



## Mass Schedule

<b>Mon. March 24</b>	No Mass or Communion Service
<b>Tues. March 25</b>	<b>The Annunciation of the Lord</b>
8:00 a.m.	Ronald Stang †
<b>Wed. March 26</b>	
8:00 a.m.	John & Lois Golba †
<b>Thur. March 27</b>	
8:00 a.m.	John Golba †
<b>Fri. March 28</b>	
8:00 a.m.	John Urbom †
<b>Sat. March 29</b>	
5:00 p.m.	Chet Watrous †
<b>Sun. March 30</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Lent</b>
8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
10:30 a.m.	Johnathan Huffman †

Confessions are heard in the Confessional at the front of the church on Wednesdays at 7:30am and on Saturdays 4:00-4:45pm. Masses every first Friday of the Month



Vincent Ackerman, Adelaide Anderson, Richard Anderson, Mary Anderson, Steve Anderson, Roxanne Casaert, Helen Collins, Jose Comacho, Shirley Cook, Heather Crescini, Jameson Foland, Phyllis Green, David Greene, Raymond Grybos, Teresa Henry, Lisa Johnson, Jean Lambertz, Tray Lambertz, Larry Lee, Susan Lozano, Jim McQueen, Gerald Meier, Loretta Miller, Bill Noel, Cecilia Otter, Ralph Parise, Brian Patterson, Carolyn Powell, Travis Pretz, Steve Reed, Debbie Robbins, Barbara Roberts, Carol Saporito, Jim Seufferling, Marcia Smith, Kelly Smith, Charlene Smotherman, Mary Spielbusch, Megan Stevens, Tammy Swenson, Pat Taylor, Emily Venanzi, John & Nettie Vickers, Ethan Workman, Ray and Alice Zeller.

## Stewardship

March 16, 2025

Regular Collection	\$5216.25
Capital Improvement	\$565.00
Special Collections	\$241.58

*Thank you for your generous gifts to your parish!*

### FASTING & ABSTAINING DURING LENT

#### WHEN DO WE DO THIS?

**Fast & Abstain:** Ash Wednesday & Good Friday

**Abstain:** All Fridays during Lent

#### WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

**Fasting:** Eating one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

**Abstinence:** Refraining from eating meat

#### WHO NEEDS TO FAST & ABSTAIN?

**Fast:** Ages 18-59

**Abstain:** 14 and older

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## Mass Ministries

March 22—5:00 p.m.

**Servers**—Oliver Goering, Sullivan Goering

**Lector**—Joanne Thompson

**Greeters**—Judy & Phil Dixon

March 23—8:00 a.m.

**Servers**—Kylie Baalman, Graham Kern, Oliver Smith

**Lector**—Mark Bloustine

**Greeters**—Debbie & Brad Seely

March 23—10:30 a.m.

**Servers**—Bridget Little, Christopher Sramek

**Lector**—Ashley Lemke

**Greeters**—Holly & Brian Kuhlman

**Counters**— Amy Loomis, Linda Rice, Ann Capuro

March 29—5:00 p.m.

**Servers**—Logan Stevens, Colton Prettyman

**Lector**—Kathy Vogel

**Greeters**—Linda & Benny Rice

March 30—8:00 a.m.

**Servers**—Garrison Bloustine, Cy Seufferling, Grant Bloustine

**Lector**—Corinne Prettyman

**Greeters**—Sherry & Steve Stefan

March 30—10:30 a.m.

**Servers**—Colin Schleicher, Gaston Schleicher, Emerson Schleicher

**Lector**—Matt Lemke

**Greeters**—Ashley & Matt Lemke

**Counters**— Deanell Wieland, Sherry Stefan, Benny Rice

*The monthly schedule is also posted on the bulletin boards at the North and East entrances of the Church and on our website.*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, March 23rd~ *NO SOR, Spring Break!*

Wednesday, March 26th, 7:00 p.m.~ Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 27th, 7:00 p.m.~ *Bingo, Parish Hall*

Friday, March 28th, 5:00 p.m.~ *Fish Fry, Parish Hall*

Friday, April 4th, 5:00 p.m.~ *Fish Fry, Parish Hall*

Sunday, April 6th, 9:00 a.m.~ *Altar Society, Parish Hall*

### Lenten Fish Fry Returns to Our Parish Hall

The fish fry will be March 7th & 28th and April 4th & 11th, Prices are \$15 for Adults (11yrs +), \$7 for kids 6-10 and free for 0-5 years old. Food is served starting at 5:00p.-7:00 p.m..

The menu includes, fried fish, baked fish, French fries, green beans, mac -n-cheese, rolls, baked potatoes and homemade desserts made by our Altar Society ladies.

Come out and Support us!

