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OFFICE OF THE BISHOP

With great sadness we pray for the soul of Sr. Barbara Ellen Apaceller, CSJ. Sr. Barb passed away on Saturday, June 26. She served in the Salina Diocese for many years and touched the lives and hearts of many people. May she now receive her eternal reward.

Due to COVID, the funeral to be held at the Motherhouse will be private, but there will be a Vigil Service open to the public on Wednesday, June 30 at the Cathedral in Salina. Viewing will be from 5 to 7 P.M. with a Prayer Vigil at 7:00 P.M. A social will follow in the Hall of Bishops.

CONFIRMATION schedule for next year has been finalized and attached. If you have any questions, change requests, or you do not see your parish on the list, please contact Corey Lyon.

CHANCERY CLOSED on Monday, July 5 in observance of Independence Day.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES ANNUAL FUNDRAISER will take place online on July 17. Please visit <https://ccnks.org/greentie> or contact Catholic Charities for more information (785.825.0208).

A SPECIAL PLENARY INDULGENCE may be obtained during the Year of St. Joseph. More information about the conditions necessary to obtain this indulgence can be found on the diocesan website and social media, as well as the Bishop's E-News.

NFP AWARENESS WEEK is July 25-31. Thank you for promoting NFP in your parishes. There are many great resources available on the USCCB website (www.usccb.org/topics/natural-family-planning/national-nfp-awareness-week).

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY, will take place each year on the fourth Sunday in July, close to the feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne (July 26). This year, the special day will be celebrated on July 25. Please recognize these groups of people at your Masses.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING inserts for the bulletin are found below:

JULY - WORLD DAY AGAINST TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS – JULY 30. Donate to residences where staff are helping survivors to rebuild their lives. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking (sistersagainstrafficking.org), 2039 N Geyer Road, St. Louis, MO 63131.

JULIO - DÍA MUNDIAL CONTRA LA TRATA DE PERSONAS - 30 DE JULIO. Done a residencias donde el personal esté ayudando a los sobrevivientes a reconstruir sus vidas. Las Hermanas Católicas de los Estados Unidos contra la Trata de Personas es una organización 501 © (3) (sistersagainstrafficking.org), 2039 N Geyer Road, St. Louis, MO 63131.

OFFICE OF THE BISHOP (cont.)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

ANNUAL SEMINARIAN COLLECTION is the weekend of August 7-8. Thank you for your support of this important collection.

ANNUAL SEMINARIAN FUNDRAISER DINNER is scheduled for August 12 at the Salina Country Club. The event will start at 5:30 P.M. Visit the diocesan website or call the Chancery to purchase tickets. Thank you for your support.

RUNNIN' REVS game in Hays will take place at 6 PM on August 13 at TMP-M Al Billinger Field House. This is a free event to help support seminarians and promote vocations. All are encouraged to come out and show your support!

MEN'S CONFERENCE is scheduled for August 14 in Hays. Thank you for promoting this event. Please see the *Office of Family Life* for more information.

RURAL LIFE WORKSHOP is August 15 at St. Boniface Parish in Tipton. Please see the *Office of Rural Life* for more information.

CLERGY HEALTH AND RETIREMENT BOARD meeting is scheduled for August 18 at 1:30 P.M. in Salina.

OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR

DIOCESAN CALENDAR dates for the fiscal year of 2021-2022 are attached. Event dates are subject to change and updates and additions to this calendar will be posted on the diocesan website and listed on the monthly calendar sent out with the SDNB.

CLERGY EDUCATION

CLERGY RETREAT is scheduled for September 13 – 16, at the Spiritual Life Center in Wichita. After I get moved to Hays, please let me know of any special needs you may have (i.e. ground floor, dietary needs, etc.). Please use my same email frich@sacredheartcolby.com. Our Clergy Renewal Days will be January 10-13, 2022 at the Spiritual Life Center in Wichita. Next September the Convocation will be held in Kansas City. Dates and details will be made available at a later date.

OFFICE OF VOCATIONS

RUNNIN' REVS: There will be a Runnin' Revs Basketball Game August 13th, 6:00 P.M., at TMP in Hays. Pizza will be provided directly following the game. All are invited.

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION FOR DIOCESE OF SALINA



BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL: Our appeal is doing well! As of June 23, we have \$1,734,217.08 pledged from 3,457 donors. The average gift this year is \$524.

For comparison, on 6/21/20, we had \$1,249,435 from 3,405 donors. The average gift last year was \$367.

Melanie/Laurie will continue to send goal reports on Tuesday afternoons. Thank you for sharing your parish progress towards goal with your parishioners. They are responding generously!

Starting next week, the diocese will share stories from The Register that highlight "Gifts in action." Donations from the appeal make it possible to fund the many ministries our diocese provides. Please share these stories on your own social media/parish website.

SEMINARIAN COLLECTION: Will take place August 7-8. Envelopes for this collection should be in the envelope boxes received by each parishioner.

