



ST. ISIDORE'S

CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
4:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Daily Mass during Lent:

Monday 9:30 p.m.
Tues, Wed, Thurs 5:30 & 9:30 p.m.
Friday 4:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m.

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 8:30 p.m.; Friday at 10:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Marriage: A six-month preparation period is required. Email 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. Gale Hammerschmidt	Pastor, Chaplain
Fr. Ryan McCandless	Parochial Vicar
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Lori Harlan (PT)	Publications
Alan Gilbert (PT)	Maintenance Assistant

Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Student Leadership Team:

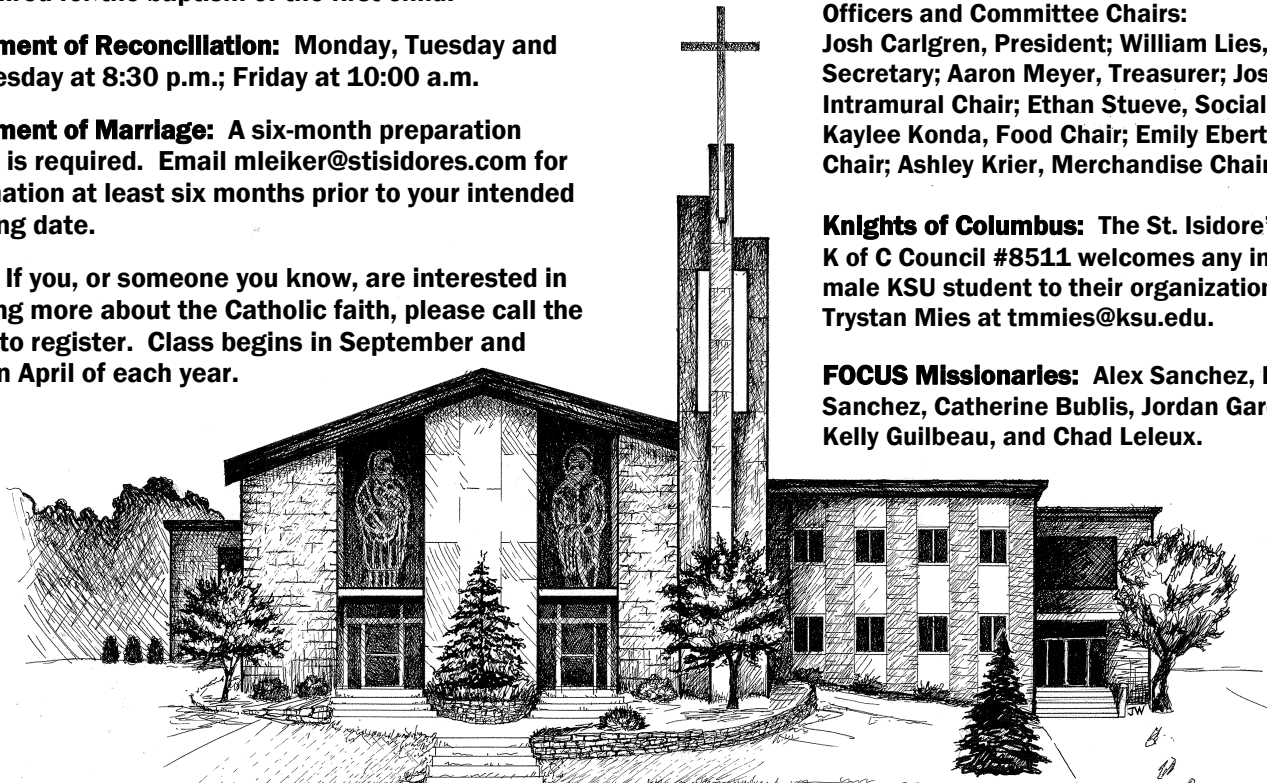
KSU students who help plan and organize social, service, spiritual, and educational programs:

Officers and Committee Chairs:

Josh Carlgren, President; William Lies, Secretary; Aaron Meyer, Treasurer; Josh Dye, Intramural Chair; Ethan Stueve, Social Chair; Kaylee Konda, Food Chair; Emily Ebert, Service Chair; Ashley Krier, Merchandise Chair.

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.

FOCUS Missionaries: Alex Sanchez, Hilary Sanchez, Catherine Bubliss, Jordan Gardenhire, Kelly Guilbeau, and Chad Leleux.



