

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUGUST 27, 2023

Sat. 8-26 5:30 p.m. **The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) Kolton & Kristy Mueller
 Sun. 8-27 8:00 a.m. **The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
 Sun. 8-27 10:00 a.m. **The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Chris Grosdidier
 Mon. 8-28 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) +Brayden Beachner & +Scott Coomes
 Tue. 8-29 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) +Jack & Mary Lancaster
 Wed. 8-30 6:15 p.m. (St. Francis) +Dawn Mueller
 Thur. 8-31 8:30 a.m. (St. Ambrose) +Fr. Paul Smith S. J.
 Fri. 9-1 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) +Bernadette Coomes
 Fri. 9-1 9:00 a.m. **First Friday (PMRV)** +Leonard McAtee
 Sat. 9-2 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) Peace
 Sat. 9-2 5:30 p.m. **The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Bill & Lou Spielbusch
 Sun. 9-3 8:00 a.m. **The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
 Sun. 9-3 10:00 a.m. **The 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Mauricia O'Brien

CONFESSIONS: Saturday from 4:30-5:15 p.m. at St. Francis and 30 minutes before each daily and Sunday Mass.

ST. AMBROSE LITURGICAL MINISTERS
Sunday, September 3rd-8:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Minister: Paul Westerman
Lector: Ed Spielbusch
Altar Server: Jack McGowen
Gifts: M/M John Schoenhofer
September Ushers: Wade/Laura Hoppas

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Ron Lallemand, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jane Anne Beachner, Jerry Beachner, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Barbara Workman, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly, Karen Steinbacher, Marilyn Dugan, Frances Fox, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Don George, Jimmy Schoenhofer, Donna Vitt, Pat Kanute, Helen George, Steve Schoenhofer, Harrison Hill (*Francis Grosdidier's Great Grandson*) Loretta Kopaczewski, Shirley VanLeewen Gray, Carly Carnes, Sean and Laura Kernick, Janie Schibi, Mary Hines, Mona Pitts, Jake Andrews, Tom Madl, Aaron Mann, Betty Duling, Christine Schettler, Lois Carlson, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Leonard Kennedy

Fr. Theodore Khin (620) 778-3436. This number is only for an emergency and only to talk directly to him.

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.

ST. FRANCIS LITURGICAL MINISTERS
Saturday, September 2nd-5:30 p.m.
Altar Servers: Jackson, Sawyer, Rhett
Lector: Mike Carter
Eucharistic Minister: Marcia Gard
Gifts: M/M Steve Spielbusch
Rosary: Elaine VanLeeuwen
Sacristans: Jeff/Marcia Gard
Sunday, September 3rd-10:00 a.m.
Altar Servers: Ava, Katie, Ella
Lector: Felix Diskin
Eucharistic Minister: Nohemy Brewer
Gifts: M/M Rodney Noe
Rosary: Nohemy Brewer
Sacristans: David/Jean Diskin
September Ushers:
Saturday-5:30 p.m.—Mike Brown, Jeff Gard, Dan Spielbusch
Sunday-10:00 a.m.—Mike Grosdidier, Charles Schettler, Mark Smith
Church Cleaners-September 2nd-Charlene Coomes, Kayla Treiber, Carly O'Brien

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	Total Amount Needed
St. Francis \$6,307.00	\$5,525.87
St. Ambrose \$533.00	\$1,078.37

Please remember your parish in your Will.



ADORATION AT ST. FRANCIS CHURCH will be extended to after Mass on Wednesdays, 7:00-8:00 p.m. We will extend Adoration as long as we have scheduled adorers. If you are able to sign up for a time slot, 8:00 p.m. or after, please call the parish office at 620-449-2224.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will be at St. Francis on Wednesdays from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Adoration at St. Ambrose will be on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. For those who are unable to make a regular commitment, please know that you are welcome to drop in anytime during Adoration to make a visit. *“Come to Me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you.” Matthew 11:28*

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION Welcome Back Mass is on Wednesday, September 6th at 7:00 p.m. All PSR families are encouraged to attend, meet your teacher, and get a sweet treat after Mass! PSR classes will begin on Wednesday, September 13th at 7:00 p.m. Contact Lyndon McCracken with any questions at 316-239-9994.

CYM STUDENTS AND PARENTS: Please join us at Osage Hills Country Club this Sunday, August 27th at 1:00 p.m. for a kick off meeting, cook out and swim! High school freshman through seniors are invited to join CYM. We will discuss the volunteer opportunities, fundraising, and activities/trips for the year. Please bring \$15 for dues/group shirt. Students and parents welcome! We are excited to start this journey as your new CYM sponsors and look forward to a great year!
 Dylan & Kayla Treiber and Jason & Carly O'Brien

ST. FRANCIS ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL DINNER/MEETING will be held **TODAY**, Sunday, August 27th at 5:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

ST. AMBROSE FALL TURKEY/NOODLE DINNER: St. Ambrose Altar Society has set October 8th for their annual Fall Turkey/Noodle Dinner. It will be carry out only. As we did last year, we are asking for monetary donations or gift cards for the drawing held at the close of the dinner. These may be given to any Altar Society Officer between now and September 10th. This allows time to print and sell tickets. Not all donations may be able to be listed on the tickets and later donations will be accepted. More details to follow.

ST. FRANCIS THRIFT STORE: School has started and we have clothes for everyone, very nice selection. We thank everyone for supporting the us. The Thrift Store hours are as follows: Wednesday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Drop off donations anytime in the back shed. Come see us!



THANK YOU TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ALTAR SOCIETY LADIES AND FR. THEODORE for the hard work stripping and re-waxing the floors and deep cleaning the kitchen at the St. Francis hall. Your time and work is greatly appreciated!



DIVINE MERCY/RACHEL MOURNING MONUMENT PROJECT:

Due to the swift and overwhelmingly generous response to our Rachel Mourning/Divine Mercy monument cemetery project, Phase 1 of the necessary and desired improvements is now complete. The beautiful Divine Mercy image and the refurbished Rachel Mourning monument are set on a new concrete pad, and the long-term drainage issue north and east of the shelter house has been eliminated. This opens up another area for cemetery plots, previously unavailable due to standing water and other issues. More details on the completed work and proposed plans for Phase 2 of our cemetery project will be forthcoming, and as additional tax-deductible donations are gifted to the parish for this project. May Our Lord bless and reward the faith and generosity of all past and future contributions through time, talent, treasure, and prayer. Our gratitude is beyond words

MASS FOR LIFE: Join Bishop Carl Kemme for a Mass for Life Saturday, October 7th at 9am. The Mass will be held in front of the Trust Women Wichita facility 5107 E Kellogg Dr, Wichita, KS 67218. Please join Bishop Kemme in praying for God's forgiveness for the sins of abortion.

SIDEWALK ADVOCATES FOR LIFE TRAINING: The Respect Life and Social Justice Office invites you to a Sidewalk Advocates for Life training Thursday, August 31, 9:30-3:30 at the St. Joseph Pastoral Center (437 N. Topeka, Wichita). Sidewalk Advocates for Life promotes a compassionate, peaceful, prayerful style of advocating in front of abortion facilities. All materials and lunch will be provided free of charge. For more information or to register, contact Stephanie Nemechek (316) 269-3900 Ext 134 or nemecheks@CatholicDioceseofWichita.org.