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OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

ANNUAL CLERGY HEALTH AND RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION annual luncheons for priests age 65 and older will be held on **Wednesday, May 3 in Victoria and on Thursday, May 4, in Salina.** Invitations were emailed to all on April 17th. If you have not RSVP'd and plan to attend, please contact Clara in the Bishop's Office chancery2@salinadiocese.org or call Clara at 785-827-8746, Ext. 34 as soon as possible. Contact Fr. Keith Weber in the Finance office if you have any questions or concerns.

K OF C ANNUAL CONVENTION is the weekend of May 5-7 in Topeka. All are invited as your schedule allows.

54TH WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS is Sunday, May 7th, 2017. Special appreciation to those parishes that requested additional Diocesan Prayers to distribute in their parishes.

ANNUAL RURAL LIFE DAY (St. Isidore's Day) is being celebrated in Washington with St. Augustine parish hosting this event on Monday, May 15th. Please refer to the Rural Life Section for more details

PRIESTS COUNCIL MEETING is set for Tuesday, May 16th, in Victoria

ANNUAL MASS OF RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION FOR ALL CONSECRATED RELIGIOUS (Salina area Priests and Sisters) is Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 11 a.m. at the Cathedral. A luncheon will follow in the Cathedral Hall of Bishops and sponsored by the Vocatio Club of Salina. Reservations were due May 1, 2017. If you plan to attend but have not RSVP'd, please call Clara in my office at 785-827-8746, Ext. 34 as soon as possible.

DIOCESAN CLERGY LUNCHEON (12 Noon) AND TOUR OF THE NEW CATHOLIC CHARITIES OFFICES (1:30 p.m.) is **Monday, May 22nd**. Please refer to my email of invitation sent to all priests on April 7, 2017. If you are planning to attend and have not responded, please RSVP to Clara in the Bishop's Office chancery2@salinadiocese.org or call Clara at 785-827-8746, Ext 34 by Monday May 15th in order to have sufficient food for those who are able to attend.

OFFICE OF THE BISHOP (cont.)

25th ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTHOOD will be celebrated by the parishioners of St. Mary Queen of the Universe Parish, Salina in honor of the 25th Anniversary of Priesthood for Fr. Kevin Weber on Sunday, May 28th, 3 p.m. Mass and reception following.

THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD (40 DAYS AFTER Easter) IS CELEBRATED SUNDAY, MAY 28TH in the United States.

CHANCERY CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 29TH – Memorial Day Weekend

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PRIESTHOOD ORDINATION: **All are invited and encouraged to attend** the Ordination Mass of Deacon Leo Blasi, Deacon Ryan McCandless and Deacon Justin Palmer at Sacred Heart Cathedral, 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 3rd. Let us all welcome them and keep them in our prayers as they join our Presbyterate.

PERMANENT DEACON ORDINATION: All are invited to attend the Ordination Mass for the three new Permanent Deacons on Saturday, June 10, 2017, 10 a.m. at the Cathedral for Michael Brungardt of Oakley, Michael Robinson of Clay Center and Thomas Schrick of Colby. They will all be serving in their home parishes.

SPECIAL APPRECIATION TO ALL WHO WERE ABLE TO ATTEND Deacon Andrew Hammeke's Transitional Diaconate Ordination on April 22nd. Please keep Deacon Andrew in your prayers as he completes his final year at the seminary in anticipation of his Priesthood Ordination in 2018.

PARISH REQUEST FORM FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION will be sent next month with the June SDNB. No finalized dates will be sent until after all the forms have been received and the schedule is completed. Please remember that unless your parish expects 10 Confirmandi, it is preferable not to plan on an annual celebration of Confirmation. In this case it would be preferable to plan for Confirmation every other year, or every third or fourth year depending on the size of the group or pastors are encouraged to combine parishes within their pastoral assignment.

OFFICE OF VICAR GENERAL

Human trafficking alerts for parish bulletins in English and Spanish during the month of May are listed below:

MAY- Traffickers use all available resources, or venues, to help facilitate their crime, including hotels and motels. **CALL** hotel/motel personnel in your area to inquire about their knowledge about recognizing a trafficking situation. **U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking** (sistersagainstrafficking.org)

MAYO - Los traficantes usan todos los recursos disponibles o modos para cometer su crimen, incluyendo hoteles y moteles. **LLAMA** al personal de los hoteles/moteles en tu área para preguntar acerca de sus conocimientos sobre el reconocimiento de situaciones sospechosas de tráfico. **Hermanas Católicas Estadounidenses Contra la Trata de Personas** (sistersagainstrafficking.org)

OFFICE OF CONTINUING EDUCATION OF PRIESTS

CONVOCATION: September 18-22, 2017. This will be held at the Pastoral Center in Kansas City, KS.

