

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JULY 24, 2022

Sat.	7-23	5:30 p.m.	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Lawrence Grosdidier
Sun.	7-24	8:00 a.m.	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	7-24	10:00 a.m.	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Nancy Giefer
Mon.	7-25	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Anna Venneman Schoenhofer
Tue.	7-26		No Mass
Wed.	7-27	6:15 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Lorene VanLeeuwen
Thur.	7-28	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Barbara Hamilton
Fri.	7-29	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Charles Gouvion
Sat.	7-30	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) Peace
Sat.	7-30	5:30 p.m.	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Betty McCall
Sun.	7-31	8:00 a.m.	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	7-31	10:00 a.m.	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (St. Francis) +Sara Grosdidier

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

ST. AMBROSE PARISH MINISTRIES

Sunday, July 31st-8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Bohrer

Lector: Ed Spielbusch

Altar Server: Laura Hoppas

Gifts: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carlson

July Ushers: Mr. and Mrs. Brian Schoenhofer

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Sue Shively, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Ron Lallemand, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jane Anne Beachner, Jerry Beachner, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Phyllis Coomes, Barbara Workman, Peg Brown, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly, Karen Steinbacher, Marilyn Dugan, Frances Fox, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Mary Ann Rehert, 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, Mark Harper, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Jeri Giefer, Brenda Harmon, Doris Locati, Don George, Jimmy Schoenhofer, Vickie Rike, Donna Vitt

WE PRAY FOR THE PASSING OF THE VALUE THEM

BOTH AMENDMENT: Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Unborn, we implore your powerful intercession at this most critical of times. Now that the Kansas Supreme Court has completely removed pro-life protections for the unborn and women in distress, we humbly ask you to strengthen our efforts to pass the Value Them Both Kansas Constitutional Amendment to reverse this decision and protect the sanctity of life in our state. Amen



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 PARISH MINISTRIES

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

Altar Servers: Patrick, Collin, Riley

Lector: Ron Reeves

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Wood

Gifts: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brown

Rosary Leader: Cindy Schoenhofer

Sacristans: Mike and Cindy Schoenhofer

Sunday, July 31st-10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Maggie, Ava, Ava

Lector: Jene` Noe

Eucharistic Minister: Rodney Noe

Gifts: Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith

Rosary: Tammi Norris

Sacristans: Mike and Kim McCracken

July Ushers:

Saturday-5:30 p.m. Merl Ewan, Don Kennedy, Jamie Bradshaw

Sunday-10:00 a.m. Ross Albertini, Robert Kroenke, Mike Mann

Church Cleaners-Friday, July 29th—Abby Born, Linda Wintjen

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total Amount Needed

St. Francis \$4,882.00 \$5,611.54

St. Ambrose \$1,073.00 \$993.46

Please remember your parish in your Will.



VALUE THEM BOTH: The amendment is a reasonable response to an extreme ruling by the Kansas Supreme Court in 2019 that declared abortion to be a virtually unlimited and unrestricted right. A simple majority **YES** vote on VALUE THEM

BOTH corrects this horrific misinterpretation, restores the voice of the people, and protects both women and preborn babies. **PLEASE VOTE YES ON AUGUST 2ND.**

VALUE THEM BOTH SIGNS: We have more signs at the parish office to place as soon as possible. If you have a place for a yard sign, please call the office! 620-449-2224.

THE KANSAS ROSARY CRUSADE: The plan is simple: On Thursdays, all across Kansas, parishes, families, individuals, or other groups will pray a Rosary for the passage of a State Constitutional amendment rejecting abortion as a Constitutional right. Time and place are up to those praying. The Five Luminous Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Thursdays, but those praying are free to experiment, as long as the intention is kept in mind. A five-decade Rosary specific to this Crusade has been written and can be used if so desired. Copies of these Mysteries of Life in the Womb are on the tables in the churches.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to the family and friends of Larry Schoenhofer, who passed away on July 14, 2022 and to the family and friends of Brenda Gouvion, who passed away on July 15, 2022. *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.*

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. Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His divine peace in your heart. 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.

THIS IS NATIONAL NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING AWARENESS WEEK: (JULY 24-30, 2022) Natural Family Planning (NFP) reflects the dignity of the human person within the context of marriage and family life, and promotes openness to life and the gift of the child. The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week highlight the anniversary of the papal encyclical Humana Vitae (July 25) which articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality, conjugal love, and responsible parenthood. The dates also mark the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother.

OUR TOTUS TUUS SUMMER PROGRAM begins Sunday, July 31st through Thursday, August 4th from 7:30-9:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall for 7th-12th grade youth. Each participant should bring a snack and a 2-liter drink to share during the week.



Students entering grades 1st-6th meet during the day August 1st-5th from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. They should bring a package of cookies and one 2-liter drink to share during the week. They also need to bring a sack lunch each day and a water bottle.

Registration forms and volunteer sign up sheet for evening meals or to help during the day program will be available in the back of the church. For questions call Suzie at 449-2783 or 423-0615.

Totus Tuus is committed to bringing kids closer to Christ through the sacraments, prayer and fun. The youth will have opportunities through the week for Confession, Mass, Adoration and learning their Catholic faith.

VIRTUS TRAINING CLASS will be held at St. Francis Church Rectory Basement on Wednesday, August 3rd at 7:00 p.m. This is a required training for anyone working with the youth in church activities, such as PSR teachers or helpers, CYM leaders or sponsors for activities, K of C basketball throw etc. Please call Suzie Diskin at 423-0615 or the Rectory at 449-2224 to register.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE:



American Red Cross

ST. PAUL/ERIE COMMUNITY Red Cross Blood Drive will be Wednesday, August 17th 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.

THE ST. FRANCIS THRIFT SHOP is open on Wednesday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00-11:00 a.m.

MIDWEST CATHOLIC FAMILY CONFERENCE: The MCFC will be held August 5-7 at the Century II Convention Center. This years conference will include opportunities for mass, confession and adoration of the Eucharist, outdoor Eucharistic procession and the children's program. Register at <https://catholicfamilyconference.org/> and for more information go to mwcatholicfamilyconference@gmail.com.

July ~ The Month of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord