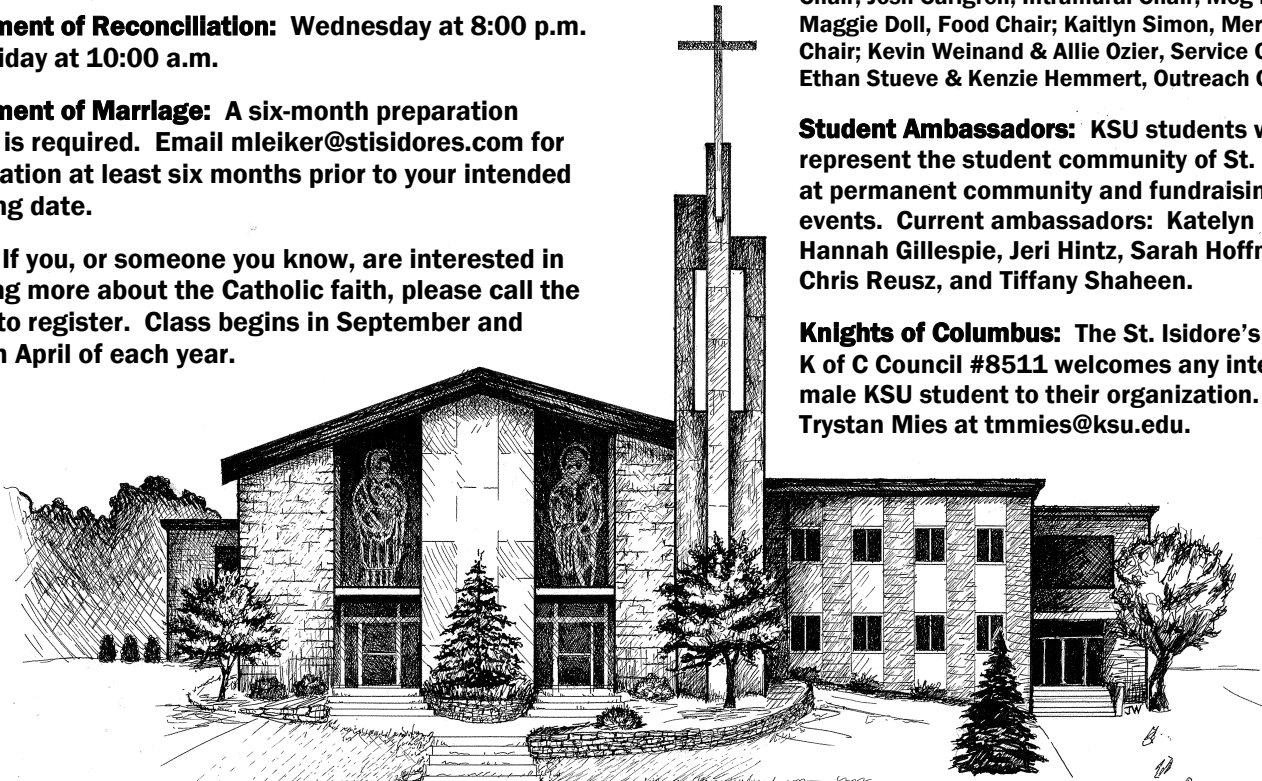
### St. Isidore's Staff

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
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Elise Gallant (PT)	Office Assistant
Katelyn Dugan (PT)	Office Assistant
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**Student Leadership Team:** KSU students who help plan and organize social, service, spiritual, and educational programs: Alex Lutz, President; Tracie Thibault, Sec/Treas; Sarah Hoffman, Social Chair; Josh Carlgren, Intramural Chair; Meg Eilert & Maggie Doll, Food Chair; Kaitlyn Simon, Merchandise Chair; Kevin Weinand & Allie Ozier, Service Chair; Ethan Stueve & Kenzie Hemmert, Outreach Chair.

