

# *Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish & School*

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Parish Office Hours  
Monday-Friday  
9:00 AM-4:00 PM  
Closed for lunch 12-1 PM

January 12, 2025

## MASS TIMES

Saturday  
4:00 PM Vigil

Sunday  
7:00 AM, 9:00 AM,  
11:00 AM

## DAILY MASS

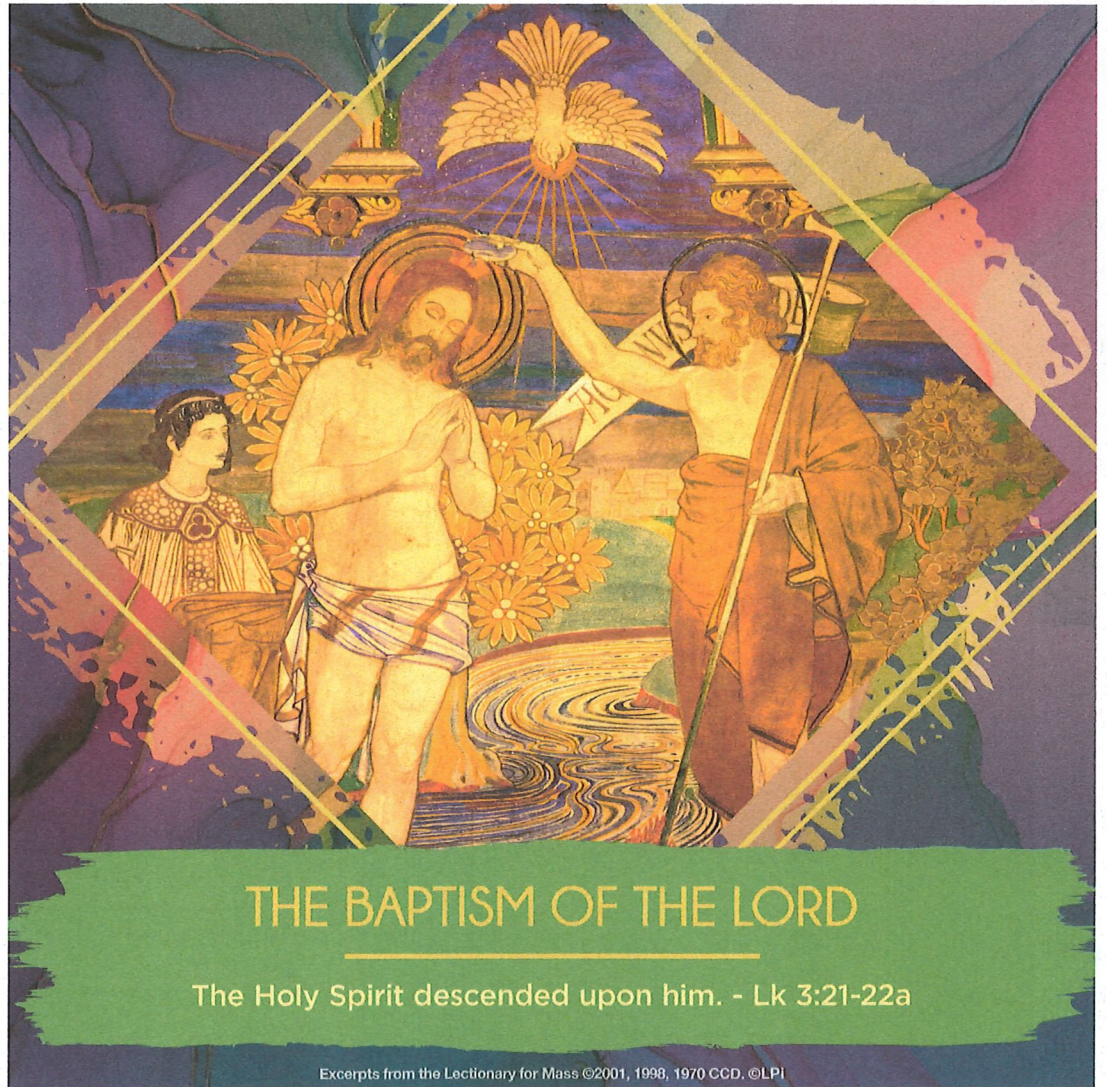
Monday  
7:30 AM  
Tuesday  
6:00 PM  
Wednesday & Friday  
8:00 AM  
Thursday  
12:05 PM  
Saturday  
7:30 AM

