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Ray Velasquez,
whose faith guides us still
My child, my life
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Loving Creator, You formed the earth and blessed it with rivers, seas, and clouds. Look kindly upon our land in its thirst.
Send us the gift of gentle rain, that the soil may be renewed, the crops flourish, and all creatures may find refreshment.
Through Christy our Lord.
Amen

MARY QUEEN OF PEACE
804 N. Colorado, Ulysses, KS 67880
& ST. BERNADETTE
105 N. Chestnut, Johnson, KS 67855
Catholic Churches



September 6, 2026
Rev. Alexander Jerus, Pastor | Deacon Apolonio Rodriguez
804 N. Colorado • Ulysses, Kansas 67880

WHERE TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED TOGETHER IN MY NAME
There Am I
in the midst of them.
Donde dos o tres se reúnen en mi nombre,
AHÍ ESTOY YO
en medio de ellos"

Confessions
Thursday
6:00 - 6:30 p.m.
Saturday
10:00 a.m.
St. Bernadette
Wednesday
5:00 p.m.

Adoration
Mary Queen of Peace
Every Thursday
1:00 - 8:00 p.m.
St. Bernadette
Every Wednesday
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Parish Info
Office Hours
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1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
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PSR DRE
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Mass Intention for the Week | Intención de Misa para la Semana

Tuesday, Sept. 8	7:00 pm	Español	Ulysses	† Fabian Luna	Dan & Lupita McNett
Wednesday, Sept. 9	6:00 pm	English	Johnson	† Uriel Tarin	Carrie Tarin
Thursday, Sept. 10	12:10 pm	English	Ulysses	† Jorge Alonso Heredia	Dan & Lupita McNett
Friday, Sept. 11	10:00 am	Western Prairie	Ulysses	† Monica Rowton	Kendra, John, Keith, Starla
Saturday, Sept. 12	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	English Español	Johnson Johnson	Int of Rain Int of Parishioners	Kathy Olson
Sunday, Sept. 13	9:00 am 11:00 am	English Español	Ulysses Ulysses	† Hilario Garcia † Ahron Espino	Graciela Garcia Familia Espino

PRAYER REQUEST | ORACIÓN

Virginia Cavasos, Elizar Perez, Adolfo Gonzalez, Maria Gonzalez, Bruce Limper, Irene Garcia, Vernon Mummey, Dan Rios, John Euliss, Cecilia Longoria, Elijah Longoria, Catalina Pardo, Elia Pauda, Rey Ramirez, Javier Muñoz, Ramiro Carrada, Felipe Garcia, Irene Pauda, Galindo-Carrasco’s Family, Marco Mendoza, Alondra Serrano, Elia Hernandez, Ciria Ramirez, Aaron Shapland. (Please call the parish office to add or remove names from this list)

WEEKLY CALENDAR / CALENDARIO SEMANAL	
Sept. 6	10:00 a.m. Friedship Coffee / Café Amistoso
Sept. 7	Office Closed in observance of Labor Day <i>Oficina cerrada con motivo del Día del Trabajo</i>
Sept. 9	PSR classes Clases de Catecismo Fr. Alex all day at Johnson <i>P. Alex todo el día Johnson</i>
Sept. 10	6:35 p.m. Pastoral Mtg. / Junta del Consejo Pastoral

PARISH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS CLASSES
CLASES DE CATECISMO
PSR Classes will begin on September 9th, 2026

All classes will be taught on Wednesday nights
6:00 PM –7:00 PM 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th Grades & Youth OCIA
7:15-8:15 PM Youth Group (9th grade and over) Staring Sept. 23
7:30 PM – 8:30 PM 5th, 6th, Grades, Pre-Confirmation & Confirmation
Adult OCIA classes will be held on Tuesdays at
7:00 PM starting Sept. 8th, 2026

Open Enrollments: During office hours: 8am-12pm & 1-4pm
NO registrations will be taken on **Wednesdays** once classes start.
A late fee of \$10.00 per family will be assessed on the registration forms turned in after Sept. 29, 2026.
No registration will be accepted after Sept. 29 for First Communion & Confirmation Students unless they are new parishioners.

Las clases de PSR comenzarán el 9 de septiembre de 2026.

