

St. Joseph Catholic Church

100 South 8th Street
Arma, KS 66712
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<u>MASS SCHEDULE</u>	<u>GIRARD</u>	<u>ARMA</u>
Saturday	5:30pm	4:00pm
Sunday	10:00am	8:00am

<u>CONFESSION</u>	<u>GIRARD</u>	<u>ARMA</u>
Saturday	2:00-2:30pm	3:15-3:45pm
Weekdays before Mass, anytime by appointment		

RECTORY HOURS
Thursdays 9:00am-Noon
Rectory: (620)347-4525
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STAFF Pastor: Fr. Floyd McKinney
Secretary: Georganne Galichia & Gay Kranker
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PARISH WEBSITE:
www.stjosepharma.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Thursdays from 8:30am to 12:30pm

<u>UPCOMING EVENTS:</u>	
<u>Finance Council</u>	<u>Parish Council</u>
TBA	June 20th
6:00pm	6:00pm
<u>St. Ann Altar Society</u>	<u>Knights of Columbus</u>
TBA	1st Tuesday of
6:00pm	Month-St. Michael
	Hall

From the Pastor,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit! For so many people, even today, the proclamation that there is a God is increasingly difficult. Even more difficult to believe is that God is three persons and yet still one God. It can take a person many years to believe completely in the Trinity. And there is no way that we can ever understand this teaching completely.

For many, the only way to understand the Trinity is through Jesus Himself. When we begin to walk with Jesus, we must begin to look at reality the way that He looks at reality. We encounter Jesus as a young Jewish man and we must spend some time looking at the world from that perspective. Jesus accepts the teaching of the Jews of the Pharisee school—for the most part. We could say that Jesus is formed as a Pharisee but also by the presence of God in a very special way. He calls God His Father and eventually also says that He and the Father are One.

Slowly Jesus reveals to us that God is a reality that is Triune and which reflects love within itself and outside itself. Most of the time we don't spend much time reflecting on this reality because it is so far beyond our capacity to understand. On the other hand, this mystery of the Trinity, this mystery of Jesus, this mystery of the Father's love—this is the deepest nature of our world and draws us all to learn to accept God's love and forgiveness.

We walked with Jesus through His life, to His death and then came to know His Resurrection. All of these great mysteries point us to Father, Son and Spirit. The more walk with Jesus and the more we are formed by Him, the more we can understand and delight in the Most Holy Trinity.

WORD OF LIFE

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

For Families: That the united love of the Holy Trinity fill their homes with kindness and peace; *We pray to the Lord.*

“Families are images of the ever-creative power and life of the Holy Trinity and the fruitfulness of the relationship between Christ and the Church.”

Mass Schedule and Intentions for June 10-18

June	Day	Time	Intention	Location
10	Saturday	4:00pm	Francis O'Blak	Arma
		5:30pm	Verdan Davied	Girard
11	Sunday	8:00am	Harold VanLeeuwen	Arma
		10:00am	For the People	Girard
12	Monday	NO MASS		Girard
13	Tuesday		Gertrude McKinney	Arma
14	Wednesday		Good Health	Girard
15	Thursday		Gertrude McKinney	Arma
		8:30am-12:30pm	Eucharistic Adoration	Arma
16	Friday		Rosemary O'Toole	Girard
		8:00am-6:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration	Girard
17	Saturday	4:00pm	Francis Buche	Arma
		5:30pm	Robert Haderlein	Girard
18	Sunday	8:00am	Aaron Kreutzer	Arma
		10:00am	For the People	Girard

Altar Ministers for Next Weekend

Saturday (6/17/17)	Sunday (6/18/17)
4:00pm	8:00am
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Altar Servers: Owen Waterman	Cody Burns
EMHS: Sharon Giacometti	Terry Cleland
Lector: Pat Westhoff	Ron Pommier
Gift Bearers: Joe & Linda Broyles	Mary Sayre & Joyce Klinkon
Usher/Greeter: Joe Polhlopek & Emil Pronier	Pat Westhoff & Frank Grano

COLLECTIONS

	Last Week	July 2016 to date
Contributions	\$1,851.00	\$74,686.38
Expenses-May	\$7,252.51	\$64,682.89
Over/ (Under)		\$10,003.49

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next Parish Council Meeting will be Tuesday, June 20, 2017, following 5:30 Mass.

VIRTUS TRAINING

If you would like Virtus Training so that you can work at the Lord's Diner, Pat Westhoff is offering to train anyone. Contact Pat at [\(620\) 249-7386](tel:620-249-7386) for more information.

CELIAC DISEASE

If you or someone you know is unable to receive communion because of this autoimmune response to gluten, you can talk to Fr. Floyd about another option.

PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY

Interested in going to Fatima, Lourdes and other shrines of Spain? Fr. Michael Schemm of our diocese is going Oct 4-15 of this year. The cost is \$3,695, leaving from Wichita. For more information, call Susan Prendergast at [\(800\) 842-4842](tel:800-842-4842).

MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE

Start a new family tradition by coming to the Midwest Catholic Family Conference August 4-6 in Wichita. 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](tel:316-618-9787). Email questions to midwconf@cox.net.

Parish Pastoral Council Officers:

Chair: Pat Westhoff Secretary: Karen Pryer Members at Large: Dustin Ashmore, Joe Broyles, Debbie Amershek Debbie Schaub

Worship Committee:

Chair	Karen Pryer
E.M.Es	Joann Black
Ushers/Greeters	Bill Harman
Altar Society	Judy Smerchek
Lectors	Linda Broyles
Music	Jan Harman

Parish Finance Council:

Chair	Fred Bogina
Members	Joe Polhlopek, Judy Wingeback, Linda Broyles

TOTUS TUUS, JULY 24-28

Mark your calendars for a fun & energetic week at St. Michael's parish hall. Totus Tuus, a parish based summer catechetical program for youth, is dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting our faith through evangelization, catechesis, Marian devotion & fun! The program is led by college students and seminarians, teaching and inspiring the youth of our diocese. Totus Tuus, a Latin phrase meaning "totally yours," was the motto of St. John Paul II and signifies our desire to give ourselves entirely to Jesus Christ through Mary. This is a FREE program, each family is asked to bring a bag of cookies the first day of the program. Children in grades 1-6 meet Monday-Friday from 9-3 and youth grades 7-12 meet Sunday-Thursday in the evenings. Enrollment forms will be available in the back of the church. All are invited to attend the potluck dinner on Wednesday. Parishioners are needed for dinner hosts and provide lunch for the team each day.

PARISH MISSION

"The Joy of the Gospel fills the hearts and lives of all who encounter Jesus. Those who accept his offer of salvation are set free from sin, sorrow, inner emptiness and loneliness." Pope Francis

Do you want to have a closer, more personal and joy filled relationship with God, but aren't sure if this is possible, or how to do it? Want to know how to share your faith with your family? Consider joining other parishioners at our Parish Mission held at our parish beginning Saturday July 8, 2017. This Saturday, Sunday, Monday night Mission entitled "Encountering Christ with Joy" will be presented by Father Ken VanHaverbeke of the Spiritual Life Retreat Center. For more information go to www.slwchita.org or contact the parish office.

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