## Reconciliation

Saturday  
2:30-3:30 PM  
or by appointment

## Saints Peter & Paul

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tleonard@spps.school.com



## THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

The Holy Spirit descended upon him. - Lk 3:21-22a

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# The Baptism of the Lord



# BAPTISM OF THE LORD – JANUARY 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

## Mass Intentions – January 13<sup>th</sup> thru 19<sup>th</sup>

**Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup> – First Week in Ordinary Time**  
 7:30 AM Rosary

**Tuesday, January 14<sup>th</sup> – Weekday**  
 10:00 AM Life Care – Father Lazar  
 6:00 PM Helen Lang Tomlinson (Anniv.)  
 Cletus Nolte

**Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup> – Weekday**  
 8:00 AM L/D Family of Roger & Norma Jean Kramp  
 Keith Strathman

**Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup> – Weekday**  
 12:05 PM Poor Souls in Purgatory

**Friday, January 17<sup>th</sup> – Saint Anthony**  
 8:00 AM Robert E Holthaus  
 James Gudenkauf

**Saturday, January 18<sup>th</sup> – Weekday**  
 7:30 AM Friends and Family  
 4:00 PM Gary Haug

**Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> – Second Sun. Ordinary Time**  
 7:00 AM For our Parish  
 9:00 AM Daniel Frehe (Anniv.)  
 11:00 AM Don Sperfslage (Anniv.)

### Stewardship Summary

Projected Yearly Budget \$1,518,735.16 (parish & school)

Fiscal Year 7-1-24 to 6-30-25	Week of 01/05/2025	Year to Date Totals
Plate	\$ 891.33	\$ 63,238.96
Envelope	\$ 3,672.00	\$ 162,672.00
EFT/Church	\$ -	\$ 142,492.00
School	\$ 970.00	\$ 48,933.00
EFT/School	\$ -	\$ 38,358.37
Other that stays in our parish	\$ 1,159.00	\$ 12,159.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 6,692.33</b>	<b>\$ 467,853.33</b>
Weekly Budget \$21,000.00	Income over/under -14,307.67	Week # 27 Over/under \$ -120,212.24
Faith, Hope, & Charity	\$ 2,517.71	\$ 95,160.35

<b>TUES</b>	12-1 AM	<b>SAT</b>	12-1 AM	3-4 AM
			1-2 AM	6-7 <u>PM</u>
			2-3 AM	
<b>WED</b>	2-3 AM	<b>Sun</b>	1-2 AM	
			2-3 AM	
			3-4 AM	
<b>THURS</b>	1-2 AM			
	2-3 AM			
<b>FRI</b>	4-5 AM			
	9-10 <u>PM</u>			

To reserve an hour  
 Please Call Betty  
 336-4022

### OPEN HOURS OF ADORATION...

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### Weekday Servers:

**January 14, 18 (Tue 6 PM, Sat 7:30 AM)**  
 Cecylia Holthaus / Wylee Bergman

**January 15, 17 (Wed 8 AM, Fri 8 AM)**  
 SPPS Students

### Saturday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM

Servers.....Emma & Cally Weeldreyer  
 .....Dominic Osterhaus / Rykeir Feldkamp  
 Lector..... Joel Hammes  
 Commentator.....Julie Strathman  
 Communion..... Margie Shinn / Damian Enneking  
 ..... Todd & Graham Leonard  
 Cantor/Organist..... Alan Lierz / Terry Nordhus

### Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 AM

Servers..... Nathan Schmelzle / Landon Fitzgerald  
 ..... Josie Steinlage  
 Lector..... Luke Schmelzle  
 Commentator..... Steve Bennett  
 Communion..... Kirby & Sarah Schmelzle  
 ..... Randy & Sheryl Heinen  
 Cantor/Organist.....

### Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM

Servers..... Alec Nordhus / Eli Lueger  
 ..... Jaci Olberding / Lily Niehues  
 Lector.....Emma Niehues  
 Commentator..... Michelle Fangman  
 Communion..... Lori & Conner Lueger  
 ..... Rick & Joan Henry  
 Cantor/Organist..... Elieen Love / Deb Rethman

### Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM

Servers..... Kenly Kramer / Simon Strathman  
 ..... Ivy & Milo Heinen  
 Lector..... Charlotte Rottinghaus  
 Commentator..... Shannon Holthaus  
 Communion..... Aimee & Charlie Rottinghaus  
 ..... Sharron Haverkamp / Nia Holthaus  
 Cantor/Organist.....Greg & Anna Kohake / Jannet Kramer

Rosary Leaders: 4:00 PM ..... Julie Strathman  
 9:00 AM ..... Joan Henry

Flowers on the Main Altar are in loving memory of  
† Cletus Nolte †  
With love from his family

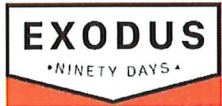


To all who donated poinsettias, we thank you for your gift of flowers! If you gave a poinsettia, please take home after Mass.