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

Sunday, Feb. 18

6:30 p.m. – Vol Apprec Dinner/Newman Hall

Monday, Feb. 19

9:30 a.m. – Daily Holy Hour/Chapel

5:15 p.m. – Prayer Shawl Ministry/Lobby

7:00 p.m. – Holy Week Choir/Music Rm

7:00 p.m. – Church History/Mtg Rm #1

8:30 p.m. – Confessions/Chapel

Tuesday, Feb. 20

6:45 a.m. – Men's Group/Newman Hall

9:30 a.m. – Daily Holy Hour/Chapel

6:15 p.m. – Cor ad Cor 21+/Mtg Rm #1

7:00 p.m. – RCIA/Newman Hall

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

8:30 p.m. – Confessions

Wednesday, Feb. 21

9:30 a.m. – Daily Holy Hour/Chapel

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

8:30 p.m. – Confessions

10:30 p.m. – Adoration/Chapel

Thursday, Feb. 22

9:30 a.m. – Daily Holy Hour/Chapel

8:00 p.m. – Source & Summit/Chapel

Friday, Feb. 23

9:30 a.m. – Daily Holy Hour/Chapel

10:00 a.m. – Confessions

1:00 p.m. – Sr. Bethany Madonna

4:30 p.m. – Stations of the Cross/Chapel

5:00 p.m. – Soup Supper/Newman Hall

Saturday, Feb. 24

10:00 a.m. – Rural Life Workshop

Mass Intentions

Saturday, Feb. 17

5:00 p.m. - In Memory of Bernard Ott

Sunday, Feb. 18

9:30 a.m. - In Memory of Gayla Fief

11:00 a.m. - Tom and Kim May

4:00 p.m. - St. Isidore's Community

5:30 p.m. - Special Intention

Tuesday, Feb. 20

5:30 p.m. – For Vocations

9:30 p.m. - Special Intention

Wednesday, Feb. 21

5:30 p.m. – In Memory of BJ Orbison

9:30 p.m. - In Memory of Velma Kuhn

Thursday, Feb. 22

5:30 p.m. – For Vocations

No 9:30 p.m. Mass

Friday, Feb. 23

4:00 p.m. – Ron Forkenbrock

Saturday, Feb. 24

8:00 a.m. - For World Peace

5:00 p.m. - In Memory of Nancy Dailey

Sunday, Feb. 25

9:30 a.m. - In Memory of
Wynona & Darwyn Weaver

11:00 a.m. - In Memory of
Giuseppe & Anna Scoglio

4:00 p.m. - In Memory of Leon Cocozzoli

5:30 p.m. - St. Isidore's Community

February 18, 2018 First Sunday of Lent

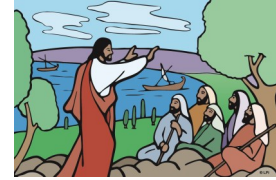
Readings:

Gn 9:8-15

Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

1 Pt 3:18-22

Mk 1:12-15



Why do we always go to the desert? We see this example in Scripture time and time again. The Israelites wandered in the desert. King David and prophets were driven into the wilderness. And now Jesus is in the same place. Lent after Lent, we too are invited into a barren, desolate place. Why do we always go to the desert?

Throughout Scripture, the desert is a place of testing. It's also a place of hiding and withdrawal. In the Old Testament, David fled into the wilderness to hide from Saul, Elijah from Jezebel, and Jonah from God! In other words, the desert is a place of "retreat." In Christian circles, we use the word to describe a spiritual weekend away. But its meaning comes from warfare, as we well know. To retreat means to draw back, to separate oneself from the fighting. Of course, a military retreat brings its own kind of "battle" – the internal assessment of why the fighting went so poorly.

As we enter into this Lenten season, we are invited to retreat into the desert with Jesus. Attending a day or weekend of reflection is a wonderful spiritual practice. This "desert spirituality," however, can fill all forty days. We can fulfill our Lenten resolutions with a purpose – writing daily notes to family and friends can inspire new gratitude, every time we pass up that specific food item can be cause for intercession for deeper sufferings and privations of others.

The Gospel tells us that "the Spirit drove him out into the desert." In other words, God wants us to be here. What feels uncomfortable is actually part of our spiritual journey. To be stretched, to be challenged, to confront our own areas of weakness – these things are essential in our walk with God. This Lent, will you go to the desert?

