

THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

Sat. 9-11 5:30 p.m. **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Nancy Giefer
 Sun. 9-12 8:00 a.m. **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
 Sun. 9-12 10:00 a.m. **Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Tom Butler
 Mon. 9-13 **NO MASS** (St. Francis)
 Tue. 9-14 **NO MASS**
 Wed. 9-15 6:15 p.m. (St. Francis)
 Thur. 9-16 8:30 a.m. (St. Ambrose) +Brayden Beachner
 Fri. 9-17 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) +Janey Beachner
 Sat. 9-18 8:00 a.m. (St. Francis) For Our Loved One's Return to the Faith
 Sat. 9-18 5:30 p.m. **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +John & Lorraine Westhoff
 Sun. 9-19 8:00 a.m. **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
 Sun. 9-19 10:00 a.m. **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time** (St. Francis) +Bettie Paulie

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, September 19-8:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Minister: Donna Bohrer
Lector: Lois Carlson
Altar Server: Bill/Nancy Schoenhofer
Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Jack McGowen
Ushers For September: Wade/Laura Hoppas
Sunday Donuts: Rusty & Cindy Lero

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Sue Shively, Vence Segreaves, 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, Lorene VanLeeuwen, Ethan Yarnell, Jack McGowen, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Helen Coomes, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Mary Ann Remer, Carl Yockey, Janel Diskin Scales, Vickie Rike, Mike Keal, Carolyn McGowen, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Gary Kilgore, Randy Leach, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, Lisa Johnston, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Francis Grosdidier, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Jane Coomes, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Megan Harmon Morris, Mark Harper, Karen Hanigan, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Jeri Giefer, Lisa Grosdidier David. **If you would like to add or remove someone on the Prayer List, Please call the parish office at 449-2224.**

ST. FRANCIS PARISH MINISTRIES

Saturday, September 18-5:30 p.m.
Altar Servers: Austin, Patrick, Kiser
Lector: Gary VanLeeuwen
Eucharistic Minister: Marcia Gard
Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Keith Van Leeuwen
Rosary Leader: Mary Jean Zandler

Sunday, September 19-10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Gennie, Sophia
Lector: Don Smith
Eucharistic Minister: Joe Smith
Gifts: Mr. & Mrs. Charles Schettler
Rosary Leader: Teresa Grosdidier

Ushers For September:
Saturday-5:30 p.m. Mike Schoenhofer, Keith VanLeeuwen, Jeff Gard
Sunday-10:00 a.m. Mike Mann, Mike Grosdidier, Mark Smith

Church Cleaners for September 17th: Jane O'Bryan, Susan Jacquinet, Kathleen Shields

PARISH WEBSITE

www.stfrancis-stambrose.org

THE PARISH OFFICE hours are Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please enter at the East office door.

BULLETIN: Please have bulletin entries in by 10:00 a.m. Thursday morning. Call the office with your information. Thank you!

THERE WILL NOT BE MASS on Monday, September 13th at St. Francis Church.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION will be in the classrooms this Wednesday, September 15th. K-4th will meet in the PSR building. 5th-8th will meet in the Rectory basement. 9th-12th will meet in the Parish Hall. If you have a new student in our program, please call Suzie Diskin 449-2783 to register as soon as possible. We follow the Diocesan Guidelines for Safe Environment teaching and Virtus trained volunteers. Please read "Letter to Parents" and PSR Schedule 2021-2022. We hope to have a safe and promising year for teaching our Catholic faith!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING:

K of C Council 760 will have a meeting on Tuesday, September 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Francis Parish Hall. All Knights are encouraged to attend. We have a busy period ahead including some interesting projects. Hope to see you there!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BENEFIT

BREAKFAST: Sunday, September 26th. K of C Council 760 will have a Benefit Breakfast for the Adam and Canace Harris family. The Harris' twin daughters were born on July 31st, nearly three months early. Tiny Sutton Louise passed moments after birth and Slone Louise remains in Wesley Medical Center. Their ten year old son Easton was recently diagnosed with Type 1 Diabetes.

HARVEST HOUSE MEETING: Attention to all Harvest House members and anyone wanting to join, please feel welcome. Meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of the month. This month's meeting will be on Thursday, September 16th at the St. Paul Café (back dinning room) at 12:30 p.m. Hope to see you there. Contacts: Judy Fager 620-423-9144 Marlene Clark 620-687-4401

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA will meet Tuesday, September 14th at St. Francis Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will open with the Spiritual Reading on the Rosary by the Chancellor. The Hosting Committee will be Jolene Born, Linda DeGarmo, Louise Jarboe and Jane Schibi. D of I members, please remember to bring your school supplies. Come and enjoy the fun evening.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY to the family and friends of Janet Brown Maschino, who passed away on September 9th. Janet is the daughter of Mary Ita Brown and the sister of Mike Brown. ***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.***

HEARTBEAT BILL: You may have heard in the news that the Hearbeat Bill went into effect last week in Texas. That is an enormous life-saving stride for the state of Texas. However, Wichita is likely to see an increase in abortions as a result. The KDHE reported the number of abortions in Kansas in 2020 was 9% higher than in 2019 and out-of-state residents outnumbered in-state residents. These numbers are likely to continue to rise. Our prayers can be very powerful for women and men who believe abortion is their only option. Through praying the rosary with pro-life meditations we ask our Holy Mother to intercede for us as we pray for an end to abortion and conversion of heart and mind of all involved in abortion. We pray that women who are seeking an abortion reconsider and choose a life-affirming alternative.

ADORATION: 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 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. To volunteer for Adoration, please call Jackie Harmon at the Rectory (620-449-2224) or one of the following: for St. Francis, Suzie Diskin (620-423-0615) for St. Ambrose, Donna Bohrer (620-244-3709 or 620-423-1562).

"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth." *Mother Teresa*

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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total Amount Needed

St. Francis: \$4,826.00 \$5,611.54
 St. Ambrose: \$1,505.00 \$993.46

Please remember your parish in your Will.