

Focusing the gospel

On the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jesus encourages his disciples to let their light shine: "Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father."

Monday is the Memorial of Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs. Friday is the Memorial of Saint Scholastica, virgin.

For the next two weeks, our first reading on the weekdays will be from the Book of Genesis. This week begins with the stirring story of creation, one that will be repeated at the Easter Vigil.

Mark's Gospel continues with stories of Jesus' healing and of his challenging and being challenged by the religious authorities. "People immediately recognized him. They scurried about the surrounding country and began to bring in the sick on mats." The Pharisees and scribes question Jesus asking, "Why do your disciples not follow the tradition of the elders but instead eat a meal with unclean hands?" A frustrated Jesus responds, "You disregard God's commandment but cling to human tradition." Jesus challenges the people to disregard rules about being defiled by food but to avoid the evil desires and deeds that defile their hearts. Traveling north into pagan territory, Jesus visits a woman whose daughter has an unclean spirit. Jesus heals her because the mother believes in him. On his way back, Jesus heals a man, allowing him to hear and speak again. Jesus feeds 4,000 people for whom he is moved with pity.

Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on Creighton University's Online Ministries Website: <http://www.creighton.edu/collaborativeministry/prayer>. Used with permission.

"Oh Come Let Us Adore Him."

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"...In this world I cannot see the Most High Son of God with my own eyes, except for His Most Holy Body and Blood." - St. Francis of Assisi

Volunteers needed for the following hours:

- Sunday - 2 a.m. & 2 p.m.
 - Monday - 6 p.m. & 11 p.m.
 - Tuesday - 2 p.m. & 5 p.m.
 - Thursday - 1 p.m.
 - Friday - 2 a.m., 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
 - Saturday - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 8 a.m., 6 p.m., 7 p.m. & 8 p.m.
- For more details, call Jana at 945-5379.

Please Remember In Prayer:

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| Sr. Lucille Kerschen | | Nancy Smith |
| Juanita Mans | | Nell Ball |
| Jim Ridder | | Manon Ducroquet |
| Sue Warren | | Doug Stuhlsatz |
| Regina Gaytan | | Don Williams |
| Nancee Scheffer | | Tim Chadd |
| Jim Monroe | | Rolly Chadd |
| Leroy Nedeau | Jim Flanigan | Jo Ann Morton |
| Charles T. Morton | Peggy Bowan | Dave Rohlman |
| Robie Campbell | Doug Howell | Sandy Gleeson |
| Ruth Freund | Betty Sherlock | +Laura Call |
| Joan Kandt | Dorothy Dotterer | +William Perryman |



United in Prayer
St. Joseph Family
Rosary Crusade
2,684 decades prayed

Please join us in praying for our parish families and the poor souls. Decade cards are available in the vestibule of the church.

Weekly Readings

- Mon. 02/06: Gn 1:1-19, Ps 104:1-35, Mk 6:53-56
- Tues. 02/07: Gn 1:20-2:4, Ps 8:4-9, Mk 7:1-13
- Wed. 02/08: Gn 2:4-17, Ps 104:1-30, Mk 7:14-23
- Thur. 02/09: Gn 2:18-28, Ps 128:1-5, Mk 7:24-30
- Fri. 02/10: Gn 3:1-8, Ps 32:1-7, Mk 7:31-37
- Sat. 02/11: Gn 3:9-24, Ps 90:2-13, Mk 8:1-10
- Sun. 02/12: Sir 15:15-20, Ps 119:1-34, 1Cor 2:6-10, Mt 5:17-37

Thank you for your gift of treasure!
July 1, 2016 - June 30, 2017

Weekly Collection 1/29/2017	\$10,534.07
Weekly tithe amount needed	\$13,090.38
Surplus or (Deficit) YTD	\$5,777.26
CMI Fund	\$12,810.00
Roof & Climate Control Repairs	(\$18,230.39)
<i>(cost so far this fiscal year)</i>	

Campus Maintenance & Improvement Fund (CMI)

It is so good for us to be debt-free. However, there are things on campus that continue to cause worry; two in particular are aging roofs and climate control units (there are 37 such units) throughout the campus.

To that end, we are starting a fund to help us pay for the maintenance and at times replacement of these concerns. Thank you for your continued loving care of our Parish and School.



Come check out CYM &

be part of fun, fellowship, and faith! ALL high school age youth are invited to join St. Joseph's Catholic Youth

Ministry, held every MONDAY night from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the basement of the Mother Mary House (The Old Rectory).

Holy Mass Schedule & Intentions

- Monday, February 6
 Saint Paul Miki & Companions
 8:15 a.m. Mass +Matilda Puetz
- Tuesday, February 7
 6:00 p.m. Mass +Donna Highland
- Wednesday, February 8
 Saint Jerome Emiliani, Saint Josephine Bakhita
 8:15 a.m. Mass +Evelyn Monty
- Thursday, February 9
 8:15 a.m. Mass +Dena Gill
- Friday, February 10
 Saint Scholastica
 8:15 a.m. Mass +Kenya Bell
 10:00 a.m. Masonic Home Mass - Special Intention
- Saturday, February 11
 Our Lady of Lourdes
 8:15 a.m. Mass - +Nguyen V. Thuy
 4:00 p.m. Mass - For the People of St. Joseph
- Sunday, February 12 - 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
 8:15 a.m. Mass +Riney Hay
 10:00 a.m. Mass - St. Joseph Men's Group