JANUARY RENEWAL DAYS 2018: January 22-25, 2018

OFFICE OF CHANCELLOR

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR EMPLOYMENT POSTERS: Throughout the year, you may receive mailings that pertain to employee related posters that either the Federal or State government mandates be displayed in the workplace site. Please be advised, specific employment posters should be displayed in a conspicuous area where employees frequent and are likely to read. For practical purposes, that usually translates to the break room. Many question which posters should be posted, as required by law, and which are not required. You may go online to <http://www.dol.ks.gov/Laws/Posters.aspx>, which is the website to the Kansas Department of Labor. It lists the posters that need to be posted in the workplace site. You may also download the posters free of charge from that site. From time to time, the Department of Labor will send an auditor to places of business to inspect postings to ensure the business is in compliance with the law. If the appropriate posters are not displayed your workplace could be fined for each poster not displayed. To keep your schools and parish offices in compliance, I am recommending that each of you either download each poster (free of charge) from the above-mentioned website and post the required posters individually at your workplace site or order an all-in-one poster for Kansas from a reputable company that specializes in selling these types of posters. The all-in-one poster will contain all of the postings required in Kansas so that you won't have to clutter your workplace site with many different posters. If you have any questions regarding the employment related posters, please do not hesitate to contact Pamela Sullivan at pam.sullivan@salinadiocese.org or call the chancery [\(785\) 827.8746](tel:785-827-8746)

OFFICE OF CHANCELLOR (cont.)

FACILITY USAGE AND SPECIAL EVENTS COVERAGE FOR PARISHES IN OUR DIOCESE BY AND THROUGH CATHOLIC MUTUAL:

There are specific guidelines set by Catholic Mutual for when non parish sponsored or affiliated groups use parish facilities on a short-term basis. The Facility Usage Agreement requires the facility user to provide the parish with a certificate of insurance documenting general liability coverage in the amount of \$ 1,000,000 per occurrence. This certificate of insurance must name your parish and the Arch/Diocese as an additional insured. If the leasing party owns a home, they can request a Certificate of Liability from their personal insurance company. Some insurance companies will provide the Certificate of Liability and list the Parish as a “Certificate Holder” only. This is not acceptable, because listing the Parish as a “Certificate Holder” does not provide any liability coverage to the Parish or Diocese. If the leasing party cannot obtain a Certificate of Liability from their insurance company then a Parish representative should contact Sara O’Neil at the Catholic Mutual office to request Special Events Coverage. Sara can be reached at 800-228-6108 ext. 2361

Special Events Coverage guidelines:

1. The Parish will need to purchase a minimum of five (5) Special Event Coverage policies at the cost of \$475.00.
2. The Parish can purchase more than 5 Special Event Coverage’s, but the minimum purchase is 5.
3. After the initial purchase of Special Event Coverage, for an upcoming function, the Parish will need to complete an application for Special Events (15 days prior to the event but not more than 6 months in advance) and submit to Sara O’Neil for approval and issue of the Special Event policy.
4. The cost of one Special Event policy is \$95 to the Parish. The Parish can add a reasonable fee to the cost of the Special Events policy to cover administrative costs.

If you are questioning what criteria an organization must meet to be parish sponsored or affiliated ask these questions:

1. Did the parish have full control over the group or function?
2. Did any costs or fees associated with the function flow through parish accounts?
3. Was the function or group open to all parish members?
4. Was the purpose of the function or group to facilitate learning, raise revenue for the parish or provide a social service on behalf of the parish?
5. Was the teacher or leader of the group a parish volunteer or employee?

If the group does not fall into the categories above they must sign a Facility Usage/Indemnity Agreement and supply the parish with the necessary insurance documentation.

If you need an example of a Facility Usage/Indemnity Agreement or an example of an Application for Special Events please do not hesitate to contact me at pam.sullivan@salinadiocese.org or by calling me at 785-827-8746 ext. 18

OFFICE OF FINANCE

CORPORATE ANNUAL REPORT- As a reminder the fee of \$40.00 is now due from each parish. If you have not already sent the \$40.00 to the Finance Office, please do so at your earliest convenience. A list of parishes that have paid is attached.

MARYMOUNT SCHOLARSHIP AND MSGR. CLEMENT KRUSE SCHOLARSHIP:

The forms for these scholarships are in the Diocesan Handbook. Copies can be made from these forms. Please make sure the applicants are given the correct forms for the Marymount Scholarship. There is one for first year applicants and a separate one for those reapplying for additional funds after they have completed their first year of college. (Section V, pages 23-28.) Applications are due in our office by July 1.

OFFICE OF FAMILY LIFE

2017 DIOCESAN CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE: The sixth annual Diocesan Catholic Men's Conference is scheduled for Saturday, August 12th, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Hays, Kansas. High school and college age men are encouraged to attend along with their dads. Attached in this mailing is a registration form for those who prefer to mail in their registration rather than register online.

We will be contacting the same individual(s) from your parish who served as your parish contact(s) last year. This parish representative(s) will receive information materials to help them publicize and promote the Men's Conference. It is our hope that together we can set a goal to recruit at least TEN men from each parish. If you are unsure of whom your parish contact is please contact Claudia at 827-8746 ext. 41.

MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE: The Midwest Catholic Family Conference will be held August 4-6, 2017 at the Century II Convention Center in Wichita. It is a total family event with activities for every age group in the family with parents able to take babies in strollers along to their sessions. A Midwest Catholic Family Conference brochure and bulletin announcements are included for your information.

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER DATES FOR 2017

June 9-11, 2017-Capuchin Center for Spiritual Life-Victoria

GOD'S PLAN FOR A JOY FILLED MARRIAGE SEMINAR DATES FOR 2017

June 17, 2017-Our Lady of Perpetual Help- Concordia

BULLETIN INSERTS OR HANDOUTS: Men's Conference registration

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

There will be Religious Education Coordinator Meetings in the fall. Watch for dates.

