



THE PARISH CONNECTION

Fifth Sunday of Lent

April 6, 2025

ST. BERNARD



ST. IGNATIUS



ST. JOSEPH



St. Bernard

Sunday Mass: 10:00 AM
Confessions: Sunday 9:15-9:30 AM
or by request.
Rosary: 9:30 AM on most Sundays

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday - Thursday: 10 - 5

St. Ignatius

Saturday Mass: 5:30 PM
Confessions: Saturday 5 - 5:15
Rosary: 4:55 PM
St. Ignatius does not currently have a parish office. Please feel free to call Rita's cell.

St. Joseph

Sunday Mass: 8:00 AM
Confessions: 1st Sunday of the Month,
7:30 - 7:50 AM
Fellowship Breakfast following the
first Mass of every month.

Websites

www.stbstistj.com

www.salinadiocese.org

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Most Rev. Jerry Vincke

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Welcome!

New Parishioners - Please call or stop by the parish office to register.
Or you can register online at <https://www.osvhub.com/st-bernards/directory/register>

The Sacraments

Baptism - By appointment after completion of required instructions.

Marriage - Personally contact the pastor at least six months prior to intended date. Those engaged couples that would like a traditional Catholic wedding will be asked to live a traditional Catholic lifestyle.

Sick calls/Anointing - Please call the parish office if someone is hospitalized or ill at home and needs the Sacrament of the Sick.

LOOK WHAT'S NEW!

CCW will meet Tuesday, April 8 at 6:30pm. Please join us!

We have extra Copies of "33 Days to Eucharistic Glory" available. Pick up an extra copy for your family or to share with someone. We all need Jesus!

Mass Intention Cards have been refilled at all 3 parishes. If you have a specific intention you would like a Mass offered for, please fill out a card or let the office know as we are running low. We would be honored to pray with you for your intention.

Join our neighbors in Wilson on Wednesday, April 9 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Wenceslaus Parish Hall for an Adoration Concert featuring Michael James Mette. Michael has over 20 years of experience in music ministry. He has performed over 700 concerts and traveled to 44 states. Michael combines his soothing voice and multi-instrumental performance for an evening of powerful music, faith sharing, and an invitation to prayer. Bring a friend! You won't want to miss this unique event. The cost of the concert is a free-will donation.

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION

APRIL 9, 2025
YFF/TEEN FAITH
6:45-7:45

TOTUS TUUS JULY 6TH - 11TH

Jesus is Inviting You! He is Waiting for You!
SAY YES!

Take the next step in your spiritual journey. Allow God to settle the restlessness in your heart. Let Jesus bring you peace in the sacred silence. Your soul needs prayer like your body needs oxygen.

CHRISM MASS

The Diocese of Salina will be having their annual Chrism Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral in Salina, on April 10, 2025 at 11:30pm. If you are able, please go and witness this beautiful and sacred tradition.

JOIN CYO FOR THEIR ANNUAL

EASTER EGG HUNT

FOLLOWING ST. BERNARD'S MASS ON
EASTER SUNDAY (APRIL 20), IN FRONT OF
THE PARISH OFFICE. ALL CHILDREN 10 AND
UNDER ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE!

HOLY WEEK

HOLY THURSDAY 4/17
ST. IGNATIUS - 5:00pm
ST. BERNARD - 7:00pm
GOOD FRIDAY 4/18
ST. BERNARD - 12:05pm
ST. IGNATIUS - 3:00pm
EASTER VIGIL 4/19
ST. IGNATIUS - 8:00pm
EASTER SUNDAY 4/20
ST. JOSEPH - 8:00am
ST. BERNARD - 10:00am

DO NOT BE AFRAID OF CONFESSION

CONFESSION SCHEDULE DURING LENT
+ ST. IGNATIUS: 4:30 - 5:15 SATURDAYS BEFORE MASS
+ ST. BERNARD'S: WEDNESDAYS DURING ADORATION
(1ST WED. OF THE MONTH IS 6-7, OTHERWISE IT'S 5:30-6:30)

The Season of Lent is an invitation to step closer to God and transform our lives by letting go of the barriers that we have put up between ourselves and the Lord. The things we choose to give up or take on, remind us of the deeper transformation that is taking place during this special season. In the Sacrament of Reconciliation, we approach the throne of Mercy itself and confess our sins openly to God. We seek to restore our relationship with him, and also with the people around us. The priest acts as a counsellor and mediator for the community, keeping in mind his own sinful nature. Even they go to Confession! **Do not be afraid!** Take the time to rediscover the beauty and grace of this sacrament and Become even closer with the Lord before Holy Week approaches.

