



# Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church

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## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST - JUNE 7, 2026

### Mass Times

Daily: Monday-Saturday, 8:00 am

Saturday: 4:00 pm & 5:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am

### Confessions:

Wednesdays: Noon

Saturdays: 2:45-3:45 pm

1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays: 7:00-7:45 am



### June Prayer Intention of the Holy Father For the values of sports.

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.



**Readings:** GN 14:18-20; PS 110:1, 2, 3, 4; 1 COR 11:23-26; LK 9:11b-17

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. Our readings focus on the incredible gift of the Eucharist.

As stewards, we recognize that all we are and all we have are gifts from God. Among the greatest of these gifts is the Eucharist — Christ’s very Body and Blood, given to us for our spiritual nourishment.

Jesus makes this clear in the Gospel through the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves. He takes what is offered, blesses it, and transforms it into more than enough to feed the crowd.

The same is true in our lives. When we offer our gifts to the Lord, He multiplies them beyond what we could ever imagine.

Through the Eucharist, we are strengthened to live the stewardship way of life. Let us receive this gift with gratitude and allow it to transform how we live, give, and serve.

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**Online Survey**

Your feedback will directly guide the **Renewal from the Heartland** pastoral planning process for our parishes and our archdiocese. The survey asks about your priorities for:

- Worship and sacraments
- Belonging, service and community
- Faith and spiritual Formation
- Transparency and accountability

**LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD**

June 1 - 22

<https://archkck.org/renewal-heartland/>

**Immediate Need in Adoration: Thursday 5:00 - 6:00 pm & Friday 11:00 - 12:00 pm**

Sign up by using the QR Code to the right, and click “Weekly Commitment”.



The Most Pure Heart of Mary Book Club, will meet on Wednesday, June 10 at 1:00 pm in the Culhane Room. We will discuss "Anthem" by Ayn Rand. It's a very short book so read it and come to discuss it. Our next selection will be "Crime and Punishment" by Fyodor Dostoyevsky. It is a very long book and we will discuss it at July and August meetings. Questions may be directed to Mary Adkins at 758-846-8566.



Most Pure Heart of Mary Pro-Life Rosary, Thursday, June 11, 6:30 pm, in the church, and every 2nd Thursday of each month. Please join us in praying for the conversion of hearts and to save the innocent lives of the unborn.

*You're invited to*

# Pizza & Parenting

Connect with other families and gain insight through a video-based parenting series



**July 17<sup>th</sup> - 5:30-7:30pm**  
**O'Connor Hall**

Childcare Available

Register here:  
[https://communio.io/c/mostpureheart/e/JulyPizzaandParenting?utm\\_code=IR](https://communio.io/c/mostpureheart/e/JulyPizzaandParenting?utm_code=IR)

*Summer 2026*


## BOOK STUDY

Join us this summer as we read and discuss  
**Jacques Philippe's**  
**The Eight Doors of the Kingdom: Meditations on the Beatitudes**

*If you've ever scratched your head at the paradoxes of these bold statements by Jesus... or wondered how this teaching applies to your daily life - this study is for you!*

5 weeks starting Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30pm  
\$15 includes book and study materials  
Contact Sarah to register; [sholthaus@mphm.com](mailto:sholthaus@mphm.com) 785-272-4727

*"Blessed are the poor in spirit ... those who mourn ... the meek ... the persecuted ... Matthew 5*



WELCOME

# Summer



**MPHM Parish Office Hours**  
Monday - Thursday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm  
Friday 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

# FOOD DRIVE!

for Catholic Charities



Saturday, June 20th from 1-3 PM  
In front of St. Vincent's 1800 SW Stone Ave.

**Food Needs:** Peanut Butter, Boxed Meals, Tuna, Rice, Canned Fruits, Canned Meats, Canned Soups, Pasta, Beans (dry or canned), Breakfast Foods, Baking Items, Condiments, Bottled Water

**Hygiene Needs:** Shampoo, Deodorant, Tooth Brushes, Tooth Paste, Small Kleenex Packs, Lip Balm, Combs/Brushes, Razors, Shaving Cream, Feminine Products

**Cleaning Needs:** Dish Soap, All-Purpose Cleaner, Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Laundry Soap

NO GLASS PLEASE

## Wedding Anniversary Masses

At all weekend Masses on  
Jun 13 & 14, 2026


Couples married during the months April, May or June will be acknowledged.

We pray for peace in the world and our men and women in uniform, especially for:

- Air Force:** Caleb Leenerts, Garrett Mazachek, Caleb Gish
- Air National Guard:** Ryan Matzke, Aidan Renyer
- Army:** Brodie Cronister, Keaton Shelman, Nick Smith
- Marines:** Tyler Gilchrist
- Navy:** Chris Archer, Jairus Creager
- Law Enforcement:** Heather Martens, Jonathan Martens, Daniel Masilionis, Laura Mayer

Stewardship of Treasure Update	
Fiscal Year July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026	
Weekly Total May 27 - June 2, 2026	
Envelopes	\$38,390
Electronic Giving	\$6,365
Plate/Loose Checks	\$2,371
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$47,126</b>
Maintenance and Improvement Fund	\$476

Intentions at St. John of the Cross Kronum, Kumasi, Ghana, Fr. Michael Kantanka
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of the Ronnebaum &amp; Welch families</b> ~ 6:00 am: June 8, 2026
† <b>Bill Gaston</b> ~ 6:00 am: June 9, 2026
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of the Appel &amp; Crock families</b> ~ 6:00 am: June 10, 2026
† <b>Bill Gaston</b> ~ 7:00 pm: June 11, 2026
<b>Living &amp; Deceased Members of the McGivern family</b> ~ 6:00 am: June 12, 2026
† <b>Bill Gaston</b> ~ 6:30 am: June 13, 2026
<b>Hickey Family</b> ~ 8:30 am: June 13, 2026



**Thank You**  
TO THE  
**113 MOST PURE HEART OF MARY**  
Parishioners  
WHO STOOD UP FOR THE MARGINALIZED IN OUR COMMUNITY!