Ministry Schedule February 11th & 12th

- 4:00 PM**
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| (S) Mike McDanel | (Rosary) Linda Bolster |
| (L1) Angie Bolster-Epps | (M. Server) Matthew Probst |
| (L2) Mike McDanel | (Candle 1) James Jantzen |
| (H) Martha Raybourne | (Candle 2) Zach Stickney |
| (C1) Shawn Vredenburg | (GB) Angie-Bolster Epps and Family |
| (C2) Heather Vredenburg | |
- 8:15 AM**
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| (S) Charlie Deitchler | (Rosary) Joe LaBelle |
| (L1) Larry Setzkorn | (M. Server) Connor Ahlstedt |
| (L2) Bonnie Setzkorn | (Candle 1) Minnie Schreffler |
| (H) Jeff Cummings | (Candle 2) Thomas Kucera |
| (C1) Carissa Cummings | (GB) Ernie Hallacy |
| (C2) Cassidee Cummings | |
- 10:00 AM**
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| (S) Betty Ewing | (Rosary) Florence Marx |
| (L1) Greg Sanders | (M. Server) Patrick Sanders |
| (L2) Jacque McLain | (Candle 1) Vickie McKinney |
| (H) Doug Sublett | (Candle 2) Izzy McKinney |
| (C1) Kristen Allen | (GB) Bill & Pam Dusenbery |
| (C2) Cheryl Gulick | |

Prayers for Our Military

Please pray for all members of the military, especially our parishioners:

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| Jay Schoen | Tony Jeffress | Jonathan Burke |
| Sam Francis | Matt Mork | Timothy Collier |
| Justin Light | Jeff Cranor | |

RETRouvaille

A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

Retrouvaille Weekend

Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Does the distance

between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. Our next Retrouvaille weekend is in Kansas City February 17-19, 2017. For more information about this or another upcoming program for couples, contact registration team: Kansas City Telephone @ 800-470-2230 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.com.



RCIA News

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic, please call the parish office for information on beginning the process of RCIA. Current Catholics are also welcome to come learn more about their faith. Individual lessons are available.

Be still and know that I am God.

Psalm 46:10

Spiritual Life Center

Good Books: The Brothers Karamozov Tuesday, Feb. 7; 7-8:30 This is the second meeting of our book club discussing "The Brothers Karamozov." New attendees are welcome each time. No charge. Notes and outline available on our web site.

A Catholic Perspective on Fitness and Nutrition Wednesday, Feb. 8; 1-2:30 p.m. This monthly course focuses on maintaining health and wellness after the age of 50. February's program will focus on strength training and fiber for good health. \$10

KidsPrayToo: Mass with Children Friday, Feb. 10; 11:15 a.m. This monthly program is especially designed to welcome small children and their caregivers to daily Mass! No charge. Participants are invited to pack a lunch to enjoy in our dining room following Mass. Small children are welcome to tag along and play quietly in the same room during the group meetings.

Catholic Assembly for Business Breakfast Wednesday, Feb. 15; 7:20-9:30 a.m. Please join us for the February CAB breakfast, featuring guest speaker, Antonio J. Soave, Kansas Secretary for the Department of Commerce. Suggested donation for non-members is \$10. Program includes breakfast, talk, and networking.

Docentium: Catholic Social Doctrine Thursday, Feb. 16; 6:15-8:30 p.m. Join us on the third Thursday of every month at the Spiritual Life Center for an evening of food, friendship, and learning. February's Program will be presented by Fr. Patrick Reilly on the topic "Catholic Social Doctrine: The Teachings of St. John Paul II, Benedict XVI and Francis" The cost is \$15 per person.

Advance registration requested. For more info and to register, visit www.slwchita.org or call 316.744.0167.

Parish Dinner News:

- Parish Dinner will be on Sunday, March 19th.
- Raffle tickets are available in the parish and school offices.
- We welcome prizes for our booths and raffle. Donations may be dropped off in the parish or school offices during regular hours.
- Calls/emails will be going out soon to ask for pies and volunteers
- Volunteering is a fantastic way to fulfill stewardship hours for school!!!!

QUILT PARTY IN THE CHRIST THE KING PARISH GYM

Sunday March 5, 2017 - 4501 W. Maple

We will auction one quilt (Winner's Choice) at 1:00 p.m., followed by 20 games of bingo.

22 HANDMADE HEIRLOOM QUILTS

Doors open and lunch served.....11:30 a.m.

Auction & games begin.....1:00 p.m.

Serving lunch, snacks and desserts

Paper cards used for all 20 games.

Markers sold on location or bring your own.

ST. JOSEPH WOMEN'S CIRCLE OUTREACH

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF SOME TYPE OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT? ST. JOSEPH WOMEN'S CIRCLE HAS GENTLY USED AND/OR NEW ITEMS FOR THOSE WHO MAY NEED ONE OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

BATHSTOOLS

BEDSIDE COMMODE/TOILET SEAT/SAFETY RAILS

ADJUSTABLE METAL CRUTCHES

ADJUSTABLE CANES AND REGULAR CANES

WHEELCHAIRS

WALKERS, 3 WHEEL WALKERS AND FOLDING WALKERS



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT LINDA BOLSTER AT 650-1878 OR lfbolster@yahoo.com.