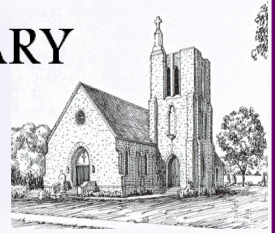




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SEVEN DOLORS of the **BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**
 Manhattan, KS
 & **SAINT PATRICK'S**
 Ogden, KS



DECEMBER 13, 2015 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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 REJOICE REJOICE REJOICE

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday 12/13 Third Sunday of Advent

Puppets & Dismissal @ 10 am, KofC Breakfast
 8/10 AM Masses 12:00 PM Spanish Mass
 1:00 PM Guadalupe Celebration

Monday 12/14

7:00 AM Mass ****please note different Mass time****

Tuesday 12/15

7:00 AM Mass 7:55 AM MCS Mass
 7:00 PM 5-8 MCS Concert

Wednesday 12/16

7:00 AM Mass 6:30 PM RE Classes
 7:00 PM RE Advent Pgm.

Thursday 12/17

7/7:55 AM Mass/MCS Mass 4:00 PM Marian Mantle
 5:00 PM Confessions 7:00 PM RCIA @ STM

Friday 12/18

7:00 AM Mass 7:55 AM MCS Mass
 3:30 PM Rosary @ ML

Saturday 12/19

4:15 PM Mass @ St. P's 6:00 PM Mass

Sunday 12/20 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Puppets & Dismissal @ 10 am, Hospitality
 8/10 AM Masses 12:00 PM Spanish Mass
 3:00 PM Comm. Penance @ STM

DECEMBER PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER:

Universal Intention: That all may experience the mercy of God, who never tires of forgiving.

For Evangelization: That families, especially those who suffer, may find in the birth of Jesus a sign of certain hope.

DECEMBER PARISH INTENTION: For an end to violence and a greater appreciation for the value of life.

Mass Schedule - See back cover for complete schedule.

Weekend: Saturday at 6 pm Sunday at 8 & 10 am,
 Sunday Noon-Spanish Mass w/ English Commentary
 Weekday: Monday 5:20 pm, Tuesday-Friday 7 am
 Confessions: Thursday at 5 pm or by Appointment

St Patrick's Mass Schedule

Weekend: Saturday at 4:15 pm

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Please visit our website to complete the following:

- * To register in the parish, or change your registration
- * To see an up-to-date calendar
- * To see what is happening within the parish!

INFANT BAPTISM Call the parish office and schedule a preceding preparation session and baptism.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE Contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the intended date, and participate in sessions of preparation. Weddings are not scheduled in Advent or Lent.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING Call the parish to schedule a time with one of the priests.

Money
Counters

December 13: Tom & Deb Vilkanskas
 December 20: Edward & Penny Sturr
 December 27: Edward & Penny Sturr

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

"Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God."

Philippians 4:6-7

St. Paul reminds us that our God is an abundant God, the ultimate giver of gifts. He promises to give us all that we need. When we trust that God will take care of us, it is easier for us to share what we have been given.

"No se inquieten por nada; más bien, en toda ocasión, con oración y ruego, presenten sus peticiones a Dios y denle gracias."

Filipenses 4:6-7

San Pablo nos recuerda que nuestro Dios es un Dios de abundancia, el proveedor supremo de todos nuestros regalos. El promete darnos todo lo que necesitamos. Cuando confiamos en que Dios nos cuidará, es más fácil para nosotros compartir lo que se nos ha dado.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc-9; Mt 21:23-27
Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34: 2-3, 6-7, 17-19, 23; Mt 21:28-32
Wednesday: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25; Ps 85:9-14; Lk 7:18b-23
Thursday: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17
Friday: Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25
Saturday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25
Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a; Sal 25 (24):4-5ab, 6, 7bc-9; Mt 21:23-27
Martes: Sof 3:1-2, 9-13; Sal 34 (33):2-3, 6-7, 17-19, 23; Mt 21:28-32
Miércoles: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21b-25; Sal 85 (84):9-14; Lc 7:18b-23
Jueves: Gén 49:2, 8-10; Sal 72 (71):1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17
Viernes: Jer 23:5-8; Sal 72 (71):1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25
Sábado: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71 (70):3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lc 1:5-25
Domingo: Mi 5:1-4a; Sal 80 (79):2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lc 1:39-45

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE for December 6, 2015

Seven Dolors

Offertory	\$1177.37
Env. Tithing	\$8593.00
Auto Tithing	\$285.00
Donation	\$0.00
Total	\$10,055.37

Saint Patrick's

Offertory	\$55.00
Env. Tithing	\$275.00
Auto Tithing	\$35.00
Donation	\$0.00
Total	\$365.00

IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT THE ADVENT GIVING TREE

Thanks in advance to all who took tags off the tree. Your generosity is very much appreciated. In order to deliver the presents to the appropriate places, the **CUT-OFF DATE** to bring in your present is **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17** as they will be picked up on the 18th.

