



ST. ISIDORE'S

CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER

Kansas State University

Mass Schedule

SATURDAY: 5:00 pm

SUNDAY: 7:30am/9:30am/11:00am/5:00pm

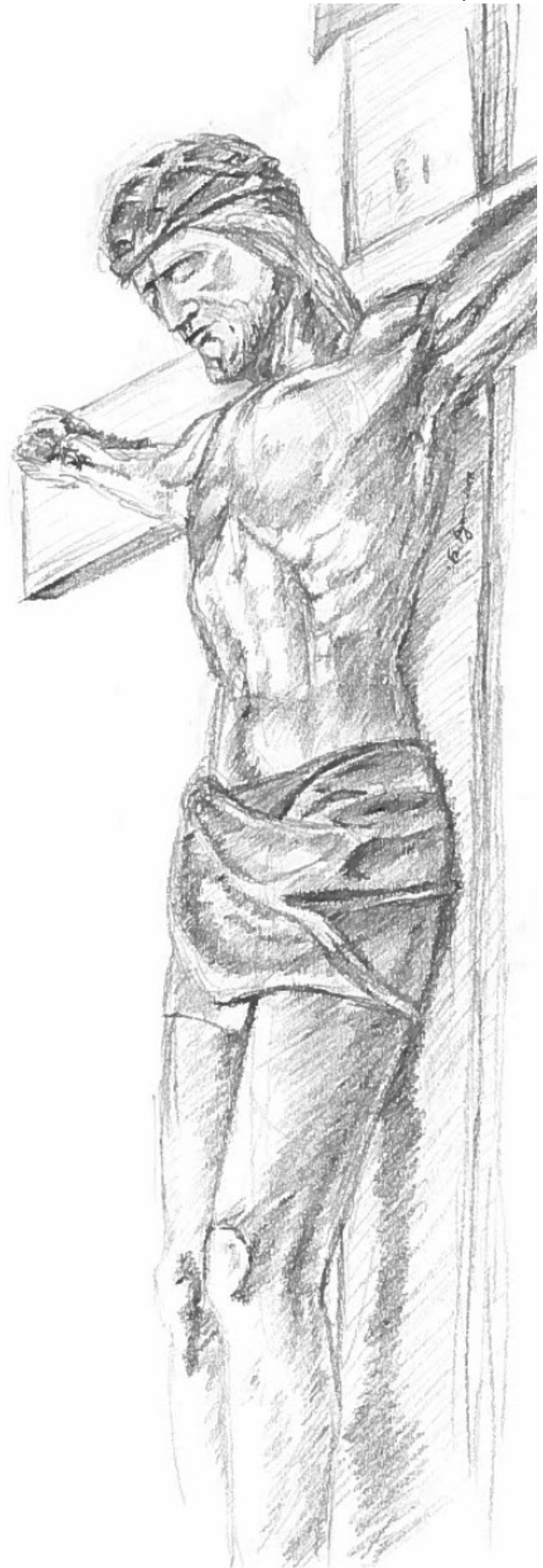
Livestream -Sunday 9:30am Mass on Facebook - St. Isidore's Catholic Student Center

MON/TUE/WED/THURS: 9:09pm

WED/FRI: 12:10pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu: 8:00 pm



Sacrament of Baptism: An instruction class is required for the baptism of the first child. Contact Diane Mack for information at dmack@stisidores.com.

Sacrament of Marriage: A six-month preparation period is required. Contact Diane Mack for information at least six months prior to your intended wedding date at dmack@stisidores.com.

OCIA: If you, or someone you know, are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact Ridge Pinkston at rpinkston@stisidores.com to register. Class begins in September and ends in April of each year.

