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Liturgy Schedule

Annunciation Parish

Tuesday's, Thursday's and
Friday's at 8:00; 10:00am on
Wednesday's at the Care
Home.

Weekend Mass Saturday's at
4:00pm with Confessions
prior at 3:00pm
Sunday Mass at 10:30am

Adoration, Benediction &
Rosary Service:
Tuesday's at 7:00pm

Adoration on Friday's
from 1:00pm to 5:00pm

St. Monica \ St. Elizabeth Parish Blue Rapids:

Mass on Sunday Morning at
8:30am with confessions from
8:00am to 8:15am

St. Columbkille Parish Blaine

Mass on Saturday evening at
6:00pm with confessions from
5:30pm to 5:45pm

Sacraments

Baptism

Contact Fr. Daniel to schedule a
baptismal preparation class.

Marriage

Arrangements need to be made at
least six months prior to the
wedding date.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact the office for an appointment
or for emergency instructions.

Confessions

Before weekend liturgies and by
appointment

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Annunciation Parish

Serving St. Monica \ St. Elizabeth in Blue Rapids
and St. Columbkille in Blaine

JUNE 5TH 2016

The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Growing as Disciples of Jesus, (Making Disciples For Jesus)

Prayer-

Who: You, the Father,
Son, and Holy Spirit,
Mary and all the saints,
and the entire heavenly
hosts.

When: Whenever works
for you! Early morning,
evenings, lunch breaks.
Time of day isn't
important so long as you
do it.

Where: Anywhere,
though preferably a
place where you solitude
with God.

Why: To open your eyes
a little to see how much
you are loved by God.
To raise your eyes to
heaven.

To find peace in the
midst of turmoil.
To be encouraged to
pursue holiness.

Please enjoy this outline
of my next several
homilies on prayer.

What:

St. Ignatius gives three
steps for following Jesus
in everyday living,
especially in making the
big decisions of life and
growing in virtue.

Awareness of the
interior movements of
your soul, both natural
and supernatural.

Understanding whether
the supernatural
movements are of God or
of the enemy.

Action to accept the
promptings of the Good
Spirit or reject the
pushing of the enemy.

How: Following are three
of the main how's of
prayer=

Meditation (10-60min),
consisting of placing
yourself in the presence of
God, having considerations
and stirring your soul into
affections, concluding with
a concrete resolution to
accomplish by the next time
you come back to the
presence of the Lord.

Daily Examen (5-10min),
Ask the Lord's help, thanking
Him for His blessings of the
day, seeking pardon for how
you did not respond to His
grace, making a resolution to
be more attentive to his
promptings.

3 P's-any amount of time,
Praise the Lord, Petition
Him, and seek Pardon.

St. Ignatius Loyola 14 Rules for Discernment of spirits:

Rule 1: For those going from mortal sin to mortal sin, the enemy will propose apparent pleasures and delights that beckon the sinner to continue deeper down the path of death. The Good Spirit bites and stings through the conscious to draw the child of God to repentance.

Rule 2: For those rising from good to better in the service of God, the opposite is true: The Good Spirit will inspire with courage and strength and consolation, and the enemy will bite, sadden, and put obstacles in the way of those striving to serve our God and Lord.

Mass Intentions

Date	Day	Notes	Intention
06/06/2016	Monday	St. Norbert	No a.m. Mass
06/07/2016	Tuesday	Weekday	No a.m. Mass
06/08/2016	Wednesday	Weekday	No a.m. Mass
06/09/2016	Thursday	St. Ephrem	No a.m. Mass
06/10/2016	Friday	Weekday	+Ray Lierz
06/11/2016	Saturday	Frankfort 4:00 p. m.	+Royal Creson
06/11/2016	Saturday	Blaine 6:00 p.m.	For All Parishioners of the 3 Parishes
06/12/2016	Sunday	Blue Rapids 8:30 a. m.	Dorothy O'Boyle
06/12/2016	Sunday	Frankfort 10:30 a. m.	+John & +Genitha Horigan