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No Dollar Dinner tonight due to the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner in Newman Hall. Dollar Dinner will resume next Sunday, February 25, at 6:30 p.m.

Spiritual Direction

Sr. Barbara Ellen Apaceller, CSJ, and Fr. LeRoy Metro will be here tomorrow (Monday, Feb. 19), to meet with students and provide spiritual direction. It's not too late to set up an appointment! Contact Maria at 785-539-7496 on Monday morning to see what times they have available.

Daily Holy Hour

On weekdays from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., the FOCUS missionaries, Fr. Gale and Fr. Ryan will be praying in adoration in the Chapel. All are welcome!

Tithes & Offering

January 2018

Offertory Collection	
& Electronic Donations	\$ 34,926.36
Budgeted	\$ 35,833.33
Shortage	\$ (-906.97)

Fiscal Year to Date (July 1, 2017-Jan. 31, 2018)

Offertory Collection	
& Electronic Donations	\$304,785.51
Budgeted	\$250,833.31
Overage	\$ 53,952.20

Thank you for your support!
We look forward to plans for the future!

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on Monday evenings at 5:15 p.m. in the St. Isidore's lobby. Join us! Questions, call Judy Hedman at 785-341-8615.

Sing in the Holy Week Choir

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

Holy Thursday, March 29, 7:00 p.m.
Good Friday, March 30, 12:10 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Easter Vigil, March 31, 8:30 p.m.
Easter Sunday, April 1, 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 this Monday, Feb. 19.** ► Note: You do not have to sing at all services to participate in this choir.

Men's Group

New this semester is the student Men's Group, which is going great! Join Fr. Gale early every Tuesday morning from 6:45 to 7:45 a.m.—doors open at 6:30 if you want breakfast!

Choir Rehearsal

Choir Rehearsal for the weekend Masses is held at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in the Music Room. Join us!

Knights Rosary

The St. Isidore's Knights of Columbus are praying the rosary at 9:00 p.m. every Tuesday evening. Please join them as they focus on the Sorrowful Mysteries.

Source & Summit

Source & Summit will be held this Thursday, Feb. 22, at 8:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Our guest speaker will be Bernard Franklin, Vice President of Student Life at KSU. He will be speaking on *The Beauty and Challenge of being Catholic in a Broken World*. ► **Mass will be celebrated at 5:30 p.m.** instead of 9:30 p.m.

Thursday Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration is held in the Chapel each week after the 9:30 p.m. Mass Wednesday and ending before Mass on Thursday evening. Join us!

Busy Student Retreat

Feb. 25-March 1

Are you looking for a way to deepen your relationship with God and to find new ways to pray? Has it been a challenge for you to carve out time for prayer amidst your busy schedule? If yes, consider signing up for the Busy Student Retreat on Feb. 25-March 1.

The theme is **St. John Paul the Great and his Five Loves**. Spiritual directors for the retreat are: Fr. Scott Wallisch, Fr. David Voss, Fr. John-Luke, Fr. Ted Stoecklein, Sr. Barbara Smith, Sr. Marcia Ziska, and Sr. Barbara Ellen Apaceller. The retreat will begin on Sunday, Feb. 25, at 7:30 p.m. with an introduction of the spiritual directors. For the duration of the retreat, you will meet with your director for 30 minutes each day, spend 30 minutes in prayer/meditation and have the opportunity to attend daily Mass. Call Robbie at 785-539-7496 to sign up for this retreat.

Ministry Schedule

Weekend of February 24-25

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Altar Server: Kenneth Reller

EMHC: Allison Copple
Sami Fischer
Paul Flesher
Margaret Jones

Lectors: Emily Follingstad
Maddie Lane

Hospitality: Travis Altenhofen
Ethan Copple

Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

Altar Server: Will Lies

EMHC: Matt Arnold
Brianna Betsch
Nate Clennan
Sean Clennan
Patrick Davidson

Lectors: Alexandra Lyle
Mary Marsh

Hospitality: John Andon
Nancy O'Conner

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.

Altar Server: Jeffrey Albers

EMHC: Aubrey Davis
Brooke Jackson
Molly Klein
Aaron Meyer
Jill Seiler

Lectors: Jacob Loecker
Carly Smith

Hospitality: Mika Ptacek
Mark Zarybnicky

Sunday, 4:00 p.m.

