

Fourth Sunday of Easter, St. Joseph The Worker, Saint Athanasius, Saint Philip, Saint James, First Friday, First Saturday

MASS INTENTIONS: April 29th - May 7th

Sat 5:00pm	†Marge LaRue (Kristen Bradbury Family)
Sun 7:30am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish
9:00am	†Dennis Brungardt
Tue 5:30pm	David George (John Paul George)
Wed 8:00am	†Dale McDaniel (Tim & Chris Hurley)
Thur 8:00am	Dick, Margaret & David George (Richard & Margaret George)
Fri 8:00am	Wendy Nutt (Dr. Steve Miller)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

Sat 5:00pm	†Dennis Brungardt (Pam Brungardt)
Sun 7:30am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish
9:00am	†Joe Ponce (Ponce Family)

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Tue May 2nd	Mass	5:30pm
Wed May 3rd	Mass	8:00am
	PSR	5:30pm
	EDGE (last day)	6:00pm
	CYM (last day)	7:00pm
Thur May 4th	Mass	8:00am
Fri May 5th	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.	
	First Friday Mass	8:00am
Sat May 6th	First Saturday Confession	7:30am
	First Saturday Mass	8:00am
	Vigil Mass	5:00pm
Sun May 7th	Mass	7:30am
	Mass	9:00am

Sunday May 7th at 9:00am Mass we will be honoring our 2023 High School and College graduates. You are welcome to wear your cap and gown to this Mass. Congratulations.. to you all.

What to make a difference?
Consider an Adoration hour, or being a sub for the Adoration Chapel..

I am looking for someone to repair the north gate at Calvary Cemetery. Please call the Parish Office @ 421-6762.

New to our Parish? Welcome!
Please contact the Parish office for a registration form or complete the on line registration on the Parish website @stpatricksparsons.org and return the form to the Parish office.

Welcome to St. Patrick Catholic Church
Parish Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 8am to 3:30pm
Closed Holy Days and Holidays.

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH		
	4-23-2023	7-1-22 TO 4-23-23
WEEKLY COLLECTION:	\$11,197.00	\$610,102.85
LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:	\$374.06	\$9,058.94
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:	\$00.00	\$37,711.15
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	\$11,571.20	\$656,872.94
BUDGET:	\$17,500.00	\$17,500.00
OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:	(\$5,928.94)	(\$95,627.26)

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sat: May 6th	5:00pm Mass
Servers:	Drew Schibi / Blaise Schibi
Lector:	Jane Blackburn
Greeters /Gifts	Jody & Joan Thompson
Sun: May 7th	7:30am Mass
Servers:	Collin Snider
Lector:	Marena Kirkpatrick
Greeters /Gifts	Don & Jane Alexander
Sun: May 7th	9:00am Mass
Servers:	Owen Feess
Lector:	Leslie Keller
Greeters/Gifts	Rod & Denise Fleming

Date: Saturday Crew
Please call John Schibi at 820-1331 for any questions or if you would like to sign-up on a crew..

May 6th	Chris Allen / David Wheat / Mark Mall
May 13th	Luke Schibi / Joey Alexander / Paul Yanez
May 20th	Emilio Aita/ Ross Harper/ Adam Myers

Mowing Schedule

May 4th	Logan Giefer & Brett Giefer
May 11th	Luke Wolgamott, Joel Schibi & Drew Schibi
May 18th	Luke Manners & Adam Myers
May 25th	Joey Alexander & Luke Schibi
June 1st	Ross Harper & Emilio Aita
June 8th	JR Allen & Paul Schibi

April 2023 Prayer List: Please Pray for:
Mandy Venegas, Donna Vitt, Raef Stanford, Bristel Bernd, April & Natalie Stanton, Janie Schibi, Caleb Fent, Lorie Nutter, Dave Turk, Matthew Carrillo, Rafael Munoz, Joaquin Castellanos, Tim & Chris Hurley, Lashall Snider, Malissa Forbes, Terry Payne, Jim Simon, Donna George, JoAnn George LaForge, Dr. Gary Yarbrough & Diane Yarbrough, Loise Lubbers, Linda Crabtree, Angel Reyes, Frank Reyes, Valerie Carnahan, Brian Merchant, MaryJo Howard, Rita Schauf, Jason Langston, Charlie Smith, Mike Treiber, Carter Stephens, Montell White, Steven Minor, Kris Vitt, Nicon Nordquist, Jim Vitt, Jared Mullinax, Jerry & Sylvia McKinney, Glenn Linnebur, Jackie Hudson, Millie Braderstot, Audrey Mihich, Lois Johnsen, Bob Hennessey, Joy Cervantes, Craig Forbes,

Stewardship Reflection
April 30, 2023 —

Today's readings on this fourth Sunday of Easter offer us a glimpse into the heart of our loving Savior. He is the Good Shepherd and we can confidently place our trust in Him as we live the stewardship way of life.

