

Second Sunday of Easter (Sunday of Divine Mercy)

MASS INTENTIONS: April 10th - April 18th

Sat. 5pm Mary Paula Feess (Bill Feess)
 Sun 7:30am †Fonzy Robertson Jr. (John & Sonja Schibi)
 9am The People of St. Patrick Parish

Mon. No Mass *†Mae Sicka (Richard & Sue Smith)
 *While away Fr. Curtis will offer his daily Mass for this intention

Tue. 5:30pm †Romulo & Bernabe Yanez (Tony Munoz)
 Wed. 8am †Joe & Dorothy Cole (Joan Pearson)
 Thur. 8am †Fred & LouAnn Bergkamo (Mary Brown)
 Fri. 8am †Debbie Deiters

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS
 Sat. 5pm †Bernard & Jeannie LaForge (Family)
 Sun. 7:30am †Janell Carson (John & Sara Imhoff family)
 9am The People of St. Patrick Parish

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Mon April 12 **No Mass** 8:00am
 Tue April 13 Mass 5:30pm
 Knights of Columbus 7:00pm
 Wed April 14 Mass 8:00am
 PSR 5:30pm
 CYM 7:00pm
 Thur April 15 Mass 8:00am
 Fri April 16 Day of Penance: abstinence from Meat. Prayer and works of mercy Reading of Sacred Scripture for an Outpouring of God's mercy and The Holy Spirit's gifts of holiness and Strength upon the church.
 Mass 8:00am
 Sat April 17 Confession 3:30pm
 Mass 5:00pm
 Sun April 18 Mass 7:30am
First Communion Mass 9:00am

JUST A REMINDER

Sunday, April 18th @ the 9:00am Mass, is Our First Communicants' Mass. Please be mindful, of your Mass times that weekend, so as their families and extended families are able to attend.

Forgot to pick up a Bulletin....it is online @ stpatricksparsons.org or I will have extra at the Rectory.

Please Consider:
 As we are slowly trying to find a new normal, I am hoping that more of you are comfortable with serving a ministry. I am in need of Servers, Usher/Greeter and Lectors. Please call the Rectory, so I may put you, and or your family on the Ministry Schedule..

WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH
Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9am to 3:30pm
Closed Holy Days and Holidays.

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sat: April 17th 5:00pm Mass
 Servers: Brandon Brungardt / Mark Bogner
 Lector: Carolyn Waugh
 Greeters: Tom & Beth Westhoff

Sun: April 18th 7:30am Mass
 Servers: Collin Snider
 Lector: Marena Kirkpatrick
 Greeters: Derek & Stephanie Dwyer

Sun: April 18th 9:00am Mass
 Servers: Landon & Aiden Wheat
 Lector: SPCS
 Greeters: David & Karen Wheat

Church set-up Crew.
 Please call John Schibi at (620) 820-1331 for any questions or if you would like to sign-up on a crew.

Date: Saturday Crew

April 17th Luke Schibi / Joey Alexander / Paul Yanez
 April 24th Paul Schibi / Vincent Schibi / Bryan Schibi / Daniel Schibi

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH

	04/04/21	07/01/20 - 04/04/21
WEEKLY COLLECTION:	\$ 17,443.00	\$517,588.30
LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:	\$135.00	\$3350.77
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS: \$..00	\$40,000.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	\$17,578.00	\$560,939.07
BUDGET:	\$17,500.00	\$700,000.00
OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:	\$78.00	(\$139,060.93)

April 2021 Prayer List:
 Jim Lubbers, Rita Schauf, Kyle Templeton, Mary Paula Feess, April Stanton, Caleb Thaddeus Fent, Lorie Nutter, Dave Turk, Connie Rhodes, Gary Woolard, Kris Vitt, Nicon Nordquist, Wayne Cupp, Judy Cupp, Gauge Cupp, Kerri Heiskell, Donna George, JoAnn George LaForge, Wilmetta Alderman, Ron McDaniel, Caren Kuffler, Gloria Cervantes, Juanita Wilkerson, Nancy Davis, Darlene Johnsen, Chris & Tim Hurley, Marietta Munding, Sherry Perkins, Judy Tedstrom

The Hail Mary is a short prayer, so it can be easily memorized and quickly spoken, and is the backbone of the devotion of the Rosary, which is easily the world's most powerful devotion. With countless miracles and conversions to its credit, the **Hail Mary** is a powerful composition.

CATHOLIC 101
 The Easter season is 50 days long, ending on the feast of Pentecost. Easter surpasses the season of Lent in many different ways. Easter is a full 10 days longer than Lent, giving the Christian people 50 days to bask in the glory of the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
 April 11, 2021 –
Second Sunday of Easter, Sunday of Divine Mercy

On this second Sunday of Easter, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. We celebrate this feast today since God's mercy was shared with us through the resurrection of Jesus. To put it simply, today, we are celebrating Jesus' merciful love for us and how we can partake in it.