Altar Server: Kevin Weinand

EMHC: Kelly Guilbeau
Kari Morgan
Ali Peck
Scott Peck
Adam Wiebe

Lectors: Kathryn Hurd
Jacob Land

Hospitality: Katie Greving
Jim Wright

Sunday, 5:30 p.m.

Altar Server: Thomas Harrington

EMHC: Jacob Bednar
Katherine Fiedler
Megan Goeckel
Christine Moran
Victoria Ward

Lectors: Scott Fritton
Cole Schnieders

Hospitality: Holly Moris
Steve Moris

National Speaker Here Feb. 23

A national speaker, and quite possibly the most likeable person in the whole world, Sister Bethany Madonna of the Sisters of Life will be speaking here at St. Isidore's this **Friday, Feb. 23, at 1:00 p.m.** She has presented around the country at conferences such as SEEK and SLS, and her joy is contagious! Sr. Bethany will also have a special session with the women of our community at 11:00 a.m. that day.

Stations of the Cross

This Friday, Feb. 23, students from Manhattan Catholic Schools will be here at St. Isidore's presenting "live" stations of the cross at 4:30 p.m. in the Chapel.

Knights Soup Supper

This Friday, Feb. 23, the St. Isidore's Knights will be serving soup after Mass and Stations of the Cross. Proceeds to benefit seminarians. Soup will be served about 5:00 p.m. in Newman Hall.

Food Drive during Lent

The Knights of Columbus will be holding a Food Drive during Lent, concluding on Palm Sunday, to benefit the Seven Dolores Food Pantry. Please bring non-perishable items and place them in the boxes provided at all entrances into the Chapel. Thank you for your generosity!

Wine, Cheese & the Bible

A Bible Study for everyone between the ages of 21 and 35 will meet on the first Friday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Upper Room for wine and cheese and to discuss a biblical topic. The evening lasts for an hour, but everyone is welcome to stay and get to know one another. Mark your calendars for the first several: March 2, April 6, and May 4! Sorry, no child care is provided.

The How-to Book of the Mass

Have you ever wondered why we do certain things at Mass? *The How-to Book of the Mass* is a great resource that can help answer many of these questions! A limited number of copies are available in the lobby for a \$5 donation. This is a great option if you're looking for some Lenten spiritual reading, and it also works well for a small group study!

Natural Family Planning Intro to Creighton Model System

Introductory sessions to NFP will be held in Meeting Room #1 on Sunday, March 11, at 3:00 p.m., and Monday, April 9, at 7:00 p.m. These are free one-hour sessions offered by Lori Harlan, FertilityCare Practitioner. To register, please contact Lori at lharlan@gmail.com.

Catholic Community Annual Appeal

From forming a new generation of priests or supporting our youth to become faithful leaders, the Catholic Community Annual Appeal makes diocesan ministry possible. Please make your gift to the Appeal. Join us "*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another.*"

Rural Life Workshop

The Diocesan Rural Life Commission is sponsoring a workshop on Agricultural Ethics on Saturday, Feb. 24, here at St. Isidore's. The workshop will begin at 10:00 a.m. with an hour presentation by Dr. Mykel Taylor, Associate Professor of Agricultural Economics at Kansas State, followed by group discussion and wrap-up. A box lunch will be provided for attendees. There is no charge; however, please RSVP to assist in planning the lunch. Call Father Rich Daise at 785-462-2179, or email frich@sacredheartcolby.com to RSVP or for additional information.

Eucharistic Adorers Needed

The St. Joseph Chapel for Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at Seven Dolores has some open hours: Thursday at 1:00 a.m. and 3:00 a.m. Put together a prayer list for Lenten devotion, and what better place to pray than in the Real Presence! Consider taking a holy hour just during Lent, or be a prayer partner on any hour you choose. Please contact Linda Lake at 785-341-2574.

Camp Kesem

Camp Kesem is a nationwide community, driven by passionate college student leaders, that supports children through and beyond their parent's cancer. The camps serve children ages 6 to 16 who have lost a parent to cancer, have a parent undergoing cancer treatment, or whose parent is a cancer survivor. This year will be the third year of operation for Camp Kesem at the University of Kansas, and is currently the only Camp in the state of Kansas. Camp week will be May 28 through June 3 at Rock Springs 4-H Center in Junction City. For more information, call Madison at 913-370-1686, or go to www.campkesem.org/kansas.

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