



THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF SEVEN DOLORS Manhattan, KS & SAINT PATRICK'S Ogden, KS



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OCTOBER 19, 2025 + 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

This week we are reminded to stay close to God. The readings speak about prayer, faith, and trusting God's help. They show that God listens to His people and gives them strength. Even when life is hard, God does not leave us alone. Moses raised his hands in prayer, and Israel won the battle. The psalm tells us that God watches over us always. Paul tells Timothy to hold on to the Scriptures. Luke often speaks of Jesus teaching about God's mercy and the need for faith.

The parable of the persistent widow fits the Gospel's larger theme of trusting God's justice and care, it shows that God listens to those who cry out to Him with faith. This story also reflects Luke's focus on prayer and God's concern for the lowly and oppressed. Jesus teaches that we should keep praying, like the woman who would not give up. He reminds us that God answers those who do not lose heart.

The readings all share the same message. God is faithful, and we can depend on Him. We are reminded to keep praying and to trust that God will answer in His time.



God Bless,
Fr. Leo

Mass & Reconciliation Schedule

<p>Daily Masses Monday - 5:20 PM Tues. through Sat. - 7AM</p> <p>Saturday Vigil Masses 4:30 PM 4:15 PM (St. Patrick's in Ogden)</p> <p>Sunday Masses 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, & 12:30 PM (Spanish)</p>	<p>Reconciliation Tuesdays - 12 PM, Thursdays - 4:30 PM & 9 PM Saturday 9 PM, or by appointment</p> <p>Parish Office Hours Monday-Thursday: 9 AM - 1 PM & 1:30 - 4 PM (closed Tuesday 1:30-2:30 for staff meeting) Friday 9:00 AM to Noon</p>	<p>Misas Diarias Lunes - 5:20 PM Martes hasta Sábado - 7:00 AM</p> <p>Sábado de Vigilia 4:30 PM 4:15 PM (St. Patrick's en Ogden)</p> <p>Domingo 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, y 12:30 PM (En Español)</p>	<p>Confesiones Martes - 12 PM, Jueves - 4:30 PM, 9 PM Sabado 9 PM, o pueden hacer cita</p> <p>Horario de oficina parroquial Lunes, Miércoles, Jueves: 9AM - 1PM 1:30 - 4:00 PM Martes: 9AM - 1PM & 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM Viernes: 9AM - 12PM</p>
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SEVEN DOLORS WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

SAT 10/18	7A-----Mass for Vocations 3P-----Adoration @ St. Patrick's 4:15P--Mass @ SP <i>SI Jimmy Wallace</i> 4:30P--Mass +Fr. Merlin Kieffer 6P-----Coro 6P-----Reconciliation (ESP) 9P-----Reconciliation
SUN 10/19	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time SDCW Coffee & Donuts 8A-----Mass + <i>Esther Umscheid</i> 10A-----Mass + <i>Richard, Mike & Jeff Silva</i> 12:30P--Misa(ESP) <i>For the Parishes</i> 3P-----Hispanic Festival
MON 10/20	5:20P----Mass + <i>Mary Zoeller</i> 6:10P----Great Catholic Book Club 7P-----Parish Council 7:30P----NeoCatechumenal Way
TUES 10/21	7A-----Mass + <i>Jack Coleman</i> 7:50A--MCS Mass <i>SI Danielle Childers</i> Noon--Reconciliation 5:30P--Parish Choir Practice 6P-----OCIA
WED 10/22	6:30A--Men's Bible Study 7A-----Mass + <i>James Michael Phelan</i> 6:30P--Religious Ed & CYO 6:30P--OCIA (ESP)
THU 10/23	7A-----Mass + <i>Ernie Peck</i> 7:50A-NO MCS Mass - No School 9A-----Food Pantry 4:30P-Reconciliation 6P-----Mass (ESP) <i>SI Oscar Bonilla</i> 7:30P-Neocatchumenal Way 9P-Reconciliation
FRI 10/24	7A-----Mass <i>SI Tolbert Family</i> 7:50A-NO MCS Mass - No School 6P-----MCS Auction
SAT 10/25	7A-----Mass for Vocations 3P-----Adoration @ St. Patrick's 4:15P--Mass @ SP + <i>Pat Duggan</i> 4:30P--Mass + <i>John Wataha</i> 6P-----Coro 6P-----Reconciliación (ESP) 9P-----Reconciliation
SUN 10/26	30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8A-----Mass + <i>Rose Morin</i> 10A-----Mass <i>For the Parishes</i> 11A-----Married & Young Families 12:30P--Misa(ESP) + <i>Carmen Julia Diaz Rosa</i>

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SACRAMENTS @ SEVEN DOLORS

Baptisms are scheduled after a prep session.

