

# THE 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

Sat. 9-14	5:30 p.m.	<b>24th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +John and Lorraine Westhoff
Sun. 9-15	8:00 a.m.	<b>24th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun. 9-15	10:00 a.m.	<b>24th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Tim VanLeeuwen
Mon. 9-16	8:00 a.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Francis)
Tue. 9-17	8:00 a.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Francis)
Wed. 9-18	6:15 p.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Francis)
Thur. 9-19	8:30 a.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Ambrose)
Fri. 9-20	8:00 a.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Francis)
Sat. 9-21	8:00 a.m.	<b>NO MASS</b> (St. Francis)
Sat. 9-21	5:30 p.m.	<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Mike Doherty
Sun. 9-22	8:00 a.m.	<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun. 9-22	10:00 a.m.	<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Betty Duling

**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, September 22nd-8:00 a.m.**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Rusty Lero

**Lector:** Laura Hoppas

**Altar Server:** Wayne Shively

**Gifts:** M/M John Schoenhofer

**September Ushers:** Ed & Kim Spielbusch

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** 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, Frances Fox, Sarah Norris-Crews, Laura Kay Nutter, Ed Lero, Joan Unruh, Virginia Westerman, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Jeanine Schettler, 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, Christine Schettler, Lois Carlson, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Wade Westhoff, Geanita Birks, Jack McGowen, Jessica Miniuk, Sr. Agnes Lero, Harolyn (Smith) Malott, Char (O'Bryan) Brazil, Jim Dent, Peggy (Lewis) Bass, Vernie Kennedy, Adam Every, Colleen Cook, Chelsea Smith, Mary Ann Shurtz, Charles F. Brown, Vicki Kargel

**Fr. Matthew's Email:**

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**Sacramental Emergency Number:**

**620-236-0705**

**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, September 21st-5:30 p.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Brynlea, Ella, Katie

**Lector:** Mike Carter

**Eucharistic Minister:** Jill Coomes

**Gifts:** Joel VanLeeuwen Family

**Rosary:** Mary Jean Zandler

**Sacristans:** Mike/Cindy Schoenhofer

**Sunday-September 22nd-10:00 a.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Megan, Marisela, Adriana

**Lector:** Don Smith

**Eucharistic Minister:** Terry Diskin

**Gifts:** M/M Kent Winter

**Rosary:** Tammi Norris

**Sacristans:** Mike/Kim McCracken

**September Ushers:**

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

**Sunday-10:00 a.m.**—Mike Grosdidier, Charles Schettler, Mark Smith

**Church Cleaners-September 21st**—Kayla Treiber,

Morgan Vitt, Madison Winter

## **STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

**Total Amount Needed**

St. Francis \$4,493.00 \$6,348.40

St. Ambrose \$656.00 \$1,128.85

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

## **INSTALLATION MASS FOR FR. MATTHEW DAVIED**

Most Reverend Bishop Carl Kemme presiding  
Saturday, September 28, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

A dinner will be provided in the St. Francis Parish Hall following the Mass. There is a sign-up sheet on the tables in the back of the church for the meal.

**PSR** will have classes this Wednesday, September 18th from 7:00-8:00 p.m. K-5th will have class in the Religious Education Building and 6th-12th in the St. Paul School. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be ongoing in the church, every week during class. Parents are welcomed and encouraged to spend time with our Lord in front of the Blessed Sacrament while waiting for their students to finish class.

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** There will not be weekday Masses September 14th-21st. Fr. Matt will be out of town.

**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will have a meeting on Sunday, September 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Francis Parish Hall.



## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**BENEFIT BREAKFAST:** K of C Council 760 will host a benefit breakfast from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, September 22nd at the St. Francis Parish Hall. Join us for sausage, eggs, hotcakes, biscuits and gravy and an opportunity

for a friendly roundtable visit. The cost is a free-will donation and proceeds will be directed to the family of Austin and Chelsea Smith.

**HARVEST HOUSE** will meet Thursday, September 19th at noon for lunch at the St. Paul Café. We will discuss our Confirmation Saint and why we chose him or her. For more information call Marlene Clark 620-687-4401 or Judy Fager 620-423-9144.

**ANNUAL 29TH GREENBUSH DAY** is Sunday, September 15th from 11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. There will be kid's games from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., a hog roast, and live music. (The Duling's and Johnnie Ziebert Band) Greenbush Day is an annual gathering and fundraiser to maintain the historic grounds and cemetery for future generations. Free will donation. Come join the fun!

**THE ST. FRANCIS FALL BAZAAR** will be on November 3rd. There is a sign-up sheet on the back table of the church. Please put your name on where you would like to help and start thinking about a Fancy Stand or Auction item you might donate.

## **ST. AMBROSE FALL TURKEY/NOODLE DINNER:**

St. Ambrose Altar Society has set Sunday, October 13th for their annual Fall Turkey/Noodle Dinner. It will be carry out only. More details to follow.

**PASTOR'S MUSINGS:** What a great change to start seeing some cooler weather! It makes me eager to be outside more often than I already am. I head to retreat this week, which is something the Church asks all priests to do at least once per year. It's one of those mandatory things that I'm happy to fulfill. Retreat is a time to reflect on the year, grow in self knowledge and be refreshed through good and holy leisure. I usually scan through what books I'd like to dig into next when preparing for retreat, as that is something I do lots of when I'm away. I generally am also reading one fiction novel, and one spiritual or theology book. It keeps me fresh! I hope many of you are readers as well. It's something that I never seemed to sit still long enough to do as a kid, unless it was Harry Potter. But in my adult life I have found great joy in being able to quiet myself and read a book regularly. We have many great books on the cart for adoration (if you don't have an adoration hour, come talk to me and we can lend some out), and I believe every Catholic seeking to grow in relationship with God should try to read a spiritual book every year or two. It expands the soul in a necessary way! Pray for me as I go on retreat, and please know that I pray for you all. -Father Matt

**THANK YOU:** The family of Mary Jo Bradshaw would like to thank Father Matt for the beautiful service and the Altar Society for the wonderful meal.

**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. Everyone is welcome to drop in anytime during Adoration to make a visit. *"Every Holy Hour we make so pleases the Heart of Jesus that it will be recorded in Heaven and retold for all eternity." St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

**ST. FRANCIS/ST. AMBROSE PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT:** If you would like a Financial Report for your parish there will be copies on the back table at the church and at the parish office.

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?** If you or anyone you know are interested in becoming Catholic contact the parish office 620-449-2224. Classes will begin in the fall.

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