

Soup Supper at the Chapman United Methodist Church is on Wednesday, April 18th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. for a free will offering. Several kinds of soups, carrots & celery sticks, delicious desserts and beverage. A flyer is posted listing the kinds of soups.

New Liturgical Ministry Schedule and **April Calendar** (on the reverse side) is on the blue tables in the entryway. It was attached to the bulletin Easter Sunday.

Emmanuel United Methodist Church, 1300 North Vine Street, Abilene, is sponsoring the following events (Flyers are posted on the bulletin board for each.):

- **The Cardinal Singers** from Red Bird Christian School, Beverly Kentucky, will give a free concert of contemporary and traditional Christian music on Thursday, April 19th at 7 p.m.
- **“Be Relentless”**, a movie, is the story of victory over the insidious epidemic of sex trafficking. The movie is rated PG-13. It will be shown on Sunday, April 22nd from 6:00 p.m.-8:15 p.m. (Free admission; popcorn and drinks provided.)

Stewardship Sightings!

- ◆ Members of Family Life/Respect Life and Maintenance Commissions who attended spring meetings last week.
- ◆ 5th, 6th & 7th grade sightings: Claire Wasylk cleaned up after herself and others and Alison Gavillan went to Mass.

Marita Out of Office until Monday mid-afternoon. If you need to get in touch with her, call or text her at 785-443-2922.

Lions Club Calendar! For the 62nd year the Lions Club is putting together a calendar with birthdays and anniversaries listed. It sells for \$5 and costs 50 cents per birthday and anniversary listed. Sales are under way since it starts in August. Contact Ray Kruse to list names and/or purchase a calendar at 785-762-4764.

Religious Education News!

- 04/15 Catechesis
04/22 Catechesis; 5th, 6th & 7th grades to CVM (1st half of class); Ice Cream Sundae party (last 10 minutes)

Attention Parents of 5th-7th Grade Youth:

Next Sunday, April 22nd, your child will help with the Chapman Valley Manor Service. Please take your child to the Manor immediately after Mass. Also, plan on joining in the service. The Youth will be role playing the Gospel as well as taking care of most of the service.

Junior CYO Camp is for 6th, 7th & 8th grade youth (current school year). The camp is at Rock Springs Ranch (Southwest of Junction City) and is May 26-29. Cost to attend is \$190. Registration deadline is April 20th. Visit with Marita for more information.

ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH

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Welcome

*Whatever brings you here today, we welcome you!
If you are seeking a new church home or have been away from church
for a long time, we are blessed to have you worship with us!*



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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The St. Michael's Parish exists to continue the mission of Jesus through our baptism. He has become the center of our life and our community. As a parish family, we live to express our love of God and neighbor through worship and ministry.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sun.	15	10:00 a.m. Mass for +Lorraine Leach 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Knights Pancake & Sausage Brkfst 11:00 a.m. Rel. Education & Adult Formation
Mon.	16	No Service
Tues.	17	No Service
Wed.	18	8:00 a.m. Communion Service 5:00-7:00 p.m. Methodist Soup Supper
Thurs.	19	8:00 a.m. Mass for All Enrolled in Memorial Program
Fri.	20	8:00 a.m. Communion Service
Sun.	22	10:00 a.m. Mass for the People of the Parish 11:00 a.m. Rel. Education & Adult Formation CVM Service w/5th-7th grades

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR APRIL 22

EMC	Eric, Janice, Terry, Karman, Naomi
EMC to shut-ins	John Carroll
Commentator	Marci Smith
Lectors	Liz Sites
Servers	Ben Deges, Drew Deges
Greeters	Tom & Susan James
Collection	Lynn & Keisha Langvardt Family
Gifts	Brent & Brenda Blocker Family
Music	Marlo/Michael

GIFTS TO THE PARISH LAST SUNDAY

Loose Plate	\$513.00
Envelopes	\$2,980.00
Children	\$22.00
Ash Wednesday	\$5.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$3.00
Good Friday/Holy Land	\$30.00
Rice Bowl	\$231.00
Easter	\$20.00
Parish Projects	\$25.00

MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT

(Month ending March 31, 2018)

Children's Collection	\$677.00
Year to Date Income	\$102,629.28
Year to Date Expenses	<u>\$106,291.44</u>
Year to Date	-\$3,662.16
(overage/shortage)	
Budgeted need for July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 is \$2,582.00 per week.	

Easter Time

(Information from "Liturgical Seasons" presentation)

Color: White but can also be silver or gold.

Season: Begins Easter Sunday and concludes on Pentecost (This year—April 1-May 20.)

Symbols: **Lily** because its pure white color symbolizes Jesus purity and resurrection. Other symbols are **butterflies** which symbolize the life cycle of Jesus, **eggs** and **bunnies** which symbolize fertility and new birth—or man's re-birth, and **jelly beans** with the different colors telling the Gospel story of Jesus and reminding us of the reasons we celebrate Easter.

Other information:

- Every Sunday is the celebration of Easter—Jesus Christ's resurrection.
- The entire season of Easter is one "great" Sunday with Easter Sunday the "Sunday of Sundays".
- Easter falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon of the spring equinox. The earliest date for Easter is March 22 and the latest is April 25. The season is 50 days long.



Pancake & Sausage Breakfast TODAY!

The Knights are serving up their delicious pancakes and sausage today for a free will offering. Come between 10 a.m. & 12:30 p.m. and enjoy great fellowship and food.

Spring Meetings!

The schedule for the meetings of the committees and commissions is:

- April 16 Stewardship (7 p.m.)
- April 18 Bazaar (7 p.m.)
- April 23 Cemetery (7 p.m.)

Discernment for Parish Pastoral Council Members

- ⇒ **When:** Next Sunday, April 22nd, after Mass in the church.
- ⇒ **Who:** All registered parishioners (18 years and older) will discern nominees for two members of the Parish Pastoral Council. This process takes less than 15 minutes. Please make plans to participate.
- ⇒ **Absent or Unable to Stay:** If you will be absent next weekend or unable to stay for the process, materials are on the blue table in the church entryway for you to discern on your own.
- ⇒ **Deadline:** The deadline to submit a nominee is noon on Monday, April 23rd.