

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (January 10th)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	For the People of Our Parish & the Men of ECF
Sunday (January 11th)	8:00AM	Brookville	Ronnie Cole †
Sunday (January 11th)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	Reygan Coonrod
Monday (January 12th)	NO DAILY MASS	NO DAILY MASS	NO DAILY MASS
Tuesday (January 13th)	8:30AM	Ellsworth	Living & Deceased Members of CCW
Wednesday (January 14th)	8:30AM	Ellsworth	Shirley Robl †
Thursday (January 15th)	8:30AM	Kanopolis	Seminarians
Thursday (January 15th)	6:00PM	ECF	Elmer Karczewski †
Friday (January 16th)	9:30AM	Villa Grace	Robert (Bob) Raney †
Saturday (January 17th)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	Tim Fosdick †
Sunday (January 18th)	8:00AM	Brookville	Connie Lill †
Sunday (January 18th)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	For the People of Our Parish & the Men of ECF

Dave Lang
Edwin, Kaycee & baby Noah
The Sick & Elderly
OCIA candidates & catechists
Maria Meier
Connie Ranker
Linda Domann

Prayer Requests

Let us pray for you



Members of our Military
Peace in the Middle East
Economic recovery and job security
Holden Slaight
Mike Kratzer
Colt Dean Litteral

St. Bernard Lay Ministry Schedule
Sunday, January 18, 2026 10:00AM

Greeters: CYO
Lector: CYO
Extraordinary Minister (Host): Jeantette Kratzer
Cup: Bob & Jina Murrell, Aaron Laas
Servers: CYO
Gifts: CYO
Sacristan: Jeanette Kratzer
Ushers: Cheryl Rathbun, Anita Rodriguez, Terry Robl
Money Counters: Gina Woodmansee, Linda Monroe,
Minister to the Home: Chuck Huslig

St. Bernard

Matt Jundt - Chairperson/Respect Life
Cheryl Rathbun - Vice Chairperson/Education/CCW representative
Scott Thomasson - Evangelization
Paul Bahr - Maintenance
Laurel Davis - Christian Service/Family Life
Johnnie Goddard - Finance
Cheryl Rathbun - Coordinator of Youth Faith Formation
Stacey Halbgewachs - Safety Officer
Pam Pelzel, Kathy Rolfs, Josh & Kara Bahr - CYO Advisors
Johnnie Goddard - Knights of Columbus Grand Knight
Melody Magette - St. Bernard's Council of Catholic Women President
Brent & Sarah Goss - Funeral Dinner Committee Chairs

St. Ignatius Lay Ministry Schedule
Saturday, January 17, 2026 5:30PM

Lector: Tobina Norris
Servers: Josey, Trent & Cord Norris
Gifts: Joe & Barbara White
Ushers: Chuck Norris, **Volunteer Needed**
Cantor: Flo Fosdick
Eucharistic Minister: Tobina Norris, Veronica Kyler
Rosary Leader: Mark Vopat

St. Ignatius

Phyllis Dolezal-President/Christian Service
Miranda Fleming- Family Life
Kayla Vague-Education
Peter Orozco-Liturgy
John Whitmer-Evangelization
Bonnie Orozco-Altar Society President
New Members-Mark Vopat & Lucinda McCasland

St. Hilary was hailed by the best minds of his age as an "illustrious" teacher and a "most eloquent man"-high praise from St. Augustine and St. Jerome, two of the greatest theologians the Church has ever known.

He lived in the fourth century and was born and raised in Gaul, what is now France. His family was not Christian, and Hilary came to the faith through intellectual study. His curiosity and reasoning led him to refute polytheism, and when he started seeking one God, he found Scripture. The story of Moses, where God's identity is revealed as "I am who am," captivated him, and he immersed himself in the other writings. He was baptized as an adult in his 30s.

Before his conversion, he was married and had a daughter, and his family followed him when the people chose him as Bishop of Poitiers. He adamantly refused his selection out of humility, but that just made the people want him more.

As bishop, his learning served the people of his region, and the Church as a whole. He wrote a commentary on the Gospel of Matthew, which still exists, and was an effective orator and poet. He once said that it was the work of his life to use all of his gifts to announce God to the world. He encouraged people to begin and end every action with a prayer.

Hilary fearlessly sought and defended truth—an important quality during his age, which was marked by the Arian heresy, a strain of thought that distorted the nature of Jesus. Because of his opposition to this heresy, and the political forces behind it, he was cast into exile for three years. He departed from Poitiers with an attitude as though he were leaving for a vacation—he welcomed the dangers and hardships he would face and kept his attention focused on God alone.

During his exile, he continued to write; one of his most important works from that time was about the Trinity. The earliest hymns we have in the Latin tradition can be traced to Hilary. When he was restored to Poitiers, he was welcomed with a great celebration among the people. He was known as a gentle and friendly man, but was unflinching when he faced those who obstinately opposed the true faith.

