

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUGUST 8, 2021

Sat.	8-7	5:30 p.m.	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Judy Perez
Sun.	8-8	8:00 a.m.	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	8-8	10:00 a.m.	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Kathy Westhoff
Mon.	8-9	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Phillis McAtee
Tue.	8-10		NO MASS
Wed.	8-11	7:00 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Charles Gouvion
Thur.	8-12	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Marge Little
Fri.	8-13	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Fred & Anna Beachner
Sat.	8-14	5:30 p.m.	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (St. Francis) +Charles Steinbacher
Sun.	8-15	8:00 a.m.	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	8-15	10:00 a.m.	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (St. Francis) +Nancy Giefer

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

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. AMBROSE PARISH MINISTRIES

Sunday, August 15-8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: Rusty Lero

Lector: Lois Carlson

Altar Server: Paul Westerman

Gifts: Chad Boaz Family

Ushers For August: Ed & Kim Spielbusch

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Sue Shively, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Billy Brown, Ron Lallemand, 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, 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, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Megan Harmon Morris, Brandi Sammons, Mark Harper, Karen Hanigan, Jason Veneman **If you would like to add or remove someone on the Prayer List, Please call the parish office at 449-2224.**

ST. FRANCIS PARISH MINISTRIES

Saturday, August 14-5:30 p.m.

Altar Servers: Josey, Jorja, Paige

Lector: Mike Carter

Eucharistic Minister: Mary Jean Zandler

Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Mike Schoenhofer

Rosary Leader: Cindy Schoenhofer

Sunday, August 15-10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Mason, Kiser, Patrick

Lector: Marcia Gard

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Wood

Gifts: Kent Winter Family

Rosary Leader: Teresa Grosdidier

Ushers For August:

Saturday-5:30 p.m. Dennis Duling, Steve Spielbusch, Scott Smith

Sunday-10:00 a.m. Danny O'Brien, Don Smith, Jamie Bradshaw

Church Cleaners for August 13th: Alice Schettler, Amber Spielbusch, Connie Spielbusch

PARISH WEBSITE

www.stfrancis-stambrose.org

THE PARISH OFFICE hours are Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please enter at the East office door.

BULLETIN: Please have bulletin entries in by 10:00 a.m. Thursday morning

ADORATION: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be at St. Francis on Wednesdays from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and at St. Ambrose on Thursdays from 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. 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). We hope this devotion will bring many blessings to our parishes. 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. Jesus is waiting for you.

D OF I MEETING: An audit meeting will be held Tuesday, August 10th at 6:00 p.m. A regular meeting will follow at 6:30 p.m. Topics of discussion: school supply donation project, State Convention and officers elect roster. Staying within our agreement to share meetings with our members, this meeting will be held in St. Michaels Parish Hall in Girard. Hostesses for the meeting: Jane Anne Beachner, Judy Fager, Alice Beachner and Loretta Forbes.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE-ST. PAUL/ERIE COMMUNITY: The Red Cross Blood Drive will be on Wednesday, August 11th from 1:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at the St. Francis Parish Hall. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) to schedule an appointment.

ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING & LUNCH will be held on Sunday, August 22nd at 11:30 a.m. at the St. Francis Parish Hall.

THE ST. FRANCIS THRIFT SHOP IS NOW OPEN! The hours are Wednesday 9 a.m.-12p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-11 p.m. Drop-offs may be put in the shed only on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday from 9 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

AUGUST 15, 2021 ~ THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY is the teaching that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory. (*Pius XII Munificentissimus Deus 44*)

WELCOME, FATHER THEODORE!
Thank you for all your help to our parishes.

PRAYERS FOR FATHER SAM:
To write Father Sam, his current address is as follows:
Father Sam Pinkerton
6900 E. 45th St. N.
Bel Aire, KS 67226

THANK YOU to all of the youth and parents who supported our Totus Tuus Summer Program! Thank you especially to those who provided housing, meals and help during the day program. Thank you also, to the Altar Society for the pizza and to the St. Paul Fire Department for cooling the kids off on Friday. The students had a great week of fun and learned more about their Catholic faith!

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FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

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WATCH

EDITH STEIN: THE SEVENTH CHAMBER

This is a moving, artistic portrayal of the life of Jewish philosopher, Catholic convert, and Carmelite martyr, Edith Stein. It powerfully captures the interior struggles of this extraordinary woman and her journey toward the Lord. Deeply influenced by the writings of St. Teresa of Avila, she joined the Carmelites, took the name of Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, and was put to death in Auschwitz in 1942. In honor of Teresa Benedicta's feast day, enjoy this film.



LEARN

FORMED NOW: MARTYRS AND MONASTICS



We celebrate many martyrs and monastics during this rich week in the liturgical calendar. But how did the Church become a place of heroic martyrdom and steadfast monasticism? In this video, Dr. Ben Akers sits down with Dr. Elizabeth Klein to discuss these themes and their history in the early Church.

LISTEN

15 THINGS TO DO IN THE MIDST OF SUFFERING BY JEFF CAVINS

In addition to St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, the Church also celebrates the feast of St. Maximilian Kolbe this week. Kolbe, a Polish Catholic priest, fearlessly suffered the horrors of Auschwitz, where he was eventually martyred because of his faith. The life of this Saint reminds us that suffering is a mystery we all face at many points in our lives. In this talk, internationally known speaker Jeff Cavins shares his insights on this difficult topic and shows us how our suffering can become redemptive.



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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total Amount Needed

St. Francis: \$8,649.00 \$5,565.38

St. Ambrose: \$1,541.00 \$985.77

Please remember your parish in your Will.