

# SEVEN DOLORS & ST. PATRICK'S PARISHES

731 Pierre St., Manhattan, KS 66502 + Phone: 785-565-5000 + www.sevendolors.com

Email: office@sevendolors.com + Office Hours: Mon. & Fri. 9am - 1pm; Tues. /Wed./Thurs. 9 am-1pm & 1:30pm - 4 pm

Pastor: Fr. Ryan McCandless Parochial Vicar: Fr. Mike Leiker In Residence: Fr. Randall Weber

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2022 + 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Dear Parishioners,

The season of Advent has come upon us. It's a time of great joy and anticipation. God, throughout human history, has desired to be with his people. Darkness is an ancient source for an analogy to demonstrate how we humans lack in our relationship building with God. In the dark we tend to think that we are alone, there is an overall sense that there is an absence of presence. It is in the dark, too, that if there is a sense of someone else there that it is somewhat malevolent, and possibly will bring us harm. Darkness hinders our ability to move freely, and boundaries of safety are called into question. In God's abundance the Lord brings to us his light. He wants to show us that we are not alone, that this presence of light is benevolent and beneficial for our goodness. He shows us the boundaries of safety and true freedom to move within his ordering of things. As the day's draw darker may we trust that God's goodness and light are forever being offered to us in the coming of Jesus Christ. May this Advent season be filled with the Light of Christ in your life.

Fr. Ryan

## ADVENT GIVING TREE

Starting this weekend, the Advent Giving Tree will be set up in the main entrance of the church. The recipients this year will be DCF, the Women's Crisis Center and local families in need. Please take a tag to join in the giving spirit of the Advent Season. All gifts need to be returned to the Parish Center, 731 Pierre St, no later than Dec. 16.

## Temporary New Office Hours and Contacts

Mon. & Fri. - 9am-1pm;

Tues./Wed./Thurs. - 9am-1pm & 1:30pm - 4pm

**Parish Bulletin & Parish Website:** Deb Price - reoffice@sevendolors.com

**Facebook Page:** Maria McAnerney - youth@sevendolors.com

Gloria Green - spanishministry@sevendolors.com

**Calendar Requests:** Fr. Ryan McCandless - pastor@sevendolors.com

**Weddings:** Fr. Mike Leiker - parvic@sevendolors.com

**Ministry Schedule:** Ramona Kramer - music@sevendolors.com

For other items, please contact the parish office during office hours.

**For the greater glory of God, we will do as Christ tells us.**

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### 11/27 1st Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM Mass *For the Parish*

10:00 AM Mass +Mike Pachta

11:00 AM No RCIA

12:30 PM Spanish Mass

*SI Geronima Gamis Martinez*

### Monday 11/28

4:00 PM Small Group

5:20 PM Mass +Ruth Murtonen

### Tuesday 11/29

7:00 AM Mass +Art Post

7:55 AM MCS Mass +Chris Stokely

Noon Reconciliation

5:30 PM Choir

6:30 PM Adult Ed

### Wednesday 11/30

7:00 AM Mass +Ray & Mary Hall

6:30 PM Religious Education

### Thursday 12/1

7:00 AM Mass +Jerry Beihl

7:55 AM MCS Mass +Abby Stous

9:00 AM Food Pantry

5:00 PM Reconciliation

### Friday 12/2

**\*First Friday\***

7:00 AM Mass +Steve Konz

7:55 AM MCS Mass +Fr. Merlin Kieffer

3:00 PM Mass @MLH +Rosemary Werth

### Saturday 12/3

7:00 AM Mass *For Vocations*

4:15 PM Mass @ St. Patrick's

*+Joseph Stephens*

4:30 PM Mass +John Wataha

6:00 PM Spanish Choir

### 12/4 2nd Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM Mass *SI Megan Blanc*

10:00 AM Mass *For the Parish*

11:00 AM RCIA

12:30 PM Spanish Mass +Paul Irvine

1:30 PM Matachine

3:00 PM MCS 1st Reconciliation

### Sponsor of the Week

Bob's Plumbing & Heating, Inc.  
Randall Steiner, Victor Steiner  
785-539-4155 - Plumbing  
785-776-5082 - HVAC  
5281 Tuttle Creek Blvd.,  
Manhattan, KS 66502

# CELEBRATION IN HONOR OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

*The Hispanic Community of Seven Dolores  
would like to warmly invite everyone to  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration*

***December 11, 2022!***

The celebration will take place during and after the 12:30pm Mass on December 11. There will be dances performed by Matachines (South American Native Dancers).

After Mass, there will be a procession to the elementary school gymnasium. The Matachines will perform again, we will have a feast, and a special presentation of the Apparitions of our Lady of Guadalupe on Tepeyac Hill.

