



Holy Family Parish, Alma Sacred Heart Parish, Paxico



January 7, 2018

The Epiphany of the Lord

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Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 5:00pm, St. Bernard, Wamego

Sunday: 7:00am, St. Bernard, Wamego

8:00am, Holy Family, Alma

8:45am, St. Joseph, Flush

10:30am, Sacred Heart, Paxico

10:45am, St. Bernard, Wamego

Daily Masses:

Monday, 8am, Sacred Heart, Paxico

Tuesday, 8am, St. Bernard, Wamego

Wednesday, 8am, Sacred Heart, Paxico

4th Wednesday of Month, Alma Manor, 9:30am

Thursday, 8am, Sacred Heart, Paxico

Friday, 8am, St. Bernard, Wamego

Saturday, 8am, Wamego

Celebration of Reconciliation:

St. Bernard: 4:00pm, Saturday

St. Joseph: 7:30pm, Saturday

Holy Family: 7:15-7:45am Sunday

Sacred Heart: 10am Sunday

Sacrament of Baptism: Call for appointment.

Sacrament of Marriage: Must notify pastor at least 6 months in advance.

To Register as a Parishioner, pick up forms in the back of church. Thank you and Welcome!!

Meeting Schedule:

Knights of Columbus-SH Parish Hall

1st Thursday of the month, 7pm

Knights Breakfast-SH Parish Hall

1st Sunday-9am til Noon

Pastoral & Finance Council

HF—TBA

SH— February 19, 7pm

Ladies

SH-TBA

HF-1st Sunday of every month, after Mass

Holy Family Choir

Every Thursday at 7pm

Eucharistic Adoration-

HF-3rd Wednesday of the month, 3-9pm

SH-1st Wednesday of the month, 5-9pm

Holy Family Contacts:

Parish Council— Steve Lira 785-765-3849

Ladies Society-Diane Breiner 785-449-2841

Liturgy— Susie Orton 785-765-3305

Building Chairman-John Bloomfield 785-969-6895

Sacred Heart Contacts:

Council Chairman-Pat Wike 785-636-8993

Funeral Dinners-Marty Hiebert 785-636-5323

Altar Sodality-Marilyn Hund 785-636-5475

Knights of Columbus-Jason Spellman 785-410-4959

Liturgy appointments-Connie Hund 785-636-5568

Picnic Chair-Rosalie Wike 785-636-8993

Hall Rental-Parish Office 785-636-5578

Prayer Chain— Rita Glotzbach 785-636-5581

Directors of Religious Education:

Holy Family-Dan Deiter,
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**Remember our Soldiers in your prayers,
and always pray for peace.**

Grant Boucher, Ben Ronnau, Terry Gosch, Tracy VanStory, Brodie & Fredia Loudenberg, Thad Ronnau, Amanda Spetter, Marjie Durkes, Adam and Chad Koss, Bryan Scheets, Michael Hintz, Kyle Glotzbach, Chris Seematter, Wayne Rohleder, Jordan Mixer, Douglas Damall-Austin, Eric Hill, Blaine Tharman, Joshua Daigler, Brandon Grant, Evan Rohleder, Trever Rutherford, Emily Daigler, Thomas Daigler, Nicholas Daigler, Dustin Smith, Benjamin Pimpl, and Joe Hund.

Week of Jan 7-14

<u>Sun, Jan 7</u>	<i>HF Mass</i>	<i>8am</i>	<i>Esther (Herbic) Robertson (+)</i>
	<i>SH Mass</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>SH & HF Parishioners</i>
<i>KofC Breakfast, 9am til Noon, SH Parish Hall</i>			

<u>Mon, Jan 8</u>	<i>SH Mass</i>	<i>8am</i>	<i>Wm. Bolton (+)</i>
<u>Wed, Jan 10</u>	<i>SH Mass</i>	<i>8am</i>	<i>Margaret Hund (+)</i>
<u>Thurs, Jan 11</u>	<i>SH Mass</i>	<i>8am</i>	<i>Marilyn Poovey</i>

<u>Sun, Jan 14</u>	<i>HF Mass</i>	<i>8am</i>	<i>T Ronnau (+)</i>
	<i>SH Mass</i>	<i>10:30am</i>	<i>SH & HF Parishioners</i>

For All Parishioners..

Nativity Showcase 2018...Please make plans to attend the Nativity Showcase 2018 following the 10:00 Mass at Scranton, KS on January 7, 2018, Epiphany Sunday from 11:00am – 1:00 pm. Everyone is invited to come & view the 150+ nativity sets on display. They come in all shapes, sizes, materials and even ornaments. Refreshments will be served.



Living in Love...We felt like we did when we were first married! See why over 700 couples in the Archdiocese have experienced the “Living in Love” retreat. Sign up now for the next “Living in Love” retreat held at St. John the Evangelist, Lawrence, Jan 20-21, 2018. A flyer is attached. Register online at www.archkck.org/LivingInLove or contact Mary Anne Kierl at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345 for information.

Formed...Catholic Faith on Demand...Teachers, helpers, parents, grandparents and sponsors—Our parish has been gifted with unlimited access to eBooks, talks and videos of Catholic content. Please check out the Website, formed.org. If you are interested, set up an account. Scroll down on the website until you see *For Individuals*. Call Carol, 636-5313 or Michelle, 636-5295 for the Parish Code. Click Submit code, fill out the information for your profile and click submit. This is all free to parishioners!

