

# FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—MAY 7, 2023

Sat. 5-6	5:30 p.m.	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Francis) +Bill & Lou Spielbusch
Sun. 5-7	8:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun. 5-7	10:00 a.m.	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Francis) +Kate Firestone
Mon. 5-8	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Charlene Norris
Tue. 5-9	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Lou Severt
Wed. 5-10	6:15 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Peggy Brown
Thur. 5-11	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +Doris Locati
Fri. 5-12	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Mary Lou Boone
Sat. 5-13	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) For Our Loved Ones Return to the Faith
Sat. 5-13	5:30 p.m.	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Francis) +Betty Hollon
Sun. 5-14	8:00 a.m.	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Ambrose) +Tina Schoenhofer
Sun. 5-14	10:00 a.m.	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> (St. Francis) People of the Parishes

**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, May 14th-8:00 a.m.**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Paul Westerman

**Lector:** Ed Spielbusch

**Altar Server:** Jack McGowen

**Gifts:** M/M Bill Schoenhofer

**May Ushers:** Wade/Laura Hoppas

**Donuts:** Altar Society Officer-Laura Hoppas

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Vence Segraves, 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, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Carolyn McGowen, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Gary Kilgore, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Don George, Jimmy Schoenhofer, Vickie Rike, Donna Vitt, Pat Kanute, Helen George, Steve Schoenhofer, Harrison Hill (*Francis Grosdidier's Great Grandson*) Loretta Kopaczewski, Shirley VanLeeuwen Gray, Carly Carnes, Sean and Laura Kernick, Janie Schibi, Mary Hines, Mona Pitts, Jake Andrews, Tom Madl, Aaron Mann, Dakota Patton

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

**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, May 13th-5:30 p.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Ariana, Ava D. Anderson

**Lector:** Ron Reeves

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jill Coomes

**Gifts:** M/M Carl Brungardt

**Rosary:** Elaine VanLeeuwen

**Sacristans:** Mike/Cindy Schoenhofer

**Sunday, May 14th-10:00 a.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Devin, Bensen, Brec

**Lector:** Keaton McCracken

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jene` Noe

**Gifts:** Senior Class

**Rosary:** Jean Diskin

**Sacristans:** David/Jean Diskin

**May Ushers:**

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

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

**Church Cleaners - Friday, May 12th—**Robyn Burke, Coleen Carter, Kris Casey, Alice Corn, Mary Jane Gouvion, Kim Newberry, Jennifer Salazar, Cheryl Smith, Kayla Westhoff, Jennifer Snell

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

### Total Amount Needed

St. Francis \$3,984.25      \$5,598.08

St. Ambrose \$1,199.00      \$1,076.83

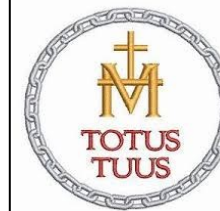
**Please remember your parish in your Will.**



**SENIOR RECOGNITION MASS** will be at 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 14th. Seniors arrive at 9:45 a.m. in your graduation gowns to process in at the beginning of Mass.

**SERVER TRAINING** will be on Saturday, May 20th at 10:00 a.m. in the church. All students currently in grades 4-11 are encouraged to attend. Altar serving is a wonderful way for our parish youth to practice stewardship. Call the parish office with questions. A second training can be scheduled if needed.

**TEC: REGISTER TODAY!!!** The Southeast Kansas TEC retreat will be in St. Paul this summer, Saturday morning June 24 - Monday afternoon June 26. Teens Encounter Christ is a life changing Catholic retreat for High School Juniors and Seniors, and college students in the Wichita Diocese. Participants (Candidates) will spend three days encountering Jesus through talks from peers, intimate discussions, Mass, sacraments, prayer, music, games and more! TEC creates lifelong friendships, increases personal relationships with Jesus Christ, and prepares young adults to live and defend their Catholic faith after they graduate. Parents, grandparents, family and friends, please send your young adults to TEC! To sign up to attend or to serve on the retreat, visit <https://wichitatec.org/>



**OUR TOTUS TUUS SUMMER PROGRAM** will be held at the St. Francis Parish from July 9th-14th. 1st-6th grade students will have daytime classes. 7th-12th grade students will meet in the evenings. More information to follow.

**CYM** will be having their end of year party on Sunday, June 11th, at Soar Trampoline Park in Joplin, MO. We will leave the church parking lot at 4:00 p.m. and return by 9:00 p.m. Pizza and drinks will be provided. All current CYM members and 8th graders interested in joining our group next year are invited to attend. Liability Waivers will need to be signed before that date so please contact Kari Chambers at 316-650-7988 for more information or waiver form.

This will be my last year as CYM sponsor. I have truly enjoyed watching our teenagers over the past 4 years grow their relationship with Christ and also becoming stewards of the church and our community. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of their lives! That being said, we are looking for new sponsors to start August 2023. I ask you to prayerfully consider leading this ministry and growing your own relationship with Christ. If interested, please reach out to me, Jackie in the parish office, or Fr. Theo.

## 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. ***"Come to Me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you."*** **Matthew 11:28**



**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA**, St. Luke Circle will meet Tuesday, May 9th in the St. Francis Parish Hall. The meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. beginning with a spiritual reading. Come and enjoy!

**HARVEST HOUSE** will meet on Thursday, May 18th, 12:30 p.m. at the Erie Senior Citizen Center, 106 W 3rd, Erie. A \$5.00 lunch will be provided by the Erie Market. Contact Judy Fager (620-244-5175 or 620-423-9144) by Wednesday if you plan to attend. Bring your own drink.

**ALTAR SOCIETY LADIES:** During the month of May the church will need cleaned; we do not have a guild assigned for May. (Dusting of the altar and statues, and vacuuming the body of the church. The bathrooms and foyer are already being cleaned weekly.) The schedule is as follows.

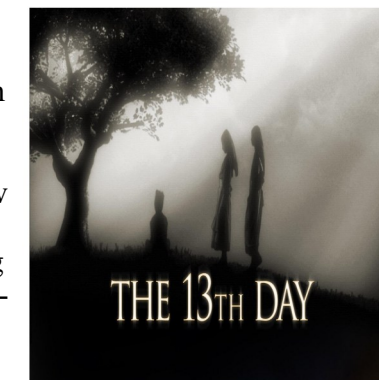
May 5th—January Guild

May 12th—February Guild

May 19th—March Guild

May 26th—April Guild

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### The 13th Day

In a world torn apart by persecution, war, and oppression, three children in Fatima were chosen by God to offer an urgent message of hope to the world. Based on the memoirs of the oldest seer, Lucia Santos, *The 13th Day* dramatizes the true story of three young shepherds who experienced six apparitions of Our Lady, which culminated in the final prophesied miracle on October 13.

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