Sample bulletin announcement:

The annual seminarian collection is set for August 7-8. This collection is held in every parish across the diocese and supports the tuition, books, board, and summer ministry expenses of our current seminarians, as well as recruitment of future seminarians. Currently, we have six seminarians. The average annual cost to educate one seminarian is \$50,000. To make an online gift, please visit: <https://salinadiocese.org/office/catholic-foundation/general-donations/>. Or feel free to make a gift via your parish envelopes. **And you can double your impact.** We are thrilled to announce that several donors have provided an **anonymous matching opportunity of \$50,000** for gifts to the Seminarian Education fund. **Your gift will be matched \$1 for \$1, as funds are available.** Thank you for your continued prayers and support of our seminarians.

Please process the donations as you normally would and submit the usual parish check to the Chancery.

One change we ask you to make, please keep a record of who makes a gift and the amount of the gift. We would like to send a thank you letter to every person who makes a gift. Please email an excel spreadsheet with the following information to Melanie (melanie.melander@salinadiocese.org).

- First Name
- Last Name
- Parish
- Dollar Amount

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION FOR DIOCESE OF SALINA (cont.)

SEMINARIAN DINNER: The Annual Seminarian Fundraising Dinner is scheduled for August 12, 2021, at the Salina Country Club. The evening will begin at 5:30 PM. This is a fun event that allows us the opportunity to meet and honor our seminarians. Throughout the next few months, please consider inviting your parishioners or perhaps hosting a table of men who have shown interest in the seminary. More information to come.

Sample bulletin announcement:

The annual seminarian dinner is set for August 12 at the Salina Country Club. This dinner is a time for the faithful to meet our current seminarians who we hope will one day become priests for our diocese. Proceeds from the dinner support the tuition, books, board and summer ministry expenses of our current seminarians, as well as recruitment of future seminarians. Currently, we have six seminarians. The average annual cost to educate one seminarian is \$50,000. To register for the dinner, or to simply make a donation, please visit: <https://salinadiocese.org/events/annual-seminarian-fundraising-dinner-2/>

#iGIVECATHOLIC: Again, this year, we will be participating in #iGiveCatholic.

Advanced giving: November 15, 2021

#iGC day: November 30, 2021

This year, Melanie Melander will be the lead diocesan coordinator for the event. Please start brainstorming on potential match opportunities at the local level for your parish, school or organization. Data shows us that having a matching or challenge gift makes a difference. In 2019, #iGiveCatholic organizations with a match/challenge gift raised \$30,477 on average, while those without matches/challenges raised \$8,295 on average. Contact any of us in Development if you want to brainstorm ideas or just want more information on local matches.

Additionally, perhaps you have a special project that you could promote through #iGC. Think outside the box! And have fun with it!

OFFICE OF PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLE SUBMISSIONS: Please share stories and photos from your parish or Catholic school to Katie at theregister@salinadiocese.org

July paper

Content due: July 2

August paper

Content due: August 6

ADVERTISEMENTS: If you know of local business interested in advertising in our publications, please direct them to theregister@salinadiocese.org or 785.827.8746

OFFICE OF YOUTH MINISTRY

PRAYER AND ACTION: Thank you for participating with your youth in our Prayer and Action program this summer. The youth and the adults have found their weeks in Oakley a very good experience. The team is doing a great job. Thank you, Father Luke Thielen and Barb Hemmert for all their hard work in getting the jobs together etc. We are looking forward to going to Beloit for the month of July.

NCYC: NCYC is just around the corner. We are taking close to 800 high school students and adults to Indianapolis this November. A number of our parishes have a good number of adults attending this conference. The adult leaders are telling me that the parents are saying “My son/daughter came back changed from NCYC, their faith meant so much more and they want to go now and experience what their kids experienced.” I want to thank the parishes for supporting the youth. I always say “If we don’t invest in our youth, we can close our church doors because they won’t open the doors and come in.” Our diocese is very supportive of our youth. We are the second largest group attending NCYC. That says a lot for our small rural diocese. We will be having meetings in each of the 4 deaneries this fall where all adult leaders need to be present. Your parish contact person for NCYC will be getting those dates. Thank you again for your support.

OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

TOTUS TUUS: Our three teams for TOTUS TUUS went to Wichita for their training along with over 100 young adults who were doing TOTUS TUUS in their dioceses. Our 3 teams were very happy with their training week. They also have been very busy each week teaching our grade school students during the day and the junior high and high school students in the evening. Thank you to the parishes that signed up this year to have a team come their parish. If you have any suggestions for this program, please jot them down or give me a call. Please consider having a team come to your parish next summer.

ADULT YOUTH LEADER AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATOR: If you have a new person in one of these two positions, please send us their name and address so they receive the mailings from our office.