Todas las clases se impartirán los miércoles por la noche:
6:00 PM– 7:00 PM Grados 1.º, 2.º, 3.º y 4.º, y OCIA para jóvenes
7:15 PM – 8:15 PM Grupo de jóvenes (9.º grado en adelante);
comienza el 23 de septiembre
7:30 PM – 8:30PM Grados 5.º y 6.º, Pre-Confirmación y Confirmación
Las clases de OCIA para adultos se impartirán los martes a las
7:00 p. m., a partir del 8 de septiembre de 2026.

Inscripciones abiertas: Durante el horario de oficina
(8:00 a. m. – 12:00 p. m. y de 1:00 p. m. -- 4:00 p. m.)
NO se aceptarán inscripciones los miércoles una vez iniciadas las clases.
Se aplicará un cargo por inscripción tardía de \$10.00 por familia a los formularios entregados después del 29 de septiembre de 2026.
No se aceptarán inscripciones después del 29 de septiembre para los estudiantes de Primera Comuni3n y Confirmaci3n, a menos que sean nuevos feligreses.

LOVE
does no evil to
the neighbor
Romans 13:10

NO TENGAN CON NADIE
OTRA DEUDA QUE LA
DEL AMOR MUTUO
Romanos 13:10

September 6, 2026

Weekly Readings | Lecturas Semanales

Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Rom 13:8-10/Mt 18:15-20	SUN
1 Cor e5:1-8 / Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12 / Lk 6:6-11	MON
Mic 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Psalm 13:6ab, 6c /Mt 1:1-16, 18-23	TUE
1 Cor 7:25-31 / Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17 / Lk 6:20-26	WED
1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13 / Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24 / Lk 6:27-38	THUR
1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27 / Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12 / Lk 6:39-42	FRI
1 Cor 10:14-22 / Ps 116:12-13, 17-18 / Lk 6:43-49	SAT
Sir 27:30—28:7 / Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 / Rom 14:7-9/ Mt 18:21-35	Next SUN

MINISTRIES FOR THE COMING WEEK
MINISTROS PARA LA PR3XIMA SEMANA
ST. BERNADETTE | SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2026

Lector: Sharon Porter
Servers: Idalie Molina & Everly Ellis
EMOC: Clint & Toni Floyd

MARY QUEEN OF PEACE | SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2026
Servers: Gatlin P., Aniya P., Gavyn R.
Lector: Evelina V. **Song Leader:** Donna L.
EMOC: Barbara R., Joyan R., Amber S.
Greeters: Nancy B., Victor H., Kent K.
Ushers: Israel L., Victor L. Jr., Tom H., David R.
Money Counters: Dan McNett & David Kinkelaar

SANTA BERNARDITA | SABADO 12 DE SEPT. DE 2026
Lector: Armando Avelar **Monaguillos:** Daisy Figueroa
Ministro Com: Armando y Naty Avelar

MARÍA REINA DE LA PAZ | DOMINGO 13 DE SEP., 2026
Monaguillos: Jose S., Jisell A., Zaylinn G.
Lectores: Lupita Mc. y Jazmin R. **Comentador:** Marina A.
Ministro de Comuni3n: Trinidad y Gloria Hernandez
Comuni3n Enfermos: Julieta N. y Concepci3n N.
Ujieres: Aurelio B., Jose M., Josué L.
Coro: Santa María

ST. BERNADETTE PSR NEWS

NOTICIAS DEL CATECISMO SANTA BERNARDITA

1 st Grade	4:00–4:45 p.m.
2 nd Grade	4:45–5:30 p.m.
3 rd Grade	5:45–6:30 p.m.
4 th Grade	4:00–4:45 p.m.
5 th Grade	6:30–7:30 p.m.
6 th Grade	} 7:45–8:30 p.m.
7 th Grades	
8 th & Up grade	

Catechism classes will begin on September 9, 2026.
Las clases del Catecismo comenzarán el 9 de Sep. de 2026.

FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR | DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PARRACO

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Matthew 18:15–20)
Jesus teaches us that community is fragile, and keeping it healthy requires courage. When a brother or sister wrongs us, the temptation is to gossip or hold a grudge. Jesus gives us a radical path: go directly to the person. Fraternal correction is not about shaming others; it is about saving them and restoring the relationship. True reconciliation starts with honesty, moves through prayer, and ends in a love that refuses to let the other person. Fr. Alex

XXIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario (Mateo 18, 15–20)
Jesús nos enseña que la comunidad es frágil y mantenerla sana requiere valentía. Cuando un hermano nos hace daño, la tentaci3n es chismear o guardar rencor. Jesús nos da un camino radical: ve directamente a la persona. La correcci3n fraterna no trata de avergonzar, sino de salvar y restaurar. La verdadera reconciliaci3n comienza con la honestidad, pasa por la oraci3n y termina en un amor que se niega a dejar ir al otro. P. Alex

BECOMING CATHOLIC / CONVERTIRSE EN CAT3LICO

It is time to think about OCIA - Orden of Christian Initiation of Adults. Sessions will be starting in September for those who would like to become Catholic.

- Adults who have not been baptized or are already baptized in another non-Catholic Church.
- Catholic adults who have not received First Communion and Confirmation.
- Children/youth older than 7 who have not been baptized

Call Eric Feezor (353-9916) or come to the parish office for more information.

Es momento de pensar en el RICA (Rito de Iniciaci3n Cristiana para Adultos). En Septiembre comenzarán las sesiones para quienes deseen hacerse Cat3licos: ● Adultos que no han sido bautizados o que ya han sido bautizados en otra Iglesia no Cat3lica. ● Adultos Cat3licos que no han recibido la Primera Comuni3n y la Confirmaci3n. ● Niños o jóvenes mayores de 7 años que no han sido bautizados. Llame a la oficina parroquial para más informaci3n.

HOME PRODUCTS DINNER, Tuesday September 15 We will again be preparing potatoes for the Home Products Dinner. Volunteers are needed to peel 125 pounds of potatoes on Monday night, Sept. 14th at 6 p.m. at the kitchen of the Civic Center. Volunteers are also needed on Tuesday morning, Sept. 15, at 9 a.m. to slice the potatoes and prepare them for the cooking. Please bring your own potatoes peelers and knives.
The Home Products Dinner Committee has asked that we also provide three servers for the Dinner, Tuesday evening, Sept. 16th Please contact Cindy Borthwick 353-8770, if you can help with this project.

CENA DE PRODUCTOS DE CASA, lunes 15 de septiembre Volveremos a preparar las papas para la Cena de Productos de Casa. Necesitan voluntarios para pelar 57 kilos de papas el lunes 14 de Sept. a las 6PM en la cocina del Centro Cívico. También se necesitan voluntarios el martes 15 de septiembre a las 9AM para cortar las papas y prepararlas para cocinar. Por favor, traigan sus propios peladores y cuchillos. El Comité de la Cena de Productos de Casa también nos ha solicitado que proporcionemos tres meseros para la cena del martes 15 de septiembre. Si necesitan colaborar con este proyecto, por favor, contacten a Cindy Borthwick al 353-8770.

Cursillistas

FIESTA DE COLORES

La Amistad con Dios

DOMINGO 20 DE SEPT.

11:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Grant County Civic Center, Ulysses, KS

¡Vénganse con su familia y amigos!

- ♥ Comida
- ♥ Música
- ♥ Rifa
- ♥ Comunidad
- ♥ Y mucho más

¡Los esperamos!

75th Anniversary Celebration

ALL ARE INVITED!

The Catholic Diocese of Dodge City is celebrating its 75th anniversary in 2026. To mark the anniversary, a diocesan celebration will be held on Saturday, September 12th, 2026, at the Cathedral of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Dodge City. This is a pilgrimage opportunity that will include Mass, a meal, confessions, Eucharistic Adoration, and a Diocesan Archives Jubilee Exhibit.

Let’s make plans for us all to go, fill the cathedral, and give thanks to God for so many blessings, while entrusting our very existence to God.

"Today, if you hear His voice, do not harden your hearts"
Hebrews 3:15

CONTRIBUTION CONTRIBUCIÓN

JOHNSON
AUGUST 29, 2026

\$ 865.00 Eng. Mass
\$384.00 Sp. Mass

ULYSSES
AUGUST 30, 2026

\$ 2,694.00 Eng. Mass
\$ 1,442.00 Sp. Mass

Thank you so much!

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle A