This endearing image of Jesus as our shepherd, and His personal love for each one of us, is described in our Gospel passage from John, through the words of Jesus Himself. Here we read Jesus' description of Himself as the "Good Shepherd." He says of Himself, "The sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has driven out all his own, he walks ahead of them and the sheep follow him, because they recognize his voice."

This aspect of our Lord's tender and personal love for each one of us is a compelling reason to embrace the stewardship way of life — in the offering of our time, talent, and treasure to Him, we can express our gratitude to Him for the incomprehensible love He has for us.

Embracing this way of life certainly requires trust on our part. But Christ has proven Himself worthy of our trust. He "bore our sins in His body." He calls Himself our shepherd and He offers Himself as the guardian of our souls. He has withheld nothing of Himself and His goodness from us. He would never ask anything of us that would bring us harm. He tells us "I came so that [you] might have life and have it more abundantly."

This Easter season, let us resolve to entrust ourselves and our lives gratefully to Him.

May... the Month of Mary

Mothers Day is May 14th

Mother's Day Novena of masses —Looking for the best gift to give your mother or grandmother this Mother's Day? Honor her with a Novena of Masses. Nine Masses will be scheduled throughout the year, said for the intention of your loved one. Mother's Day Novena envelopes can be found in your contributions envelopes.
Mass cards are available at the Rectory.

May Crowning: Is a Catholic tradition to honor Mary our Mother, during the month of May by placing a crown of flowers upon her head, giving thanks to her for bringing our Savior into the world.
May is the Month of Mary.

Diocese Pilgrimage to Italy
Join Bishop Carl A. Kemme and the Diocese of Wichita on our Pilgrimage to Italy Oct 23 - Nov 03. For more information go to... Website: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1iga8kh8c6DF_JzenaC4XpOnO5tnDz7Ya/view

God our Father, Creator and Ruler of the universe, in every age you call us to use and develop our gifts for the good of others. With St. Joseph as our guide, help us to do the work you have asked and come to the rewards you have promised.
Please grant this through Christ our Lord.

Please Pray for: Rain
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord Julie Brown, daughter of Larry (Margie) Brown. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her, May She Rest In Peace.

Five Reasons to Honor Mary During the Month of May

1. Mary is Jesus' mother. She is the instrument of the Incarnation and her yes, or fiat, made it possible for our Lord to become the God-Man who was Crucified for our salvation.
2. She is the first and most perfect disciple. Mary was the first to hear the Good News, and the first to follow Christ. Her entire life was devoted to him and assisting him, in whatever way she could, to carry on his mission. Unaffected by Original Sin, she was able to perfectly open herself to God's will.
3. She is our mom. No, really. She is. To put it simply, she's our mother because we are all members of the Body of Christ. Since she gave birth to that Body, then she's our mother, too. At the moment she gave her fiat, she became our mother in the order of grace. She may not have given birth to us physically, but she certainly has given birth to us spiritually.
4. She loves you more than you can ever imagine. If she did not, would she have endured the horror of seeing her Son tortured, scourged, crowned with thorns, carry the Cross to Calvary, and die a gruesome death on it? She did it for you, for all of us, because she understood that Jesus' Passion and Crucifixion was the only way to your (our) salvation. She loves you like no human mother ever could.
5. Mary is advocate, helper, benefactress and mediatrix. Her job, so to speak, began at the moment she conceived Jesus in her womb and continues until this day. What is more, it will continue for all eternity. As the first and most perfect disciple, she is devoted to accompanying him and continuing her saving office by interceding for us so that we may receive the gifts of eternal salvation. She is at work 24/7/365/forever, for whatever we need, whenever we need it. For all these reasons and more, Mary deserves honor, not only during the month of May, but always.