OFFICE OF RURAL LIFE

RURAL LIFE DAY will be August 15, in the East Central Deanery at St. Boniface Parish in Tipton. The main feature of Rural Life Day is awarding of the Msgr. John George Weber Century Farm Awards. Families who have owned, farmed or lived on a farm in the diocese for 100 years or more are eligible to apply for the Century Farm Award. Applications for the award may be found on the diocesan website under Rural Life. While families living in the East Central Deanery are encouraged to apply for the award, any family living in the Diocese of Salina may apply for the Century Farm Award. Please encourage your parishioners to apply soon, the deadline for applications is August 1. For additional information, please contact Fr. Rich Daise at (785) 462.2179 or email at frrich@sacredheartcolby.com

OFFICE OF SAFE ENVIRONMENT

SAFETY COORDINATORS: It is still summertime, but I know many of you are already preparing for another year, whether it be at your parish or school. As you begin this process, please take time to review the Policy for the Protection of Children and Young People (July 2020) Program Handbook. After reviewing the handbook, please contact the Safe Environment Office if you have questions.

MANDATORY ZOOM MEETINGS: In lieu of the Fall Newsletter that is sent out each August, I will be conducting mandatory zoom meetings. I will be contacting the Safety Coordinators at each parish and school to get these meetings scheduled. This zoom meeting will be a review of compliance procedures, overview of CMGConnect database, the Diocese of Salina's website and any other questions and concerns that you may have as we continue to protect the children in the Diocese of Salina. Thank you for your continued support and I look forward to seeing you soon!

AUDIT PERIOD: The audit period for 2020-2021 ended June 30th. Any user in the database that had an expired status or had an unfinished Safe Environment Curriculum has now been archived. As you embark on yet another new school year, please begin contacting all new employees and volunteers, those employees and volunteers who were archived and want to continue ministering, and those employees and volunteers who need to renew the Safe Environment Protocol, as soon as possible. Training and background checks must be completed before beginning ministry.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT: As we begin a new audit period, please continue putting the bulletin announcement (in its entirety) dated 7-2020, in your parish bulletins, school newsletters and websites. This announcement includes the hotline number and website for the VAC as well as bishop reporting information. As a reminder, be sure to insert the announcement at least quarterly (July, October, January, and April). Samples of the announcement in **WORD** and **PDF** can be found on the Diocese of Salina website. <https://salinadiocese.org/safe-environment>. After placing the announcement in your bulletin, please email or mail a copy to the Safe Environment Office for filing.

 <p>Any allegation of the abuse of a minor may be reported to the Kansas Protection Report Center 800.922.5530 KBI Crime Hotline 800.572.7463 or ClergyAbuse@kbi.ks.gov</p> <p>The Diocese of Salina fully participates in all criminal investigations related to abuse perpetrated by a member of the clergy or other church official.</p>	<p>For the safety of children and healing of those who have suffered abuse, the Diocese of Salina provides Hotline: 866.752.8855 #1067 Website: www.reportandprotect.com Email: reportabuse@salinadiocese.org</p> <p>Reports will be responded to promptly by the Victim Assistance Coordinator</p> <p><i>"Rescue me, Lord, from my foes, for I seek refuge in you." - Psalm 143:9</i></p>  <p>Safe Environment Office Diocese of Salina</p>	<p>To report an incident of sexual abuse and related misconduct by a Bishop or Religious Superior currently or in the past, the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Services provides Hotline: 800.276.1562 Website: reportbishopabuse.org</p> <p>All reports are confidential with the exception of those involving the abuse of minors which will be immediately reported by the diocese to the proper authorities, as required by Kansas State Law and Diocesan Policy.</p>
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THE SHEPHERD: Please continue to use this quarterly newsletter to stay current with information from the Safe Environment Office and the Diocese of Salina as you continue to provide safe environments for the children and youth in your care.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

MOBILE OUTREACH: Catholic Charities Mobile Outreach vans will be bringing boxes of food and hygiene items, as well as diapers, laundry detergent and other necessities to families in Plainville, Oakley, Norton, WaKeeney, Russell, Ellsworth, Beverly, Wilson, Lincoln, Beloit, Osborne, Washington, Mankato, Concordia, Clay Center, Minneapolis, Abilene, Chapman, Junction City and Herington. The Mobile Outreach Vans travel on Wednesdays each month. The July 2021 Mobile Outreach schedule is attached.

GREEN TIE CELEBRATION: Our 16th Annual Fundraiser, *The Green Tie Celebration* is July 17th, from 6 P.M. – 10 P.M. at the Salina Country Club. The Green Tie Celebration honors the refreshing hope our generous patrons provide to our neighbors in need every day. The event will feature entertainment, live music, dinner, impactful testimonials and auction. To purchase tickets to the Green Tie Celebration OR donate visit: ccnks.org/greentie.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU: This sweet message comes from Natalia Kuzmina, a client from Manhattan whose family received vital services from Catholic Charities Pregnancy Program. “I never ever imaged something like Catholic Charities could exist. I felt like I was cared for, and that is so important, especially when you do not know if you are going to live another day. We would not have survived without Catholic Charities.” By donating to Catholic Charities, **YOU** provide families like Natalia’s with the life-changing hope they need!

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE: Catholic Schools now has a Facebook Page – follow along by visiting <https://www.facebook.com/salinadiocesecatholicschools>.