**Student Ambassadors:** KSU students who represent the student community of St. Isidore's at permanent community and fundraising events. Current ambassadors: Katelyn Dugan, Hannah Gillespie, Jeri Hintz, Sarah Hoffman, Chris Reusz, and Tiffany Shaheen.

**Knights of Columbus:** The St. Isidore's Student K of C Council #8511 welcomes any interested male KSU student to their organization. Email Trystan Mies at [tmmies@ksu.edu](mailto:tmmies@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](http://www.stisidores.com).

## This Week

### Sunday, Feb. 26

6:00 p.m. – Parish Mission/Chapel

### Monday, Feb. 27

6:00 p.m. – Parish Mission/Chapel

### Tuesday, Feb. 28

6:00 p.m. – Parish Mission/Chapel

7:00 p.m. – Choir Rehearsal/Music Room

10:00 p.m. – Mardi Gras/Basement

### Wednesday, March 1

Ash Wednesday, see Mass times below

### Thursday, March 2

7:00 p.m. – Hot Topics/Pornography/  
Meeting Room #1

8:15 p.m. – Praise & Worship/Chapel

### Friday, March 3

10:00 a.m. – Confessions

4:00 p.m. – Mass

4:30 p.m. – Stations of the Cross

5:30 p.m. – Soup Supper/Newman Hall

### Saturday, March 4

9:00 a.m. – Silent Retreat

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, Feb. 25

5:00 p.m. - Deb Canter

### Sunday, Feb. 26

8:00 a.m. - St. Isidore's Community

9:30 a.m. - In Memory of Leon Cocozzoli

11:00 a.m. - Dominic Boniuto

4:30 p.m. - Jillian Blackhall

### Tuesday, Feb. 28

9:30 p.m. – For Vocations

### Ash Wednesday, March 1

12:10 p.m. – In Memory of Aileen Cray

4:00 p.m. – For harmony among  
all religions

5:30 p.m. – In Memory of Daniel Keating

7:00 p.m. – In Thanksgiving

9:30 p.m. – Mary Anne Brashler

### Thursday, March 2

9:30 p.m. – In Memory of BJ Orbison

### Friday, March 3

4:00 p.m. - R. and A. Martin

### Saturday, March 4

5:00 p.m. - In Memory of  
Kenneth Thomas

### Sunday, March 5

8:00 a.m. - St. Isidore's Community

9:30 a.m. - Bernard and Bobbie Rust

11:00 a.m. - In Memory of Roger Davis

4:30 p.m. - In Memory of Larry Welton

## February 26, 2017 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Readings:

Is 49:14-15  
Ps 62:2-3, 6-9  
1 Cor 4:1-5  
Mt 6:24-34



## PARISH MISSION Starts Tonight!

In preparation for Lent, we will have a Parish Mission with Fr. Allan White, O.P., nationally and internationally known speaker and retreat master **Sunday, Feb. 26 through Tuesday, Feb. 28.**

The theme is *Do Not Worry about Tomorrow: Lent a Season of Hope.* The mission will begin tonight at 6:00 p.m. and continue Monday and Tuesday at 6:00, with the following talks:

**Sunday:** A treasure hidden in the field—God in search of us

**Monday:** Follow me—the pilgrimage of discipleship

**Tuesday:** I call you friends—acquiring the mind of Christ

This is a wonderful way to prepare your heart and soul for the season of Lent! The Mission is open to all!

► Due to the Parish Mission this week, there will be no Medical Ethics class on Monday or RCIA on Tuesday. They will both resume next week as scheduled.

## Echo Small Group Sign-Ups

The sign-up for our Lenten small groups has been extended! These groups will explore our Catholic Faith using the Echo program on [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) as well as the U.S. Catholic Catechism for Adults. In addition to student groups, there will also be groups for permanent community members. This is a great opportunity to grow in your relationship with God and others this Lent! If you are interested in joining a group or serving as a group leader, please sign up using one of the forms in the lobby today (Sunday, Feb. 26) so groups can be finalized before Ash Wednesday, which marks the start of Lent. For more information, contact Maria at [mleiker@stisidores.com](mailto:mleiker@stisidores.com) or 785-539-7496.

