

ST. MICHAEL'S
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 LaCrosse, KS 67548
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ST. JOSEPH'S
 202 Main Street
 Liebenthal, KS 67553
 Pastor: **Father Matthew Kumi**
 website: <http://rushcountycatholicchurches.com/>

HOLY TRINITY
 103 South Main
 Timken, KS 67575
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November 13, 2016

TO USE OR RENT ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH CENTER: Call Janel Weigel @ 785-222-2454/3646

FUNERAL DINNERS: St. Michael's: *Pat Lohrey 785-222-3119*
 St. Joseph's: *Monica Legleiter 785-342-5828* Holy Trinity: *Barb Oborny 620-797-1490*
COMMUNION CALLS: If anyone is sick at home or hospitalized, please notify Fr. Matthew Kumi.
 For Baptism or Marriage Preparation, please call Fr. Matthew Kumi.

Monday, Nov 14	8:00 am	LaCrosse	**NO MASS**
Tuesday, Nov 15	9:00 am	Liebenthal	**NO MASS**
Wednesday, Nov 16	8:00 am	Timken	**NO MASS**
Thursday, Nov 17	10:00 am	Locust Grove	**NO MASS**
Friday, Nov 18	8:00 am	LaCrosse	**NO MASS**
Saturday, Nov 19	4:30 pm	Liebenthal	+Marvin & Gary Randa
Sunday, Nov 20	8:00 am	Timken	For The Parish
Sunday, Nov 20	10:00 am	LaCrosse	+Sr. Louise Herrman

LITURGY MINISTERS:

Liebenthal – Saturday, Nov 19, 2016 – 4:30 pm
 COMM: Darryl & Sherri Herrman
 SERVERS: Blake & Brooke Herrman
 LECTOR: G.T. Barnes
 GIFTS: Leo & Vicki Herrman
 USHERS: Larry Kolb & Duane Legleiter

Timken – Sunday, Nov 20, 2016 – 8:00 am
 COMM: Barb Oborny & Tina Vondracek
 SERVERS: Youth
 LECTOR: Youth
 GIFTS: Youth
 USHERS: Youth

LaCrosse – Sunday, Nov 20, 2016 – 10:00 am
 COMM: *Plate: Brittany Suppes*
Cup: Frank & Marilyn Seidel
 SERVERS: Abbey Oborny, Brennen Steinert,
 Christian Suppes
 LECTOR: Julie Schwindt
 HOSTS/GIFTS: Mary Steitz & Viola Enslinger
 USHERS: Benny Viegra & Rick Weigel

St. Joseph Collections (Nov 5, 2016)	
Envelopes	\$ 777.00
Offertory	\$ 114.00
All Saints	\$ 372.00
Candles	\$ 21.60
TOTAL	\$1284.60
<i>Roof Fund:</i>	
\$815.00 (+Lawrence Proffitt)	
\$50.00 Anonymous	
Holy Trinity Collections (Nov 6, 2016)	
Envelopes	\$ 535.00
Offertory	\$ 113.00
Childrens Off	\$ 4.50
Candles	\$ 5.00
TOTAL	\$ 657.50
St. Michael Collections (Nov 6, 2016)	
Envelopes	\$1154.00
Offertory	\$ 201.00
Childrens Off	\$ 12.00
Candles	\$ 16.00
TOTAL	\$1383.00
<i>Thank You For Your Support!</i>	

CONFESSIONS:
St. Joseph: Saturday, 4:00 pm before Mass
Holy Trinity: Sunday, 7:30 am before Mass
St. Michael: First Wednesday of the month 6:30-7:30 pm

OFFICE HOURS:
Scheduled hours are Thursday's from 5 to 6:30 pm or to schedule an appointment, please contact JoAnn at 785-623-1917 or jchiefs0308@yahoo.com. Thank you & God Bless!

A WARM WELCOME to new parishioners!
Please introduce yourself to the pastor. Family registration forms are located in back of the church. Please fill out the form and drop in the collection basket or give to Father after Mass.

PRAYER CHAIN.... We pray for those among us who are ill and for their caregivers, for those experiencing a hardship or difficulty and for those in the Armed Forces. To place someone's name on the prayer chain list, please call Ardis Viegra (222-3629).
Please keep in your prayers: John Woods ~ Elected Officials ~ World Peace

Our deepest sympathy and prayers to family & friends of Joyce Strecker.
 May Joyce rest in peace.

BULLETIN ITEMS: Please give your announcements to Father, email to church@gbta.net or mail to PO Box 309, LaCrosse. *All bulletin items are due by 9:00 am Thursday.*

MASS STIPENDS can be placed in the collection baskets or mailed. *Please make checks to St. Michael's Stipend Fund*, specify what church you want the Mass said and indicate if you want the Mass said on a certain date. If you have a preferred date, please submit your request at least two weeks in advance. **Each Mass is \$10.00.**



ST. JOSEPH'S THANKSGIVING DINNER AND RAFFLE is THIS Sunday, November 13th 11:00 am-1:00 pm. \$10 per plate; \$4 for children 4-8 years. LOTS OF GREAT PRIZES!!

