

THE 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT- MARCH 29, 2020

Sat.	3-28	+ Raymond "Rip" Fager
Sun.	3-29	The 5th Sunday of Lent People of the Parish
Mon.	3-30	+ W.J. Auvigne
Tue.	3-31	NO MASS
Wed.	4-1	+ Bob Beachner
Thur.	4-2	+ Ann Cost
Fri.	4-3	+ Rita Sanger
Sat.	4-4	+ For all deceased members of D of I
Sun.	4-5	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord People of the Parish

DAILY MASSES will be celebrated privately by Father Sam for the intentions that have been scheduled. The Mass intentions will continue to be posted on the website weekly.

CONFESSIONS: Confessions will be heard on the west side of the St. Francis Rectory every Saturday from 4:30-5:15 p.m. and every Sunday from 9:30 a.m. until all are heard. Again, on the west side of the St. Francis Rectory. Follow the signs and cones and remain in your vehicle.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to the family of Betty McKinney, of St. Ambrose Church in Erie, who passed away. *Eternal Rest grant unto her, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her.*

OUR PARISH WEBSITE <https://www.stfrancis-stambrose.org>

Prayers are asked for the following: Kathy Westhoff, Justin Venneman, Sue Shively, Pat Moore, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Bailey Shaw, Billy Brown, Adam Westhoff, Stephanie Thompson, Lisa Edwards, Janey Beachner, Ron Lallemand, Donna Little, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jane Anne Beachner, Dalton Noakes, Jerry Beachner, Lu Reeves, Lou Severt, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Sandra Schoenhofer, Helen George, Phyllis Coomes, Barbara Workman, Nancy Giefer, Peg Brown, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, Jamie & Dakota Holding Family, Anna Letcher, David Lero, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly, Karen Steinbacher, Marilyn Dugan, Frances Fox, Nicholas George, Don Smith, Lorene VanLeeuwen, Jenny & Eliza Wren Snell, Ethan Yarnell, Paul Irelan, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Helen Coomes, Joan Unruh, Mauricia O'Brien, Bernard Purdon, Greg Grosdidier, Virginia Westerman, Francie Casey, Charlie Schettler, Reagan Grosdidier

If you would like to add someone to the Prayer List, please call the parish office at 449-2224.

LENTEN REGULATIONS: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

Fasting: Is obligatory from age 18 until 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Abstinence: Abstinence from meat is binding upon Catholics from age 14 onwards. If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears! Turn, then, O most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Stewardship of Treasure

Total Amount Needed

St. Francis

St. Ambrose

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, St. Paul, KS 66771. **DO NOT MAIL CASH.**

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