## Choir Rehearsal

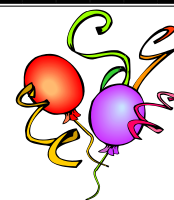
This week choir rehearsal will be held on Tuesday only at 7:00 p.m. due to Ash Wednesday Masses.

## MARDI GRAS PARTY

Tuesday, Feb. 28  
after 9:30 p.m. Mass  
Games & Snacks

St. Isidore's Basement

Join the fun—all students are invited!



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In English we call this time Lent for the lengthening of the days that mark the Spring, the coming of the light, but in many other countries it is simply the 40 Days (quaresima, cuaresma). It is a time of repentance and renewal when Christians and catechumens prepare to receive the great Easter mysteries. Traditionally Lent is a time of prayer, fasting and alms-giving. A time to strip away what holds us back from God, what is not genuine and true to who we are called to be. As we undertake this journey from Ashes to Easter, let us keep one another in prayer, opening our hearts and minds to truly encountering the Risen Lord.  
God bless, Fr. Mike

## Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule

Wednesday, March 1, at 12:10, 4:00, 5:30, 7:00 and 9:30 p.m.

## Statement of Penance, Fasting, Abstinence

The Bishops of the United States remind us that since we are not exempt from sinfulness, we should not consider ourselves exempt from penance. Traditional forms of penance are: abstinence from meat, fasting from food, other practices of self-denial, acts of religion (increased prayer life, participation in daily Mass and other devotions, spiritual reading), or other acts of charity and Christian witness. The Church's teaching regarding penance during Lent is as follows:

- \* **Both Ash Wednesday and Good Friday** are days of fast and abstinence from meat.
- \* **Abstinence** means not eating meat. The obligation of abstinence begins at the age of 14.
- \* **Fasting** means eating only one full meal a day, with the other two meals being without meat and together not equaling a full meal. The obligation of fasting begins at the age of 18 and ends at 60.
- \* **Fridays of Lent** are days of abstinence from meat.

## Daily Mass during Lent

Monday at 12:10 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 9:30 p.m.

Friday at 4:00 p.m.

## Stations of the Cross

Friday at 4:30 p.m.

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Confessions will be heard each week on Friday at 10:00 a.m. and Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. For those who have been away from the sacrament, Lent is an ideal time to come home and to receive this sacrament of healing.

## Operation Rice Bowl

Our diocese will participate again this year in the Operation Rice Bowl program. The suggestion is to eat less once a week during Lent and place the money saved into the Rice Bowl. You may pick up a rice bowl from the table in the lobby and return it with your offering during Holy Week.

## ► Reminder: Ash Wednesday Parking

Just a reminder that Kansas State University is allowing us to use their parking lots once again during the Ash Wednesday Masses. Parking Services will not issue a ticket, **if you are parked in a designated stall—not along the sides of the parking lot.**

## Silent Retreat

In the midst of the chaos of life, we all need to set apart a time for God. Think about doing this by attending the Silent Retreat on Saturday, March 4, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The theme of the retreat is *The Parables of Christ*. Sign-ups are available in the lobby. Please contact Robbie at [rjennings@stisidores.com](mailto:rjennings@stisidores.com) for more information.

