

ST. MICHAEL'S
 918 Lincoln Box 309
 LaCrosse, KS 67548
 Rectory: (785) 222-2561
 Office: (785) 222-3292

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
 e-mail: church@gbta.net

May 7, 2017

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, May 8	8:00 am LaCrosse	Special Intention (Anita Boatright)
Tuesday, May 9	8:00 am Liebenthal	+Betty Greenway **NOTE TIME**
Wednesday, May 10	8:00 am Timken	+All Deceased In Rush County
Thursday, May 11	10:00 am Locust Grove	+Emma Moeder
Friday, May 12	8:00 am LaCrosse	+Duane & Mary Engel
Saturday, May 13	7:00 pm Timken	+Deceased Altar Society Members
Sunday, May 14	8:00 am Liebenthal	+Sharnelle Singleterry
Sunday, May 14	10:00 am LaCrosse	For The Parish

LITURGY MINISTERS:

Timken – Saturday, May 13 – 7:00 pm
COMM: Barb Oborny & Carol Scheuerman
SERVERS: Preston Ross & Jared Vondracek
LECTOR: Duane Oborny
GIFTS: Terry & Cheryl Conard
USHERS: Mark Koochel & Barb Oborny

Liebenthal – Sunday, May 14 – 8:00 am
COMM: Darryl & Sherri Herrman
SERVERS: Brett Herrman & Colby Stull
LECTOR: Norman Legleiter
GIFTS: Leo & Vicki Herrman
USHERS: Larry Kolb & Duane Legleiter

LaCrosse – Sunday, May 14 – 10:00 am
COMM: *Plate:* Karen Schmidt
Cup: Linda Calvillo & Joyce Schaffer
SERVERS: Youth
LECTOR: Youth
HOSTS/GIFTS: Youth
USHERS: Youth

Holy Trinity Collections (April 29, 2017)	
Envelopes	\$ 345.00
Offertory	\$ 366.00
Childrens Off	\$ 8.00
Dillons Rewards	\$ 98.76
Votive	\$ 34.00
TOTAL	\$ 851.76
St. Joseph Collections (April 30, 2017)	
Envelopes	\$ 268.00
Offertory	\$ 89.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 20.00
Candles	\$ 17.00
TOTAL	\$ 394.00
Roof Fund	
+Harry Dechant	\$ 500.00
+Artie Herrman	\$ 60.00
Anonymous	\$ 100.00
Dillons Rewards	\$ 89.35
TOTAL	\$ 749.35
St. Michael Collections (April 30, 2017)	
Envelopes	\$ 956.00
Offertory	\$ 157.00
Childrens Off	\$ 5.00
Candles	\$ 26.00
TOTAL	\$1144.00
<i>Thank You For Your Support!</i>	

CONFESSIONS:
Holy Trinity: Saturday, 30 minutes before Mass
St. Joseph: Sunday, 30 minutes 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.

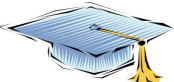
PRAYER CHAIN... We pray for those among us who are ill and for their caregivers, for those experiencing a hardship or difficulty and for those in the Armed Forces. To place someone's name on the prayer chain list, please call Ardis Viegra (222-3629).

Please keep in your prayers: Vicki Barr ~ Maddalynn ~ Fr. Marvin Reif ~ Two Special Intentions For Our Graduates ~ Thanksgiving For Moisture ~ Safety From Storms

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 and indicate if you want the Mass 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.**

MAY 7th STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: Jesus says, "I came that they may have life, and have it to the full." Good stewards are grateful for the gift of life and joyfully share their abundance with others.



Congratulations!

CONGRATULATIONS TO FR. MATTHEW! He will be graduating from Fort Hays State University on Saturday, May 13th with a Masters Degree in Education Administration. If you'd like to attend and show your support for him you can ask him for details on the time. Congratulations Fr. Matthew and God Bless You in your efforts to use the knowledge you have worked so hard to attain. We're proud of you!

LADIES DAY OUT: All women of the tri-parish community are invited to "Hello Dolly, Bless Your Little Heart" on Sunday, May 7th from 3-5 pm at St. Joseph's school basement in Liebenthal! This fun afternoon of fellowship, food and friends is hosted by St. Ann's Altar Society. Dig out your favorite doll or doll stories and bring a finger food or dessert to share. Hope you can come play!

