

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JANUARY 30, 2022

Sat.	1-29	5:30 p.m.	The 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Anna Venneman Schoenhofer
Sun.	1-30	8:00 a.m.	The 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	1-30	10:00 a.m.	The 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Joan Schoenhofer
Mon.	1-31	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Ron Smith
Tue.	2-1		NO MASS
Wed.	2-2	6:15 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Brayden Beachner
Thur.	2-3	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Gene Maher
Fri.	2-4	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Sat.	2-5	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Sat.	2-5	5:30 p.m.	The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Bill & Lou Spielbusch
Sun.	2-6	8:00 a.m.	The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	2-6	10:00 a.m.	The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Jane Coomes

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, February 6th-8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: Jack McGowen

Lector: Jim Carlson

Altar Server: Laura Hoppas

Gifts: Chad Boaz Family

February Ushers: Bill/Nancy Schoenhofer

Sunday Donuts: Carol and Jolene

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, Ethan Yarnell, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Mary Ann Remer, Carolyn McGowen, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Gary Kilgore, Randy Leach, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Megan Harmon Morris, Mark Harper, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Jeri Giefer, Brenda Harmon, Carly and Onyx O'Brien, Steve Kirk, Peggy Winter, Charlie Schettler, Doris Locati, Larry Schoenhofer, Marjorie Lero Lauber **Please call the parish office at 449-2224 to add or remove someone from the Prayer List.**

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

ST. FRANCIS PARISH MINISTRIES

Saturday, February 5th-5:30 p.m.

Altar Servers: Claire, Paige, Gennie

Lector: Marcia Gard

Eucharistic Minister: Judy Fager

Gifts: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith

Rosary Leader: Cindy Schoenhofer

Sacristans: Mike and Cindy Schoenhofer

Sunday, February 6th-10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: CYM

Lector: CYM

Eucharistic Minister: Terry Diskin

Gifts: CYM

Rosary Leader: CYM

Sacristans: Mike and Debbie Mann

February Ushers:

Saturday-5:30 p.m. Mike Brown,

Jeff Gard, Dan Spielbusch

Sunday-10:00 a.m. Broc Mattox, Kenny Paisley, Clark Westhoff

Church Cleaners for February 4th: Coleen

Carter, Kris Casey, Robyn Burke

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total Amount Needed

St. Francis \$5,557.00 \$5,611.54

St. Ambrose: \$1,059.00 \$993.46

Please remember your parish in your Will.

THERE WILL NOT BE 8:00 A.M. MASSES ON: Friday, Feb. 4th, Saturday, Feb. 5th and Monday, Feb. 7th.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC OR KNOWING MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH? There will be an informational meeting on Monday, January 31st at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory Basement. RCIA, Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults for entering the Catholic Church, classes will be held every Monday at 7:00 p.m. through Easter.

NEW ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING will be postponed until March for 5th grade—12th grade youth.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

First Reconciliation is February 23rd at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

First Holy Communion is April 24th at the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Sacrament of Confirmation for 6th-8th is Sunday, May 8th at the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Parents, please help your child to be properly prepared for these important sacraments. They need to attend class, be helped with prayers, projects and other assignments.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION: There will be classes this Wednesday, February 2nd in the classrooms.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

January 30, 2022

WATCH

AN ORDINARY MARTYR: THE LIFE & DEATH OF BLESSED STANLEY ROTHER
As we celebrate the martyrdom of Paul Miki and his companions this week, we invite you to learn more about a modern martyr from the United States: Blessed Stanley Rother. Join us as we consider this ordinary man who loved extraordinarily.





LEARN

LECTIO: MARY: EPISODE 1 THE NEW EVE
This week as we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord and Mary's role in it, join Dr. Brant Pitre, Professor of Sacred Scripture at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, as he examines what the Old Testament reveals about the life and identity of Mary, the Mother of God.





LISTEN

A SCRIPTURAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS BY EDWARD SRI
Have you ever wondered about the meaning behind the Mass? Are you looking to stop going through the motions at Mass? Join Dr. Edward Sri as he dives into the Scriptural roots of the Mass that will help you to pray the Mass like never before.





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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 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. "And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:20



OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to the family and friends of Lorene VanLeeuwen, who passed away on January 10, 2022. *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.*

THE PRAYER SHAWL CROCHET GROUP will have the first meeting on Wednesday, February 2nd at the Graves Memorial Library from 5:30-6:30 p.m. For more information contact Traci Westhoff 620-820-9637. Prayer shawls are prayerfully made for those grieving, dealing with health or emotional problems, need spiritual support or have had a happy event in their lives. Your completed shawls will be blessed by a priest.

K OF C MEETING: Knights of Columbus Council 760 will have a meeting after the February 6th District Free Throw Contest. The contest starts at noon and the meeting should start around 1:15-1:30 p.m. It will be held in the school's Cafeteria/Multi-Purpose Room. Among other things, we will begin planning for Lenten Fish Fry's. Hope to see all Knights there. (We will also have the drawing for the Chris Jones Helmet and Jersey at the end of the Free Throw Contest.)

ST. AMBROSE ALTAR SOCIETY is conducting a food pantry drive during February. There will be a box north of the entrance to the church where donations can be deposited. Foods need to be self-sustaining and require no additional ingredients such as eggs or oil. Donations will be taken to the Erie Food Pantry. You can pick up a list of suggested items at the back of the church. Also, the 2022 St. Ambrose Altar Society officers are: President-Laura Hoppas, Vice President-Donna Bohrer, Secretary-Lois Carlson, Treasurer-Cindy Lero. St. Ambrose Altar Society dues are now due. They are \$20 and may be given to any Altar Society Officer.

LET'S TALK ABOUT SERVICES FOR SENIORS IN SOUTHEAST KANSAS: February 22, 2022 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. 117 E. 10th St., Guadalupe Hall at Our Lady Of Lourdes Catholic Church, Pittsburg. (Guadalupe Hall is at the corner of E. 10th and N. Locust Streets. One block north of the church.) Lunch is included and catered by Pichler's Chicken Annie's. This is a FREE event.

BULLETIN: Please have all bulletin entries in by **Wednesday mornings.** Call the office with your information.