Please take a moment to fill out our communications survey - <https://salinadiocese.typeform.com/to/GWUExxXP>. Thanks in advance for your feedback!

WEBSITE: Diocese of Salina Wins Best New Website Award!!

We are excited to share that our all-new website is AWARD WINNING! We wanted to thank 502 – A Strategic Marketing Agency for their partnership on the development of this new website, Bishop Jerry Vincke for his wonderful leadership, our clergy, chancery staff and our faithful community. What a wonderful accomplishment.

Thank you to everyone who has submitted changes through the Directory Update link. If your parish has any updates or changes that need to be made on your parish page on the diocesan website, please fill out the Directory Update form in the quick links on the bottom of the website. You can also refer to the Website Update Flyer PDF and follow the steps to submit your Directory changes.

If you have any parish events you would like to have to our website [calendar](#) please send the details to communications.office@salinadiocese.org.

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS (cont.)

FROM THE HEART PODCAST:

To listen to our diocesan podcast, click any of the links below.

- Anchor - <https://anchor.fm/fromtheheartcatholic>
- Spotify - <https://open.spotify.com/show/3JZVJbr9ocp9C7LJma7Mxi>
- Google Podcasts - <https://www.google.com/podcasts?feed=aHR0cHM6Ly9hbmNob3IuZm0vcy8zNWNhZjlxYy9wb2RjYXN0L3Jzcw=>
- Apple Podcasts - <https://podcasts.apple.com/.../from-the.../id1531522453>

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YouTube: [Salina_Diocese](#) or www.youtube.com/salinadioceseks

OFFICE OF FAMILY LIFE

2021 DIOCESAN MEN’S CONFERENCE is set for Saturday, August 14th at Immaculate Heart of Mary parish in Hays. The theme is “Men of Hope” and falls on the feast day of St. Maximilian Kolbe, a great witness of hope in the darkest of times. Keynote speaker for the event is Chris Padgett, a leading expert on the life of St. Maximilian Kolbe. Please begin promoting and running announcements in your parish bulletins. Registration will be available online May 1st and a flyer will be available soon to add as an insert in the bulletin and to be copied and distributed to men’s groups such as K of C, etc.

MARRIAGE PREP AND ENRICHMENT CALENDAR OF EVENTS can be found on the diocesan website. The next Engaged Encounter Weekend is scheduled for June 11-13th. Encourage couples to sign up early. Please contact the Family Life office if you have questions regarding an event. Office number is 785.827.8746, ext. 27.

FOCCUS training is available online for priests, deacons, and laity. Go to foccus@foccusinc.com to register or for more information on FOCCUS. There will also be in-person training available late summer in Salina. Date and time to be decided.

MADE FOR MORE originally scheduled for May 13th, 2020, has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, Oct. 12, 2021, in Manhattan. Please note:** The October 12th date is a change from October 14th. Details of the event will be forthcoming.

NFP: Posters and bulletin inserts promoting **Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week** are being sent to all parishes. Please use this opportunity to stress the importance of family as God intended it to be.

RESOURCES from the USCCB on all things related to Family Life can be found by going to the “Resources” link under Family Life on the Diocesan webpage.

MISCELLANEOUS

CHANGE OF ADDRESS: The office of Education will no longer be using P.O. Box 825 as its mailing address. This box will be closed effective June 30th. Please use the following address for any correspondence:

Office of Education
Diocese of Salina
P.O. Box 980
Salina, KS 67402-0980

AUGUST 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Principal's Inservice Supreme K of C Convention, Aug. 3-5, Virtual	4 Supreme K of C Convention, Aug. 3-5, Virtual	5 Supreme K of C Convention, Aug. 3-5, Virtual	6	7
8 Seminarian Collection	9	10 School Pastors Inservice Jesu Caritas	11 Jesu Caritas	12 Annual Seminarian Fundraising Dinner, Salina Country Club 5:30 pm	13 Running Revs BB Game, Hays, 6 pm	14 2021 Men's Conference, IHM, Hays
15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	16	17	18 Clergy Health & Retirement Board mtg.	19	20 Permanent Deacon Candidate Retreat	21 Permanent Deacon Candidate Retreat
22 Permanent Deacon Candidate Retreat	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

***** All scheduled events are tentative at the time of publication. Please check for updates with your parish/chancery

Catholic Diocese of Salina

Remaining 2021 Confirmations

St. John	Beardsley	July 23, 2021 - Friday	7:00 PM
St. Francis of Assisi	Munjoy	July 25, 2021 - Sunday	8:00 AM
St. Nicholas of Myra	Hays	July 25, 2021 - Sunday	1:30 PM
Ss. Peter and Paul	Clay Center	September 12, 2021 - Sunday	10:30 AM
Immaculate Conception	Leoville	October 3, 2021 - Sunday	8:00 AM
Sacred Heart	Oberlin	October 3, 2021 - Sunday	10:30 AM
St. Frances Cabrini	Hoxie	October 24, 2021 - Sunday	10:00 AM