Marriages (not scheduled during Advent or Lent) require a minimum six-month notice and preparation sessions.

Anointing of the Sick is for those preparing for surgery, facing serious illness or experiencing declining health, or for those of advanced age.

Contact the Parish Office for more information or to schedule.

Stewardship Report

Last Sunday's Collection	\$12,035.75
Average Needed Weekly	\$12,653.85



Food Pantry Needs

Cereal
Flavored Oatmeal Pkts.
2 lb. bag White Rice
Pancake Mix
Trad. Refried Beans
Canned Chicken
Canned Manharins

Cereal is our most needed item. 50 plus families each week means 50 plus boxes of cereal each week.

Thank you for your generosity!

Catholic Charities 2025 Igniting Hope Campaign kicks off next weekend, October 25-26. Pledge cards and envelopes will be provided. Go to <https://ccnks.org/ignitinghope> to learn more or contact Megan Augustine at 785-833-9380.



Advent By Candlelight

November 21 | 6pm | Seven Dolors

All women of our parish are invited to this year's *Advent by Candlelight* - an elegant evening of reflection, prayer, food and fellowship.



More details coming soon!

sevendolorscatholicwomen@gmail.com

Let Us Know

We are Blessed to have such an active parish with many groups and gatherings! To help us stay organized we kindly ask that all groups contact the Parish Office to reserve space in the Church Basement. Thank you!

New Liturgical Year, New Mass Time!

As we enter a new Liturgical Year and begin Advent, please note a change to our Saturday evening Mass.



Starting Nov. 29th, Saturday Mass will begin at 5:30 PM.

Thank you for your understanding as we make this necessary adjustment.

The holidays are challenging when you're grieving a loss.

Grief & Share

Surviving the Holidays

St Thomas More Parish, Room A
Saturday, 11/08
2 pm – 4 pm

Contact: Rosie Rundell kansas.rosie@yahoo.com

ST. PATRICK'S CORNER

- Seven Dolors Fiesta - Sunday, Oct. 19, 4-7 pm in the MCS cafeteria. Dancers from Topeka are on the schedule along with lots of other entertainment and great food!
- Adoration in our church continues at 3:00 p.m. with a Rosary prayed at 3:45 each Saturday in October.
- White Elephant Bingo - 11/15 with business meeting to follow for anyone interested with future improvements/events



WEEKEND MASS TIME IS SATURDAY AT 4:15 PM
CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD BEFORE
MASS EACH 1ST & 2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH.

Music Ministry

If you enjoy music and want to share your gifts, we'd love to have you on the Music Ministry Team at Seven Dolors!

Parish Choir - Welcoming new members of all voice parts. No experience required (though helpful). Rehearsals are on Tuesdays, 5:30-6:30 PM. The choir sings twice a month and for Christmas, Holy Week, and Easter.

Children/Youth Choir - Sings at Christmas, Palm Sunday, and Easter. More information is coming soon!

Instrumentalists - All instruments welcome to accompany or lead services. Must be able to read music.

Cantors - Provide musical leadership when the choir is not singing. A beautiful way to share your voice and faith!

Interested? Scan the QR code, or call the parish office at 785-565-5000.



NEXT WEEK'S MINISTRY AND MASS SCHEDULE

	EMOC	Hospitality	Altar Server	Lector
Saturday 4:30 PM 10/25	Bettina Boller Tom Church Dennis Jones VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Cathie Lavis Christopher Storms VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Ava Shepek Franci Irvine VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Nicholas Donohoue (1) Debbie Umscheid (2)
Sunday 8:00 AM 10/26	Dan Strafuss Suzette McGuire Dan Wright John Wertin	Emily Irvine Bernard Irvine Helen Matthews VOLUNTEER	Dean Chaffee Oliver Burns Augustine Irvine VOLUNTEER	Ann Chaffee (1) Jeremy McGuire (2)
Sunday 10:00 AM 10/26	Maria Riley Alex Kifer Phyllis Allerheiligen Jenice McCoy	Whitney Riley Roger Allerheiligen Todd Ruder Shannon Ruder	Bailey Riley Charlotte Riley Ava Major VOLUNTEER	Regina Riley (1) Bill Kifer (2)
Domingo 12:30 PM 10/26	Esperanza Chávez Oscar Bonilla Carmen Bonilla	Judith Gómez-Ríos Alma Pérez Oscar Bonilla	Jonathan Mejía Dayari Regules Ildefonso Green	Andrea Muñoz

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