Hilary died in 368, and was declared a doctor of the Church, a title given to 38 saints who are known for elucidating the faith by their words or example. He is patron saint of children with disabilities, mothers, and sick people; his relics rest in the reliquary chapel in the Basilica.



THE PARISH CONNECTION

The Baptism of the Lord

January 11, 2026

ST. BERNARD



ST. IGNATIUS



ST. JOSEPH



St. Bernard

Sunday Mass: 10:00AM
Confessions: Sunday 9:30-9:50AM or by request.
Rosary: 9:30AM on most Sundays

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday - Thursday: 10AM - 5PM

St. Ignatius

Saturday Mass: 5:30PM
Confessions: Saturday 5 - 5:15PM
Rosary: 4:55PM

St. Ignatius does not currently have a parish office. Please feel free to call Rita's cell.

St. Joseph

Sunday Mass: 8:00AM
Confessions: 1st Sunday of the Month, 7:30 - 7:50AM
Fellowship Breakfast following the first Mass of every month.

Websites

 www.stbstistj.com

 www.salinadiocese.org

 www.facebook.com/stbsti

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Bishop
Most Rev. Jerry Vincke

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Salina, Kansas 67402-0980

Welcome!

New Parishioners - Please call or stop by the parish office to register.
Or you can register online at <https://www.osvhub.com/st-bernards/directory/register>

The Sacraments

Baptism - By appointment after completion of required instructions.

Marriage - Personally contact the pastor at least six months prior to intended date. Those engaged couples that would like a traditional Catholic wedding will be asked to live a traditional Catholic lifestyle.

Sick calls/Anointing - Please call the parish office if someone is hospitalized or ill at home and needs the Sacrament of the Sick.

LOOK WHATS NEW!

USHER'S are deeply needed at St. Bernard's. Please prayerfully consider volunteering for this act of service. If you would like more information please contact the office or Cheryl Rathbun.

Mass Intention Cards have been refilled at all 3 parishes. If you have a specific intention you would like a Mass offered for, please fill out a card or let the office know as we are running low. We would be honored to pray for your intention.

Update Your Family Information If you haven't yet, please update your family information. This will help us create a more accurate account of our parish members. THANK YOU.

Prayer & Study every Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at the Magette home.

CALLING ALL KNIGHTS!
Knights of Columbus Join us January, 11th following Mass for our Membership Drive. Bring your family and join us for a meal and learn about what it means to become a Knight! We hope to see all men 18 and over in our Parish there.
"In Service to one, in service to all!"

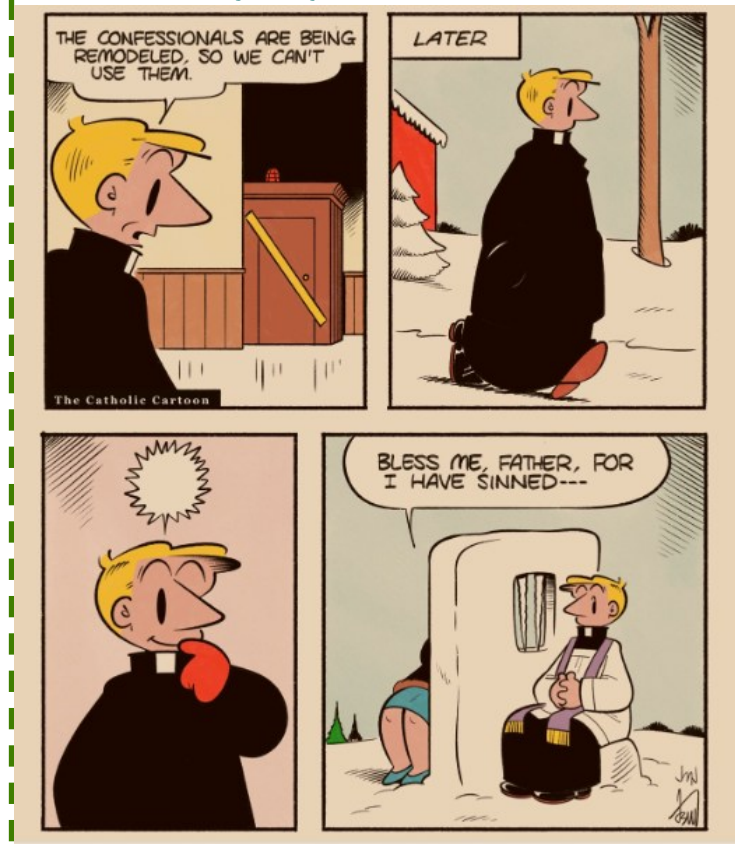
CCW Council of Catholic Women Will meet Tuesday, January 13th at 630 in the Parish Hall. Plan to join us!