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST 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/>

May 1st is The Feast of Saint Joseph the Worker.
Devotion for St. Joseph goes back to at least the 9th century, when he was commonly referred to as "nutrition domini" meaning "guardian of the Lord". Also known as the silent saint, who was given the noble task of caring and watching over the Virgin Mary and Jesus, now cares for and watches over the Church and models for all the dignity of human work. Franciscan Media

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Capital Campaign Prayer
Heavenly Father,
By your Divine Will and Providence,
you established our parish under the patronage of St. Patrick 150 years ago.
Throughout these years you have provided for and guided our parish with your Grace in every moment of need. With confidence we call upon your Divine Assistance once again, to guide us and lead us, to give us generous hearts open to Your Will, as we work to repair our Church.
So that through our efforts and your Grace we may preserve our heritage, strengthen our faith, and our future, providing a holy place for generations to come to encounter and grow in the faith and love of Jesus Christ. We ask this, and all things, through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

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Tuesday-Friday: 8am - 3:30pm
Closed on Holidays & Holy Days

LORDS DAY MASS SCHEDULE
Vigil Mass: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am & 9:00am

WEEKDAY MASSES
Tuesday: 5:30pm
Wed, Thur, Fri: 8:00am

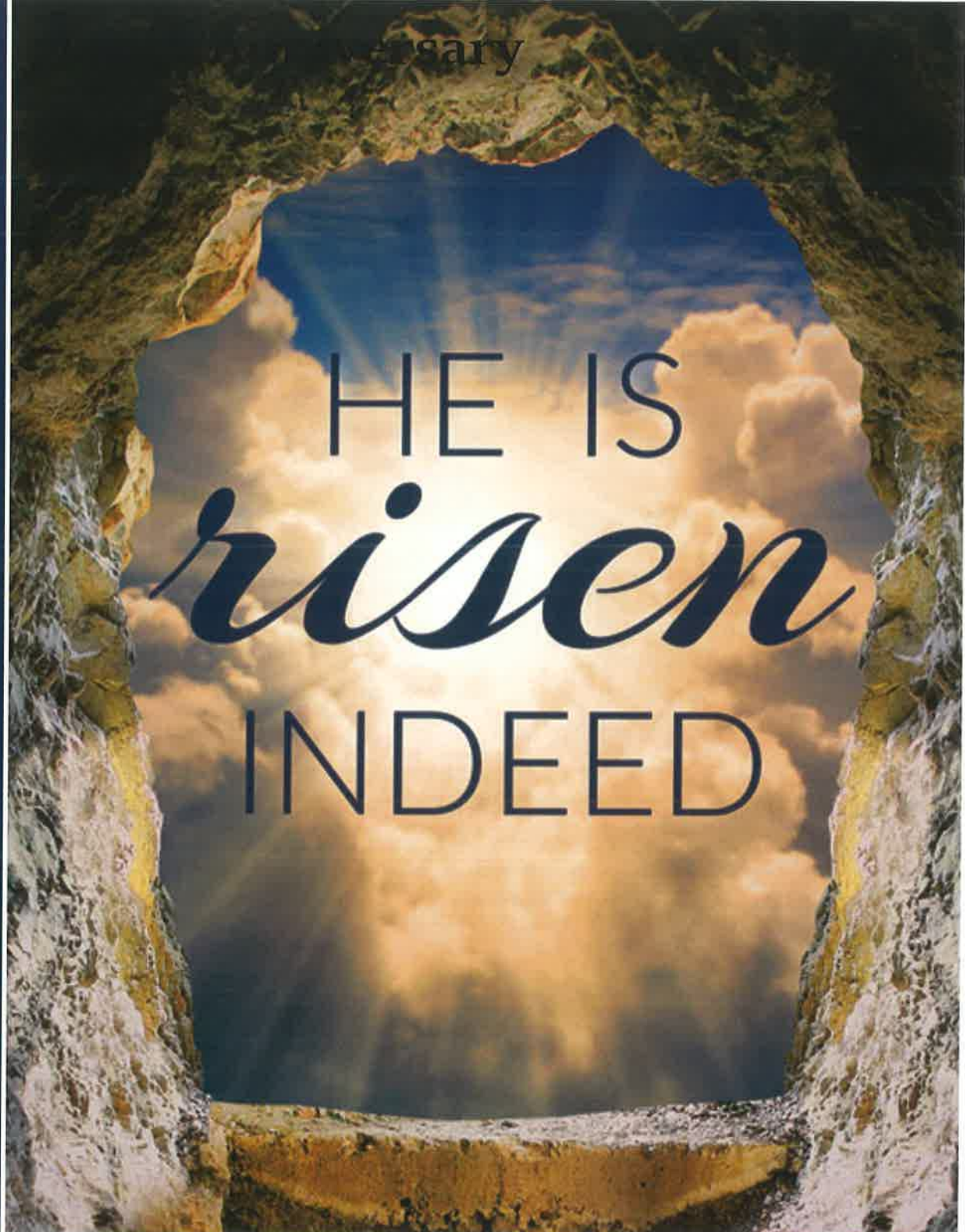
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Saturdays 3:30pm to 4:30pm
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