TOTUS TUUS: We have a wonderful group of young adult team leaders for TOTUS TUUS this summer. If your parish has not signed up for a week with TOTUS TUUS you may do so by calling Karen at the chancery, 785-827-8746 ext. 30. There is one opening July 16th week and 2 openings July 23rd week.

OFFICE OF YOUTH MINISTRY

DIOCESAN CYO CONVENTION: Our annual Diocesan Convention was held April 8 and 9, 2017. The theme was “Expose the Truth.” Our speaker was Father Chester Smith. We thank all the youth and sponsors who participated.

JR. CYO CAMP: Our annual camp will be May 27-30, 2107, at Rock Springs Ranch, Junction City. Youth invited to attend are 6th, 7th, and 8th graders this current school year.

We encourage seniors in high school and college age students to apply to serve as counselors; currently there is a need for more counselors. The counselors will come to Rock Springs on Friday, May 26, for Orientation before camp starts on Saturday.

Religious Education Coordinators received the Campers Packet
Adult CYO Sponsors received the Counselors Packet
Grade School Principals received the Campers Packet
High School Principals received the Campers and Counselors Packets

Also, individuals can go to the salinadiocese.org website, Offices, and then Catholic Formation, then Youth Ministry, click on the Jr. CYO Camp link for the same information and for forms.

May 5: Deadline for campers’ deposits and forms to be received in the Youth Ministry Office.

PRAYER AND ACTION: We have a great team of young adults on the core team of Prayer and Action this summer. Most of the weeks are very full with only 2 weeks with openings. The week of June 18th there are 6 spots available and June 25th week there are 23 spots available. If your group has spoken for spots and not paid for them they are in danger of losing them to a group who is paying.

NCYC: The dates for 2017 are November 16-18 in Indianapolis, IN

February 27: deadline for the first payment.

June 16: deadline for the second payment and ALL FORMS DUE. Rooming list is also due.

Watch for NCYC Adult Meeting times this fall.

OFFICE OF SAFETY AND SECURITY

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to those who hosted us at their Safe Environment Audit meeting this month. We very much enjoyed visiting with all of you, learning the history of your Parishes, and sharing with us the many activities and events you do for the adults and children in your Parishes. There is great work being done in the field to ensure we are providing a safe environment in our facilities and programs, and we appreciate your hard work and dedication. In April, we visited the following locations and again want to say THANK YOU to each of them and especially thank you for making us feel welcome!

St. Agnes, Grainfield, Immaculate Conception, Grinnell, and Sacred Heart, Park

Cammie Heier
 Leona Dickman
 Christy Mense
 Teresa Selenky
 Father James Maruthukunnel Thomas

St. Frances Cabrini Parish, Hoxie, St. Martin of Tours, Sequin

Bridget Koster
 Amanda Tremblay
 Father Vincent Thu Laing

We are done doing safety audits for this audit period, and will start up again January, 2018. See below for a tentative list of Parishes and schools.

<i>On-site Safety and Security Parish and School Audits</i>		
Year 2	East Central Vicariate + remaining Eastern Vicariate	
Location	Parish	School
Abilene	St. Andrew	St. Andrew - PK-5
Aurora	St. Peter	
Belleville	St. Edward	
Beloit	St. John	St. John - K-12
Brookville	St. Joseph	
Cawker City	SS. Peter & Paul	
Chapman	St. Michael	
Clay Center	SS. Peter & Paul	
Clifton	St. Mary	
Clyde	St. John	
Concordia	OLPH	
Cuba	St. Isidore	
Ellsworth	St. Bernard	
Elmo	St. Columba	
Esbon	Sacred Heart	
Glasco	St. Mary	
Greenleaf	Sacred Heart	
Gypsum	St. Patrick	
Hanover	St. John	St. John - 1-8
Herrington	St. John	
Holyrood	St. Mary	
Hope	St. Phillip	
Kanopolis	St. Ignatious	
Lincoln	St. Patrick	
Mankato	St. Theresa	
Minneapolis	IC	
Munden	St. George	
Salina	Sacred Heart Cathedral	Sacred Heart Jr/Sr. High - 7-12
	St. Mary	St. Mary - PK-6
	St. Elizabeth	
Solomon	IC	
Tipton	St. Boniface	Tipton Catholic - 9-12
Washington	St. Augustine	
Wilson	St. Wenceslaus	
Total	34 Parishes	6 Schools

OFFICE OF SAFETY AND SECURITY (cont.)

REMINDER: The Safe Environment audit is on-line this year, which means the Diocese only needs to submit data. In order to ensure a successful audit, it is still imperative to have *accurate* data. All spreadsheets must be current by June 30, 2017. If you still have volunteers, employees or educators whose background checks are **NOT** within the last 5 years, those need to be taken care of as soon as possible. Please contact Wendy Backes (wendy.backes@salinadiocese.org) if you have further questions.

OFFICE OF RURAL LIFE

ST. ISIDORE'S DAY, May 15th, will be observed in Washington, KS. at St Augustine Parish. Bishop Weisenburger will be the principal celebrant at the 10 a.m. Mass followed by blessing of the Fields and Flocks, lunch, and an agricultural tour of the Kansas Service Dog School.