Saturday, June 11th: Annunciation 4:00 pm

Lector	Phil Maas
Servers	Emily & Colton Weyer
Communion	C. Weyer, M. Parthemer, & R. Broxterman
Musicians	J. Sedlacek, R. Matson, & D. Sandmann
Ushers	Joe Parthemer & Bill Broxterman
Gifts	Ushers to appoint
Rosary	Charlie & Rita Broxterman
Sacristan	Cathy Weyer

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Sunday, June 12th: Annunciation 10:30 am

Lector	Charlie Gerstner
Servers	Alyssa Mitchell, Amburley Kokoruda, & Clara Dressman
Communion	C. Stallbaumer, S. Wapp, & L. Schreiner
Musicians	Marilyn Dressman & Lynn Bramhall
Ushers	Jerry Broxterman & Gerald Gerstner
Gifts	Ushers to appoint
Rosary	Kelli Kokoruda
Care Home	Mary Ann Dressman
Sacristan	Lois Schreiner

This that and the Other...

ALL ARE INVITED to an Open House and Reception for Sister Eulalia Sunday, June 5, 2016. St. Gregory Parish Hall, Marysville from 2:00-4:00p.m. Sister Eulalia will be moving to the Mother House in Concordia, Kansas.

NOITCE- There will be no **Benediction & Adoration on Tuesday, June 7th** as Fr. Schmitz will be unavailable.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Fridays, 1:00—5:00 pm

ALL ARE INVITED- On Sunday, June 12, 2016, at St. Joseph's Church, Flush, Fr. **Earl Dekat** will be celebrating his 50th anniversary as an ordained minister in the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. Celebration of the Holy Eucharist is at 11:00 a.m. That will be followed by social hour and dinner in the Parish Center. Anyone is welcome to come. If you do plan to come email him at earld@carsoncomm.com. Let him know if you plan to come. That way the cooks can prepare enough food for everyone. The dinner is his gift to you for the great blessing you have been to him. Fr. Earl does not want or

expect any gifts. Your presence is the best gift. Fr. Earl was ordained on May 28th, 1966 at St. Peter's Cathedral in Kansas City, Kansas.

DONATIONS REQUESTED—We are asking for donations of cash or food to feed the Prayer in Action seminarians, group leaders, & students while they are in the area this month doing works of mercy. If you are interested please contact Fr. Schmitz or Marilyn in the Parish Office. All donations are very much appreciated!

ANNUNCIATION OFFERINGS

May 29, 2016

Envelopes \$1270.00

Plate \$243.73

Total \$1513.73

Other Income

Cemetery \$ 275.00

Mass Stipends \$ 50.00

Peter's Pence \$ 11.00

Catholic Heart Work Camp youth & sponsors will be leaving June 12th from in front of the church at 4:00 am. They will be working in Denver, CO among the poor and needy. Please keep them in your prayers.

A Big Thank you to all the Volunteers who signed up to work for the Catholic Charities summer lunch program. We have all the slots filled up with two volunteers each day. **Check out the calendar for June posted in the back of church.**

Marriage Minute - This Sunday, St. Paul reminds us that the Gospel he preached was of divine origin. As it was true for Paul 2000 years ago, it is true for the Church today. Nowhere is this more relevant than in the current cultural debate about marriage and human sexuality. While there is much misunderstanding and misinformation over what we believe as Catholics, an important point is that we do not have the power to change what we did not create. Marriage certainly has a human component, but it has a divine design. Like most things, if we do not understand an aspect of Catholic teaching, it is good to sincerely seek the authentic teaching rather than the stereotype that popular culture perpetuates. "The intimate community of life and love which constitute the married state has been established by the Creator and endowed by him with its own proper laws...God himself is the author of marriage...Marriage is not a purely human institution." (CCC1603)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS— Totus Tuus is coming to Annunciation again this year. Mark July 17th through July 22 on your calendar and plan on attending. Grades 1-6 meet M-F during the day from 9:00 —3:00. **Grades 7-12 meet Sunday —Thursday (Please note time change) 7:30—9:00 pm.** Questions contact Pat Brady at 785-396-4396 or Fr. Schmitz.

