

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE			
Saturday (January 24th)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	Seminarians
Sunday (January 25th)	8:00AM	Brookville	Clara Anna Vignery †
Sunday (January 25th)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	For the People of Our Parish & the Men of ECF
Monday (January 26th)	NO DAILY MASS	NO DAILY MASS	NO DAILY MASS
Tuesday (January 27th)	8:30AM	Ellsworth	Rose Marie Dolezal †
Wednesday (January 28th)	11:00AM	Ellsworth	Funeral for Joe Rodriguez
Thursday (January 29th)	8:30AM	Kanopolis	Mary Rodriguez †
Thursday (January 29th)	6:00PM	ECF	Shirley Robl †
Friday (January 30th)	9:30AM	Villa Grace	Fr. Charles Steier †
Saturday (January 31st)	5:30PM	Kanopolis	BJ McMahon †
Sunday (February 1st)	8:00AM	Brookville	Carol Shannon †
Sunday (February 1st)	10:00AM	Ellsworth	John Strella †

Dave Lang
Edwin, Kaycee & baby Noah
The Sick & Elderly
OCIA candidates & catechists
Stacey Halbgewachs
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, February 1, 2026 10:00AM

Greeters: Jeanette Koetkemeyer, Brad & Karen Kratzer
Lector: Nany Jensen
Extraordinary Minister (Host): Cheryl Rathbun
Cup: Steve Magette, Chris Tully, **Volunteer Needed**
Servers: Abigale, Jacob & Hannah Reed
Gifts: Jeanette, Brad & Karen Kratzer
Sacristan: Cheryl Rathbun
Ushers: Kathy Rolfs, Bob Kepka, Brad Kratzer
Money Counters: Dave Pelzel, Brad Kratzer, Rick Seiler
Minister to the Home: Jeanette Kratzer

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 31, 2026 5:30PM

Lector: Bonnie Orozco
Servers: Lacey Munoz, Raegan Williams, Nova Rodriguez
Gifts: Pete & Bonnie Orozco
Ushers: Pete Orozco & **Volunteer Needed**
Cantor: Flo Fosdick
Eucharistic Minister: Kayla Vague & Lucinda McCasland
Rosary Leader: Rita Whitmer

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

Saint Angela Merici has the double distinction of founding the first of what are now called "secular institutes" and the first teaching order of women in the Church. Born in Desenzano, Italy, Saint Angela Merici was orphaned in her teens. As a young woman, with her heart centered on Christ, Angela joined the 3rd Order of St. Francis & embraced austerity. In a visionary experience, she felt called to found a "company" of women. Angela was invited to become a live-in companion for a widow in the nearby town of Brescia. There she became the spiritual advisor of a group of men & women with ideals of spiritual renewal & service to those in need. On a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in 1524, Angela was struck with blindness. She proceeded to visit the sacred shrines, seeing them with her spirit. On the way back while praying before a crucifix & her sight was restored. At age 60, Angela and 12 other women began the Company of St. Ursula, named for a patroness of medieval universities and venerated as a leader of women. This constituted a new way of life: single women consecrated to Christ and living in the world rather than in a monastery. With Angela as their "mother and mistress," Company members did not live in community, wore no special clothing, and made no formal vows. Angela Merici died in Brescia, Italy, in 1540. Clothed in the habit of a Franciscan tertiary, her body was interred in Brescia's Church of Saint' Afra. Four years later the Company's Rule that Angela had composed, prescribing the practices of chastity, poverty and obedience, was approved by the pope. In the early 1600s, Companies that had expanded into France were re-organized into the religious Order of St. Ursula, to teach girls. Angela's words continue to inspire the Ursuline nuns' mission of education, a mission that spread worldwide. The Company of St. Ursula also continued to exist and is federated worldwide today with members in 30 countries. Angela Merici was canonized by Pope Pius VII in 1807.

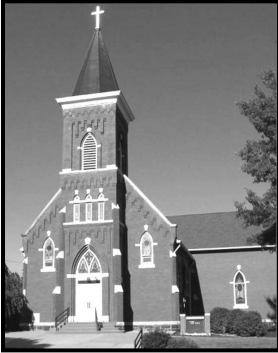


THE PARISH CONNECTION

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 25, 2026

ST. BERNARD



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

Parish Directory

Pastor
Fr. Stanly Basil, HGN
785-472-3137
jstanly007@gmail.com

St. Bernard Office Manager
Stacy Warta
785-472-3136
stbernardsparishoffice@gmail.com

ST. IGNATIUS



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. Bernard Address

911 North Kansas Avenue
Ellsworth, Kansas 67439

St. Ignatius Secretary
Rita Whitmer
Cell:785-531-0522
st.ignatiuskkanopolis@gmail.com

ST. JOSEPH



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

St. Ignatius Address

127 North Missouri
Kanopolis, Kansas 67454

St. Joseph
110 West 3rd Street
Brookville, Kansas 67425
Phone: 785-472-3136

Bishop
Most Rev. Jerry Vincke

Diocese of Salina
103 North 9th Street
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.

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.



OCIA
Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Be sure to join us for Mass on Sunday, February 1st for the 'Right of Welcoming' for our OCIA candidates. Please come support our candidates as they move forward in their journey to join the Catholic faith.

Youth Faith Formation

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28th

CYO

Regular scheduled class



YAY, NO SCHOOL ... PLAGUE DAY!

