

***THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—SEPTEMBER 4, 2022***

Sat.	9-3	5:30 p.m.	<b>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Bill & Lou Spielbusch
Sun.	9-4	8:00 a.m.	<b>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	9-4	10:00 a.m.	<b>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Jim Hofer
Mon.	9-5	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Ron Smith
Tue.	9-6		No Mass
Wed.	9-7	6:15 p.m.	(St. Francis) +Larry Schoenhofer
Thur.	9-8	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) +David Westhoff
Fri.	9-9	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) +Dawn Muller
Sat.	9-10	8:00 a.m.	(St. Francis) Peace
Sat.	9-10	5:30 p.m.	<b>Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Nancy Giefer
Sun.	9-11	8:00 a.m.	<b>Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Ambrose) People of the Parishes
Sun.	9-11	10:00 a.m.	<b>Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (St. Francis) +Frank and Lois Giefer

**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 11th-8:00 a.m.**  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Lois Carlson  
**Lector:** Brian Schoenhofer  
**Altar Server:** Bill and Nancy Schoenhofer  
**Gifts:** Mr. and Mrs. Paul Westerman  
**September Ushers:** Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spielbusch  
**Coffee/Donuts:** St. Elizabeth Circle

**ST. FRANCIS PARISH MINISTRIES**  
**Saturday, September 10th-5:30 p.m.**  
**Altar Servers:** Patrick, Collin, Jackson  
**Lector:** Ron Reeves  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Jill Coomes  
**Gifts:** Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith  
**Rosary Leader:** Cindy Schoenhofer  
**Sacristans:** Mike and Cindy Schoenhofer  
**Sunday, September 11th-10:00 a.m.**

**Altar Servers:** Riley, Devin, Brec  
**Lector:** Keaton McCracken  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Terry Diskin  
**Gifts:** Kristy Mueller Family  
**Rosary Leader:** Jean Diskin  
**Sacristans:** Dave and Jean Diskin  
**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-Friday, September 9th**—Jane O’ Bryan, Judy Diskin, Susan Jacquinet, Kathleen Shields

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Sue Shively, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Ron Lallemand, Mary Ann Dougherty, Jane Anne Beachner, Jerry Beachner, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Phyllis Coomes, Barbara Workman, Peg Brown, 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, Mary Ann Rehert, Carolyn McGowen, Rene Miller, Judy Diskin, C.L. & Mitzi Warstler, Gary Kilgore, Randy Leach, Jeanine Schettler, Beverly Simmons, John Schoenhofer, Irene Baldwin, Ruth Ann Schoenhofer, Lu Reeves, Miles Smith, Fr. Sam Pinkerton, Jeri Giefer, Brenda Harmon, Doris Locati, Don George, Jimmy Schoenhofer, Vickie Rike, Donna Vitt, Pat Kanute, Helen George

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

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

	Total Amount Needed
St. Francis \$4,206.01	\$5,598.08
St. Ambrose \$2,207.00	\$1,076.83
<b>Please remember your parish in your Will.</b>	



**LIBERATED BY TRUTH:**  
 It’s not too late to register for the Liberated By Truth Conference coming to Wichita on Saturday, September 10th. Audiences say 100% of Catholics need to know this information! Brush up on history, learn tools to defend the

truth about life WITH CHARITY in a world confused and hostile. This may be the best gift to yourself, and the community. COME RESET our prolife efforts! To register contact the Respect Life and Social Justice Office at 316 269-3935 or register online at: <https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/event/liberated-by-truth-conference/>

**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*

**50TH ANNIVERSARY:** Asa and Donna Bohrer would like to invited everyone that would like to come join us in celebrating our 50th Anniversary, Sunday, September 4th from 1-2 p.m. at the St. Ambrose Parish Hall.



**ST. AMBROSE ALTAR SOCIETY:** On Sunday, September 11th there will be a St. Ambrose Altar Society meeting following Mass in the parish hall to make plans for the 2022 Fall Dinner. The women of the parish are urged to attend. It will be short.

**DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA** will meet Tuesday, September 13th at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Francis Parish Hall. We will open with a Spiritual Reading. Please bring a food item for donations to the Girard food pantry. Girard ladies can leave their donations in the baskets in back of St. Michael Church. Ladies, you did it again, the school supply donations was a great success, thank you! Hosting Committee, Jolene Born, Linda DeGarmo, Louise Jarboe and Jane Schibi. Come and have an enjoyable evening of fun.

**HARVEST HOUSE** will meet Thursday, September 15th at the St. Paul Café at 12:30 p.m. If anyone has a special rosary, Catholic art work or a sacramental, please bring it and say a few words about it.

**CHRIS STEFANIK** is coming to Parsons Municipal Auditorium on September 14, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. He is a Catholic motivational speaker, author and television host who has devoted his life to inspire people to live a bold, contagious faith. He is the creator of the **Real Life Catholic** website and tickets can be bought for this event at [reallifecatholic.com/events/parsons](http://reallifecatholic.com/events/parsons). Our junior high-senior high students will be attending this event on Wednesday, September 14th for PSR class and drivers will be needed. Through a generous donation, students and teachers tickets will be provided for free. Please call or text Suzie Diskin at 423-0615 to volunteer to drive to this event.



**ST. FRANCIS/ST. AMBROSE PSR** classes will begin on September 7th at 7:00 p.m. with Mass in the St. Francis church. This is a **Family Mass** to ask God’s blessing on our upcoming school year and PSR classes. If you are a new student in our program or kindergarten, please call Suzie Diskin or Lyndon McCracken 316-239-9994 to enroll. More information to follow.

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**FORMED** PICK OF THE WEEK  
 Sept 4, 2022

**WATCH**  
**NETWORK OF FREEDOM**

Set in France at the beginning of World War II, this inspiring film narrates the heroic work of Sister Helene Studler, the Daughter of Charity who saved the lives of thousands of French refugees by preventing them from becoming prisoners of the Nazi forces, or freeing those who were captured. Among those she saved were many illustrious characters including the future Prime Minister of France, François de Mitterrand.



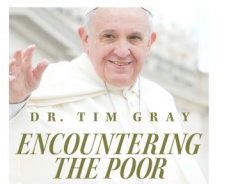
**LEARN**  
**FORMED NOW: THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**



As we celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary this week, listen as Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the traditions surrounding Mary’s life and how her life is a model of humility for Christians.

**LISTEN**  
**ENCOUNTERING THE POOR: BIBLICAL ROOTS FOR CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING BY TIM GRAY**

Dr. Gray expounds upon the teachings of the Catholic Church surrounding social justice in light of Sacred Scripture. Discover how social justice in regards to the poor is not one small piece in the puzzle, but instead frames the entire mosaic of Scripture.



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