FFA CAREER FAIR - Encourage your FFA parishioners to stop by the Catholic Rural Life table at the FFA Career Fair, May 30th, during the Kansas State FFA Convention in Manhattan. They can register for a door prize that will be given away at the Career Day.

SAVE THE DATE FOR RURAL LIFE DAY on August 20th at a parish in the East Central Vicariate. The Monsignor John George Weber Century Farm Award will be presented to families who have farmed or owned the farm for more than 100 years. Refreshments will be served. Save the date, August 20th. Encourage any parishioners who are eligible for the Century Farm Award to apply for it. Further information for the Century Farm Award may be found on the Diocesan web-site under Rural Life, or contact Fr. Rich Daise at [\(785\) 462-2179](tel:7854622179).

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

CATHOLIC CHARITIES 12th ANNUAL FUNDRAISER will be held on Sunday, July 23, from 5:00 – 7:30 p.m. at the Salina Country Club.

Anonymous donors have offered a Matching Gift Donation Challenge of \$83,500, so every dollar donated will be doubled. If you would like to attend this complimentary dinner event, please RSVP at www.ccnks.org or contact Jeanie Warner at [785-825-0208 ext. 215](tel:7858250208) or jwarner@ccnks.org – seating is limited. Handicap and valet parking will be available.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

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MISCELLANEOUS

1. New Parish Secretary for Colby, Sacred Heart Parish- Brandi Niblock p. 32

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		T.T. Training - Chancery	T.T. Training-Chancery	1 Seminarian Appreciation dinner, 6:30 T.T. Training-Chancery	2 Vocatio-Rosary, 5:30 & Pot Luck 6:00 pm for seminarians at St. Elizabeth Parish, Salina T.T. Training-Chancery	3 Priesthood Ordination, 10 am w/luncheon following. Beloit-Fr. Damian Richards 25 th Anniv., 4pm, St. John the Baptist, Beloit
4 PENTACOST SUNDAY Beloit - Confirmation, 10 am with Glasco at St. John's Beloit 50 th Anniv. Of Catholic Daughters Mass, 3 pm, S.H. Cathedral, Salina P & A – Russell T.T. – Atwood, Lincoln, Wilson And Hill City	5	6	7	8	9	10 Permanent Deacons Ordination-Cathedral 10 am w/luncheon following. Salina-Confirmation, St. Mary Queen of the Universe, 7 pm
11 TRINITY SUNDAY Ellis-Confirmation, 10:30 am, Vincent - Mass 3 pm, 110 th Anniv. of Parish, w/appreciation meal after. P & A – Russell T.T. – Beloit, Colby, Hoxie and Hanover	12	13	14 USCCB	15 USCCB	16 USCCB	17
18 FATHERS DAY Smith Center-Conf. 9:30 am, w/ Esbon and Mankato at Smith Center P & A - Russell T.T. – Abilene, Ellis, Goodland and Minneapolis	19	20 Catholic Community Foundation, 4 pm	21 Sunflower Board Meeting – Noon, Chancery	22 Catholic Charities Board Meeting-5:30 pm at Hall of Bishops, Salina	23	24
25 P & A – Russell T.T. – Oakley, Oberlin, Norton & Phillipsburg	26	27 Curia, 1:30	28	29	30	

CORPORATE ANNUAL REPORT FEES - 2017

PARISH		PARISH		PARISH	
CATHEDRAL		GLASCO		NEW ALMELO	\$40.00
SAL-ST. ELIZ.	\$40.00	GOODLAND		NORTON	
SAL-ST. MARY		GORHAM	\$40.00	OAKLEY	
ABILENE	\$40.00	GRAINFIELD	\$40.00	OBERLIN	
ANGELUS		GREENLEAF	\$40.00	OGDEN	\$40.00
ANTONINO		GRINNELL	\$40.00	OSBORNE	\$40.00
ATW-S.HEART	\$40.00	GYP SUM		PARK	\$40.00
AURORA	\$40.00	HANOVER	\$40.00	PHILLIPSBURG	
BEARDSLEY	\$40.00	HAYS-C.C.C.		PLAINVILLE	
BELLEVILLE		HAYS-IHM	\$40.00	RUSSELL	\$40.00
BELOIT		HAYS-ST. JOS	\$40.00	ST. FRANCIS	
BIRD CITY		HAYS-ST. NICK	\$40.00	SCHOENCHEN	
BROOKVILLE		HERINGTON	\$40.00	SEGUIN	\$40.00
CATHARINE		HERNDON	\$40.00	SELDEN	
CAWKER CITY		HILL CITY		SHARON SPRING	
CHAPMAN	\$40.00	HOLYROOD		SMITH CENTER	
CLAY CENTER	\$40.00	HOPE	\$40.00	SOLOMON	
CLIFTON	\$40.00	HOXIE	\$40.00	STOCKTON	
CLYDE	\$40.00	JUNCT CTY		TIPTON	\$40.00
COLBY	\$40.00	KANOPOLIS	\$40.00	VICTORIA	\$40.00
COLLYER	\$40.00	LEOVILLE		VINCENT	\$40.00
CONCORDIA	\$40.00	LINCOLN	\$40.00	WAKEENEY	\$40.00
CUBA		LOGAN		WALKER	\$40.00
DAMAR	\$40.00	MAN-S.DOLORS	\$40.00	WASHINGTON	\$40.00
DORRANCE		MAN-ST. ISIDOR	\$40.00	WILSON	
DOWNS	\$40.00	MAN-ST. THOMAS	\$40.00		
ELLIS		MANKATO			
ELLSWORTH	\$40.00	MILTONVALE	\$40.00	PERSONAL	
ELMO	\$40.00	MINNEAPOLIS	\$40.00	SALINA, SHHS	\$40.00
				SALINA, SHHS END	\$40.00
ESBON		MUNDEN			
		MUNJOR			
				GRAND TOTAL	\$1,960.00