Memory Tree - Thank you so much to all who helped make the Memory Tree beautiful and special this year. We collected \$2,457 for the school! Much appreciation goes to the Mary Jane Holthaus family for donating the tree, Joe Kohake and his family for their help setting up the tree, and Kaley Rethman for writing the names on the hearts.  
-SPPS PTO Memory Tree Committee

Seneca K of C Free Throw Contest: Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>  
3:30 PM @ SPPS Gym. Boys and Girls ages 9-14.  
Registration in the cafeteria from 3:00-3:30. Winners move on to the District Competition in Sabetha in February.

Exodus 90 is starting up on January 20<sup>th</sup>. It is a 90-day spiritual journey to enrich our relationship with God as well as become a better father and husband. If you have any questions or feel like joining, please call Greg Kohake 785-294-1335.



End of the Year Tax Statements will be mailed to all parishioners this week. If you do not receive yours, or you have questions, please call the Parish Office at 336-2128. Thanks!



For Communion to the Sick and Homebound, please call Ed & Sharon Lueger at 336-1716

#### UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Mon. January 20<sup>th</sup> – Parish Office Closed  
Sat. February 1<sup>st</sup> – SPPS Gala

#### UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

Thurs, January 16<sup>th</sup> – Basketball Centralia @ SPPS!!  
Sat, January 18<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys BB Tournament @ NC  
Mon. January 20<sup>th</sup> – No School  
January 26<sup>th</sup> – February 1<sup>st</sup> Catholic Schools Week!  
Thurs, February 6<sup>th</sup> PTO Meeting 7:00 PM

#### UPCOMING CCD EVENTS

Wed. January 15<sup>th</sup> – Regular Class  
Cross Walk Monitors – Jason & Chloe Haug



Catholic Schools  
United in Faith and Community

The Catholic Schools Week (CSW) 2023 – 2026 theme is “Catholic Schools: United in Faith and Community.” Catholic schools have an irreplaceable role in the Church’s evangelizing mission. Building on the central goal of Catholic schools to form saints, Catholic schools teach and embrace the whole person, body, mind and spirit. The fact that all members of a Catholic school community share the Christian vision of faith that Christ is the foundation of Catholic education is what unites the school as a faith-filled community.

Church Directory News: Online Signup is now available. Please see bulletin insert for more information. If you would like to volunteer to help with the signup process or if you have helped before and would like to help again you can call the parish office at 785-336-2128. Thank you!!

#### New Members of the St. Ann’s Altar Society:

There was an Altar Society Meeting on Thursday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> in the SPPS conference room. The new officers were installed at this meeting:

Molly Strathman, President; Stacey Steinlage, Vice-President; Diana Harris, Secretary; Aimee Rottinghaus, Asst. Secretary; Andrea Lutz, Treasurer and Michelle Haverkamp, Asst. Treasurer.

A special “THANK YOU!” goes to the outgoing officers - Amy Kuckelman, Michelle Thomas and Carissa Williams for their excellent dedication, time and willingness to serve!

#### The Altar Society Pancake Breakfast will be held on



Sunday, January 26 in the parish hall. Serving time will be 7:00 am to 12:30 pm. If you wish to donate food or make a cash donation, please call Molly Strathman, 785-312-0463. The worklist was attached to last week’s bulletin. List can be found on our website under bulletins of January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

Reminder of Altar Society Dues: There should be an envelope in your packet for the Dues. Thanks!

#### AREA EVENTS

Corning Fire Department and EMS Benefit Breakfast! Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - 7:00 am-12:00 pm. Serving French Toast & Pancakes, Biscuits & Gravy, Fresh Fried Eggs and Freshly Ground Sausage Patties. Held at the Corning Community Center.

Honor Our Blessed Mother and Our Lady of Fatima which will be held on Sunday January 12<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 pm to 4:15 pm at St Mary-St Anthony at 615 N. 7th Street Trafficway Kansas City, KS. 66101. We will pray the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious mysteries of the Holy Rosary followed by Benediction and the opportunity for attendees to enroll in the Brown Scapular. For driving instructions or future dates for the Kansas City monthly Holy Rosary rallies, please visit [www.rosaryrallieskc.org](http://www.rosaryrallieskc.org)

Mark your calendars and register today for IGNITE for LIFE January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2025 in Topeka! IGNITE for LIFE is an inspirational, pro-love rally for the protection of preborn children and women facing challenging pregnancies. The morning consists of live music, motivational speakers including Keynote Leah Darrow, and the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of Mass with the Bishops of Kansas. Following IGNITE, all are invited to join in the Kansas March for Life to the capitol for the Kansans for Life rally. IGNITE for Life is sponsored by the Pro-Life Office of the Archdiocese of Kansas City in Kansas. To register for this FREE event, visit [www.archkck.org/IGNITE](http://www.archkck.org/IGNITE).