At **midnight** we will have the Mañanitas. The Matachines will begin with a procession, and we will also be singing and offering beautiful flowers during this time of remembrance. After the celebration, there will be hot chocolate and pan dulce (sweet bread) in the basement.

**We hope to see you there!**

-----

## **Don't Forget! Giving Tuesday is November 29**

The RE/CYO ministries of Seven Dolores would like to upgrade our seating in the youth room and improve our shared technology.

- Our youth group has been happily meeting for ten years using the seating found at the local furniture amnesty day and through kind donations. It has served us well, but it needs to be replaced. It would be wonderful for them to have new and comfortable seating options.
- Our catechists have graciously lent their personal items during their time with our youth. New technology would allow all our catechists to share the Good News using the most up to date options.

Your gift through our #iGiveCatholic page will allow us to purchase these items, to better serve the youth in our parish community. Your donation also has the potential to be doubled (or possibly tripled!)

**Please visit [www.igivecatholic.org](http://www.igivecatholic.org) and search Seven Dolores**



## OGDEN ST. PATRICK'S UPDATE

Thank you to those who showed up for the Parish Meeting on November 14. There will be a St. Patrick's Parish Council Meeting following the Saturday Evening Mass on December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Refreshments will be provided.

## PUPPET MINISTRY

Seven Dolors Puppet Ministry invites youth (14 years and older) along with adults to help perform and supervise puppet liturgy for children during 10am Masses throughout the Advent season. Volunteers need to meet in church basement by 9:30am for set up & rehearsal. Interested or have questions? Please contact Terry Mulhern at (785) 341-8171.

## GROUNDS CLEAN UP DAY

We need your help! On Sat., Dec. 3 starting at 9am we will be cleaning up the parish grounds and school campus. Bring your rakes and gloves. Everyone is welcome.

## FOOD PANTRY

Our shelves are looking pretty bare. This week we had 35 households for 108 individuals. Please help us if you can with food or cash donations. Suggestions are: cereal, refried beans, sloppy Joe sauce, canned mandarin oranges, canned mixed vegetables, canned chicken, saltines, canned dinners (SpaghettiOs and ravioli), canned pineapple, canned pinto beans, canned spinach, boxed au gratin/scalloped potatoes, instant mashed potatoes, vegetable beef soup, canned chili, actually anything.

Thanks for your help.

## HOLIDAY GRIEFSHARE

"Surviving the Holidays" Griefshare will be Mon., Dec. 5 at 6:30pm in the Parish Center. Register online at [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org) or contact Rosie at [formation@sevendolors.com](mailto:formation@sevendolors.com).

## ADORATION CHAPEL

Are you looking for a way to grow in holiness during Advent? Consider committing one hour a week in Adoration in the Presence of Our Lord at the St. Joseph Perpetual Adoration Chapel. **Our vacant hours are Monday 3am, Monday 4am, Friday noon, and Saturday 11pm.** You can also sign up to be a prayer partner on any hour of your choice or a substitute when needed. Please call or text Mary Lou Hoss at 785-317-2639 or email [marylouhoss@gmail.com](mailto:marylouhoss@gmail.com). God bless you!

## MEMORIAL STONE

The Knights of Columbus have sponsored and will install a memorial stone for the Victims of Abortion in the front of the Church. The stone was designed with the help of Fr. Ryan McCandless and inspired by similar memorials throughout the nation.

## PROJECT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

The Seven Dolors Project Oversight Committee is currently working on surveys and fielding information regarding future projects. If you are interested in being a part of this committee, please contact Dan Strafuss at Email: [dan.strafuss@gmail.com](mailto:dan.strafuss@gmail.com) or Phone: 901-610-9056

## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Last Sunday's Collection \$ 7,166.00  
Average Needed Weekly \$ 10,807.69



CATHOLIC DIOCESE  
of SALINA

# JOIN US FOR THE ADVENT FAMILY CHALLENGE!



**Step 1**

**Commit to a Family Night during each week of Advent.**

Family Nights involve making and sharing a meal and playing a game or activity together. We will help with suggestions & have a special guest help us with recipes!



**Step 2**

**Pray the Novena for Marriage and Family with us.**

Join us from December 21st to December 29th in praying the Novena for Marriage and Family. You will be joining families from all over the diocese in praying this together.



**Step 3**

**Go to Mass together on the Feast of the Holy Family (December 30th)**

Ask the Holy Family to intercede for your family and all families worldwide.

Stay Tuned For More Information On How To Join Us For This Challenge!

We will have special guests provide recipes, game ideas, and activities that you can do with your family. We will also provide the prayers for each day of the Novena.