## Ministry Schedule

### Ash Wednesday, March 1

#### 12:10 p.m.

**MATA:** Joshua Dye  
**EMHC:** Abby Friesen / Mandy McGuire  
 Hayden Guetterman / Diane Mack  
**Lectors:** Meg Eilert / Mikaela Flax  
**Hospitality:** Al Keithley / Mickey Keithley

#### 4:00 p.m.

**MATA:** Robert Satterwhite  
**EMHC:** Jordan Clipson / Hannah Gillespie  
 Geneva Jahnke / Nancy O'Conner / Mika Ptacek  
**Lectors:** Jessica Cless / Mary Marsh  
**Hospitality:** Jan Crow / Ben Hopper

#### 5:30 p.m.

**MATA:** Volunteer  
**EMHC:** Wally Mack / Micah Meyer / Bill Smriga  
 Peter Bergkamp / Aubrie Peschel / Kasey Zeller  
**Lectors:** Kyle Bauer / Kevin Cole  
**Hospitality:** Holly Moris / Steve Moris

#### 7:00 p.m.

**MATA:** Volunteer  
**EMHC:** Brittany Gleason / Kurt Dillon / Pam Dillon  
 Gabi Biby / Megan McLaughlin / Joseph Neville  
**Lectors:** Siera Haug / Kayla Mesh  
**Hospitality:** Travis Altenhofen / Katie Greving

#### 9:30 p.m.

**MATA:** Landon Becker  
**EMHC:** Audra Berquist / Aubrey Davis / Matt Mindrup  
 Frankie Dennis / Brandon Fahsholtz / Renee LaFreniere  
**Lectors:** Hannah Aulbach / Lindsay May  
**Hospitality:** Matt Dokupil / Amy Vogrin

### Weekend of March 4-5

#### Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

**MATA:** Volunteer  
**EMHC:** Caitlyn Butts / Mikaela Flax  
 Brianna Betsch  
**Lectors:** Austin Jueneman / Megan Zeman  
**Hospitality:** Katie Cannata / Ron Ratliff

#### Sunday, 8:00 a.m.

**MATA:** Kyle Bauer  
**EMHC:** Abby Friesen / Nicole Sudbeck  
**Lectors:** Maggie Schulte  
**Hospitality:** Amy Vogrin

#### Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

**MATA:** Joshua Dye  
**EMHC:** Brooke Biby / Chris Rieber  
 Brittany Gleason / Aubrie Peschel  
**Lectors:** Grace Gadow / Hannah Wilborn  
**Hospitality:** Ron Forkenbrock  
 Laura Krueger / Kelli Stallbaumer

#### Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

**MATA:** Robert Satterwhite  
**EMHC:** Alan Gilbert / Molly Klein  
 Renee LaFreniere / Kaitlyn Simon  
**Lectors:** Landon Becker / Holly Gilbert  
**Hospitality:** Brooke McGlachlin  
 Katie Greving / Theresa Schaller

#### Sunday, 4:30 p.m.

**MATA:** Ethan Meyer  
**EMHC:** Hayden Guetterman / Abby Rouse  
 Kylee Mernagh / Sharon Morcos / Jessica Philips  
**Lectors:** Haden Botkin / Cindy Quinlan  
**Hospitality:** Jessica Cless / Mika Ptacek / Michele Riter

## Hot Topics Q&A

Today there are some topics people avoid because they are uncomfortable, contentious, or can even become violent. These are hot topics and that is what this three-part series will explore. This **Thursday, March 2**, join Fr. Mike for a presentation and discussion on “**Pornography and the Social Media.**” What role does the social media play in emotional manipulation and sexual exploitation? What is the border between fact and fantasy, integrity and dishonesty? On **Thursday, March 9**, the Hot Topic will be “**Sex and Human Sexuality.**” Why is gender so key and so confusing for some? What is the Church’s pastoral understanding of the LGBTQ reality? And finally, **Thursday, March 16**, the topic will be “**Sin and Forgiveness.**” What does the Church teach about sin and why are there different degrees of sin? Why do Catholics go to confession and does it really make a difference? These “Hot Topics” are meant to help students understand the challenges and misconceptions that can plague a person. Sessions are limited to students only. We will meet from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. in Meeting Room #1.