**PLEASE DO YOUR
BEST TO HONOR
THIS CUT-OFF TIME.**

GIVING TREE



December 12-13
**Retirement
Fund for
Religious**

Please give to those who have given a lifetime.
www.retiredreligious.org

ADULT CONFIRMATION

If you are an adult who has not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please call Rosie at the Parish Center. We will be forming a class after the first of the year.

Bishop Weisenburger will celebrate the sacrament on April 23 at the 6 pm Mass.

Seven Dolors
Religious Education Students
Present

Our Advent Celebration



*The story of Jesus' birth with
narration, acting, and music*

**Please join us in The Church
December 16 at 7pm**

Advent Confessions Schedule

Please take advantage of one of the many opportunities offered in our community for the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Advent.

Communal Celebrations: *(Several priests present)*

St. Thomas More: Sunday, December 20th @ 3 pm

Seven Dolors: Monday, December 21st @ 7 pm

Individual Celebrations: *(in addition to Thursdays at 5 pm)*

Seven Dolors: Tuesday, December 22nd @ noon & 6 pm

Wednesday, December 23rd @ noon & 6 pm

There will be **no** opportunities for confessions during Advent after **Wednesday, December 23rd.**

Please keep
Cortez Fernandez,
Benita Fernandez,
Leslie Vandewater,
Linda Oppy, Brock Schimke,
Dustin Sawyer, and
Natasha Hall in
your prayers.



FOOD PANTRY



CURRENT NEEDS

Egg Noodles
Canned Sloppy Joe Sauce
Stewed Tomatoes
Cr. Mushroom Soup
Saltines

UPDATE:

Our numbers continue to be low. We served 13 adults and 10 children.

However, some items are in short supply.

Thank you for all of your help!

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Consider the joy of spending one hour each week in quiet prayer before the Lord.

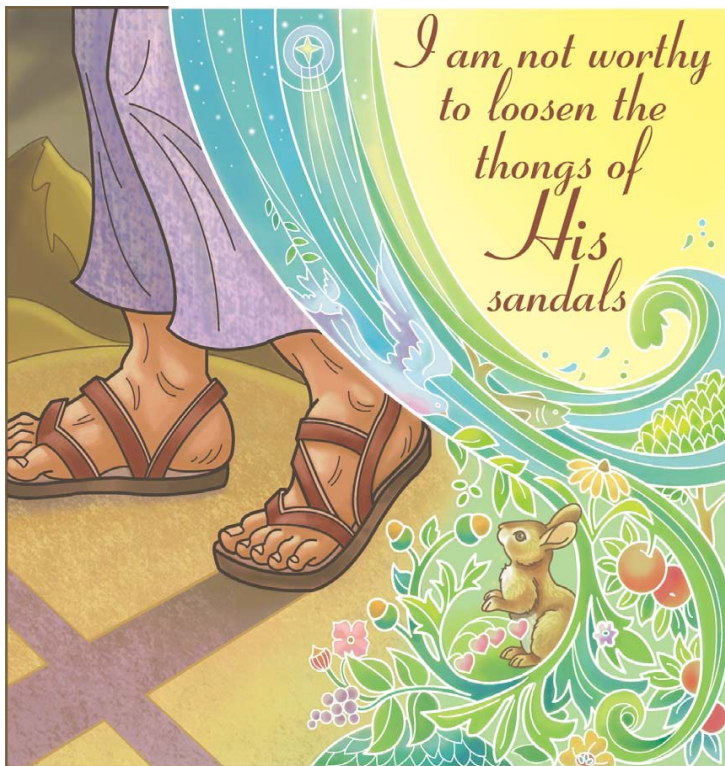
Permanent Adorers needed:

Tuesday 2 am & 11 am, Thursday 3 am,
Friday 2 am, 11 am & 5 pm,
Saturday 10 pm

SECOND ADORERS ON ANY HOUR ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

If you are interested in taking an hour for adoration, or with questions, please call:

Linda Lake at 785-341-2574



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MINISTRY OF CARE CONCERNS

Seven Dolores "Ministry of Care", through its priests and lay volunteers, wishes to serve the spiritual needs of parishioners who are hospitalized, homebound or in a care facility—with **Communion, Anointing or a visit or call.**

Federal law prevents hospitals from disclosing the presence of any **patient** to others, *even* Church ministers, unless the patient or a caregiver has signed the HIPPA release.