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE will be held at the **First Christian Church** (619 Oak Street) at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, May 10th. ****NOTE CHANGE IN LOCATION!****

ROSARY RALLY to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Our Lady's appearance in Fatima, Portugal. Saturday, May 13th at 12 noon all are invited to join us on St. Joseph's parish grounds to pray the rosary and Litany of Our Lady. Also plan to watch EWTN Catholic TV (channel 16 on gbta) for special programs on Fatima: May 7: Portugal before & after @ 3:00 pm; May 11, 9:00 pm: Miracle of the sun (1 hr); May 10, 9:00 pm: mini-series on the apparitions (30 min).

MONTHLY PRAYER HOUR FOR OUR COUNTRY will be Wednesday, May 17th at 1:00 pm in St. Joseph's church. Join us in prayer for our country.

LACROSSE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST FOR OUR SEMINARIANS will be held in St. Michael's Parish Center on Sunday, May 21st after the 10:00 am Mass. Breakfast will include scrambled eggs, pancakes, German sausage, ham, juice and coffee. The proceeds from this Free Will Offering will go to Dodge City Diocesan Seminarians.

HOLY TRINITY 30 DAYS OF HOT CASH GIVEAWAY RETURNS: Holy Trinity is selling 350 tickets to win: June 1-26=\$200, June 27=\$500, June 28=\$750, June 29=\$1000, and June 30=\$1200. To buy a \$50 ticket, find a Holy Trinity Finance Committee/Parish Council member, Kathryn George (620-923-5751), or Tim Oborny (785-650-1969).

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

YOUTH GROUP TRIP: On Friday, May 5th, St. Michael's PSR Youth Group and their sponsors left for the Colorado Springs area to visit the Mother Cabrini Shrine, the Air Force Academy Chapel and a military veterans home, to name a few of their planned activities. They will return home on Sunday evening. They worked hard to raise money for this trip and thank everyone who so generously supported their efforts. Please remember them all in your prayers so they have a safe, enjoyable and blessed trip. Thank you!

GRADUATE RECOGNITION: On Sunday, May 7th at the 10:00 o'clock Mass, St. Michael's PSR will recognize our graduates from high school and also our 8th grade students. This year we have only one senior, Sabrina Woods. We have four 8th grade students: Audrey Irvin, Garrett Leiker, Kinley Mongeau and Mason Peters. We congratulate these young people and their parents as they reach another milestone in their lives. May God Bless them all in a special way at this wonderful and joyous time!

PROPERTY COMMISSION MEETING is Thursday, May 11th at 7:00 pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING is scheduled for Monday, May 15th at 7:00 pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COMMISSION will meet on Wednesday, May 17th at 6:00 pm.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING is Wednesday, May 17th at 7:00 pm.

SOCIAL COMMISSION will have a meeting on Thursday, May 18th at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LAST THREE 30 DAYS OF CASH WINNERS! Joyce Schaffer (\$750), Mike Pivonka (\$1000) and Kathleen Moran (\$3000). Congratulations to all of the winners! St. Michael's also thanks everyone who supported this year's 30 Days of Cash Giveaway. Thank you & God Bless!

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

HOLY TRINITY ALTAR SOCIETY will meet at the church on Wednesday, May 10th at 5:30 pm and pool rides to Olmitz where we will share fellowship, fun and a meal. All ladies please join us. This will also be our May meeting.

UPCOMING EVENT! Holy Trinity Old Fashioned Picnic will be held on Saturday, June 10th. Mass will be at 5:30 pm with supper to follow at 6:30 pm. Details to follow at a later date.

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HOLY TRINITY WELCOMES James & Lisa Benteman to our Holy Trinity Parish Family!

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

WEEKLY VOCATION VIEW: Whose voice will you follow – the Good Shepherd's or a stranger's? Pray for a listening heart. (John 10:1-10). Do you hear Jesus' call to you? Act on it! If you think God is calling you to be a priest, contact Fr. Wesley Schawe at 620-227-1533 or vocations@dcdiocese.org.

With great joy, the Catholic Diocese of Dodge City
Announces the Ordination of
REV. MR. MARK BRANTLEY AND REV. MR. JACOB SCHNEIDER
to the
ORDER OF PRESBYTER
through the imposition of hands and the
invocation of the Holy Spirit by
THE MOST REVEREND JOHN B. BRUNGART
BISHOP OF THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF DODGE CITY



10 a.m., Saturday, June 3, 2017
Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe
3231 N. 14th St., Dodge City, KS
Reception to follow in the Holy Family Social Center