Scholarships

ST. BERNARD SCHOLARSHIP FOR SENIORS
St. Bernard's Parish is proud to offer several scholarship opportunities for eligible senior students:

- CCW Scholarship: Award amount determined annually.
- Margaret Davis Scholarship: \$500.00
- Blanche Kyler Scholarship: \$500.00
- Helen Marie Svoboda Scholarship: Two awards of \$750.00 each (one for a female student and one for a male student).

Application Information:
Eligibility: Families must be registered parishioners of St. Bernard.

- Ellsworth High School Students: Applications are available online through the high school scholarship portal.
- Non-Ellsworth High School Students: Contact the St. Bernard Parish office to request a hard copy or electronic version of the application.

All applications must be submitted to the St. Bernard Parish office by April 15, 2025.

St. Bernard News

Offerings for March 30, 2025		Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2025 Bishop’s Annual Appeal. Our parish is 90% towards our goal of \$29,000. We have raised \$26,330 so far! If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please return the pledge card you received in the mail or visit appeal.givecfds.org to do it online. Through your generous support, we can serve thousands of families and individuals in the Diocese of Salina through out-reach, formation, evangelization, and worship. Thank you- we couldn’t do it without you!
2025 Weekly Income Goal	\$2,566.00	
Offering	\$144.00	
Envelopes	\$1,585.00	
Online Giving	\$640.50	
Total Contribution Received	\$2,369.50	
Above or (below) weekly goal =	- \$196.50	
Catholic Relief Services	\$100.00	

Dave Lang		Members of our military
Virgil Ranker		Father Raj B. "Arul" Carasala
Economic recovery and job security		Peace in the Middle East



QUESTION: WHAT IS THE PROCESS OF ADORATION?

ANSWER: THE PRIEST WILL BEGIN BY REMOVING A LARGE CONSECRATED HOST (THE BLESSED SACRAMENT-THE REAL PRESENCE OF JESUS) FROM THE TABERNACLE AND EXPOSING IT IN A SPECIAL CONTAINER ON THE ALTAR CALLED A **"MONSTRANCE"**. WE KNEEL (IF WE ARE ABLE) DURING THIS TIME OF **"EXPOSITION"** BECAUSE JESUS IS TRULY PRESENT IN THE CONSECRATED HOST EXPOSED IN THE MONSTRANCE...(TO BE CONTINUED).

"Lord, Spirit, give me a deep realization of the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist"
- Mother Angelica



STATIONS of the CROSS

Fridays during lent we will be doing stations of the cross. We encourage all who are able to participate. Join us and have a fruitful, spiritual journey through the season of lent.

5:30pm at St. Bernard’s
7:00pm at St. Ignatius.



CATCH OF THE DAY

- FISH
- COLESLAW
- GREEN BEANS
- ROASTED POTATOES
- CORN BREAD
- BROWNIES

IT'S BAAACK!

FISH FRY

ST. BERNARD’S FRIDAY NIGHT, LENTEN FISH FRY IS BACK!

APRIL 11, 6:00 – 7:30PM

ADULTS: \$15.00

CHILDREN 6–17: \$5.00

AGES 5 AND UNDER: FREE!

SEE YOU FRIDAY! ALL ARE WELCOME, SO PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD!

St. Ignatius News

Offerings for March 29, 2025		Did you know that the Bishop’s Annual Appeal helps support our clergy at all stages of their vocation? From recruitment, seminary, ordination, serving parishes and through retirement. Your gift to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal allows us to support those who have always prayed for and supported us. Ignatius’ goal is \$12,500. So far we have given \$11,348.00!
Offertory	\$104.00	
Envelopes	\$1,130.00	
Total Contribution Received:	\$1,234.00	
Catholic Relief Services	\$355.00	

† Stained Glass Window Update: Our Artist is moving into the final stages of completing the sketches for all 10 windows. Colors have been decided and will be added to the black and white sketches for our approval and approval from the Diocese of Salina. We are hopeful this process will move along in a short amount of time. After approval, the windows will be installed one to two at a time, so it's still several months before we will start to see this project underway within our church. Thank you to all our sponsors that have given for a full window and to those that have sponsored with a kind donation. Your support is greatly appreciated!

† Parish Council meeting- April 8th at 6:30pm.

† St. Ignatius Altar Society meeting is March 31, 2025, at 6:30pm. We look forward to seeing you there!