St. Isidore's Staff

Fr. Gale Hammerschmidt	Pastor, Chaplain
Fr. Trevor Buster	Parochial Vicar
Ridge Pinkston	Assistant Pastoral Administrator
Frank Schmeidler	Director of Worship
Jeanae Brungardt	Director of Stewardship
Robert Jennings	Director of Evangelization
Ron Ratliff	Theology Instructor
Diane Mack	Sacramental Coordinator
Heather Gritton	Finance Manager
Quenten Troyer	Facilities Manager

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 9:00am-3:00pm

phone: 785-539-7496 email: stisidores@stisidores.com

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 is available online at www.stisidores.com/contact/register for students or permanent community.

THIS WEEK

Monday, Nov 17

8:00 pm—Confession
9:09 pm—Mass

Tuesday, Nov 18

8:00 pm—Confession
9:09 pm—Mass

Wednesday, Nov 19

12:10 pm—Mass
8:00 pm— Confession
9:09 pm— Mass

Thursday, Nov 20

8:00 pm—Confession
9:09 pm—Mass

Friday, Nov 21

12:10 pm—Mass

Saturday, Nov 22

5:00 pm—Mass

Sunday, Nov 23

7:30 am— Mass
9:30 am— Mass
11:00 am—Mass
5:00 pm— Mass
9:09 pm— Mass

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Nov 15

5:00 pm— + Crystal Maguire

Sunday, Nov 16

7:30 am- + Mary Margaret and John Murray
9:30 am- + Jim Arneson
11:00 am + Albert and Betty Olberding
5:00 pm + Janet Todd
9:09 pm- St. Isidore's Community

Monday, Nov 17

9:09 pm- Priest's Intention

Tuesday, Nov 18

9:09 pm- + John Juenemann

Wednesday, Nov 19

12:10 pm- + Thac Pham
9:09 pm- St. Isidore's Community

Thursday, Nov 20

9:09 pm- + Rosemary Werth

Friday, Nov 21

12:10 pm- + Sam Schmidt

Saturday, Nov 22

5:00 pm- + George Leiszler

Sunday, Nov 23

7:30am— Michael Davis Family
9:30 am- + Ron Forkenbrach
11:00am- K, Jhoe and Arlie Stonestreet
5:00 pm— Chris Culbertson
9:09 pm- St. Isidore's Community

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 16, 2025



This Sunday's Readings

Malachi 3:19-20a
Psalm 98:5-6,7-8,9
2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

November 16, 2025

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

John 21:5-19

When I was a kid growing up in New England, I'd occasionally go on a whale watch. Once we went out with calm waters and clear skies. But on the way back in, the sea got rough. I was just a kid, and I remember thinking we should turn left or right toward the shoreline I could see. But the pilot of the boat kept going straight — right into the waves — focused on a small, discouragingly distant lighthouse. Even when it flickered in and out of sight, he stayed the course. He knew where he was going.

That image comes to mind when I hear Jesus' words in today's Gospel regarding false messiahs: **“Do not follow them” (Luke 21:8)**. In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm.

The tribulation of which Jesus speaks — it's real. It happened to the Temple, it happened to him, it happens in the Church, and it will come to each of us. But the command is not to panic. It's to endure. To keep steering toward him. Faith isn't about having all the answers or dodging every wave. It's about knowing where the lighthouse is — and trusting it enough to keep going, especially when false safety beckons us to stop.

— Father John Muir

New Men's Group for Permanent Community

We're excited to announce the first meeting of Kapaun's Men. This is a ministry that unites men in prayer, formation, and discussion, modeled after the selfless life of Father Emil Kapaun of Pilsen, KS. Our goal is to help men become better husbands, fathers, community and business leaders, and friends by fostering fellowship, faith and accountability. Join the group every Wednesday morning, from 6:30-7:30 am in Newman Hall. Coffee in copious quantities will be provided.

Advent Series Offered for Permanent Community Women

This Advent, we can learn to *wait well* together. Join us to prepare for Christ's Nativity with a special program from Ascension with Fr. Mike Schmitz called **Waiting Well**. The program features Fr. Mike's Sunday homilies, daily reflections, prayer and opportunities for journaling. The journal is filled with beautiful art and meaningful mediations to use throughout the Advent season.