MONTHLY PRAYER HOUR FOR OUR COUNTRY - much to be thanking God for. Join us this Wednesday, November 16th at 1:00 pm at the St. Joseph's Church.

TRI PARISH COUNCIL MEETING is Tuesday, December 6th at 7:00 pm at St. Michael's.

THANK YOU!! St. Michael's High School Youth Group would like to thank all of those who supported their fried chicken dinner. It was a great success!

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL: We thank Jerilyn Stull for being our last Stewardship Renewal speaker. We also greatly appreciate all of the speakers for sharing their message on the different pillars of Stewardship. God Bless & Thank You!

FR. MATTHEW WILL BE OUT OF TOWN NOVEMBER 14-21.
 Fr. Charles Mazouch will be our priest on November 19th & 20th.

*******ST. MICHAEL in LACROSSE*******

ST. MICHAEL'S PROPERTY COMMISSION will meet on Thursday, November 17th at 7:00 pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING is Monday, November 21st at 7:00 pm.

ST. MICHAEL'S PSR: No class on Wednesday, November 23rd for Thanksgiving Break.

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*******ST. JOSEPH in LIEBENTHAL*******

THANKSGIVING DINNER AND RAFFLE today (Sunday, November 13th). Time: 11:00 am-1:00 pm. Cost: \$10/plate. \$4/children 4-8. Raffle tickets available there til the drawing at 1:00 pm. Lots of wonderful prizes!

DESSERTS: Don't forget to bring desserts you plan to donate! Help make the dinner end on a delicious note!

STARTING NOVEMBER 22nd, the Tuesday morning Masses at St. Joseph's will begin at 9:00 am.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING is postponed until further notice.

GOOD NEWS! THE CHAIR LIFT has been installed in the school basement. It will hold up to 300 lbs and make a smooth and safe trip up and down the stairs. Just in time for our Thanksgiving dinner! Special thanks to Emmitt and Geri McGinn for arranging for professional installation of the donated chair lift and donating \$200 toward the installation. What a blessing!

HAVE YOU VISITED our tri-parish website yet?! It is kept up to date on all three parish events and publicity, complete with photos and news releases, thanks to JoAnn Tomecek, our tri-parish secretary. Just go to <http://rushcountycatholicchurches.com/>. Check out all the tabs at the top of the page. You'll be glad you took the time to see this.

*******HOLY TRINITY in TIMKEN*******

HELP HANDS APPRECIATED: On November 20th following Mass we will change missalettes. Any help will be appreciated.

POINSETTIA SIGN UP SHEETS are in the rear of the church. Please sign up ASAP so the correct number of flowers can be ordered.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: On Sunday, December 11th, everyone is welcome to attend our Christmas Party. Festivities begin at 4:00 pm with bingo, a visit from Santa and a delicious meal. You are welcome to bring some of your special Christmas cookies or dessert to round out the meal.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING: We will decorate for Christmas after Mass on Sunday, December 18th. All help is encouraged and appreciated

ALL SOULS DAY COLLECTIONS: Envelopes: \$92.00; Offertory: \$87.00

THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH
please contact Fr. Matthew at 785-222-2561

Olmitz Knights of Columbus Soup Supper is Sunday, November 13th from 5:00-7:00 pm at the Olmitz K of C hall. Vegetable beef, chicken noodle and chili soups will be served along with homemade bread, pies and veggies.

Getting Through The Holidays When A Loved One Has Died: The Golden Belt Home Health & Hospice is sponsoring this special program on Monday, November 14th at 7:00 pm at the St. Rose Health Center in Great Bend. For all interested persons who have lost a loved one, this program will give some suggestions and ideas on getting through the holidays. For more information, please call (620) 792-8171.

Brandi Jecha Fundraiser: On Sunday, November 20th from 5:00-7:00 pm at the LaCrosse City Auditorium, Golden Belt Telephone employees are sponsoring "All You Can Eat Pancakes & Sausage" with Chris Cakes from Wichita flipping the pancakes. Your free will donation will go to the Jecha family to help with medical expenses. We continue to keep Brandi & her family in our prayers as she recovers from her accident.

Community Thanksgiving Service is Sunday, November 20th at 7:00 pm at the LaCrosse United Methodist Church.

Advent Retreat: The Hope and Joy of Advent, beginning on Friday December 2nd at 7:00 pm and closing with the 10:30 Mass on Sunday morning December 4th. Join us as we reflect on some of Caryll Houselander's wonderful words of wisdom, along with reflections from Paula D'Arcy. Massages and short individual spiritual direction will be offered. Sunday morning offers sung Morning Prayer with the Sisters and/or Mass for those who desire to join the Sisters in their Sunday services. To register: visit us on the web: www.heartlandspirituality.org (See Upcoming Programs) e-mail: office@heartlandspirituality.org or phone: 620-792-1232. The fee is \$125.00.



*A warm welcome to all of the hunters
attending Mass at our Tri-Parishes this weekend!*