MEN ON A MISSION

Our Mission as Christians is to conform ourselves evermore to Jesus.

~Pope Francis

2017 Diocese of Salina Catholic Men's Conference

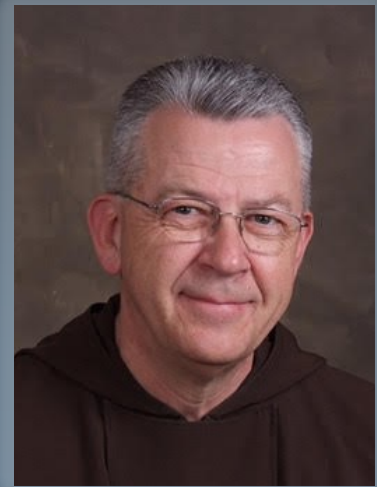
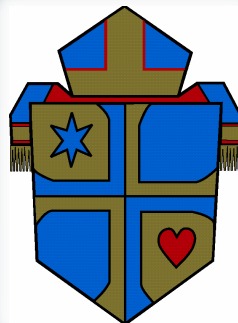
Saturday August 12

8 AM TO 4 PM

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Hays , Kansas

featuring



DR. RAY GUARENDI

FR. JOHN LAGER

REGISTER ONLINE BEGINNING APRIL 1ST

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PAPER REGISTRATION FORM AVAILABLE MAY 1ST

Salina Diocese Men's Conference 2017

"MEN ON A MISSION"

Saturday, August 12, 2017

Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church

1805 Vine Street, **Hays**, Kansas 67601

Registration (refreshments & lunch included)

_____ Adult - \$35 *If paper form submitted each adult must fill a separate form*

_____ Student - \$15 (HS & College)

_____ Father and one son under 21 -\$40

_____ Father and two sons under 21 - \$50

_____ Father and three sons under 21 - \$60

_____ *Priests, deacons and seminarians are FREE, but need to register for planning purposes.*

Adult Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parish: _____, Parish City: _____

Home Phone: () _____, Cell Phone: () _____

E-mail Address _____

First Son Name: _____

Second Son Name: _____

Third Son Name: _____

_____ I would like to sponsor an additional adult entry free*

Donated entry fees will be given to the Priests of the Diocese to disperse to those in their communities who may otherwise be unable to attend.

August 1 is the final registration date. Registrations after that date will require an additional \$10.00/person

Send completed registration form and payment to:

Diocesan Family Life Office

P. O. Box 980

Salina, KS 67402-0980

2017 BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

18th Annual Midwest Catholic Family Conference

Learn how storytelling is important to maintaining our culture. Come hear Raymond Arroyo talk about his new Will Wilder book series at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 in Wichita, KS. Save up to \$30 with early Bird Registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net.

Start a new family tradition by coming to the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 in Wichita, KS. Listen to great speakers and take advantage of daily mass, adoration, and a beautiful Eucharistic procession. Save up to \$30 with early bird registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net

Come hear PJ Anderson, picked as one of the top Catholic musicians, live on Friday night at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 in Wichita, KS. Hear songs from his most recent album Mercy, Mercy as well as his top ranked previous album Rise. Save up to \$30 with early bird registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net.

Scott Hahn's conversion to Catholicism is one of the most well-known and inspiring stories of today. Hear him speak at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference on August 4-6 in Wichita, KS. Save up to \$30 with early bird registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net.

We have programs and speakers for all ages at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 in Wichita, KS. Focusing on Our Lady's Immaculate Heart, your children, middle schoolers, and teens will be able to develop a deeper spiritual life. Save up to \$30 on early bird registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net

Journey with Steve Ray at the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 as he uses his vast knowledge of the Holy Land to bring us closer to Christ. Find his influential book, Crossing the Tiber, along with other amazing Catholic materials in our hall with over 75 vendors. Save up to \$30 on early bird registration by July 16th. Register online at catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to midwconf@cox.net

Midwest
CATHOLIC
Family  Conference

18TH ANNUAL MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE



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AUGUST
4TH - 6TH

“MY IMMACULATE
HEART WILL
TRIUMPH”

2017

CATHOLICFAMILYCONFERENCE.ORG

INSPIRATION - EDUCATION - DAILY MASS - CONFESSION - BENEDICTION
ADORATION - OUTDOOR EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION
MUSIC - VENDORS