St. Bede’s Altar Society (Kelly) will be holding its annual pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> at the St. Bede’s Parish Hall. They will be serving pancakes, sausage, and eggs from 7:30 am – 12:30 pm.



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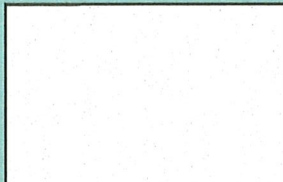
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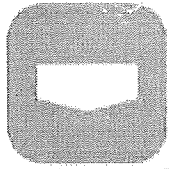
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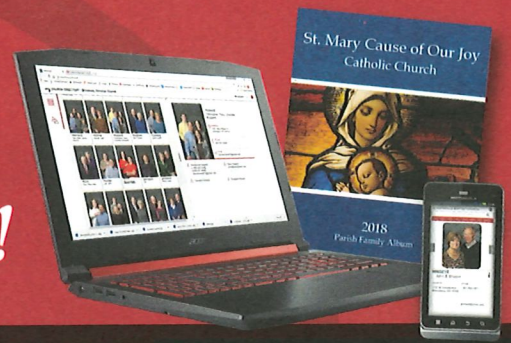


**For more information please contact  
Greg Kohake at (785) 294-1335 or  
Brett Henry at (785) 294-1587**

**<https://exodus90.com>**



# Dear Church family, It's time for a New Directory!



*Celebrating faith.  
Connecting families.  
Sharing hope.*

When people enter the doors of our church they are looking for a place to belong. Our directory brings us together to develop new relationships, connect with our own families, and reconnect with those we haven't seen in a while. Join us for this "Connections Event" and be part of what God is doing right here at our church!

*Directory Committee*

## Connections Event

**Our church directory will not be complete without you. Join us to celebrate faith and family with our new church family album.**

- Schedule your professional photography session when you stop by the sign-up table at the church or simply go online and follow the instructions below. If we don't see your name on our list of appointments, you will receive a phone call inviting you to participate.
- Everyone who is photographed by Universal will receive a complimentary 8 x 10 portrait and a directory!
- Universal provides a complete professional portrait studio right here at our church! You'll enjoy a variety of poses, backgrounds, portrait sizes, finish and framing options AND have the opportunity to purchase portraits to give to family and friends.

**Set your appointment with Universal today!**

*Gathering families,  
Connecting generations.*

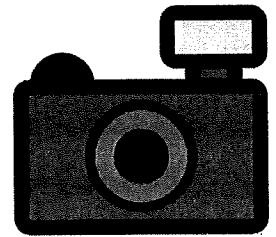


### Welcome to Online Scheduling!

To schedule your photography appointment online, simply go to, **to Saints Peter & Paul website, Facebook, ucdir.com, or the QR code on the flyer.** Enter **KS206** in the **username** field and enter **photos** in the **password** field. Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment day and time. Click on to schedule your photography session on the right side If you have **6 or more** in your family, please use 2 consecutive time slots. Online scheduling is available **seven days a week.**

# Saints Peter & Paul Church—Seneca, KS

## CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOS



### WHAT DO YOU GET? FREE

- 8" x 10" portrait
- Church directory
- Church app

### WHAT ELSE CAN YOU GET?

- Choose other options – Voluntary portrait orders
- Multiple portrait options ranging from wallet-size to 20" x 24"
- Customizable options CD with pictures

### WHEN?

February 4-8, 18-22, February 25-March 1  
Weekdays-2:00-8:30; Saturdays-10:00-4:00

### WHERE?

Knights of Columbus Club Room

### HOW?

**Schedule Online from home  
beginning January 11-12**

- church website, Facebook, QR code, [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com)
- church user name code: KS206
- password: photos

**Schedule In Person at Church**

- Weekend—Jan. 25-26, Feb. 1-2, 8-9

**Need help?**

- Call Tabatha Garcia at church: 785-336-2128

### WHY A NEW DIRECTORY?

- Involve church volunteers
- Help connect new and existing families
- Update Family info
- Show Church Ministries
- Have 400 + families participate