Scheduled 2022 Confirmations

Seven Dolors	Manhattan	March 5, 2022 – Saturday	4:30 PM
St. Thomas More	Manhattan	March 6, 2022 – Sunday	5:00 PM
St. Francis Xavier	Junction City	March 9, 2022 – Wednesday	5:30 PM
Immaculate Conception	Grinnell	March 19, 2022 – Saturday	5:00 PM
Sacred Heart	Park	March 20, 2022 – Sunday	10:00 AM
Sacred Heart	Colby	March 20, 2022 – Sunday	2:00 PM
St. Joseph	Hays	March 23, 2022 - Wednesday	7:00 PM
Immaculate Conception	Minneapolis	March 26, 2022 - Saturday	6:30 PM
St. John the Baptist	Beloit	March 27, 2022 - Sunday	10:00 AM
St. Mary Queen of Angels	Russell	March 30, 2022 – Wednesday	6:30 PM
St. Mary Queen of the Universe	Salina	April 2, 2022 – Saturday	7:00 PM
Immaculate Conception	Solomon	April 3, 2022 - Sunday	10:00 AM
Sacred Heart Cathedral	Salina	April 3, 2022 - Sunday	3:00 PM
St. Fidelis Basilica	Victoria	April 6, 2022 – Wednesday	6:30 PM
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton	Salina	April 30, 2022 - Saturday	10:00 AM
St. Mary	Ellis	May 1, 2022 – Sunday	9:00 AM
St. Bernard	Ellsworth	May 1, 2022 – Sunday	2:00 PM
St. Andrew	Abilene	May 4, 2022 – Wednesday	6:30 PM
Sacred Heart	Esbon	May 22, 2022 - Sunday	9:00 AM
St. John the Evangelist	Herington	May 25, 2022 – Wednesday	7:00 PM
St. Joseph	New Alamo	May 29, 2022 - Sunday	8:30 AM
Ss. Phillip and James	Phillipsburg	June 11, 2022 - Saturday	6:00 PM
St. Augustine	Washington	June 19, 2022 – Sunday	8:30 AM
St. John the Baptist	Hanover	June 19, 2022 – Sunday	11:00 AM
Ss. Peter and Paul	Clay Center	June 19, 2022 – Sunday	2:00 PM
Immaculate Heart of Mary	Hays	June 25, 2022 – Saturday	5:00 PM
St. Nicholas of Myra	Hays	June 26, 2022 – Sunday	2:00 PM
St. Michael	Chapman	September 18, 2022 – Sunday	9:00 AM

Diocesan Calendar Dates July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

Office of the Bishop

Oct 17	Opening Mass for Diocesan Synod
Nov 2	Pandemic Memorial Mass, Park
Nov 2	Pandemic Memorial Mass, Colby
Nov 6	Pandemic Memorial Mass, Clay Center
Nov 13	Pandemic Memorial Mass, Concordia
Jan 4-9	Region IX Bishops Retreat
May 17	Women Religious Appreciation Mass, Salina

Jesus Caritas

Aug 10-11	Salina
Feb 10-11	KCK
Apr 27-28	KCK

USCCB Meetings

Nov 15-18	Baltimore, MD
Jun 13-17	TBD

Conception Seminary College Board of Regents

Oct 15-16	Board Meeting
Mar 11-12	Board Meeting

College of Consultors Meetings

Jul 22	Salina
Sep 16	Wichita
Nov 11	Together with Priest Council, Salina
Jan 13	Wichita
Mar 17	Salina
May 19	Together with Priest Council, Salina

Clergy Health and Retirement Board

Aug 18	Annual Board Meeting, Salina
May 24	Senior Priests Luncheon, Victoria
May 25	Senior Priests Luncheon, Salina

Continuing Education of Priest

Sep 13-16	Annual Priest Retreat, Wichita
Jan 10-13	Priest Renewal Week, Wichita

Deacon Formation

Aug 20-22	Candidate Retreat & Rite of Candidacy, Great Bend
Sep 24-26	Permanent Deacons Retreat, Wichita

Liturgy

Mar 6	Rite of Election, Salina
Mar 13	Rite of Election, Hays
Apr 7	Chrism Mass, SH Cathedral

Finance Council Meetings

Sep 2	Salina
Dec 6	Salina
Mar 3	Salina
Jun 2	Salina

Safety & Security

Sep 7	Lay Review Board Mtg. (Q3)
Sep 13-17	USCCB Independent Audit
Dec 7	Lay Review Board Mtg. (Q4)
Jan 25	Lay Review Board Mtg. (Q1)
May 12	Lay Review Board Mtg. (Q2)

Vocations

Aug 12	Seminarian Recognition Dinner, Salina
Aug 13	Running Revs Basketball Game, Hays
Nov 7-13	Vocations Awareness Week
Dec 18	Running Revs Basketball Game, Salina
May 8	World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Catholic Charities

Jul 17	Annual Fundraiser, Salina
Sep 4	Benefit Dinner, Salina
Sep 30	Board Meeting
Nov 5	Annual Adoption Mass, Salina
Nov 11	Board Meeting
Nov 13-14	Annual Appeal Kick-off Weekend
Jan 27	Board Meeting
Apr 28	Board Meeting
Jun 30	Board Meeting