Join our women's group Wednesdays, December 3, 10 and 17 at 11am. OR join an evening session for women on Tuesdays, Dec 2, 9 and 16 at 6pm. The sessions will last one hour. We will not meet the week of Christmas, so you will need to complete the series on your own. The cost of the journal is \$10. You may pay at the first session. If you would like to participate please contact Diane Mack to let her know which session you plan to attend. You can reach her at dmack@stsidores.com.

St. Thomas More Blood Drive

Kevin Coffey Blood Drive, November 20 & 21 in the Utopia Room. Sign up to donate at redcrossblood.org.

Monday, December 22-Room A, appointments 12:00-5:45pm

GriefShare

Are you dealing with the death of your spouse, a parent, a sibling, a child or a friend? Come to any or all of a series of meetings to help you understand, cope, and heal through a process called GriefShare. The group meets on Mondays at 2:00 p.m. at St Thomas More in Room B. Register at www.griefshare.org.

Manhattan Catholic Young Adult Group

The Manhattan Catholic Young Adult group usually meets on Tuesday evenings and occasional weekends. If you are looking at build community or meet new young adults that share your Catholic faith, you've found the right place! You are welcome to call/text Anna Jirak at 913-426-0711 or find us on Facebook and Instagram at Manhattan Kansas Catholics for more information.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry is a group joining in prayer to create the baptismal white garment and shawl/scarf for anyone in need of a hug and reminder that we are praying for their intention. If you would like to join us or would like a shawl, please text or leave a message for Judy Hedman at 785-341-8615.

Christmas Choir

Christmas Choir rehearsals will be at 7:00pm December 1, 8,15, and 22nd. Please join us for each of these practices.

Kansas Mission of Mercy Dental Care Event

The Kansas Dental Association and the Kansas Dental Charitable Foundation have partnered to provide free dental care to Kansans in need. At this year's clinic, dentists and volunteers will offer free cleanings, fillings, and extractions to patients of all ages. There are no income, residency, or legal status requirements. Doors open at 5:30 a.m., and children up to age 13 may make advance appointments at <https://KMOMKIDS.as.me/>. Volunteers are also needed to make this event successful. Reach out to Dr. Jill Ellner at markjillellner@gmail.com with questions.

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, November 22

5:00 pm **Alter Server** - Isaiah Faerber
EMHC - Maggie Berning (sub requested)/Angela Fief/Volunteer Now
Hospitality - Jan Marks/Darlene Martin
Lector - Sonja Betzen

Sunday, November 23

7:30 am **Altar Server** – Volunteer Now
EMHC– Volunteer Now
Lector - Volunteer Now

9:30 am **Altar Server** – Landon Rozean
EMHC– Shauna Churchman/Mackenzie Gore (sub requested)
Hannah Schmitz
Hospitality - Brad Starnes/Roni Strecker
Lector - David Strecker

11:00 am **Altar Server** – Nathan Schmit (sub requested)
EMHC - Tanya Castor/Isabella Roche/Kim Ross
Hospitality - Robert Disberger/Tonya Disberger
Lector– Jhoe Stonestreet

5:00 pm **Alter Server** - Thomas Braun
EMHC - Sandi Feldkamp/Samual Hermesch/Trase McQueen
Hospitality - Volunteer Now /Volunteer Now
Lector - Geneva Jahnke

9:09 pm **Alter Server**– Volunteer Now
EMHC - Volunteer Now/Volunteer Now/Volunteer Now
Lector - Volunteer Now



Brennan Skerjanec
Gabe Diaz
Simon Sutton
Sabrina Granata
Abbey Schwarz
Marianna Medearis
Nicole Burrus

Knights of Columbus

The St. Isidore's Student K of C Council #8511 welcomes all interested male KSU students. Questions?
Contact James Menges at jmenges2022@gmail.com

Student Leadership Team

President: Heidi White
Social Chair: Landon Rozean
Service Chair: Amala John
Food Chair: Lauren Menges & Miayla Ayers
Hospitality Chair: Izzy Schmidt
Liturgy Chair: Trey Schaefer