AREA CHURCH PICNICS

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church Picnic. Today, June 5, 2015. Serving 4:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. Located at Onaga Community Center, 100 Union Pacific Dr., Onaga, KS. Serving Broasted Chicken & Pulled Pork dinners. Homemade Ice Cream. Come join us for the good food, company, and fun!

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, AXTELL PICNIC— Today, June 5th. Serving 5-8:00 pm. Roast beef and ham dinner served family style. Games for all ages.

ST. MALACHY CHURCH, BEATTIE PICNIC— Sunday, June 12th, Serving 5:00—7:30 pm Beef Brisket or Pork dinner. Bingo, Games, Country Store, Raffle & Auction at 8:00 **SACRED HEART CHURCH, PAXICO**— Sunday, June 12th. Chicken dinner serving Buffet style 12:00 to 3:30 pm. Bingo, Games, & Raffle.

ST. JAMES CHURCH, WETMORE— Sunday, June 12th. Roast Beef & Ham dinner served family style. Serving begins at 4:30. Games for all ages. Auction at 8:00 pm.

MUSIC IN THE PARK at the Waterville City Park Sunday, June 26th, Pork burgers and homemade ice cream served beginning at 5:30 pm. Local talent & variety show begins at 7:00 pm. If you or a relative or friend would like to sing, dance, play harmonica or any other variety of acts please call 363-2604 or 562-7410 to get your act added to the performances.

(Bring your lawn chairs). Tickets are now on sale which are good for a long list of prizes to be given away the evening of the show. Tickets available from any church member, Johannes Barber Shop in Waterville or at Blue Rapids Auto in Blue Rapids. Sponsored by St. Monica/St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.

Ride the Bus to Pitching for Priests

RYMO is offering transportation for rural parishioners to the KCK vs KC MO Pitching for Priests game on June 19! Cost is \$10 to ride; game tickets (\$10) must be reserved online. Reserve your bus spot by June 2nd (ruralyouth@archkck.org). We must have at least 30 passengers to secure the bus. All youth must be accompanied by an adult; adults should be accompanied by some youth! Questions contact Rural Youth Ministry at 785-221-2644.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

to Cody Trimble and Macy Parker who were married at Annunciation Church this weekend. May God richly bless you and you begin your married life together. Proud parents are Tony & Rhonda Trimble and Todd & Tammy Parker.

LIVING IN LOVE RETREAT- "We felt like we did when we were first married!" See why over 700 couples in the Archdiocese have experienced the "Living in Love" retreat. Sign up now for the next "Living in Love" retreat held at Mater Dei Parish, Topeka KS June 11-12. Register online at www.archkck.org/LivinginLove or contact Mary Ann Kierl at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345 for information.

UNFAILING MERCY-MENS RETREAT

"After my abortion I was broken and needed help. I turned to Project Rachel-Project Joseph. It was the best decision I made." Our ministry offers a 1 day retreat Unfailing Mercy, to help people who are suffering regret after abortion to find hope, healing and restoration. Private and CONFIDENTIAL. We will be hosting a **MEN'S RETREAT on Saturday, June 25** from 8:30am to 5:00pm. To register or find out more information, call 913-621-2199 in KS and 816-591-3804 in MO, or email projectrachelkc@archkck.org.