CENTURY II CONVENTION CENTER
225 W. DOUGLAS AVENUE
WICHITA, KANSAS



18TH ANNUAL MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE MY IMMACULATE HEART WILL TRIUMPH

OUTSTANDING SPEAKERS



STEVE RAY - Steve and his wife Janet have been to the Holy Land over 100 times exploring, filming, and leading thousands of pilgrims. Steve is a regular guest on Catholic radio & TV including *Catholic Answers*, *Ave Maria Radio*, *Relevant Radio* & *EWTN*. He writes Bible Studies for Catholic Scripture Study International and has authored several books including *Crossing the Tiber*. **SWIMMING UPSTREAM: LIVING CATHOLIC IN A NON-CHRISTIAN WORLD; BORN AGAIN? FAITH ALONE? WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?** (ADULT)



MONICA MILLER - Dr. Miller is the founder and Director of Citizens for a Pro-life Society—an activist pro-life group that she began in 1986. Dr. Miller is the author of several books and articles including *Abandoned—The Untold Story of the Abortion Wars*. Her most recent book *The Authority of Women in the Catholic Church* was published June 2015 by Emmaus Road Publishers. **THE THREE LESSONS OF ABORTION; HOW TO OVERCOME YOUR FEARS IN PRO-LIFE WORK** (ADULT)



TERRY BARBER - Terry Barber is the founder of The Catholic Resource Center, Saint Joseph Communications, and is also a founding Board Member of Lighthouse Catholic Media. He first recorded and popularized Dr. Scott Hahn's conversion story, and is a co-host for *Reasons for Faith Live* with Jesse Romero on EWTN Radio Network. **LIVING OUT THE MESSAGE OF FATIMA ONE FAMILY AT A TIME** (ADULT)



JUDY HEHR - Using her sense of humor and examples from her personal life struggles, Judy generously and selflessly shares her gift of making the connection between theology and reality in our daily lives. **JOURNEY FROM CAPTIVITY TO FREEDOM- A TESTIMONY.** (ADULT AND HIGH SCHOOL).



RAYMOND ARROYO - Raymond Arroyo is an award-winning journalist, producer, and New York Times Bestselling author. As founding News Director and Lead Anchor for EWTN News, he is seen in more than 350 million homes on six continents each week and heard on more than 500 AM/FM affiliates and a stand alone Sirius channel throughout the US. Mr. Arroyo established EWTN News and *The World Over Live* in 1996, which he hosts from Washington DC each week. **HOW FICTION CAN SAVE OUR CULTURE; HER GRAND SILENCE, THE LAST YEARS AND LEGACY OF MOTHER ANGELICA** (ADULT)



REV. DENNIS McMANUS - Rev. Dennis McManus has taught at Georgetown University since 1997. He holds a master's degree in historical ethics from Georgetown University and a doctorate from Drew University in historical theology. He is on the faculty of the Program for Jewish Civilization in the School of Foreign Service, offering courses in the history of Christian-Jewish conflict and the theory and practice of interreligious dialogue. **JESUS SPEAKS TO WOMEN; JESUS SPEAKS TO NON-BELIEVERS; SPIRITUAL WARFARE AND THE NEW RITES OF EXORCISM** (ADULT)

For complete Speaker Schedule, see our website: catholicfamilyconference.org
(Due to unforeseen circumstances, speakers & talks may be subject to change.)



SCOTT HAHN - An exceptionally popular speaker and teacher, Dr. Hahn has delivered numerous talks nationally and internationally on a wide variety of topics related to Scripture and the Catholic faith. He has been awarded the Father Michael Scanlon, TOR, Chair of Biblical Theology and the New Evangelization at Franciscan University of Steubenville, where he has taught since 1990, and is the founder and president of the Saint Paul Center for Biblical Theology. Dr. Hahn is also the bestselling author of numerous books including *The Lamb's Supper*, *Reasons to Believe*, and *Rome Sweet Home* (co-authored with his wife, Kimberly). (Fri. Evening Talk, 2 Saturday Adult Talks)



TIM STAPLES - As a convert to Catholicism, Tim is committed to sharing with others the treasure he has found in the Church. Director of Apologetics and Evangelization at Catholic Answers, he is well-known for his knowledgeable and entertaining presentations. (2 Adult Talks, High School & Middle School)



RACHEL BALDUCCI - Rachel Balducci is the author of *How Do You Tuck in a Superhero* and a co-host of *The Gist* on Catholic TV. She and her husband Paul have six children so she understands that life is an adventure that can sometimes feel like a pressure cooker. **WHAT, ME HOLY?; DEVELOPING A HABIT OF PRAYER AND SPIRITUAL READING** (ADULT)

FRIDAY EVENING

CONCERT AND PROGRAMS



EXPERIENCE A SPIRIT-FILLED, JOYFUL CONCERT

PJ ANDERSON @ 7:00PM

From his beginnings of learning to play guitar from a nun, PJ Anderson now travels the country inspiring youth, playing concerts, leading worship at conferences and retreats and encouraging youth through his prayerful form of worship. PJ has led music at Mega Workshops at the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) in 2015 and 2013 as well as leading worship at Catholic Heart Work Camp (CHWC) for the past 6 summers. He headlined the Youth Rally and Mass For Life at the Verizon Center in Washington, DC for 30,000 youth in 2016. PJ also played at World Youth Day in Krakow, Poland, where 3 million Catholic and Christian youth joined with Pope Francis to grow in faith.