No matter where we are on our journey as a disciple of Christ, we are all in need of God's merciful love. There are countless times throughout our day when we miss the mark. For instance, we might fail to respond in kind to our spouse or kids, fall into gossip in our workday, or even forget to think positively of others. These shortcomings call us to humble ourselves and receive the unwavering mercy of God.

Jesus is Mercy itself. He was born into time to save us from sin. And to ensure His Mercy was always available to us, He gave us the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In our Gospel, Jesus encounters the apostles after the resurrection and says, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." Jesus gave us the gift of this sacrament because He wants to help us reach eternal life. He knows we cannot do it without His merciful love, and a resolve to do better and to follow Him more faithfully.



Today, may we recall the precious gift God has given to us through His Son — Mercy itself. May we never forget that, with a contrite heart and a resolution to do better, God is always willing to forgive.

Welcome...
 Please Welcome our newest members to our church and Catholic Faith.
 Congratulations to;
 Katrine Kaboli and Alex Sandridge
 Wendall and Angel Palma
 Lucas Nodine
 Our Parish Community is rejoicing with you! May you always seek Jesus Christ and His Will for you..

Don't forget your Passport
 Passports / stamps are available at the **St. Joseph Churches**
 "Holy Traveling" The Year of Joseph..
 The Holy See has granted a plenary indulgence for the faithful who make a pilgrimage to the locations(churches) listed during the Year of St. Joseph. Churches in our diocese which are in Arma, Andale, Baxter Springs, Conway Springs, Humboldt, Ost, McPherson, Yates Center and Wichita are named after St. Joseph.

A pilgrimage is no ordinary journey. It's a kind of "holy traveling" undertaken with resolve for a particular spiritual purpose.

When a church is named for a saint, it means that particular saint is its special guardian and intercessor in heaven. When you travel to parishes named for St. Joseph and leave your prayer intentions at his altars, it shows him special honor and will increase the blessings and graces you'll receive through his intercession.

Learn more about this Indulgence in the Catholic Advance.  

Please Pray for: For the End of Abortion and all sins against Life

Prayer for Trust in The Divine Mercy of God
 Most merciful Jesus, I turn to You in my need. You are worthy of my complete trust. You are faithful in all things. When my life is filled with confusion, give me clarity and faith. When I am tempted to despair, fill my soul with hope. Most merciful Jesus, I trust You in all things. I trust in Your perfect plan for my life. I trust You when I cannot comprehend Your divine will. I trust You when all feels lost. Jesus, I trust You more than I trust myself. Most merciful Jesus, You are all-knowing. Nothing is beyond Your sight. You are all-loving. Nothing in my life is beyond Your concern. You are all-powerful. Nothing is beyond Your grace. Most merciful Jesus, I trust in You, I trust in You, I trust in You. May I trust You always and in all things. May I daily surrender to Your Divine Mercy. Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy, Pray for us as we turn to you in our need. Amen.

Sacrament of Mercy

The grace that we receive in all the seven Sacraments that Jesus instituted and gifted to the Church, flow from His one time Sacrifice upon the Cross. In other words, the Sacraments were given to us at a great cost, they cost Jesus His very Life upon the Cross. It's this reality that we sometimes forget when it comes to the call to live a Sacramental Life. When we fail to appreciate the Sacraments and use/receive them, all of them, as intended by Jesus, we make a mockery of His Death. One of the Sacraments where this is most evident is in the Sacrament of Mercy, the Sacrament of Confession. Too often, there are many who say I don't need to go to Confession, I just confess my sins directly to God, but honestly this is a childish excuse or the reasoning of someone who has placed themselves above God (a sin) and are mocking the Death of Jesus. In our gospel today Jesus institutes the Sacrament of Confession, and gives a share of His power to forgive sins to His Apostles (and their future successors in the priesthood), this is the way He has given us for the forgiveness of our sins. If all we need to do is confess to God directly (although we are confessing to God in the Sacrament), then why would Jesus have instituted the Sacrament in the first place? He did not institute it, die for it, just for it to be something optional? Imagine standing before the judgment seat of God and telling Him, "I know you gave us the Sacrament of Confession, and I was told that it was necessary to us it for the forgiveness of sins, but I decided for myself that you need to forgive my sins the way I want". How prideful, sinful, and worthy of Hell would that approach be? Remember, when we die, the time for repentance ends, there is only time for judgment. And yes God is merciful, but when we obstinately refuse to go to the Sacrament of Confession, when we place God below us and try to make Him subservient to our desires, we are then mocking His death and entire purpose for coming into the world. Today let us seek to become more fully a sacramental and merciful people by returning to and confessing our sins the way that God has instructed, through His Sacrament of Mercy

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