

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD-APRIL 4, 2021

Sat.	4-3	8:30 p.m.	Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil (St. Francis) +Don & Barbara Born
Sun.	4-4	7:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (St. Francis) +Jeanette Wolken
Sun.	4-4	9:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (St. Francis) People of the Parishes
Sun.	4-4	11:00 a.m.	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord (St. Francis) +Mary (Hofer) Clarkin
Mon.	4-5	10:00 a.m.	Funeral Mass of Kathy Westhoff (NO EARLY MASS)
Tue.	4-6	10:00 a.m.	Funeral Mass for Brayden Beachner
Wed.	4-7	10:00 a.m.	Funeral Mass for Marjorie Gillespie (NO EVENING MASS)
Thur.	4-8	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Rex Bohrer
Fri.	4-9	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Jody Beachner
Sat.	4-10	5:00 p.m.	Sunday of the Divine Mercy (St. Francis) +Deceased Members of the Hopkins Family
Sun.	4-11	9:00 a.m.	Sunday of the Divine Mercy (St. Francis) People of the Parishes
Sun.	4-11	11:00 a.m.	Sunday of the Divine Mercy (St. Francis) +Mauricia O'Brien

CONFESSIONS: Confessions will be heard on the west side of the St. Francis Rectory every **Saturday from 3:00-4:00 p.m.** Follow the signs and cones and remain in your vehicle.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: If you are going to have a significant surgery, please call for Anointing of the Sick before you enter the hospital.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Justin Venneman, Sue Shively, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Billy Brown, Stephanie Thompson, Ron Lallemand, Donna Little, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jane Anne Beachner, Dalton Noakes, Jerry Beachner, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Helen George, Phyllis Coomes, Barbara Workman, Peg Brown, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, David Lero, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly, Karen Steinbacher, Marilyn Dugan, Frances Fox, Nicholas George, Lorene VanLeeuwen, Ethan Yarnell, Paul Irelan, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Helen Coomes, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Mary Ann Remer, Carl Yockey, Chris Vitt (Greg's son), Janel Diskin Scales, Vickie Rike, Mike Keal, Mary Ann Rehnert, Carolyn McGowen, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Gary Kilgore, Randy Leach, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, Lisa Johnston, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Francis Grosdidier, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Janet Brown Maschino, Jane Coomes, Becky Smith, Lu Reeves

If you would like to add or remove someone on the Prayer List, Please call the parish office at 449-2224.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	Total Amount Needed
St. Francis: \$4,959.00	\$5,565.38
St. Ambrose: \$840.00	\$985.77

Please remember your parish in your Will.

OFFERTORY/TITHE: Place your church envelope inside a regular mailing envelope with your return address on the mailing envelope. Mail to St. Francis Church, P.O. Box 216, KS 66771. **DO NOT MAIL CASH.** Also, you may leave your envelope in the basket upon entering Mass.

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Saturday, April 10-5:00 p.m.

Lector: Bob Vitt
Eucharistic Minister: Donna Bohrer
Rosary Leader: Cindy Schoenhofer

Sunday, April 11-9:00 a.m.

Lector: Don Smith
Eucharistic Minister: Marcia Gard
Rosary Leader: Nohemy Brewer

Sunday, April 11-11:00 a.m.

Lector: Jene' Noe
Eucharistic Minister: Lois Carlson
Rosary Leader: Elaine VanLeeuwen

Ushers For the Month of April:

Saturday-5:00 p.m. Mike Schoenhofer, Steve Spielbusch, Matt O'Hara
Sunday-9:00 a.m. Mike Grosdidier, Steve Harmon, Robert Kroenke
Sunday-11:00 a.m. Joe Smith, Mark Smith, Keith VanLeeuwen

Church Cleaners for April 9th:

Pam Jacquinet, Joan Doherty

PARISH OFFICE: Due to the Coronavirus, the Parish Office is closed to your physical presence and entrance. To schedule Mass Intentions or such, please call Jackie Harmon, our Parish Secretary, from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. on Monday -Friday at 620-449-2224.

ADORATION: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will resume at St. Francis on Wednesday, April 14th, from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and at St. Ambrose on Thursday, April 15th, from the close of 8:30 a.m. Mass until 1:00 p.m. More than 30 people have committed to spend an hour or a half-hour with the Lord in this special way. To volunteer for Adoration, please call Jackie Harmon at the Rectory (620-449-2224) or one of the following: for St. Francis, Jane Anne Beachner (620-449-2751) for St. Ambrose, Donna Bohrer (620-244-3709 or 620-423-1562).

CHANGE OF DATE! AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE-ST. PAUL/ERIE COMMUNITY: Give blood on Friday, April 9, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the St. Francis Parish Hall. All precautions will be used for your safety. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to schedule an appointment.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to Randy and Debbie Beachner and their family at the death of their son, Brayden Beachner, who died on Sunday, March 28th, to Claude Westhoff and his family at the death of his wife, Kathy Westhoff, who died on Monday, March 29th and to the relatives of Marjorie Gillespie who died on Tuesday, March 30th. *Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. And may all of the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION: There will be PSR class on April 7th, from 7:00-8:00 p.m. at the St. Francis Church.

TRUTH ABOUT THE EQUALITY ACT: The bill is well-intentioned but ultimately misguided. The Equality Act discriminates against people of faith, threatens unborn life, and undermines the common good. When Congress reconvenes on April 12 we urge everyone to engage by calling their senators or sending an email to oppose the Equality Act. Contact information can be found at: <https://www.senate.gov/states/KS/intro.htm>.

If you have questions please contact Bonnie Toombs at 316-269-3935 or toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org. Thank you!!

PARISH WEBSITE: www.stfrancis-stambrose.org

LETTER WRITING CAMPAIGN TO PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES URGING AN END TO ABORTION-DERIVED CELL LINES: The Vatican and Bishops urge everyone concerned for the sanctity of life to protest the use of abortion-derived cell lines and advocate for the development of vaccines with no connection to abortion. To make it easier for individuals to take this action, we are pleased to provide sample letters to various pharmaceutical companies. We are asking for Catholics in the Diocese of Wichita to join Catholics throughout the United States to take part in a letter writing campaign. We encourage you to download, sign and mail letters urging the respective companies to stop making vaccines using aborted fetal tissue for any part of the process including testing. Target dates for this National Campaign is between March 25, the Solemnity of the Annunciation and April 25, the Feast Day of St. Gianna Beretta Molla. Questions-contact Bonnie Toombs 316 269-3900 or

toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org

Letters available: <https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/respect-life-social-justice/letter-writing-campaign/>

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PICK OF THE WEEK
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WATCH

SYMBOLON - SESSION 6: THE PASCHAL MYSTERY: THE MYSTERY OF JESUS' DEATH AND RESURRECTION
Through Jesus's Death on the Cross, God reveals himself most profoundly as the God who is Love. In this episode of the Symbolon series, see how Christ's sacrificial love saves us from sin and shows us the pathway to true human happiness.



FORMED NOW: EVANGELIZING MILLENNIALS
After his Resurrection, Christ told his disciples to "go into all the world and preach the gospel to the whole creation" (Mk 16:76). To continue this evangelical work today, we have to adapt to diverse audiences. In this series, Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down to discuss how to reach one of those audiences—millennials.



LEARN

PINTS WITH AQUINAS: WHAT IS GRACE? WITH MICHAEL GORMLEY
As Catholics we believe that grace allows us to participate in the life of God. In this episode of Pints with Aquinas, Matt Fradd sits down with Michael Gormley to discuss what this means in our daily lives.



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