Youth Faith Formation

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 14TH

CYO

Regularly scheduled class



Women's Day of Reflection

Sunday, January 18, 2026
1:00 - 4:00pm

*Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church
Hays, Kansas*

PRESENTERS

◆ *JoAnn Emerick - Hoxie*
Venerable Emil Kapaun Medal of Honor recipient from the Korean War

◆ *Tony Gabel - Hays*
1st Saturday Devotion, Our Lady of Fatima

All Women Invited to Attend

Sponsored by Salina Diocesan Council of Catholic Women
RSVP to Elaine Peters 785-534-0546
elainepeters56@yahoo.com

ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

SCAN HERE to donate

To make a donation to St. Bernard's, scan the QR code below with your smartphone's camera, tap the link & select "Give Now". Choose the amount you'd like to give, enter your information and that's it!

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THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. BERNARD'S

"A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed"
- Proverbs 11:25

On behalf of my family, I wanted to thank everyone who helped with the funeral meal of my beautiful nephew, baby Noah. We are so appreciative to everyone who answered the call to help, especially on such short notice. There are no words to describe the gratitude we feel. It was such a weight lifted off of our shoulders in our time of sorrow. Thank you for portraying God's love through your support and prayers, and for highlighting the importance of Church family. My family is eternally grateful and I am blessed beyond measure to work for you.
- Stacy Warta

ST. BERNARD NEWS

Offering for January 4, 2025		Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal. Our parish has raised 106.5% of our goal of \$29,000. We have raised \$30,855! If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please return the pledge card you received in the mail or visit appeal.givecfds.org to do it online. Through your generous support, we can serve thousands of families and individuals in the Diocese of Salina through outreach, formation, evangelization, and worship. Thank you, we couldn't do it without you!
2025 Weekly Income Goal	\$4,246.06	
Offering	\$204.00	
Envelopes	\$2,870.00	
Online Giving	\$1,855.50	
Total Contribution Received	\$4,929.50	
Emergency Maintenance	\$365.00	

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS MADE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION A PRIORITY SINCE WE BEGAN THE ADORATION FOR PEACE CAMPAIGN ON JUNE 22. ST BERNARD HAS MORE THAN DOUBLED THE HOURS OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AVAILABLE FROM THE FIRST SIX MONTH OF 2025, GOING FROM 23 HOURS THROUGH JUNE TO 57 HOURS FROM JULY THROUGH DECEMBER. THE NUMBER OF ADORERS HAS INCREASED AS WELL. IF YOU HAVEN'T MADE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION A PART OF YOUR SPIRITUAL RESOLUTIONS FOR 2026 PLEASE CONSIDER DOING SO. OUR WORLD NEEDS YOUR PRAYERS FOR PEACE NOW.

CATHOLIC DIOCESE of SALINA

SAFE ENVIRONMENT GUIDELINES

Education & Screening
All clergy, religious, seminarians/persons in formation, employees, educators, as well as volunteers who minister with minors are required to complete a background check and safe environment training. For more information about safe environment compliance requirements, please contact your parish/school safety coordinator or visit www.salinadiocese.org

Reporting & Victim Assistance
Report allegations of the abuse of a minor to the Department of Children and Families 800.922.5330 KBI Crime Hotline/800.572.7463
If you suspect abuse of a minor by church or school personnel, in addition to contacting civil authorities, use one of the confidential diocesan reporting resources below:
Phone: 866.752.8855
Website: reportandprotect.com
Email: reportabuse@salinadiocese.org
Reports will be responded to promptly by the Victim Assistance Coordinator
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 Service provides a confidential Hotline: 800.276.1562 Website: reportbishopabuse.org

The Diocese of Salina complies with Kansas laws regarding reporting suspected abuse to civil authorities and cooperates with civil authorities as they investigate reports of suspected abuse by all persons, including, but not limited to church personnel.

Any questions in regards to education, reporting, or victim assistance can be directed to the Safe Environment Office Diocese of Salina 785.827. 8746

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ST. IGNATIUS NEWS

Offerings for December 31, 2025 New Years Eve		Offerings for January 3, 2026	
Offertory	\$124.00	Offertory	\$333.00
Envelopes	\$613.63	Envelopes	\$1,415.00
Total Contribution Received:	\$1,381.00	Total Contribution Received:	\$1,748.02
Retired Religious	\$100.00	Retired Religious	\$20.00
Christmas	\$70.00	Campaign for Human Development	\$20.00
Immaculate Conception	\$70.00	Immaculate Conception	\$70.00
First Offering	\$260.00	Solemnity of Mary	\$115.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$580.00	First Offering	\$125.00



- ◆ Sincere condolences to the family of Diana Magana. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon her.
- ◆ Feed your Faith will be held January 17th immediately following Mass. Please bring a meat and side or dessert to share.

ST. JOSEPH NEWS

Offerings for January 1, 2026 New Years Day		Offerings for January 4, 2026	
Offertory	\$25.00	Offertory	\$180.00
Envelopes	\$80.00	Envelopes	\$260.00
Total Contribution Received:	\$105.00	Total Contribution Received:	\$440.00