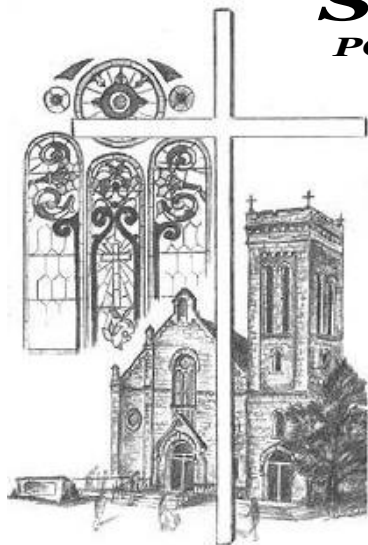


# St Michael's Parish

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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.*

MAY 18, 2025 – 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Sun. 18** 9:00 a.m. Mass +James Cooper  
10:00 a.m. NCYC Bunco Fundraiser
- Mon. 19** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- Tues. 20** No Service
- Wed. 21** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- Thurs. 22** 8:00 a.m. Communion Service
- Fri. 23** 8:00 a.m. Mass for All Enrolled in the Memorial Program  
8:30 a.m. Class
- Sun. 25** 9:00 a.m. Mass for +Greg Hamel
- Mon. 26** 9:45 a.m. Memorial Day Mass for All Souls at St. Patrick's Cemetery

**Live Streaming Mass:** 9:00 a.m. Mass is Live Streamed on Facebook each Sunday at:

<https://www.facebook.com/stmichaelschapman/>

## Bunco & Tacos Today!

- ✓ **Play Bunco**—\$15 per person to play for 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up. No experience needed. There will be helpers to teach and guide through the game.
- ✓ **Enjoy Taco Bar** for a free-will donation.
- ✓ **Childcare provided** for those not playing Bunco. There will be games, movies and the playground.

**Fr. Peter's 15<sup>th</sup> Ordination Anniversary** is this Thursday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please keep him in prayer.

**Memorial Day Mass** will be at 9:45 a.m. (note the different time) at St. Patrick's Chapel Memorial. If weather does not allow (rain, wind, etc.), the Mass will be at St. Michael's Church. **FYI:** The American Legion Service at the Cemetery is scheduled for 10:40 a.m.

## Eucharistic Conference!

**August 9-10 at Hays, KS**

This year's conference theme is "Hope Does Not Disappoint." Don't miss this special opportunity to grow in faith and community as we explore how the Eucharist strengthens us in our journey of hope and trust in God's promises. The featured speaker is Fr. John Riccardo. (**FYI: Faith Magazine**, which came in the mail, has an interview with him.) The conference starts at 7:00 p.m. on Sat., August 9<sup>th</sup> and concludes with Mass at 5:10 p.m. on Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup>. Register at <https://salinadiocese.org/eucharistic-conference-2025>. All ages can attend.

## Vacation Bible School

VBS is May 27<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> from 9:00-11:15 a.m. for children ages 3 years old to next school year's 5<sup>th</sup> grade class.

### **Registration Link:**

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd\\_loXCTm5cDadnLU25C9GvAj1ZDLgBx5-kEEExLaHIFTXW2uw/viewform?usp=preview](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd_loXCTm5cDadnLU25C9GvAj1ZDLgBx5-kEEExLaHIFTXW2uw/viewform?usp=preview)

**Adult and Youth Help** is still needed. If you can help a day or more, please let Marita know. The time is 8:50 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Happy Birthday** to Frances Long who turns 93 on May 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Red Cross Blood Drive** is Wednesday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, at the Parish Center from 12:00-6:00 p.m. Sign up to donate blood at 1-800-733-2767 or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter ChapmanKS.

**New Liturgical Ministry Schedule:** the dates are from June 22<sup>nd</sup>-October 26<sup>th</sup>. Reminders:

- **Sundays** you do not want to be scheduled need to be given to Marita. **Sunday evening Mass** will be offered June 1<sup>st</sup>-August 24<sup>th</sup>.
- **Liturgical Ministers:** EMC, Lector, Greeters, Collection, Gift Bearers will be scheduled. Let Marita know if you want to change, delete or add any ministries.
- **Servers:** Next year's 4<sup>th</sup> graders and older are eligible to serve at Mass. To be added to the serving rotation, let Marita know. New servers will be scheduled starting August 24<sup>th</sup>. There will be training prior to that date.
- **Newer parish families:** let Marita know if you are interested in being scheduled for any of the ministries listed above.

### **Stewardship Sightings!**

- Roger Hummel and Roger Krinhop for straightening stones, placing fill dirt in low spots and repairing fence at the cemetery.
- The Junior families for hosting the Graduate Reception—Beck's, Valenzuela's and Whitehair's—and all who attended.
- Brent Blocker for making, painting and installing the wood inserts on the baseboards in church and placing carpet over the holes left from removing the radiator pipes.

### **Liturgical Ministers & Collection Counters**

**May 25**

EMC	Karman D, Terry M, Chris T
Lector	Jenny Whitehair
Servers	Reese Whitehair, Wakeen Whitehair
Greeters	Ryan & Laci Foltz Family
Collection	Dave & Mary A, Naomi L, Chris J
Gifts	Tim & Katie Wieters
Music	Marlo & Men's Choir
Collection	Kyle C & Marita C

## **Gifts to the Parish Last Week**

Loose plate	\$372.00
Envelopes	\$1,522.00
Yearly giving	\$3,500.00
On-line giving	\$1,380.00
Children	\$11.00
Parish Projects	\$10.00

### **Summer Sunday Evening Mass Returns!**

Starting Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, and continuing through Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 7:00 p.m. This is a "low" Mass with no music and is aimed for those returning from the lake, from sporting activities, or other weekend commitments.

### **Annual Work Day!**

**June 1<sup>st</sup>**

The Annual Work Day at St. Michael's will start with coffee, juice and rolls from the Tasty Pastry in Clay Center.

#### **Some Priority Projects:**

- ✓ Washing/scrubbing all the tables and chairs in the parish center & modulars.
- ✓ Finishing patching the parking spaces in front of the parish center.
- ✓ Repairing the room dividers in the big room of the parish center.
- ✓ Checking pews in church—some screws are needed.
- ✓ Inspecting the playground equipment.

### **Totus Tuus**

**Youth Program at St. Andrew's**

**June 8-13**

Totus Tuus is a Catholic program for youth dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic Faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness and Eucharistic worship. Kids who have just completed Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to learn more about their faith during this program. To learn more or to register go to [sacabilene.com/cre-cyo](http://sacabilene.com/cre-cyo).

### **Holy Moments!**

- ❖ Do something you loved as a child that you haven't done in a long time.
- ❖ Surprise someone with a care package.