JOIN US FOR A

YOUTH MINISTERS

retreat



save the date

SATURDAY MARCH 21, 2026

IN SALINA

LOOK WHATS NEW!

POSTPONED

DUE TO

WEATHER

Due to the projected snow fall this weekend, the Daughters of Isabella Soup Supper that was planned for today, will be held next week in place of Hospitality.



The Daughter's of Isabella, Wilson Chapter, will be hosting a Soup Supper fundraiser following Mass at St. Bernard's on February, 1st. Profits from the luncheon will go towards the Jesus Trail and other church activities. Soups served will be Hamburger Veggie, Chili, chicken Noodle, and Green Bean Dumpling along with desserts! Price is by donation. Please join us for food and fellowship! We look forward to seeing you after Mass next week!

ST. BERNARD'S

TRIVIA Night

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2026

in the Parish Hall

Doors open at 6pm - Trivia starts at 7pm

The cost is \$200 per table - Maximum of 8 people per table

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS	REGISTRATION INCLUDES
- 10 Rounds/10 Questions Each	- A Fun-Filled Evening!
- Questions Answered as a Team	- Reserved Team Table
- Team Theme Costume Competition	- Free Pop & Water All Night
- 50/50 Raffle	

Reservation Information/Questions:

Laurel Davis 402-920-0131 (cell) or lawegener@gmail.com (email)



TOGETHER IN HOLINESS
CONFERENCE SERIES

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Join us at the first annual *Together in Holiness* marriage enrichment conference in the Diocese of Salina on **Saturday, April 18, 2026** from 9:45 am - 5:00 pm at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Hays, KS!

Whether you are newly-married or celebrating a milestone anniversary this year, *Together in Holiness* is the perfect pause from the busyness of everyday life so you can rediscover the beauty of the sacrament of marriage.

Early Bird Couple \$54 - Discount available through March 2
Childcare \$5/Child
Full and partial scholarships available, [click here](#) to apply.

Questions? Email Conference Coordinator Kirsten Zimmermann at kirsten@forlifeandfamily.org.

ST. BERNARD NEWS

Offering for January 18, 2025	
2025 Weekly Income Goal	\$4,246.06
Offering	\$31.00
Envelopes	\$3,765.00
Online Giving	\$1,130.50
Total Contribution Received	\$4,926.50

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!



FIRST SUNDAY ADORATION WILL BE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 3:00-8:00PM

PLEASE CONSIDER SIGNING UP TO SPEND AN HOUR WITH JESUS.

MEET OUR TEACHERS



MRS. MIKI HAYS
Fifth Grade helper

CHURCH:
I have been a member of St. Bernard's since 2021!

ABOUT ME:
I moved to Ellsworth in 2021. I work for Salina Regional as an Infant/Toddler Physical Therapist.

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSE
"So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand"
-Isaiah 41:10

FAVORITE SAINT:
Saint Cecilia

FAVORITE THINGS
FOOD: Pasta
DRINK: Iced Coffee
BOOK: The Women
COLOR: Green
HOBBY: Reading
SPORT: Volleyball
FAMILY:
I am married to Gunnar Hays and we have two kids, Landry & Graham!

FUN FACT
I love the Jayhawks & watching sports!



MRS. TOBINA NORRIS
Second Grade teacher

COLLEGE: I went to K-state and studied animal science & silage!

MY FAVORITE THINGS
DRINK: Strawberry
FOOD: Popcorn
MOVIE: Tomb Raider
ANIMAL: Horse
MY FAMILY
My husband is Chuck. We have 3 kids, Josey, Trent & Cord.

FUN FACT
I am a big K-state fan!

FAVORITE SAINT:
Saint Therese of Lisieux

FAVORITE PRAYER
Soul of Christ, Sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me. Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O Good Jesus, hear me. Within your wounds hide me. Permit me not to be separated from you. From the wicked foe, defend me. At the hour of my death, call me and bid me to come to you. That with saints I may praise you For ever and ever. Amen

ABOUT ME:
I love teaching 1st Communion & Reconciliation!

ST. IGNATIUS NEWS

Offerings for January 17, 2026	
Offertory	\$10.00
Envelopes	\$1,645.00
Total Contribution Received:	\$1,655.00
First Offering	\$70.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$40.00

Thank you to everyone who graciously participated in the 2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal. Thanks to your donations, we reached our goal of \$3,500! As of July 31, we have raised \$3,650! That is 104% of our goal! Your generous donations made this possible. Thank you, thank you!

FEED YOUR FAITH

Mark your Calendars! Our next Feed Your Faith will be Saturday, February 21st. We will welcome Fr. Don Zimmerman back to our Parish! He will be giving a presentation about his journey to the Comino de Santago. We are looking forward to hearing him speak. Please plan to join us!!

- St Ignatius Altar Society will meet next Monday, Jan 26, at 6:30pm to kick off 2026! Please join us in the conference room at St. Ignatius. In the event of inclement weather, we will meet Feb 2, same time.

Weekly Announcements!

ST. JOSEPH NEWS

Offerings for January 18, 2026	
Offertory	\$120.00
Envelopes	\$180.00
Total Contribution Received:	\$300.00

Did you know that the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps support our clergy at all stages of their vocation? From recruitment, seminary, ordination, serving parishes and through retirement. Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal allows us to support those who have always prayed for and supported us. Ignatius' goal is \$12,500. So far we have given \$17,048.00!