So, priests and lay ministers **visiting the hospital will not have a parishioner's name** on the Catholic List of admissions when they go for Anointing or Communion unless the patient or their 'caregiver' asks the nurse to make sure he/she are on the "**Catholic List**" and signs the required release. (*You can also list your parish.*)

By the same law, other care institutions like Via Christi, Meadowlark, Stoneybrook and Good Samaritan Hospice cannot reveal your presence or that of a family member. Once a patient leaves a hospital or other care facility, *they cannot tell us* where they have gone! We sometimes do not find out about a parishioner *in one of these care facilities or an out of town hospital for weeks.* **A family member, relative or friend must let us know!**

SAVE THE DATE

The Annual Women's Conference is March 12, 2016. Megan McKenna will be our presenter.





4th Annual Free Manhattan Community Christmas Dinner



You are invited to attend the 4th annual Free Manhattan Community Christmas Dinner. All are welcome!

Bring your entire family or just come on your own. We are so excited to celebrate Christmas together.



When: December 25th, 2015
Where: 2500 Kimball Ave., Manhattan, KS
Peace Lutheran Church
Time: Serving from 11:00am – 2:00 pm



Direct questions to 785-539-7371, email manhattanchristmasdinner@gmail.com, or visit our Facebook page Manhattan Community Christmas Dinner.

Baptisms

*at Seven Dolors of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish,
Manhattan, KS*

*November 28, 2015
by Fr. Kerry Ninemire*

Colson Benjamin Smith

son of
Cory & Kimberly (Peterson) Smith

Godparents:
Mike Wilson & Susie Wilson

*December 6, 2015
by Fr. Kerry Ninemire*

Luke Earl Schimke

son of
Brock & Kelsey (Jones) Schimke














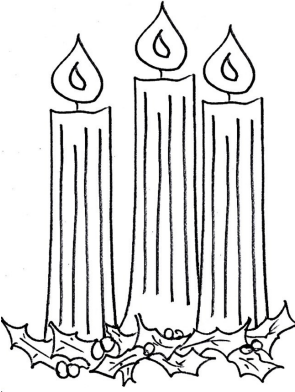
Godparents:
Larry Jones & Becky Jones



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MCS Upcoming Events *Week of December 14th-18th*

<p>14</p> <p> Basketball vs. Clifton-Clyde Game Time: 4:00 PM</p> <p> Scrip Order Due in the Office • 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM</p> <p> Daily Mass for grades 1-5th • 7:55 AM - 8:40 AM</p> <p> 5th-8th Grade Band Concert • 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM</p>	<p>15</p> <p> Teacher Cookie Gifts • 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Parents make cookies for the teachers to take home. Festive cookies are wonderful.</p>	<p>16</p> <p> Basketball @ Linn Departure: 3:45 PM Game Time: 5:45 PM</p> <p> Daily Mass for 6-8th grade • 7:55 AM - 8:40 AM</p> <p> Jr. High to</p> <p>Manhattan Town Center Mall • 10:45 AM - 2:20 PM 6th-8th grade music concert and lunch. Students must bring a lunch or money to purchase a lunch at the mall</p> <p> Toys for Manhattan due in the gym by the end of school • 3:00 PM</p>	<p>17</p> <p>End of Q2</p> <p> ASM at Seven Dolors Catholic Church • 7:55 AM - 8:50 AM only Red Polo shirts, Plaid jumpers, skirts, Khaki pants or Khaki skirts</p> <p> Liturgy lead by our Teachers • 7:55 AM - 8:50 AM</p> <p> Drama Class</p> <p>Presents: A Modern Day Christmas Carol • 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM</p> <p> Christmas Parties in the classroom • 1:30 PM - 2:40 PM Christmas Carols in the Grade School gym</p>	
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OF HISTORICAL INTEREST:

As we prepare for celebration of our 100th anniversary and church renovation, the bulletin from time to time will include some historical data that you may find interesting.