Reboot...A Life-Changing Event, featuring internationally acclaimed speaker, author, and TV host, Chris Stefanick. Wednesday, March 14th, 7-9:30pm, Wamego High School. Tickets \$22. Info/purchase tickets: 456-7869, ext 2. RealLifeCatholic.com/reboot Don't miss out on this incredible show!

Do you desire to hear God's call... for your life and respond so that God may act through you? Then come and join other young women who are open to the joy of totally following God's will for their lives. Ladies between the ages of 18 and 30 are invited to participate, with opportunities to grow in community and friendship, develop a deeper understanding of discernment, and meet some of the consecrated women who are joyfully serving the Church today. Register today at www.archkck.org/franch or contact the Retreat Team at: psrministry@archkck.org; 785-746-5693 What: Women's Discernment Retreat Where: Prairie Star Ranch, 1124 California Road, Williamsburg KS 66095 When: January 19-20, beginning at 5:30pm.

Family Breakdown... Understand it. Heal it. Prevent it. End it. January 27, 2018 Ascension Catholic Parish 9:10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. • Are you tired of the drama, insecurity and lovelessness? • Do you wonder how to help your family, kids or grandkids? • Do you wonder how we got in this mess and how to recover? • How do we prevent family breakdown? Come to the Ruth Institute “Preventing and Healing Family Breakdown” and regain hope. (Ages 16 and up) Go to <http://www.ruthinstitute.org/events/healing-familybreakdown> for details and registration information. Questions call Deacon Tony Zimmerman 913 647 0329.



Please pray for the sick of our Parishes ...

Bill and Virginia Glotzbach, Carolyn Wurtz, Beth Frank, Don Deiter, Marilyn Poovey, Merle Glotzbach, Billy Layton, Norman Deiter, Bob Steck, Dorothy Ronnau, Alice Michaelis, Dwayne Seematter, Margaret Zeller, Glenn Herbic, Tom Schuetz, Sheila Walton, Bob Michaelis, Rose Steck, Bob & Virginia Schmidt, Kyle Moege, Jara Lannan and any others you may be aware of. Also, pray for their caregivers as well.

Phone numbers for help....

Birthright Hotline—open 24/7—1-800-550-4900

Pregnant? Call Mary's Choices, 785-246-6805

Abstinence Education, Crisis Pregnancy, Project Rachel/Project Joseph (post-abortion healing)
1-888-246-1504

Community Health Ministry (Wab-Pott Co) 456-7872 or 765-2250

Open MTF from 10am-4:30pm

Pregnant? Need Help?

Call 913-602-0306,

A friend for the Journey!

If you know someone who is pregnant and could use help; please encourage her to call *The Gabriel Project*.

Holy Family

Collection, December 31, 2017

Envelopes \$648, Plate \$25, Building Fund \$20500
Total \$21198.00 Thank You!

January Collection Counters

Rebekah Bloomfield, Pamela Anderson

Book Discussion Group...John Bloomfield home, Monday evenings, 7pm. All are welcome!

Thank you...To all who made our Christmas and holiday masses so special, from the choir, the liturgy help, the flower donations, the ones who helped decorate our beautiful church, and especially, our pastor, Fr. Mike, who was on his 6th Mass of the day at 9pm on December 24th, Christmas Eve! That is dedication above & beyond! Holy Family appreciates you all!

In the name of Jesus, with our witness, we can prove that peace is possible.

Pope Francis on Twitter @ Pontifex

Sacred Heart

Collection, December 31, 2017

Envelopes \$340, Plate \$245, Candles \$13,
Mass \$10, Catholic Charities \$65
Total \$673.00 Thank you!

Thanks, Choir!...Thank you to all the musicians donating their time and talents to provide the lovely Christmas Eve Mass music. I want to especially thank our two young "trumpeteers" Jessica and Genna! We appreciate you! Marilyn Hund

Altar Sodality News...We still need volunteers for President, Circle Leaders, Chicken Dinner and Sausage Supper Coordinators, and Christmas Party Coordinator. Call Marilyn, 636-5475, or the office if you can help out! Thank you for considering it!

Pictures...Anyone that has pictures of Parish activities and would like to have them considered for the Directory, please email them to Carol at sacredheartpaxico@gmail.com. We need to get the activity pages put together soon. 1st Communion pictures, Confirmation pictures, parish socials, etc...

Congratulations...Christian James Glotzbach, received his 1st Holy Communion last Sunday here at Sacred Heart. He is the son of William Paul Glotzbach and Jamie Leah Fiegner, and the grandson of Vincent & Annette Glotzbach. Congratulations Christian!

Thank You...The Ladies Altar Sodality and Sacred Heart Parish received thank you letters for gifts they gave at Christmas time. The ladies donated \$300 each to Community Health Ministry, Birthright of Topeka, and Mary's Choices in Topeka. And these groups received other gifts from individuals in the parish. All 3 very worthwhile organizations sent heartwarming letters explaining how they use the money and gifts, and they were very grateful and appreciative! They can always use help, not only at Christmas time, so whenever you feel you can, be generous to those in need! Thank You!

Father God, the star that led the Magi to the stable announced to the world that its Saviour was born. Today we live in a world that is still covered by darkness, and still needing to make that journey to the stable door. May our lives reflect your light day by day, as we seek to serve where you have placed us. That we might be the means through which others can encounter Jesus Christ. Amen



The Roman Catholic and Protestant churches emphasize the visit of the Magi when they celebrate the Epiphany. The Eastern Orthodox churches focus on Jesus' baptism. Epiphany is one of the oldest Christian feasts. It was celebrated since the end of the second century, before the Christmas holiday was established.