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Foundation and Development

Jul 15	Catholic Foundation Luncheon
Jul 27	Catholic Foundation Board Meeting
Nov 15	#IGiveCatholic - Advanced Giving
Nov 30	#IGiveCatholic - Giving Tuesday
Feb 19-20	Bishop's Annual Appeal Kick-off Weekend
Apr 2-3	Bishop's Annual Appeal Participation Weekend

Diocesan Collections

Aug 7-8	Annual Seminarian Collection
Oct 23-24	Mission Sunday Collection
Dec 11-12	Retired Religious Collection
Mar 26-27	Catholic Relief Services Collection
Apr 15	Holy Land Collection
Apr 23-24	Catholic Home Missions Collection
Jun 26	Peter's Pence Collection

Propagation of the Faith

Oct 24	World Mission Sunday
Apr 24	Earliest date Mission Coop appeals can begin

Respect Life

Jul 25-31	NFP Awareness Week
Oct	Respect Life Month
Oct 6	Diocesan Respect Life Youth Conference
Jan 19-23	Diocesan March for Life Pilgrimage
Jan 21	Topeka Respect Life Rally

Family Life

Aug 14	10th Diocesan Men's Conference, IHM, Hays
Sep 11	Beloved Marriage Prep Retreat, IHM, Hays
Sep 17-19	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria
Oct 24	Anniv. Mass - IHM, Hays
Nov 5-7	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria
Nov 7	Anniv. Mass - Sacred Heart, Salina
Feb 11-13	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria
Mar 11-13	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria
Apr 1-3	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria
May 5	Memorial Mass for Mothers
Jun 10-12	Catholic Engaged Encounter, Victoria

Youth Ministry

Jul 11-16	Prayer & Action HS Wk 4 - Beloit
Jul 11-16	Totus Tuus - Salina St Mary's, Osborne, Colby
Jul 18-23	Prayer & Action HS Wk 5 - Beloit
Jul 18-23	Totus Tuus - Gooland, Norton
Jul 25-30	Prayer & Action HS Wk 6 - Beloit
Jul 25-30	Totus Tuus - Oakley
Sep 18-19	Catechetical Sunday Weekend
Nov 18-21	NCYC, Indianapolis
Apr 2-3	Diocesan Youth Conference, Salina
May 28-31	Junior CYO Camp, Rock Springs
Jun 5-10	Totus Tuus - Begins
Jun 5-10	Prayer & Action Begins College Wk

Catholic Schools

Aug 3	Principals Inservice, Salina
Aug 10	School Pastors Inservice, Salina
Nov 12	Teachers Inservice
Jan 30-Feb 5	Catholic Schools Week
Mar 22-25	School Accreditation Visit

Rural Life

Aug 15	Rural Life Day, Tipton
Mar TBD	Winter Seminar
May 16	St. Isidore's Day

Special Days of Prayer and Holidays

July 4	Independence Day - Chancery Closed Jul 5
Jul 25	World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly
Sep 6	Labor Day - Chancery Closed
Sep 24	World Mission Sunday
Nov 25	Thanksgiving Day - Chancery Closed Nov 25-26
Dec 24	Christmas Eve - Chancery Closed
Dec 31	New Year's Eve - Chancery Closed
Jan 3	New Year Day Observed - Chancery Closed
Feb 13	World Marriage Sunday
Apr 18	Easter Monday - Chancery Closed
May 8	World Day of Prayer for Vocations
May 8	Mother's Day
May 30	Memorial Day - Chancery Closed
Jun 19	Father's Day

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Special Feasts

Aug 6	Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord
Aug 15	Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary
Aug 21	Feast of the Queenship of Mary
Sep 8	Feast of the Nativity of Mary
Sep 14	Feast of the Exultation of the Cross
Sep 15	Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows
Oct 4	Memorial of St. Francis of Assisi - Diocesan Secondary Patron
Oct 7	Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary
Nov 1	Solemnity of All Saints
Nov 2	Feast of All Souls
Nov 21	Solemnity of Our Lord, Christ the King
Dec 8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception - Chancery Closed
Dec 12	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe - Patron of the Americas
Dec 25	Solemnity of Christmas
Dec 26	Feast of the Holy Family
Dec 28	Feast of the Holy Innocents
Jan 1	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
Mar 2	Ash Wednesday
Mar 15	Feast of St. Isidore
Mar 19	Solemnity of St. Joseph
Mar 25	Solemnity of the Annunciation
Apr 10	Palm Sunday
Apr 14	Holy Thursday
Apr 15	Good Friday - Chancery Closed
Apr 16	Holy Saturday
Apr 17	Easter Sunday
May 29	Solemnity of the Ascension
May 31	Feast of the Visitation
Jun 5	Solemnity of Pentecost
Jun 6	Memorial of Mary, the Mother of God
Jun 12	Trinity Sunday
Jun 19	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Jun 24	Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Jun 25	Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
Jun 27	Memorial of Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Diocesan Patron

