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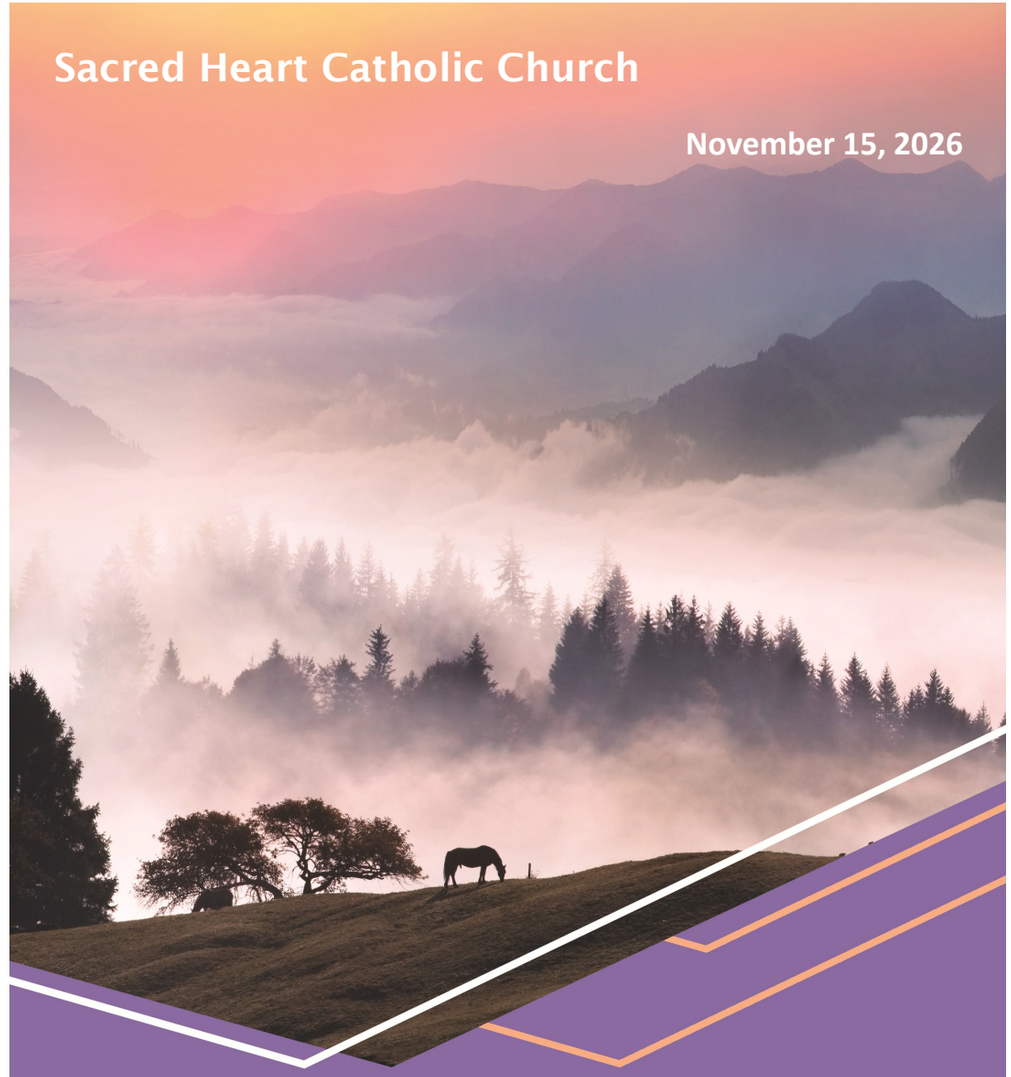
Sacred Heart Catholic Church

November 15, 2026



33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"'Well done, my good and faithful servant.'" – Mt 25:21

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Sacred Heart Catholic Church

1223 Madison

Father Stuart M. Smeltzer

Mailing Address: 428 N. 12th St. Fredonia, KS

Office: 620 378 3658 **Rectory**: 620 687 0876 (cell)

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening: 5:30 pm **Sunday Morning: 10:30 am**

Tuesday: 5:30 pm; **Thursday:** 8:00 am; **First Friday:** 8:00 am;
followed by Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Bulletin Deadline: Thurs. at 10 am

Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Thursday, Friday 9:00 am to Noon

Parish Secretary: Deborah Jacobsen

Email: sacredheart.fkb@gmail.com

Pastor's Email: frsmeltzer@gmail.com

Website: sacredheartks.org

October Collections:

$15,872.00

Sacraments

Baptism: Contact parish office

Sacrament of Penance: 30 minutes before each Mass or by appointment

Anointing of the Sick: Contact parish office or rectory

Matrimony: Contact parish office one year before wedding date.