Pregnancy Counseling and Adoption is the founding program of Catholic Charities that continues today. Confidential pregnancy support services are available free of charge to all those facing an unintended pregnancy regardless of marital status, age, race or faith. For those who have longed to adopt a child, Catholic Charities is a leader in nationally accredited adoption services providing the expertise, experience and honest answers throughout the adoptive experience. For more information, contact Heather Roberts at 913-433-2063 or hroberts@catholiccharitiesks.org

Catholic Baseball Camp 2016 has several spots left! Hosted by Kansas City Royals Hall of Fame player Mike Sweeney and presented by CYO, the camp will be held July 20-22, 2016 at the Mid-America Sports Complex in Shawnee. Registration is limited to the first 200 boys aged 8-15 to register. Cost for this year's camp in Kansas City is \$300 per camper, which includes instruction, lunch and Royals tickets for a game during the camp. Information is available at www.catholicbaseballcamp.org.

FRANKFORT FOOD PANTRY— Please help us support our local food pantry. There is a basket in the back of church to drop off non-perishable food items.



Reflecting On Sunday's Readings

This Sunday's readings all speak of raising someone from the dead. In the First Reading Elijah by the power of God raises the son of the widow of Zarephath from the dead, and in the Gospel Reading Jesus, demonstrating his own power, raised the son of the widow of Nain from the dead. Paul's testimony in the Second Reading, though different is similar, inasmuch as Saul was spiritually raised from a deadening legalism to new life wherein he was also given a new name; Paul. Each passage reveals a God who is merciful and all powerful. God is merciful inasmuch as he hears our every prayer, both the expressed and unexpressed groaning's of our heart. And though we do not know how God will respond to our expressed and felt prayers these passages demonstrate that he is all powerful and able to do the miraculous on our behalf, able to raise the dead both physically and spiritually. God is not put-off by our groaning's, not does he ignore them because we are not able to articulate to him either the problem or the solution to our feelings of desperation. In fact he has provided a remedy for this inability which is explained in Romans 8; "...When we cry, 'Abba! Father!' it is the Spirit himself bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. ... For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience. Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with sighs too deep for words. And he who searches the hearts of men knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God." So in

our desperate times we can groan to God in hope—but as the psalmist reminds us in the second reading we also must remember to “sing praises to the Lord ... and give thanks” that his favor is for a “lifetime”, and from our mourning will come joy. Commenting on Romans 8 Pope Benedict XVI explained, “Prayer does not exempt us from trial and suffering; indeed—Saint Paul says—we ‘groan inwardly as we wait for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies’ (Rom 8:23). He says that prayer does not exempt us from suffering, but prayer does permit us to live through it with a new strength, with the confidence of Jesus, who—according to the Letter to the Hebrews—‘In the days of his flesh, ... offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to him [God] who was able to save him from death, and he was heard for his godly fear’ (5:7). The answer of God the Father to the Son, to his loud cries and tears, was not freedom from suffering from the Cross, from death, but a much greater fulfillment, an answer much more profound; through the Cross and death God responded with the Resurrection of the Son, with new life. Prayer animated by the Holy Spirit leads us, too, to live everyday a journey of life with its trials and sufferings, with the fullness of hope, with trust in God who answers us as he answered the Son.” (from *A School of Prayer*, by Pope Benedict XVI, page 209.)

Reflecting On Sunday's Readings,
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Daily Mass Readings

Monday, June 6	First Reading: <u>1 Kgs. 17: 1-6</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 1-12</u>
Tues- day, June 7	First Reading: <u>1 Kgs. 17: 7-16</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 13-16</u>
Wednes- day, June 8	First Reading: <u>1 Kgs. 18: 20-39</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 17-19</u>
Thurs- day, June 9	First Reading: <u>1 Kgs. 18: 41-46</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 20-26</u>
Friday, June 10	First Reading: <u>1 Kgs. 19: 9a, 11-16</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 27-32</u>
Satur- day, June 11	First Reading: <u>Acts 11: 21b-26; 13: 1-3</u> Gospel: <u>Mt. 5: 33-37 or Mt. 10: 7-13</u>
Sunday, June 12	1st Reading: <u>2 Sm.. 12: 7-10, 13</u> 2nd Reading: <u>Gal. 2: 16, 19-21</u> Gospel: <u>Lk. 7: 36—8:3 or 7:36- 50</u>

Looking for a way of praying consistently, and praying with and for others? www.praymorenovenas.com allows you to join over 200,000 other Catholics with daily prayers/videos emailed to you. It contains some of the most popular novenas in the Church. Novenas are great ways of regularly praying both in thanksgiving for the gifts God has given you and for asking for the good things the Father wants to give His children.