Around the Diocese

Jul 9	Sacred Heart HS Endowment - Golf Tournament, Salina
Jul 31	Polka Mass - St. Wenceslaus, Wilson
Aug 21	Rededication of St. Mary Queen of the Universe, Salina
Aug 29	40th Anniversary - St. Thomas More, Manhattan
Sep 5-12	52nd International Eucharistic Congress
Sep 11-12	SDCCW Convention
Sep 11-12	Divine Mercy Radio Dinner, Hays
Sep 12	Annual Mass at Holy Cross Church, Pfeifer
Sep 12	Divine Mercy Radio Dinner, Salina
Sep 17-18	TMP-M HS Homecoming, Hays
Sep 24-26	Daughters of Isabella - State Convention, Hays
Sep 25	Marymount College Alumni Mass, Salina
Oct 2-8	Diocesan Rosary Congress
Oct 12	Made for More - St. Thomas More, Manhattan
Oct 15	Manhattan Catholic School Benefit Auction, Manhattan
Oct 22-24	Pathways Retreat - St. Isidore, Manhattan
Nov 14	100th Anniversary - Sacred Heart, Park
Dec 8	125th Anniversary - Immaculate Conception, Grinnell
Feb 12	St. Andrew School Benefit Auction, Abilene
Feb 4-6	Pathways Retreat - St. Isidore, Manhattan
Mar 27	27th Anniversary - St. Joseph Adoration Chapel, Manhattan
Apr 30	TMP-M Ace Auction, Hays
May 6-8	State Knights of Columbus Convention
May 15	St. John's HS Graduation, Beloit
May 15	Tipton Catholic HS Graduation, Tipton
May 15	Sacred Heart HS Graduation, Salina
May 21	St. Francis Xavier HS Graduation, Junction City
May 22	TMP-M HS Graduation, Hays
Jun 3	Fr. Earl Befort Golf Classic, Hays

THE SHEPHERD

Safe Environment Office- Catholic Diocese of Salina

"I AM THE GOOD SHEPHERD,
AND I KNOW MINE AND
MINE KNOW ME, JUST AS
THE FATHER KNOWS ME
AND I KNOW THE FATHER;
AND I WILL LAY DOWN MY
LIFE FOR THE SHEEP"
~JOHN 10: 14-15

Safety Coordinator Recognition Award 2021

I would just like to take this opportunity to share something new we started in the Safe Environment Office this year. We have initiated a Safety Coordinator Recognition Award. This award will be given out each year in the month of April (Child Abuse Prevention Month) to a site Safety Coordinator who demonstrates full competence of the Safe Environment Program for the Diocese of Salina and is fully committed to the protection of children.

I am happy to announce this year's winner...

Sandy Losey



L-R Chad Meitner, Sandy Losey, Wendy Backes, Troy Ruda

The role of the Safety Coordinator is no small task. It is of great importance and each one serves as an extension of the Safe Environment Office at the Diocese as well as at the USCCB. Sandy is very deserving of this award and is an invaluable member of the Safety Coordinator team at the Chancery and to the faculty, parents, and students at TMP Marian-Hays! Please join me in congratulating Sandy Losey.

*Never waiver in your faith that the work you do falls under the shadow of the Almighty.
You are hand picked by Him to help His little children (young and old)
heal their broken heartedness and to protect them.*



Any allegation of the abuse of a minor,
may be reported to the
Kansas Protection Report Center
800.922.5330
KBI Crime Hotline
800.572.7463
or
ClergyAbuse@kbi.ks.gov
The Diocese of Salina fully
participates in all criminal
investigations related to
abuse perpetrated by a member
of the clergy or other church official.

For the safety of children and healing of
those who have suffered abuse, the Diocese
of Salina provides

Hotline: 866.752.8855 #1067

Website: www.reportandprotect.com

Email: reportabuse@salinadiocese.org

Reports will be responded
to promptly by the
Victim Assistance Coordinator.

"Rescue me, Lord, from my foes,
for I seek refuge in you."
- Psalm 143:9



Safe Environment Office
Diocese of Salina

To report an incident of sexual abuse
and related misconduct by a Bishop or
Religious Superior currently
or in the past,
the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting
Services provides
Hotline: 800.276.1562
Website: reportbishopabuse.org

All reports are confidential with the
exception of those involving the abuse of
minors which will be immediately reported
by the Diocese to the proper authorities, as
required by Kansas State Law and
Diocesan Policy.

Preventing Abuse: Minimizing the Risk

When it comes to child sexual abuse, minimizing the opportunity for abuse before it happens will go a long way. Always pay attention to your surroundings. An area you *thought* was safe, may not be. It's well known that an estimated 80 percent of child sexual abuse often occurs in 1:1 situations where the abuser and victim are of out sight of others. In some cases the abuse happens with someone the victim (and the family) trusts.

Identifying your surroundings, knowing the situation and avoiding isolation of children can greatly reduce the risk of child sexual abuse.

