

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 5, 2024

Sat.	5-4	5:30 p.m.	6th Sunday of Easter (St. Francis) +Michelle McCall
Sun.	5-5	8:00 a.m.	6th Sunday of Easter (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	5-5	10:00 a.m.	6th Sunday of Easter (St. Francis) +Joan Schoenhofer
Mon.	5-6	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Gene & Cleo Jacquinet
Tue.	5-7	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Connley & Ralph Boone
Wed.	5-8	6:15 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Onyx O'Brien
Thur.	5-9	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Paul Heady
Fri.	5-10	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Sr. Alonza Smith S.L.
Sat.	5-11	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) Peace
Sat.	5-11	5:30 p.m.	The Ascension of the Lord (St. Francis) +Cindy Volmer
Sun.	5-12	8:00 a.m.	The Ascension of the Lord (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	5-12	10:00 a.m.	The Ascension of the Lord (St. Francis) +Mike Doherty

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, May 12th-8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Minister: Lois Carlson

Lector: Ed Spielbusch

Altar Server: Wayne Shively

Gifts: M/M Asa Bohrer

May Ushers: Rusty/Cindy Lero

Donuts: Francie Bohrer and Debbie Beachner

PLEASE PRAY FOR: 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, Pat Kanute, Helen George, Steve Schoenhofer, Harrison Hill (*Francis Grosdidier's Great Grandson*) Shirley (VanLeeuwen) Gray, Sean Kernick, Janie Schibi, Mary Hines, Mona Pitts, Jake Andrews, Aaron Mann, Betty Duling, Christine Schettler, Lois Carlson, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Wade Westhoff, Geanita Birks, Jack McGowen, Stan Beachner, Jessica Miniuk, Tom Norris, Sr. Agnes Lero, Harolyn (Smith) Malott, Char (O'Bryan) Brazil, Jim Dent, Jeannie VanLeeuwen, Leonard Kennedy

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, May 11th-5:30 p.m.

Altar Servers: Jace, Ian, Daxen

Lector: Judy Fager

Eucharistic Minister: Jill Coomes

Gifts: M/M Jeff Corn

Rosary: Mary Jean Zandler

Sacristans: Jeff/Alice Corn

Sunday-May 12th-10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Brec, Devin, Jackson

Lector: Keaton McCracken

Eucharistic Minister: Jene' Noe

Gifts: Senior Class

Rosary: Tammi Norris

Sacristans: Keaton/Lyndon McCracken

May Ushers:

Saturday-5:30 p.m.—Mike Brown, Jeff Gard, Dan Spielbusch

Sunday-10:00 a.m.—Ken Chambers, Joe Smith, Dan Vitt

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total Amount Needed

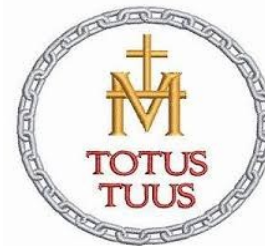
St. Francis	\$3,916.39	\$5,525.87
St. Ambrose	\$1,218.00	\$1,078.37

Please remember your parish in your Will.

May is a month devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary

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 9:00 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, you are welcome to drop in anytime during Adoration to make a visit. *"A Holy Hour before the Most Blessed Sacrament so pleases the Heart of Jesus, that every man, woman and child on earth receives a new effect from God's goodness and love, all because of a single hour of adoration in His Presence."*— St. Faustina

ST. FRANCIS/ST. AMBROSE PSR: Congratulations to our new Director of Religious Education, Bridget Paisley. She will be doing this very important faith formation work for our parishes. We would like to thank Lyndon McCracken for all her hard work and dedication as our previous Director of Religious Education. You will be missed. Also, thank you to the teachers, helpers and other volunteers for the giving of your time and talent. The May Crowning and Living Rosary by our students was a beautiful tribute to our Blessed Mother.



OUR TOTUS TUUS SUMMER PROGRAM

will be held at St. Francis Parish from July 7th-12th. 1st-6th grade students will have daytime classes. 7th-12th grade students will meet in the evenings. More information to follow.

THANK YOU, Peggy Winter and the St. Paul students who helped plant flowers and clean the church gardens. Thank you to the local businesses who donated for the flowers, mulch and supplies needed. You are greatly appreciated.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to the family and friends of Francis Volz, who passed away on April 29, 2024. *Eternal Rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him. And may all of the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA, St. Luke Circle, will meet Tuesday, May 14, 2024 at St. Francis Parish Hall. Audit meeting is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. followed by the monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. We will open with the spiritual reading. Come for an enjoyable evening.

HARVEST HOUSE will meet Thursday, May 16th at noon for lunch at the St. Paul Café. For more information call Marlene Clark 620-687-4401 or Judy Fager 620-423-9144.

NATIONWIDE INVITATION TO PRAYER: On March 26, the U.S. Supreme Court heard oral arguments in a case that could impact the widespread accessibility of chemical abortion (abortion pills). Chemical abortions are now the most common form of abortion in the United States. How can you help? Offer this Prayer to St. Joseph, Defender of Life daily for the end of abortion and for the protection of women and pre-born children. Continue through June, when a decision is expected. Go to <https://www.usccb.org/resources/prayer-card-joseph-defender-life.pdf> to print this prayer. Questions contact the Respect Life and Social Justice Office 316 269-3935 or sherfields@catholicdioceseofwichita.org

A PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH, DEFENDER OF LIFE: *Dearest St. Joseph, at the word of an angel, you lovingly took Mary into your home. As God's humble servant, you guided the Holy Family on the road to Bethlehem, welcomed Jesus as your own son in the shelter of a manger, and fled far from your homeland for the safety of both Mother and Child. We praise God that as their faithful protector, you never hesitated to sacrifice for those entrusted to you. May your example inspire us also to welcome, cherish, and safeguard God's most precious gift of life. Help us to faithfully commit ourselves to the service and defense of human life—especially where it is vulnerable or threatened. Obtain for us the grace to do the will of God in all things. Amen.*

ST. FRANCIS THRIFT STORE: We have summer clothing and a lot of nice things. Come see 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.

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THIS WEEK ON
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Week of May 05, 2024



Saint John Paul II | Lukas Storyteller

Lukas, tired of seeing the same bored look on his friends' faces, decides to tell them a captivating story. Not just any story, but a tale of a young Karol Wojtyla, who would one day become Pope John Paul II! The kids wouldn't believe the adventures young Karol had, and how they would inspire them to create their own unforgettable day.



The Fountain of Salvation | The Bible and Baptism | Episode 1

Dr. John Sehorn, Academic Dean of the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, sits down with Fr. Isaac Morales, OP, a Dominican friar of the Province of Saint Joseph and Associate Professor of Theology at Providence College, to discuss Fr. Isaac's book *The Bible and Baptism: The Fountain of Salvation* (Baker Academic). This episode dives into how Baptism is the fountain of salvation for the Christian.



The Ascension | Sacred Art

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp to expand your knowledge of sacred art. In this episode on FORMED, they discuss *The Ascension of Christ* by Jacopo Tintoretto.

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