JIM CRUISE @ 6:15PM

The "Spoon Man" has been evangelizing for nearly 30 years in parishes and schools across the country with his hilarious, musical, interactive, comedy program. Jim is a graduate of Aquinas College, is a published author, is featured in Loyola Press school curriculum books and recently made it to the 2nd round of *America's Got Talent*! Jim offers solid doctrinal teaching by the "Spoonful". **WE ARE CALLED TO BE SAINTS** (ADULT, HIGH SCHOOL, MIDDLE, AND CHILDREN)

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• Family (parents, children in same household)	\$105/\$60	\$125/\$70	\$135/\$80
• Married Couple	\$90/\$50	\$110/\$60	\$120/\$70
• Senior Couple (+62) or Couple with Disability	\$85/\$45	\$105/\$50	\$115/\$60
• Individual Adult	\$50/\$30	\$60/\$35	\$70/\$40
• Individual Senior (+62) or Persons with Disability	\$45/\$25	\$50/\$30	\$55/\$35
• Individual Child/Teen (Under 22) (with adult or family and not of same household)	\$25/\$15	\$30/\$20	\$35/\$25
• Priests, Deacons, Religious, Seminarians	FREE	FREE	FREE
• FRIDAY EVENING CONCERT & PROGRAMS (concert included in Registration Fee)		\$20/Person \$60/Family	\$25/Person \$70/Family

PRE-PAID MEAL ORDER FORM

These meals are only available as pre-paid and pre-ordered. THEY CANNOT BE PURCHASED AT THE CONFERENCE! Order must be placed by July 30th.

SATURDAY LUNCH: \$9.00/person - Deli Sandwich/Wrap, Pasta Salad, Chips, Cookie and Beverage.	Qt. _____	Total \$ _____
SATURDAY DINNER: \$12.50/person - Garlic Herb Pasta w/ Chicken or Meat Lasagna served w/ Green Beans, Salad, Rolls, Dessert and Beverage.	Qt. _____	Total \$ _____
SATURDAY CHILDREN'S DINNER: \$8.00/person - Chicken Tenders, Macaroni & Cheese, Cookie & Beverage.	Qt. _____	Total \$ _____
SUNDAY LUNCH: \$8.00/person - Pulled Pork Sandwich, Chips, Cookie and Beverage.	Qt. _____	Total \$ _____
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Register for the Conference by completing & mailing the above form, or by phone or online. If you cannot attend this year, but would like to help us insure the success of the Midwest Catholic Family Conference, please consider making a donation. Mail your check, payable to Catholic Resource Center, to the address above.

**Registering online is encouraged; email addresses are used for conference communication and event information by MCFC/Catholic Resource Center, only. Email addresses will not be sold or shared.

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• Fairfield Inn & Suites at Waterwalk*	adjacent	316-201-1400

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PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES -The Office of Ministries with Persons with Disabilities of the Wichita Diocese will coordinate services to those with disabilities. Pre-registration is required in order to accommodate needs appropriately. Please call 316-618-9787 or print a copy of the Persons w/ Disabilities Form from the Conference website - www.catholicfamilyconference.org

RESPECTFUL DRESS REQUESTED:

We ask that you dress up for the Lord, particularly for Mass. Clean, comfortable but not clinging is desirable. Clothes reflect attitude; attitude dictates behavior.



Vendors - The Best of Catholic Resources In One Spot

An outstanding variety of vendors provide a wonderful selection of Catholic books and religious articles from the very finest publishers, schools, religious orders, and lay apostolates from around the country.

SCHEDULE

Friday, August 4th

- Registration 4:00 PM · Conference 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM
- Spoon Man @ 6:15PM, PJ Anderson Concert @ 7:00PM & Scott Hahn @ 8:45PM
- Evening Confessions 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Saturday, August 5th

- Registration 7:00 AM · Conference 8:30 AM - 10:00 PM
- Confessions 8:00 AM - 10:45 AM; 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
- Programs 8:30 AM - 10:00 PM
- Mass 11:00 AM

Sunday, August 6th

- Registration 7:00 AM · Conference 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
- Programs 8:30 AM - 4:15 PM
- Mass 11:00 AM

ADDITIONAL WEEKEND OFFERINGS

Confessions - Rosary
Adoration - Divine Mercy Chaplet

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FR. JOHN LANZRATH - Vicar for Priests, Fr. John Lanzrath will serve as moderator for the Speakers Panel. He has been involved with the Conference many years while serving the Wichita Diocese in various capacities. Ordained in 1988, Father earned a Licentiate in Sacred Theology from Rome's Gregorian University. While in Rome, he was spiritual director to the novices of Mother Theresa of Calcutta's Missionaries of Charity.



FR. LEOPOLD d'YVE, CSJ - A member of the Community of St. John, Fr. Leopold will lead the Children's Program's Eucharistic Adoration. Currently living at the Brothers' priory in Monterrey, Mexico, he travels the world with "Children of Hope," the program started by his community designed to teach children to adore Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist.



