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### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Monday, May 27 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
NO DAILY MASS

**Tuesday, May 28– Sixth Week of Easter**  
6:00 p.n. - Confession @ Annunciation  
6:30 p.m.- Mass@Annunciation - Amelia Brott

**Wednesday, May 29 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
8:00 a.m. – Mass@Annunciation - Patricia Kronoshek

**Thursday, May 30 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
8:00 a.m. – Mass@Annunciation – David Kronoshek

**Friday, May 31 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
8:00 a.m. – Mass@Annunciation – Edward Canny

**Saturday, June 1 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
9:00 a.m.. - Mass@Annunciation – Matt and Mike Wray

**Sunday, June 2 – Sixth Week of Easter**  
8:00 a.m.. – Confessions@St. Francis  
8:30 a.m. – Mass@St. Francis – Richard Foster  
10:30 a.m. - Mass@Annunciation  
4:00 p.m.- Confessions @ Annunciation  
5:00 p.m. – Mass @ Annunciation

**WEEKLY OFFERING – May 19, 2019**  
**St. Francis – \$574.00**  
**Annunciation - \$1848.00**

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## Annunciation Catholic Church

### St. Francis Catholic Church

#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 26, 2019



"My peace I give to you"

Scripture: John 14:23-29

*Jesus answered him, "If a man loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. He who does not love me does not keep my words; and the word which you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me. "These things I have spoken to you, while I am still with you. But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, 'I go away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I go to the Father; for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place, you may believe.*

*Meditation: Do you know the love that surpasses all, that is stronger than death itself (Song of Songs 8:6)? In Jesus' last supper discourse he speaks of the love he has for his disciples and of his Father's love. He prepares his disciples for his imminent departure to return to his Father by exhorting them to prove their love for him through their loyalty and obedience to his word. He promises them the abiding instruction and consolation of the Holy Spirit.*

*God unites us to himself in a bond of love and peace*  
*Saint Augustine says the Lord loves each of us as if there were only one of us to love. God's love for each of us is as real and tangible as the love of a mother for her child and the love of a lover who gives all for his beloved. God made us in love for love - to know him personally and to grow in the knowledge of his great love for us and to love him in return.*

*How can we know and be assured of the love of God? The Holy Spirit helps us to grow in the knowledge of God and his great love. The Spirit enables us to experience the love of God and to be assured of the Lord's abiding presence with us (see Romans 8:35-39). The Holy Spirit also opens our ears to hear and understand the word of God. Do you listen attentively to God's word and believe it? Ask the Holy Spirit to inflame your heart with the love of God and his word.*

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### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Annunciation Knights of Columbus Council #11853 meets at 7 pm on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at The Lodge, Baldwin City. The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest lay Catholic fraternal service organization. Membership is open to all practical Catholic men in communion with the Holy See, age 18 and above. Visit our website at: [www.baldwinkofc.org](http://www.baldwinkofc.org) for more information or contact Grand Knight, Harvey Ward.



NEXT MEETING IS TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2019

First Saturday of the Month, Pro-Life Rosary recited at the Knights ground at 8 a.m.

### MINISTRY SCHEDULE AT ANNUNCIATION

Sunday, June 2, Mass at 10:30 a.m.  
Lector: Gerard Arantowicz  
Eucharistic Ministers: J. Berrier, E. Scott, D. Griffith  
Offertory: Brian Cramer Family  
Servers: K. Griffith, S. Griffith, J. Ruppert  
Ushers: Paula and Fred Mader  
Music: Trini Crocker, Greg Wessling

Sunday, June 2, at 5 p.m.  
Lector: Tim Donohue  
Offertory: Gregg Myer Family  
Servers: D. Myer, R. Myer, T. Myer  
Ushers: Gregg Myer Family  
Music: Trini Crocker, Joe Bollig

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**Eucharistic Adoration is the 1st Sunday of the month at Annunciation.**  
**NEXT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION JUNE 2nd.**

**May Intentions of Pope Francis:**  
The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity  
That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.



**ANNUNCIATION/ST. FRANCIS HAPPENINGS**  
**~CALENDAR OF EVENTS~**

**BISHOP BARRON DVD SERIES** will be shown on Wednesday, May 29, at 7 p.m. This week's showing is "Priest, Prophet, and King." Please join us!

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**, Sunday, June 2, at Annunciation from 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Confessions will be heard at 11:30 a.m. Plan to spend some special time with the Blessed Sacrament. Sign-up in the vestibule.

**FATHER JOE will be gone** to the Priest's Retreat, June 3-7. There will be no daily mass that week until Saturday, June 8, 9 a.m.

**WOMENS LUNCHEON** at Ives Chapel United Methodist Church, 1018 Miami, Baldwin City, will be Thursday, June 6, 12 p.m. Guest Speaker is Rev. Kevin Hopkins, Chaplain, Baker University. RSVP by May 29 to Ellen Grammer, 785-594-0337 if you wish to attend.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** will be held at Annunciation for our Catholic children **July 8-12**. Please mark your calendar and stay tuned for more details!