On January 28, 1948, the Church committee authorized Msgr. Luckey to take out a loan of \$50,000 for the construction of what would become Msgr. Luckey High School. Mont Green was selected to be the contractor.



Seven Dolors PARISH ❖ MANHATTAN, KS *A Century of Worship:* 1920-2020

Are you in need of a tax deduction for the year?

Please consider the MCS Annual Fund Drive. We kick off during the month of January, but contributions in December go toward the total for 2016's Annual Fund Drive. If 2015 has been especially good to you, please consider a donation to the Msgr. Luckey Endowment Fund, helping to ensure continued support of Catholic education for generations to come. Call Cindy Donohoue at 565-5060 for more information.



Harmony for the Holidays

Sunday, December 3rd at 3 pm
with special pre-show performance
by the KSU Faculty Brass Quintet at 2:30 pm

Featuring: The Flint Hills Harmony Chorus (Sweet Adelines), Timeless a Capella, 1st UMC Rhapsody Ringers, 1st CC Praise Band, Scott Sean pianist, Janie Brokenicky soloist, Magician Ken Garwick & Santa Claus!

McCain Auditorium—tickets \$15 at the door



Pictured at left is Mrs. Murphy's 3rd Grade Class with a quilt made from their drawings for Mrs. Murphy's daughter, who is ill.

They are joined by MCS Principal Scott Hulshoff and Superintendent Fr. Kerry Ninemire. Fr. Ninemire blessed the quilt before it was given to Mrs. Murphy.

Liturgical Schedules—December 19-20, 2015

Masses	EMOC	Hospitality	Altar Server	Lector
Sat. 6:00	Tom Church Jason Lingenfelser Craig Ronnebaum	Gary/Linda Grubbs Darrell/Debbie Umscheid	Suzie Chaffee Will Lingenfelser	Pat Tanner (1) Stacy Kohlmeier (2)
Sun. 8:00	Phyllis Allerheiligen Richard Bachamp Tanya Bachamp Deacon Ron Lehman VOLUNTEER	Roger Allerheiligen Judy Parks Josh Pittman Maureen Wells	Kelsey Coonrod Benjamin Irvine Paul Irvine	Fred Merklin (1) Julie Merklin (2)
Sun. 10:00	Chris/Mary Dooley Dennis/Jean Kuehler Scott Lake Joan McIlvaine Larry Nordstrom	Connie Mascareno Andy Price Ayla Price Deb Price	Tristan Musa Christina Price Rebecca Price Trinity Price	Nellie Bucholtz (1) Stacie Levendofsky (2)
Misas	Ministros	Hospitalidad	Monaguillos	Lectores
Domingo mediodía	Isabel Rodriguez y Carlos Flores	VOLUNTARIOS	Kassandra, Dayami y Jayden	Miguel Perez y Raquel Medina

December 13th-19th Sacristan/Votives

Sacristan: Adele Morales **Votives:** Pam Kallhof

Month of December Linens/Albs

Linens: Tress Mitchem **Albs:** Reyne Lehman

SEVEN DOLORS MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 12/12	6 p.m.	+RJ Robel
Sun. 12/13	8 a.m.	+Mary Zane Aumack
	10 a.m.	For the Parish
	12 p.m.	+Father of Mickey Keithley
Mon. 12/14	7 a.m.	+Delbert Eictiman
Tue. 12/15	7 a.m.	+Margaret O'Connor Mahurin
	8 a.m.	+Mary Hall
Wed. 12/16	7 a.m.	+Patrick O'Brien
Thur. 12/17	7 a.m.	SI Graciela Alvarez
	8 a.m.	+John Hill
Fri. 12/18	7 a.m.	+Lorna Moran
	8 a.m.	+Joanne Kammer
Sat. 12/19	6 p.m.	+Joann & Linda Silva
Sun. 12/20	8 a.m.	+Joan Brondell
	10 a.m.	+Mike Pachta
	12 p.m.	For the Parish

SAINT PATRICK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 12/12	4:15 p.m.	+Jerome Gerber
Wed. 12/16	8:00 a.m.	+Deannalea Page Sexton
Sat. 12/19	4:15 p.m.	+Dean, Brenda & Joe Edwards

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