SISTERS OF THE HOLY CROSS OA - The Sisters of the Holy Cross have committed their lives to the service of the Church and the salvation of souls. They intercede before God for the various needs and concerns of our times and invoke the help and protection of the Holy Angels. They are particularly dedicated to the assistance of priests. Help for priests consists above all in offering spiritual support through prayer, sacrifice and living their vows to God. But it also involves active help in domestic and administrative areas, in organizing retreats and in the the ministry to families, children and youth.



SISTERS OF ST. JOHN - The Sisters desire to live by the Spirit of the "beloved disciple," St. John, and strive to unite contemplative prayer and evangelization while living in fraternal communities. The Sisters of St. John assist in the Children's Program.



BO BONNER - Bo Bonner has been involved in the Catholic teaching ministry since he converted in the midst of Protestant Seminary at Duke Divinity School in 2006. He is also a Benedictine Oblate at Our Lady of Clear Creek Monastery in Oklahoma. He has been married for over a decade to his wife Robyn, and so far has four children: Elias, Stella, Antonia, and Finnian. Bo was born on the feast of St. Blaise, the patron of throats, and has not stopped talking since. Bo will be the emcee for the High School Program.



BR. CONRAD RICHARDSON, FBP - A Franciscan Brother of Peace from St. Paul, Minnesota, Br. Conrad strives to live in the fullness of the Christian Faith through the enlightenment of the Magisterium, Sacred Scripture and the Church's traditions through the example of the order's inspiration, St. Francis of Assisi. He will be a mediator for the Middle School Program.



SR. MARY CLARE, OSB - Sister is with the Olivetan Benedictine Sisters of Jonesboro, Arkansas. Prior to entering the religious life, Sister served in the Air Force, was a registered nurse, was the leader of a high school Bible study group and worked in the missions in Honduras. She and her order will assist with the Middle School and Children's Programs.



SISTERS OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY OF WICHITA - The IHM Sisters are committed to a life of service to the Church through contemplation of the Word and the spread of His message of salvation through the various works of education. The Sisters assist with the Children's Program.

ADULT PROGRAM - Two concurrent sessions will be available to you. Most sessions will be recorded and will be available at the Catholic Resource Center's booth. For more information, see previous page.

YOUNG ADULT PROGRAM - Attend Friday evening to experience fascinating talks, music and sharing with other young adults (ages 18-39). Please visit the young adult link at catholicfamilyconference.org for more information.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM (Grades 9-12) - Your High School Children are growing so fast, but as you know, they will always need their Mother—even when they don't think they do! This is no doubt the case also with their Mother in the Church, the Blessed Virgin Mary, who loves our children through her Immaculate Heart with a love that exceeds even our own. Through the High School program here at the Midwest Family Catholic Conference, we hope to aid in instilling this maternal relationship deep in the heart of your children as they begin their critical journey into adulthood. With great speakers, we hope to provide an opportunity right before the school year begins for your children to rededicate themselves to the care of Our Lady's Immaculate Heart!

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAM (Grades 6-8) - Participants in this program learn the expansive blessings associated with following their Faith, which is unique to each individual. There's plenty of interaction between the students and our amazing speakers, who keep their audience on-task while having a great time; Confession and Adoration will also be offered. Hands-on projects and sessions are led by emcees, Br. Conrad FBP and Sr. Mary Clare OSB.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM (3-4 yrs old, K-1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Grades) - Children are divided into groups by age and grade and will participate in age-appropriate catechesis. Each room is staffed by religious sisters, teachers, and other volunteers. They will be sharing our Faith with songs, games and activities. Our theme this year is "My Immaculate Heart Will Triumph." Older children will participate in Eucharistic Adoration and Confession. Safety concerns prevent Conference personnel from changing diapers or administering medication. For safety reasons, all children must have wrist bands that match parents, before being released to them. Please note name and age/grade of children when registering. Openings are filled on a first-come basis.



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EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - Draw strength, consolation and support from His Presence. Feel the infinite love present in His Heart in the Holy Eucharist. The Adoration Chapel will be available for private prayer. Father Leopold d'Yve, CSJ, will lead the children, middle school and high school students in Adoration at scheduled times. Adults are welcome at all times. Eucharistic Adoration for adults on Friday evening. Children who have received First Holy Communion this year are invited to participate in the Outdoor Eucharistic Procession and be closest to the Blessed Sacrament in the formation. Please wear your First Communion dresses or suits. Cassocks for boys will be available on a limited basis. Please indicate at registration that you want your child to participate so you can get necessary details.



ARCHBISHOP PAUL COAKLEY - Archbishop Paul S. Coakley was born in Norfolk, VA in 1955. Upon completing university studies Archbishop Coakley traveled in Europe and briefly considered a monastic vocation at the Abbey of Notre Dame de Fontgombault in France, before he returned to begin seminary studies for Diocese of Wichita in 1978. On December 16, 2010, Bishop Coakley was appointed by Pope Benedict XVI as the fourth Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City. He was installed as Metropolitan Archbishop on February 11, 2011. He will be the celebrant & homilist for Sunday Mass.



FR. ANDREW WALSH - Fr. Walsh is in his third year as Spiritual Director. He will lead the outdoor Eucharistic Procession, Benediction and Night Prayer Saturday evening. A priest for the Diocese of Wichita, Father is parochial vicar at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, Wichita.



BISHOP CARL A. KEMME - 11th bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Wichita, Kansas.