*Many thanks to Clinton Parkway Nursery for their help with beautifying our church grounds!*

**Hospitality Sunday at Annunciation**



**BALDWIN FOOD PANTRY**  
**IN NEED OF CEREAL AND other staples!** Drop off your donations in the parish hall or at the Food Pantry located at Baldwin First United Methodist Church, 704 Eighth Street, Baldwin City. The hours of operation are: Thursday, 7-8 p.m., & Saturday, 9-11 a.m. **HELP FEED THE HUNGRY!**

**Annunciation Parish**  
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**BU Campus Ministry**  
 Campus Center  
 609 8th Street  
 Baldwin City, KS 66006

**St. Francis Parish**  
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**Parish Office**  
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 Tuesday-Friday from 9-12

*For a personal appointment with Father Joe please call him at 785-594-3700.*

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**REFLECTION**

We could take a clue on understanding some dimensions of "how to love, the way Jesus loved" by taking recourse to the 15th Chapter of St John. Jesus speaks of three dimensions of love in this Gospel passage (Jn 15)

1. A Love that is obedient: Jesus says, "If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love" (Jn 15: 10) Jesus remained in the love of the Father, by doing His commandments. And he enjoins the same principle of Obedient Love to His disciples too.

2. A Love that is sacrificial:

Jesus says, "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends" (Jn 15: 13). Jesus showed the depth of His love by undertaking the highest sacrifice of His own life. And he enjoins the same principle of Sacrificial Love to His disciples too.

3. A Love that is fruitful:

Jesus says, "... I chose and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain..." (Jn 15: 16). Jesus showed the quality of His love by displaying the fruits of compassion, tender mercy, an accommodating heart, gentleness and generosity. And he enjoins the same principle of Fruitful Love to His disciples too.

The Lord has loved us tremendously... with a love that is obedient, sacrificial and fruitful.

Each of us is to possess this same treasure of love.

May the Lord enable us to be filled from His fountain of love and share His joy and peace to a world that is broken and seeks for consolation, comfort and calm, and thus help us to share in His Dwelling place "where every tear will be wiped away and there will be no more death or mourning, wailing or pain..." (Rev 21: 4)

**MARRIAGE MINUTE**

As parents, we experience love and respect from our children every time they listen to and obey one of our rules. Good parents always have a very good reason for giving their children rules.

The motivation usually has something to do with protecting them from harm, even though our children don't always understand.

This weekend, Jesus tells us that obedience to him is our way of demonstrating our love and respect for him. Jesus has many "rules" for us married couples intended to protect our marriages and help them flourish, but sometimes we are tempted to dismiss those "rules" because we don't understand them.

To help grow in your understanding of difficult teachings:

- Start with the assumption that the Church wants the best for its married couples.
- Study the "why" behind the "what" of the difficult teaching.

Register now: [www.archkck.org/everyday](http://www.archkck.org/everyday)

**Prayer for Priests**

*O Jesus, our great High Priest, Hear my humble prayers on behalf of your priests.*

*Give them a deep faith, a bright and firm hope, and a burning love which will ever increase in the course of their priestly life.*

*In their loneliness, comfort them*

*In their sorrows, strengthen them*

*In their frustrations, point out to them that it is through suffering that the soul is purified,*

*and show them that they are needed by the Church, they are needed by souls, they are needed for the work of redemption.*

*O loving Mother Mary, Mother of Priests, take to your heart your sons who are close to you because of their priestly ordination, and because of the power which they have received to carry on the work of Christ in a world which needs them so much.*

*Be their comfort, be their joy, be their strength, and especially help them to live and to defend the ideals of consecrated celibacy. Amen*

**MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Mon. May 27:** ACTS 16:11-15, PS 149:1B-2, 3-4, JN 15:26—16:4A

**Tue. May 28:** ACTS 16:22-34; PS 138:1-2AB, JN 16:5-11

**Wed. May 29:** ACTS 17:15, 22—18:1, PS 148:1-2, 11-12, JN 16:12-15

**Th. May 30:** ACTS 18:1-8, PS 98:1, 2-3AB, JN 16:16-20

**Fri. May 31:** ZEP 3:14-18A; ISAIAH 12:2-3; LK 1:39-56

**Sat. June 1:** ACTS 18:23-28; PS 47:2-3, 8-9, 10, JN 16:23B-28

Catholic websites for daily Mass readings: from the US Conference of Catholic Bishops Read or listen to an audio recording at: [goodnews@franciscanmedia.org](mailto:goodnews@franciscanmedia.org)



**~FAITH~ FAMILY~ COMMUNITY~**

*Congratulations Annunciation High School Graduates!*



*Sydney Thurlow, Ellie Gerstner, Kennedy Chrisco, & Prax Myer*

**FAREWELL TO MIRIAM WALSKI**

*Miriam is leaving after one year of being our beautiful organist and much more. She is getting married to Jacob and will be moving to Wisconsin. We will miss you. Thank you and wishing you all the best!*