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**Office Hours**

The office will be opened  
Monday - Thursday from 9:30-12:30.

**Rosary** ~ The Rosary starts at 7:30 a.m. on Sunday. This allows for its completion by 7:50 a.m.



**Progressive Jackpot is \$800!**

Bingo is held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Doors open and food is served at 6:00 p.m. Bring friends and enjoy a fun evening with us. Proceeds help fund the Knights of Columbus service activities. Minimum age of 16 to play!

**Altar Society Scholarship**

The Altar Society is offering 2 \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors this year. The application is available <http://tiny.cc/AltarSocietyScholarship> or by emailing [annmattison@gmail.com](mailto:annmattison@gmail.com)

The application is due April 1st.  
Please contact Ann Mattison (913-375-4465)  
With any questions.

**Don't Give up Chocolate or Broccoli for Lent, FOR-GIVE YOUR FAMILY MEMBER!**

Lent "self-study" audio class: FORGIVENESS...THE 12 STEPS TO FREEDOM

Use the link or QR Code below to sign up for the 12-day course. Each day you will receive a 10–20 minute audio clip in your email that includes questions to consider, scripture and prayer.

To Sign Up: [www.forgivenessinstitutekc.com/courses](http://www.forgivenessinstitutekc.com/courses) or scan QR Code and choose the "FORGIVENESS ...The 12 Steps to FREEDOM" course.

Cost: \$40, use Promo Code SORRY for \$20 off. Contact Rhonda Osborn at 913-954-8574 or [Rhonda.allenkc@gmail.com](mailto:Rhonda.allenkc@gmail.com) with any questions.



**Pray For Our Military**

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ryan Asbury ANG           | Seth Miller               |
| LCPL Michael Beals        | SPC Cody Richardson       |
| LCPL Cody Calvert, USMC   | Molly Rison USN           |
| CPL Aidan Cannon          | Matthew Rison USN         |
| PFC Mitchel Conner        | 2nd LT Joseph Sladek USAF |
| LT Col Mark Edgar         | Corporal Levi Smith       |
| Alexis French             | CDR Katrina Stegner       |
| LCPL Seth Garner          | SPC Richard Stouder       |
| 2nd LT Holden Giefer USAF | LT Col Neilson Wahab      |
| 1st LT Isaak Giefer USAF  | AMN Cheyenne Williams     |
| E2 Coleman Griff          | AMN Stone Williams        |
| SPC Matthew Locke         | LT. Ali Zalekian, USN     |
| CW3 Tim McDermed USA      | SSG Matthew Zeller        |



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**Lenten Confession & Penance Schedule**

Father will be hearing confessions during Lent on Sundays from 9:00 AM to 10:15 AM. Additionally, there will be two Penance Services: one on Sunday, March 30th from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM at Louisburg with multiple priests, and another on Sunday, April 6th from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM at LaCygne. Please take this opportunity to receive the sacrament during this holy season.

**Change in reception of Holy Communion**

As mentioned at Mass last weekend, I would like for us to change the way in which we receive Holy Communion in the hand. In the distant past, I think there may have been an instruction that once you receive the sacred host (the actual Body of our Lord) in your hand you are asked to step aside to consume our Lord so that the next communicant may step up. I'm asking that from now on if you receive Holy Communion in your hand please do NOT step to the side but first reverently consume the sacred host before you step aside or turn to depart for your pew. I believe this can help us to be more intentional about what and who we are receiving and to foster even great reverence for the Eucharist. Parents, please help children know this revised way of receiving Holy Communion. Let us all endeavor to be more like the One whom we humbly and graciously receive in Holy Communion - Father John Riley

**Diaper Drive**

Immaculate Conception is joining with other Louisburg Churches to participate in a diaper drive sponsored by the Miami county chapter of Kansans for Life. The drive will be held March 9th through April 13th. All sizes are welcome and will be donated to Olathe Pregnancy Clinic and LifeCare Center in Ottawa. There is a basket located in the back of the church if you would like to support this drive.



**Need an ANNULMENT and/or CONVALIDATION?**

If you find yourself in any of the following situations: you are living in a marriage that has not been blessed by the Church OR cohabitating (living as husband and wife without being actually married in the church) OR you are in need of an annulment in order to have a present marriage convalidated OR are divorced and want to be able to start dating someone, please contact Fr. John Riley at his email address on the cover of the bulletin. He will assist you with any of the above situations, so that you will be able to start receiving Holy Communion again and/or are free to pursue a dating relationship with someone.

**Mass Intentions** ~ To remember a loved one who has died, or to honor and pray for intentions of another is a beautiful way to call upon God's blessing. The typical sacrificial offering is \$10 a Mass. Request a Mass intention for someone by contacting the parish office.

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