St. Joseph News

Offerings for March 30, 2025		Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2025 Bishop’s Annual Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, there is still time to participate and help us reach our goal of \$3,500, so far we have raised \$1,250! You can return your pledge card in the offertory basket; mail it to Bishop’s Annual Appeal, PO Box 1696, Salina KS 67402 or give online at appeal.givecfds.org .
Offertory	\$169.00	
Envelopes	\$310.00	
Total Contribution Received:	\$479.00	
Catholic Relief Services	\$35.00	

Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday (April 5th)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	For the People of our Parish and the men of ECF
Sunday (April 6th)	8:00AM	Brookville	Fr. Charles Steier †
Sunday (April 6th)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	Emily Magette Haxton †
Monday (April 7th)	NO MASS	NO DAILY MASS	NO DAILY MASS †
Tuesday (April 8th)	12:05PM	Ellsworth	Living & Deceased Members of CCW
Wednesday (April 9th)	12:05PM	Ellsworth	Jeannine Cordes
Thursday (April 10th)	8:30AM	Kanopolis	Marilyn Homolka
Thursday (April 10th)	6:00PM	ECF	John Werth
Friday (April 11th)	12:05PM	Ellsworth	Ernest & Albina Mattas
Saturday (April 12th)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	Pilar & Jesse Cisneros
Sunday (April 13th)	8:00AM	Brookville	Ronnie Cole
Sunday (April 13th)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	For the People of our Parish and the men of ECF

St. Ignatius Lay Ministry Schedule
Saturday, April , 2025 5:30PM

Lector: Michelle Homolka, John & Rita – Passion
Server: Valen & Kieran Vague, Sophie Homolka
Gifts: Phyllis & Vernon Dolezal
Ushers: Vernon Dolezal, Volunteer Needed
Cantor: Veronica Kyler
Eucharistic Minister: Nicole Cunningham, John Whitmer
Rosary Leader: Tomasa Cisneros

St. Bernard Lay Ministry Schedule
Sunday, April 13, 2025 10:00AM

Greeters: David & Mary Kratzer
Lector: Gwen Laas
Extraordinary Minister (Host): Carey Hipp
Cup: Scott Hipp, Bob & Jina Murrell
Servers: Abigale, Jacob & Hannah Reed
Gifts: David & Mary Kratzer, Usher
Sacristan: Carey Hipp
Ushers: Aaron Johnson, Cheryl Rathbun, Anita Rodriguez, Terry Robl
Money Counters: Gina Woodmansee, Diana Burris, Linda Monroe
Minister to the Home: Jeanette Kratzer

St. Ignatius

Phyllis Dolezal-President/Christian Service
Barb White- Vice President/Respect Life
Miranda Fleming- Family Life
Kayla Vague-Education
Peter Orozco-Liturgy
John Whitmer-Evangelization
Bonnie Orozco-Altar Society President

St. Bernard

Matt Jundt - Chairperson/Respect Life
Cheryl Rathbun - Vice Chairperson/Education
Scott Thomasson - Evangelization
Paul Bahr - Maintenance
Laurel Davis - Christian Service/Family Life
Stacey Halbgewachs - CCW Representative & Safety Officer
Johnnie Goddard - Finance
Coordinators of Youth Faith Formation: Angie Ptacek/Karen Kratzer
CYO Advisors : Pam Pelzel, Kathy Rolf, Aaron Johnson, Josh/Kara Bahr
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight - Matt Jundt
St. Bernard’s Council of Catholic Women President - Melody Magette
Funeral Dinner Committee Chairs - Brent & Sarah Goss



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LENT CALENDAR 2025

SUNDAY APRIL 6	MONDAY APRIL 7	TUESDAY APRIL 8	WEDNESDAY APRIL 9	THURSDAY APRIL 10	FRIDAY APRIL 11	SATURDAY APRIL 12
LENT Episode 6 Foretold How to Have Faith in the Eucharist Daily Bread Episode 33 CHILDREN Day 33 - A Time to Remember Those We Forget The Raising of Lazarus Drawing Closer to God	LENT The Passion of Christ in Light of the Holy Shroud of Turin by Fr. Francis Peffley The Last Supper Was a Passover Meal Daily Bread Episode 34 CHILDREN Day 34 - A Time to Look Back	LENT Preparing for Holy Week The Augustine Institute Show Jesus's Secret Meal Daily Bread Episode 35 CHILDREN Day 35 - A Time For Purple	LENT Into His Likeness w/ Dr. Edward Sri This Is No Ordinary Passover Daily Bread Episode 36 CHILDREN Day 36 - A Time to Think	LENT The Wild Goose with Fr. Dave Pivonka Do This in Memory of Me Daily Bread Episode 37 CHILDREN Day 37 - A Time for Exercise	LENT Week Five Return A Meal at Emmaus Daily Bread Episode 38 CHILDREN Day 38 - A Time to Throw Out the Trash Brother Francis: The Stations of the Cross	LENT Mysteries of the Rosary Paradisus Dei Jesus Vanished! Daily Bread Episode 39 CHILDREN Day 39 - A Time to Keep Going