

# EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019

Sat.	4-20	8:00 p.m.	<i>Easter Vigil</i> (St. Francis) + Betty Westhoff
Sun.	4-21	8:00 a.m.	<i>Easter Sunday</i> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parish
Sun.	4-21	10:00 a.m.	<i>Easter Sunday</i> (St. Francis) + Pat Diskin
Mon.	4-22	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) + Charles Gouvion
Tue.	4-23	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) NO MASS
Wed.	4-24	6:30 p.m.	(St. Francis) + Frank Oplotnik
Thur.	4-25	8:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) + Norma Jean Caldwell
Fri.	4-26	10:00 a.m.	Funeral for Carol Jacquinot in Walnut
Sat.	4-27	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) For loved one's return to the faith
Sat.	4-27	5:30 p.m.	<i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i> (St. Francis) + Betty Roberts
Sun.	4-28	8:00 a.m.	<i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i> (St. Ambrose) W.W. Holland Family
Sun.	4-28	10:00 a.m.	<i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i> (St. Francis) People of the Parish

*CONFESSIONS: Sat. 4:30 p.m.—5:20 p.m. at St. Francis & 30 minutes before daily & Sunday Masses*

## St. Ambrose Church

**Extr. Minister of Holy Communion:** Donna Bohrer

**Lector:** Jim Carlson

**Server:** Bill & Nancy Schoenhofer

**Gifts:** Jack & Carolyn McGowen

**Rosary:** Doris

**Ushers for April:** Cindy Lero & Laura Hoppas

**Donuts & Coffee for April 28th:** Sandy & Carol

## Stewardship of Treasure

		Total Amount Needed
St. Francis	\$5,414.37	\$5,500.17
St. Ambrose	\$850.00	\$1,014.00

**Please remember your parish in your will.**

**Prayers are asked for the following:** Kathy Westhoff, Justin Venneman, Sue Shively, Pat Moore, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Adrienne Smith, Bailey Shaw, Billy Brown, Adam Westhoff, Stephanie Thompson, Lisa Edwards, Janey Beachner, Bryan Whelan, Ron Lallemand, Donna Little, Mary Ann Dougherty, Janice (Ward) Norris, Jane Anne Beachner, Dalton Noakes, W.W. Holland, Jerry Beachner, Chuck Westhoff, Lu Reeves, Lou Severt, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Delma Pillot, Nina Madl, Dorothy Petty, Diane Davis, Sandra Schoenhofer, Helen George, Phyllis Coomes, Ralph Gouvion, Barbara Workman, Marge McElroy, Nancy Giefer, Peg Brown, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, Jamie & Dakota Holding Family, Anna Letcher, Joe Gorge, David Lero, Walter Ptasznik, Becky Vitt, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly

**If you would like to add someone to the Prayer List, please call the parish office at 449-2224.**

## St. Francis Church

**Lector & Music Leaders:**

Sat. Gary VanLeeuwen & Jennifer Salazar

Sun. Jene' Noe & Mary Smith

**Extr. Minister of Holy Communion:**

Sat. Donna Wood

Sun. Marcia Gard & Joe Smith

**Altar Servers:**

Sat. Maggie, Ava, Chloe

Sun. Riley, Kiser, Chase

**Gifts:**

Sat. M/M Carl Brungardt

Sun. M/M Lon Smith

**Rosary Leaders:**

Sat. Jane Anne Beachner

Sun. Teresa Grosdidier

**Ushers for April:**

Sat. Don Vitt, Mike Schoenhofer, Keith VanLeeuwen

Sun. Dan Vitt, Clarke Westhoff, Mark VanLeeuwen

**Church Cleaners for April 26th:** Janet VanLeeuwen, Heather Vogel, Barbara Winter, Helen Schettler, Danielle Mattox

**THE ST. FRANCIS CYM EASTER EGG HUNT** will be held in front of St. Francis Church on Easter Sunday after the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Francis for all children 12 and under. Be sure to bring your Easter Basket!

**RICE BOWLS** can be brought back to the Church anytime. Please put them on the back table in the Church.

**STEWARDSHIP OUR GIFTS: WHO ARE YOU FOLLOWING?** He is Risen! Alleluia! Today is a perfect day to stop and quietly reflect on this year's Stewardship poster. You can likely find one posted in your church, or perhaps you have the image at home. In it we have the Easter sunrise, and we see Peter and John as they are running to tell the other disciples that Jesus is no longer in the tomb. It is the perfect illustration for today's Gospel. Peter's face shows awe and wonder, while John's expression is one of love and concern. In both of their faces, we can see Jn 20:9, "For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead." Where do you place yourself in this image? Perhaps you are standing along the side of the road, watching them run past you. Maybe you are running right next to them. Maybe you are at home, just waking up to hear the news. What emotions are shown on *your* face as you come to realize that Jesus is ALIVE?! How will you go about your day, the coming week, or the rest of your life knowing that because of Jesus' resurrection, you are also FULLY ALIVE?

**LIFESAVER SUNDAY WEEKEND FOR A BETTER CHOICE** The weekend of April 28th is Lifesaver Sunday! A special effort to support our local Catholic pregnancy center, A Better Choice, will follow each Mass. This ministry provides hope through, peer counseling, pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, and material assistance for women struggling with the fear of unplanned pregnancy to make a choice for life. All services are provided at no cost to any woman seeking help. Your continued financial support is needed to sustain the ministry. Please be generous in this Knights of Columbus drive to support a culture of life in our society. Consider A Better Choice with your prayer, time, talent, or gifts. You may learn more at [www.pregnancywichita.com](http://www.pregnancywichita.com).

**PSR NEWS:**

**PSR CLASS ON APRIL 24TH** will be held in the Church. You can drop off/pick up there 7:00-8:00 p.m. All students in K-8th grades will have a part in the Living Rosary. High School students will meet in the Rectory Basement.

**MAY CROWNING, MASS & LIVING ROSARY** will be Wednesday, May 1st 7:00—8:00 p.m. All K-8th grade PSR students will be participants in the Living Rosary. Please come and join them in praying to our Blessed Mother for her protection and guidance of our youth & the sacredness of human life. The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to three young children in 1917 at Fatima and specifically asked that we pray the rosary for the conversion of sinners, poor souls in Purgatory and peace in the world. Let us try and answer that call!

**TOTUS TUUS SUMMER PROGRAM** will be held at St. Francis July 21-26. Save the date!!

**ST. FRANCIS GARDEN** We are in need of volunteers to water and maintain the flowers in the garden again this year. If you are interested please contact Diane Coomes or Elaine VanLeeuwen.

**ST. AMBROSE ALTAR SOCIETY** will meet after Mass next Sunday, April 28th.

**INFORMATIONAL NIGHT FOR PARENTS OF PERSONS WITH A DISABILITY, APRIL 29TH** Parents of children or adults with a disability are invited to an informational night Monday, April 29, from 6:30 to 8:45 p.m., in the St. Joseph Pastoral Center, 437 N. Topeka, in Wichita. The event features five speakers who will make presentations on various topics related to disability. Spanish interpreters and listening systems will be available to translate in real time. Call 316-269-3900 for more information.

**OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY** to the family and friends of Carol Jacquinot, who passed away Wednesday, April 17th. *Eternal Rest grant unto her O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her. And may all of the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

**FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CAROL JACQUINOT** will be held on Friday, April 26th at 10:00 a.m. in Walnut. The Rosary will be Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. at Walnut. There will be no 7:30 a.m. Mass at St. Francis.

# HAPPY EASTER TO EVERYONE!