## Praise & Worship

Both students and permanent community are welcome to join us in the Chapel on Thursdays for song, silence and meditations, with Adoration at 8:30 p.m. followed by Benediction at 9:15 p.m.

## Knights Soup Supper

This Friday, March 3, the Knights will be serving broccoli and cheese soup and potato soup with crackers and shredded cheese at 5:30 p.m. following Mass and Stations. All profits will benefit the Flinthills Breadbasket.

## Come Join the Knights

Next Sunday, March 5, at 6:00 p.m. there will be a 1st Degree Ceremony to welcome new members to this fraternal service organization. We will conduct our monthly business meeting directly following the ceremony in the basement. Please contact Trystan Mies for more information at [tmmies@ksu.edu](mailto:tmmies@ksu.edu).

## Men’s Group

Men’s Group this semester will consist of small group meetings. This will allow for a more personal and steady interaction among men in the community. If you or any man you know is interested in joining a men’s group, please contact Alex Lutz, [alutz@stisidores.com](mailto:alutz@stisidores.com), with your name and the evening(s) you would be available to meet.

## Spiritual Direction with Sister Barbara Ellen Apaceller, CSJ

Sister Barbara Ellen will be here next Monday, March 6, to meet with students and provide spiritual direction. If you would like to schedule an appointment, please contact Sister Barbara Ellen at [barbsj@salinadiocese.org](mailto:barbsj@salinadiocese.org) or call (785) 827-8746 Ext. 29.

## Sing in the Holy Week Choir

We are organizing a choir to sing at the Triduum and Easter services:

Holy Thursday, April 13, 7:00 p.m.

Good Friday, April 14, 12:10 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil, April 15, 8:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 16, 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

If you would like to sing in this choir, rehearsals will be in the Music Room on Monday nights at 7:00 p.m., beginning Monday, March 6. **Note: You do not have to sing at all services to participate in this choir.**

## Women’s Group

Women’s group, open to college and permanent community ladies, will meet next Tuesday, March 7, at 5:30 p.m. in the basement. Join us for a delicious dinner and great conversation with like-minded ladies! This month, the IHM Sisters from Wichita will be our guest speakers. Please RSVP to Maria at [mleiker@stisidores.com](mailto:mleiker@stisidores.com) so we know how much food to prepare, and feel free to contact her with any questions.

## Knights Food Drive

Our local Knights council will be having a Food Drive the first four Sundays in Lent to support the Flinthills Breadbasket. Please drop off non-perishable food items in the baskets provided at the entrances to the church.

## Natural Family Planning Introduction to the Creighton Model System

Introductory sessions to NFP will be held in Meeting Room #1 on Wednesday, March 8, at 7:00 p.m.; and Sunday, April 9, at 3:00 p.m. These are free one-hour sessions offered by Lori Harlan, FertilityCare Practitioner. To register for one of the sessions, please contact Lori at [lharlan@gmail.com](mailto:lharlan@gmail.com).

## Dollar Dinner

How about a home-cooked meal on a college budget? St. Isidore’s is providing a dinner once a month for students for only \$1! The March Dollar Dinner will be Sunday, March 12, at 5:30 p.m. in Newman Hall.

## Prayer & Action

Prayer and Action, held on April 22-23, is a weekend retreat where students gather to do mission work throughout the community of Manhattan. We are currently looking for work sites. ►If you, or anyone you know, are in need of yard work, painting, cleaning, or have any questions, please contact Alex Lutz at [alutz@stisidores.com](mailto:alutz@stisidores.com).

## Catholic Community Annual Appeal

The Catholic Community Annual Appeal supports the many ministries of the Diocese including Youth and Adult Formation, Catholic Schools, Seminary Education, and Family Life. Please consider donating to this appeal by mailing your pledge and/or donation directly to the diocese using the envelope provided to you from the Bishop, or drop it in the collection and we will forward to the Diocese for you. If you did not receive a card in the mail, you will have an opportunity to donate the weekend of March 11/12.