REPORTING ON A SUCCESSFUL NEHEMIAH ACTION ASSEMBLY!  
The total number of attendees at Lee Area on April 30<sup>th</sup> was **1,058!**

**Besides a powerful tourout, what were the highlights of the evening?**

- That night, we celebrated the creation of the violence reduction program JUMP had been pressing for over several years. At last year's action, Topeka Police Chief Chris Vallejo had committed to assign a liaison from his office to this program and share open data with violence interrupters- two vital components of a violence reduction strategy. He followed through on that commitment- and the team of violence interrupters got to work in late 2025
- We celebrated the violence interruption team and Chief Vallejo for following through on his commitment.
- We also won key commitments from two city council members surrounding a proposed sales tax for affordable housing and homelessness. They share that they'd advocate for funding generated to be put towards the top proven solutions from the city's own housing and homelessness studies- so voters can be sure any funding generated would be used effectively. They reminded us that they are just two of nine council members, so our work on this effort is just beginning.
- Council members were impressed by our PEOPLE POWER & that proved to make a difference, much like NEHEMIAH'S Action from the Bible of uniting & protecting his community.

**Ultreya! – Onward! – Keep Going!**

The local Cursillo group meets Tuesday, June 9 at St. Joseph Parish in Shawnee at 7pm, enter the south church doors and go down the stairs. Join us in discussion and learn more about how to get your prayer life in tune, new ways to enhance your faith formation and listen to a short witness talk about how Christ is working in the life of one of our lay members. Everyone is welcome. Questions about Cursillo? Contact: Mary Ellen Deters, 785-249-9073, larrydeters@sbcglobal.net

**Christ the King Rosary Garden Club** extends an invitation to all Catholics to come pray with us in the Rosary Garden. Warmer weather has arrived and monthly rosaries will again be in the Rosary Garden on the 3rd Tuesday of the month May through October, 2026.

- Tuesday Jun 16 7 PM
- Tuesday Jul 21 7 PM
- Tuesday Aug 18 7 PM
- Tuesday Sep 16 7 PM
- Tuesday Oct 20 7 PM

**Widowed Women of Faith** - Join us on Tuesday, June 16th for lunch and companionship from 11:00 am-1:00 pm in the back room at Perkins Restaurant, 1720 SW Wanamaker Rd, Topeka. No RSVP needed.  
Questions:WidowedWomenofFaith@gmail.com or call Julie at 913-558-0191.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe** is looking for a full-time Office Manager. Full time description provided to candidates. Interest candidates please send resumes to: olgofficemanager@olg-parish.com

Come join us for prayer, fellowship and good conversation. Invite a friend or two, all are welcome.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, June 8**

8:00 am (T): † Ray Vossen

**Tuesday, June 9**

8:00 am (H): † Emil L. Arp

**Wednesday, June 10**

8:00 am (T): † Bruce Reichmuth

**Thursday, June 11**

8:00 am (H): † Tom Gannon

**Friday, June 12**

8:00 am (T): † Craig Grimes

**Saturday, June 13**

8:00 am Collective Mass (H): † Dana Linnebur, Holmes Family, † Eli Devlin

4:00 pm (H): Living & Deceased Members of the Arthur Abruzetti Family

5:30 pm (T): Living & Deceased Members of the Moffet Family

**Sunday, June 14**

7:30 am (T): † Fred & Carol Shaw

9:30 am (H): † Denis Berg & Barbara Berg

11:30 am (H): Most Heart of Mary Parishioners

*Celebrants: Fr. Nathan Haverland (H); Fr. Tanti (T)  
Celebrants are subject to last-minute changes*



**Jake Spence & Mary Kyle**  
*Saturday, June 27, 2026*

**PRAYER CORNER**

**Prayers for Homebound and Health Issues**

Darrell Alexander	Steve LaGrone
Robbie Armentrout	Timothy Lednický
Mary Jo Bergkamp	Jan Lippincott
Edith Breithaupt	Toni Lippincott
Carolyn Brentlinger	Margaret Masilionis
Owen Burns	Jerri & Roger Matzke
Dory Bushong	Neil McCullough
Steve Clifton	Cathy Mies
Julie Combs	Brian Neal
Bob Conroy	Jennifer Newcomer
Kelly Davis	Andrea Diane Nienhuis
Darara Duran	Mike Nolen
Vincent Gish	Sarah O'Laughlin
Robin Halbert	Stephani Paletta
Judy Hartegan	Patricia Quinn
LeRoy Haug	Becky Reyer
Michael Hogan	Teri Rogers
Mary Hohman	Ford Ross
Julane Hovorka	Phyllis Shaw
Suzi Hubb	Maureen Smith
Janice Johnson	Jane Spice
Johnny King	Joe & Mary Tetuan
Sandy Klene	Donna Thompson
Darryl Krape	Adela Vargas
Patricia Kratina	Nancy Weber

**Souls of Joe Goss, Rena Ann Poole** - mother of Brad Poole, **Pat Dugan, Mary Triggs** - mother of Tim Triggs, and all the faithful departed. May they rest in the peace of our Lord.

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