Be vigilant, be aware, and communicate with your children, early and often.

We all have a stake in protecting children. It is our hope that raising awareness, and with extra prevention efforts taking place, we can continue to fight child abuse before it ever occurs.

Christian joy does not arise on the fringes of reality, by ignoring it or acting as if it did not exist. Christian joy is born from a call – the same call that Saint Joseph received – to embrace and protect human life, especially that of the holy innocents of our own day.

Let us not allow them to be robbed of joy. Let us not allow ourselves to be robbed of joy, but guard it and nourish its growth.

May we do this with the paternal fidelity of Saint Joseph and guided by Mary, Mother of tender love, so that our own hearts may never grow hard.

-From the Vatican, 28 December 2016, Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING PROGRAM

PLEASE CALL THE SAFE ENVIRONMENT OFFICE 785.827.8746

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Catholic Charities Mobile Outreach

FOOD & HYGIENE DISTRIBUTION

Wednesday, July 7

Junction City - JNaz Church	9:00am - 10:00am
Ellsworth - St Bernard Church	10:00am - 11:30am
Norton - St Francis Church	1:00pm - 2:00pm
Herington - St John Church	1:00pm - 2:00pm
Lincoln - Health Dept. (on street)	1:30pm - 2:30pm

Wednesday, July 14

Washington - St Augustine Church	9:30am - 10:30am
WaKeeney - Christ the King Church	10:00am - 11:00am
Wilson - St Wenceslaus Church	10:00am - 11:15am
Mankato - St Theresa Church	12:00pm - 1:00pm
Oakley - St Joseph Church	12:30pm - 1:30pm
Beverly - City Office (on street)	1:00pm - 2:00pm

Wednesday, July 21

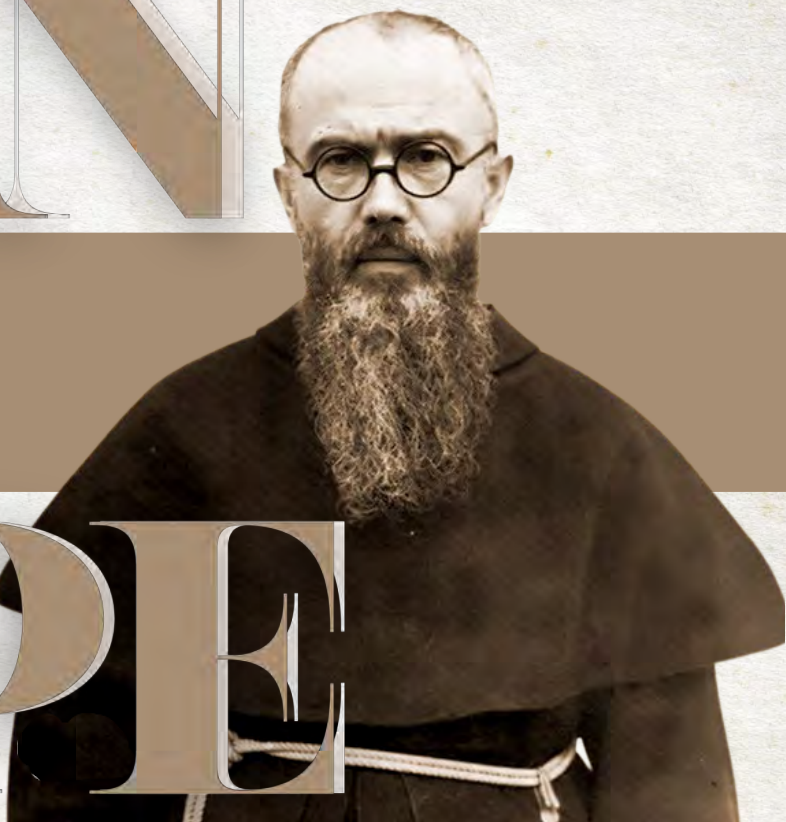
Junction City - JCNaz Church	9:00am - 10:00am
Minneapolis - 200 block of N Sheridan	10:00am - 11:15am
Clay Center - St. Peter & Paul Church	1:00pm - 2:00pm
Concordia - OLPH Catholic Church	1:30pm - 3:00pm

Wednesday, July 28

Russell - St. Mary Church	9:00am - 10:00am
Chapman - St. Michael Church	9:30am - 10:30am
Osborne - St. Aloysius Church	10:30am - 11:30am
Abilene - St Andrew Church	11:00am - 12:00pm
Plainville - Sacred Heart Church	1:00pm - 2:00pm
Beloit - St. John Church	1:30pm - 3:00pm

10TH ANNUAL DIOCESAN MEN'S CONFERENCE

MOON OF HOPE



FEATURING:



BISHOP JERRY VINCKE
CELEBRANT



CHRIS PADGETT
KEYNOTE SPEAKER



FR. GALE HAMMERSCHMIDT
EVENT HOST

AUGUST 14TH, 2021 | 8:00AM – 12:30PM

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH | 1805 VINE ST. HAYS KS



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