Our Website  
<https://salinadiocese.org/office/family-life/>

Facebook  
<https://www.facebook.com/SalinaDiocese>

Twitter  
<https://twitter.com/SalinaDiocese>

Instagram  
[https://www.instagram.com/salina\\_diocese/](https://www.instagram.com/salina_diocese/)

Salina Diocese Office Of Family Life

# NEXT WEEK'S MINISTRY AND MASS SCHEDULE

	<b>EMOC</b>	<b>Hospitality</b>	<b>Altar Server</b>	<b>Lector</b>
<b>Sat. 4:30pm</b> 12/3	Bettina Boller Rebecca Gould Jana McKinley Craig Ronnebaum <b>VOLUNTEER</b>	Gary Grubbs Linda Grubbs Kristi Traffas Vincent Traffas	Dean Chaffee Emma O'Haver <b>VOLUNTEER</b>	Zachary O'Haver (1) Ann Chaffee (2)
<b>Sun. 8 am</b> 12/4	Jolene Amtower Carrie Ellis Airica Forkom Joe Wolf <b>VOLUNTEER</b>	Helen Matthews Colleen Umscheid <b>VOLUNTEER</b> <b>VOLUNTEER</b>	Gabriel McKinley Thad McKinley Zoey McKinley	Jason Ellis (1) Dennis Jones (2)
<b>Sun. 10 am</b> 12/4	Alex Kifer Frank Rottinghaus Joseph Schones Deacon Ed Souza David Zecha	Mo Glende Patience Knight Judy Parks <b>VOLUNTEER</b>	Yael Bishop Ayla Price Wade Rottinghaus	Amanda Rottinghaus (1) Bill Kifer (2)

## Please patronize our bulletin sponsors!

### ATTORNEYS

Morrison, Frost, Olsen, Irvine  
& Schartz LLP  
P. Bernard Irvine  
785-776-9208  
323 Poyntz, Suite 204,  
Manhattan, KS 66502  
irvine@mfoilaw.com  
www.mfoilaw.com

### CONSTRUCTION

D & R Construction, Inc.  
785-776-1087  
210 Southwind Place Suite 2C,  
Manhattan, KS 66503  
crubel@dandrconst.com  
www.dandrconst.com

### DENTAL

The Dental Health Group  
Jill Dlabal-Ellner, DDS;  
Dana Ryan-Smith, DDS;  
Andrew R Kutina, DDS  
785-537-8484  
1640 Charles Place, Ste 101  
Manhattan 66502  
www.thedentalhealthgroup.com

### FINANCIAL

Charlie Browne  
C. Browne Investment Services  
103 S 4th St. Ste. 219  
Manhattan, KS  
785-323-7523

The Trust Company  
Mark Knackendoffel  
785-537-7200  
800 Poyntz, Manhattan 66502  
www.TheTrustCo.com

### FRATERNAL

Knights of Columbus Council 1832  
Grand Knight, Craig Ronnebaum  
craigronnebaum@gmail.com  
785-268-0393

### HOME REMODELING/REPAIR

Midland Exteriors-Jamie Musa  
Fiberglass Replacement  
Windows & Doors  
785-537-5130  
8226 South Port Dr., 66502  
estimator@midlandexteriors.com  
www.midlandexteriors.com

### ORTHODONTICS

Tindall Orthodontics  
Mark C. Tindall, DDS, MS, PA  
www.tindallortho.com

### PAINTING

Interior Painting & Color Consultation  
Ann Chaffee  
785-370-2496  
annchaffee@att.net

### PEST CONTROL

American Pest Management, Inc.  
785-537-9188  
220 Levee Drive, 66502  
americanpest@sbcglobal.net  
www.americanpestonline.com

### PHARMACY

Barry's Drug Center  
Downtown Pharmacy  
Darren Foltz, Tim Parsons,  
Tiffany Strohmeyer  
414 Poyntz, Manhattan, KS 66502  
785-776-8833  
www.barrysdrugcenter.com

### PLUMBING & HVAC

Bob's Plumbing & Heating, Inc.  
Randall Steiner, Victor Steiner  
785-539-4155 - Plumbing  
785-776-5082 - HVAC  
5281 Tuttle Creek Blvd.,  
Manhattan, KS 66502

### REAL ESTATE

Irvine Real Estate, Inc.  
Real Estate & Rentals  
Paul B. Irvine, Mary Beth Irvine,  
John Irvine, Marlene Irvine,  
Carol Sherley-Days  
785-539-9800  
1031 Poyntz, Manhattan, KS  
www.IrvineMHK.com  
irvinefamily@sbcglobal.net

Lisa Sedlacek, Associate Broker  
CRS, MRP, ABR  
Realty Executives-Weis Real Estate Co.  
785-313-4319  
Buying or selling, please call.

### TELECOMMUNICATIONS

The Phone Connection Voice Networks  
Tom Boller  
785-776-4429  
322 Houston St, Suite 110  
Manhattan, KS 66502  
sales@tpcks.com