Prayer Requests: *Please Pray for:*

Irene Hobbs	Finley Merrick	Sophia Gonzales
Oswaldo Bacani	Lucinda Jewell	Harold Goodner
Mark Greenlee	John Eck	Jace Huser
David Knickerbocker	Brent Weatherby	Janet Bambick
Levi Kimbrel	Linda Schnieder	Betty Wambsganss
Sharon Weishauu	Ron Betzen	Mary Jo Linn
Michelle Stoysich	Ted Palsmeier	Sandy Borror
Patrick Dyke	Eileen Petersen	Annie Noeller
Merry Hardin	Our Country	All Priests

Liturgical Minister Schedule October 2026

November

Date	Sacristan	Ushers	Lector	Gifts	Servers	
Oct. 31	Joyce Bracken	Steve Huser	Leanne Githens	S. & F. Huser		
Nov. 1st	Lenita Staton	Lenita Staton	Bob McKenney	McKenney Family	Kinzley Evans	Kallen Evans
Nov. 7	Connie O'Neill	Connie O'Neill	Meredith Odell	Signer Family		
Nov. 8	JoAnn Jones	JoAnn Jones	Jamie Camacho	Chard Family	Jayce Camacho	Sid McKenney
Nov. 14	Deb Jacobsen	Keith Jacobsen	Deb Jacobsen	Johnson Family		
Nov. 15	Lenita Staton	Lenita Staton	Matt Fischer	C. Huser Family	Vada Huser	Elliot Huser
Nov. 21	Joyce Bracken	Bob Lett	Leanne Githens	Jacobsen Family		
Nov. 22	JoAnn Jones	Youth Group	Youth Group	Youth Group	Youth Group	Youth Group
Nov. 28	Deb Jacobsen	Keith Jacobsen	Deb Jacobsen	Hoag Family		
Nov. 29	Judy Stockton	Ed Bambick	Joe Bambick	Fischer Family	Lalie Jimenez	Alfael Jimenez

Readings for the week of November 15, 2026

Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46

Observances for the week of November 15, 2026

Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

Tuesday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

Wednesday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Saturday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Next Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Sat.	11/14	5:30 pm	People of the Parish
Sun.	11/15	8:30 am	Dorothy Williams (STI)
		10:30 am	Souls in Purgatory
Tues.	11/17	5:30 pm	+George Norris
Wed.	11/18	5:30 pm	Souls in Purgatory (STI)
Thr.	11/19	8:00 am	+Louise Holmes
Fri.	11/20	8:00 am	Souls in Purgatory (STI)

Christ the King Sunday

Sat.	11/21	5:30 pm	+Anita Crawshaw
Sun.	11/22	8:30 am	People of the Parish (STI)
		10:30 am	+Roger Wambsganss

Fall Festival & Chili Cook-Off:

This Sunday, November 15th, beginning at 11:30 am at the Parish Hall.

There is something for every age. Come join us to celebrate Autumn and enjoy parish fellowship.

Advent Wreath, *Explained!*

The Advent Wreath as we know it today is a modern spin on an ancient practice — or rather, several of them.

Christians have always utilized candles to illustrate the metaphor of Christ as the "great light" shining on a people waiting in darkness (Isaiah 9:2). Historians tell us that pre-Christian societies in Europe also viewed candles as symbolic of the coming light of spring, and may have used wreaths of natural material along with these candles. Traditions and rituals surrounding an "Advent Wreath" are often thought to have originated in the Lutheran tradition in 16th-century Germany. Today, Advent Wreaths are a practice embraced by most Christians in the Western world.

An Advent Wreath consists of a circle of evergreen and four candles, one for each week of Advent. Three of the candles are purple; one is rose, representing Gaudete Sunday, a time of rejoicing at the closeness of Christmas. In Catholicism, Advent Wreaths are blessed on the First Sunday of Advent. For Advent Wreaths in private homes, it is appropriate for a family member to perform the blessing.

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Sacred Heart Outreach Advent Raffle

Free Will Donation = $5.00 per chance

or 3 chances for $10.00



Drawing to be held

November 29, 2026

Following 10:30 am Mass

November 15th through 21st

The Shoe Boxes have arrived! They are available in the vestibule or parish office. All boxes are due back by Friday, November 20th.

Volunteers Needed

We are in need of confirmed parishioners to volunteer to help fill liturgical minister schedule openings. All ministries have many openings: Lectors, Ushers, Gift Bearers, and Sacristans. The office will work with your personal schedule and train anyone who has not served before.

Please call or email the parish office to volunteer.

sacredheart.fkb@gmail.com

Seven Sisters: Ladies, we are in need of a volunteer to give an hour each Saturday to pray before the tabernacle for our Pastor, Father Smeltzer. Contact Kathy McVey @ (620) 288-0502