St. Monica\St. Elizabeth, Blue Rapids



Calendar and Mass Intention

June 12th, 8:30 am— Dorothy O'Boyle

May 29, 2016 offerings

Envelopes	\$280.00
Plate	\$111.75
Auction	\$ 5.00

NOTICE-
Eucharistic ministers, lector and servers please meet with Fr Schmitz in the vestment room 10 minutes before Mass.

Ministers of the Mass

Sunday June 12th, 8:30 a.m. St. Monica\St. Elizabeth

Lector	M. Heinen
Servers	E. Toerber, E. Brungardt, & M. Shanks
Gifts	Seleska family
Communion	H. Borgerding, E. Henry, & M. Heinen
Ushers	M. Rowe & D. Heinen

Church Cleaners: June—
Sacristan Schedule: June—Norma Hirt
Breakfast Committee: June— Fathers Day -Altar Society Ladies. If you cannot work the month you are assigned then trade with someone.

Altar Society Meeting June 15, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. to work on revision of workers list for Music in the Park which will be held in July.

Mark your calendars—Future dates

June 19, Father's Day breakfast
October 23 Pork Lion Dinner

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Addie Wassenberg 6/10
Spencer Lees 6/12

ANNIVERSARIES
Dave & Dana Baier 6/11
John & Amber Schreiner 6/12

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Are you new to the Parish? New members please contact Zita Duensing at 785-363-7456; or email is zitaduensing@att.net. to get your names in the parish records.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Fridays from noon to 5:00p.m.



St. Columbkille Parish, Blaine KS

Ministers of the Mass *Saturday June 11, 6:00 p.m.*

Lector	Todd Sheppard
Servers Cross Bearer	Devin Plummer, Eli Roggenkamp Brooklyn Plummer
Ministers	Jean Knoblach, Frank Finan,
Hospitality	Bob & Kathy Murray

Saturday May 28, 2016 offering:

5/28/2016	Envelope	473.00	
	Plate	114.00	
	Mass Intentions	20.00	
	Pott Co Tax rebate (house)	76.71	
			683.71
5/28/2016	Church Restoration Fund in memory of Louis Harrington		1,675.00

2016 Church Cleaning Schedule

June 5-11: Kellie O'Shea, Kathy Murray, Lori Murray
June 19-25: Cathy Minihan, Mandy Valburg, Stacey Ridder

CEMETERY MOWING— Tuesday, June 7th, 6:00 pm.

Knights of Columbus
Meeting - June 9

Altar Society Meeting
27th of June @ 7pm

WAMEGO FARMERS MARKET —Every Saturday, May through October, 9:00 am—Noon at the WTC Inc., parking lot, 1009 Lincoln St., Wamego.

The Blaine/Westmoreland Senior Citizens Hold their meeting every 4th Tuesday of each month in the St. Columbkille Parish Hall at noon. A potluck lunch is followed by a short meeting, cards, & conversation. All senior citizens are welcome.

St. Columbkille Day Celebration/Dinner - June 11 Following Mass

Immediately following Mass on June 11 the Knights of Columbus will be serving a meal in the church hall. All proceeds will be donated to the church hall expansion. Put this on your calendar and plan on attending. Free Will Donation!

Server Schedule

June 11th Devin Plummer, Eli Roggenkamp
Cross Bearer Brooklyn Plummer
June 18th Molly Minihan, Malea Karnes
Cross Bearer Ethan Karnes
June 25th Eva Krohn, Jarritt Martens
Cross Bearer Maria Krohn