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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, February 18 – Sixth Week in Ordinary Time
NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday, February 19- Sixth Week in Ordinary Time
NO DAILY MASS

Wednesday, February 20– Sixth Week in Ordinary Time
NO DAILY MASS

Thursday, February 21 – Sixth Week in Ordinary Time
NO DAILY MASS

Friday, February 22– Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle
NO DAILY MASS

Saturday, February 23- Memorial of Saint Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr
NO DAILY MASS

Sunday, February 24– Seventh Week in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. – Mass @St. Francis – Jim Hug
10:30 a.m.—Mass @Annunciation
NO 5 PM MASS

WEEKLY OFFERING – February 10, 2019
St. Francis – no mass due to inclement weather
Annunciation – \$1084.00

THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED PARISH SUPPORT!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Annunciation Knights of Columbus Council #11853 meets at 7 pm on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at The Lodge, Baldwin City. The Knights of Columbus is the world's largest lay Catholic fraternal service organization. Membership is open to all practical Catholic men in communion with the Holy See, age 18 and above. Visit our website at: www.baldwinkofc.org for more information or contact Grand Knight, Harvey Ward.



NEXT MEETING IS TUESDAY, February 12, 2018

First Saturday of the Month, Pro-Life Rosary recited at the Knights ground at 8 a.m.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE AT ANNUNCIATION

February 24, Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Gerard Arontowicz
Eucharistic Ministers: A. Siebert, G. Meinen, N. Kronoshek
Offertory: Scott Thurlow Family
Servers: J. Ruppert, A. Lundry, S. Lundry
Ushers: Mark and Sandy Barnes
Music: Miriam Walski, Greg Wessling

February 24, Mass at 5 p.m.
NO EVENING MASS

Annunciation Catholic Church

St. Francis Catholic Church

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 17, 2019



"Blessed are you poor - yours is the kingdom of God"
Scripture: Luke 6:17, 20-26

[Jesus] came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea and Jerusalem and the seacoast of Tyre and Sidon... And he lifted up his eyes on his disciples, and said: "Blessed are you poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. "Blessed are you that hunger now, for you shall be satisfied. "Blessed are you that weep now, for you shall laugh. "Blessed are you when men hate you, and when they exclude you and revile you, and cast out your name as evil, on account of the Son of man! Rejoice in that day, and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven; for so their fathers did to the prophets. "But woe to you that are rich, for you have received your consolation. "Woe to you that are full now, for you shall hunger. "Woe to you that laugh now, for you shall mourn and weep. "Woe to you, when all men speak well of you, for so their fathers did to the false prophets.

Meditation: When you encounter misfortune, grief, or tragic loss, how do you respond? With fear or faith? With passive resignation or with patient hope and trust in God? We know from experience that no one can escape all of the inevitable trials of life - pain, suffering, sickness, and death. When Jesus began to teach his disciples he gave them a "way of happiness" that transcends every difficulty and trouble that can weigh us down with grief and despair. Jesus began his sermon on the mount by addressing the issue of where true happiness can be found. The word beatitude literally means happiness or blessedness. Jesus' way of happiness, however, demands a transformation from within - a conversion of heart and mind which can only come about through the gift and working of the Holy Spirit.

True happiness can only be fulfilled in God

How can one possibly find happiness in poverty, hunger, mourning, and persecution? If we want to be filled with the joy and happiness of heaven, then we must empty ourselves of all that would shut God out of our hearts. Poverty of spirit finds ample room and joy in possessing God alone as the greatest treasure possible. Hunger of the spirit seeks nourishment and strength in God's word and Spirit. Sorrow and mourning over wasted life and sin leads to joyful freedom from the burden of guilt and oppression.

No one can live without joy

God reveals to the humble of heart the true source of abundant life and happiness. Jesus promises his disciples that the joys of heaven will more than compensate for the troubles and hardships they can expect in this world. Thomas Aquinas said: "No person can live without joy. That is why someone deprived of spiritual joy goes after carnal pleasures." Do you know the joy and happiness of hungering and thirsting for God alone?

"Lord Jesus, increase my hunger for you and show me the way that leads to everlasting happiness and peace. May I desire you above all else and find perfect joy in doing your will."

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Eucharistic Adoration is the 1st Sunday of the month at Annunciation.

NEXT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION MARCH 3rd.

February Intentions of Pope Francis:



Human Trafficking
For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

ANNUNCIATION/ST. FRANCIS HAPPENINGS

~CALENDAR OF EVENTS~

BISHOP BARRON'S "THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS" will be shown Wednesday, February 20 at 7 p.m. in St. Ann's Hall. We hope you will join us!

FATHER JOE WILL BE GONE through February 28. In case of emergency while he is gone, if you are in need of a priest, please contact the parish secretary, Donita Turk, 785-979-7677.

MASS SCHEDULE WHILE FATHER IS GONE:

- *NO DAILY MASS FROM FEBRUARY 19-MARCH 2
- *NO SUNDAY EVENING 5 P.M. MASS AT ANNUNCIATION FROM FEBRUARY 17-FEB 24
- *SUNDAY MASS FROM FEBRUARY 17- 24:
St. Francis 8:30
Annunciation – 10:30

We are now in our fourth week of the Archbishop's Call to Share. Your gift to the Archbishop's Call to Share is still needed! Thank you to all who have responded to the needs of our Church in northeastern Kansas through the 2019 Archbishop's Call to Share appeal. One person or parish could not possibly accomplish all that needs to be done for over 40 ministries and services of the Archbishop's Call to Share. Your commitment will help ensure someone is always loved and never alone. Gifts of any amount are welcome, although if you are not doing so already, please consider a gift of a dollar a day (\$365) or more. Your gift will make everything possible. Please fill out a pledge envelope today or donate online at www.calltoshare.org.

CALL TO SHARE GOALS:

St. Francis - \$3,031 (pledged to date - \$690.00)
Annunciation - \$13,640 (pledged to date - \$865.00)

ST. LAWRENCE HOME ON THE HILL

We invite all prospective KU students, parents, benefactors and friends to enjoy a night with us at the St. Lawrence Center from 4:30-7:30pm on March 3. Mass and dinner included! Come and see what we are all about, learn about SLC scholarships, and hear from current students about being Catholic at KU! Please RSVP on the website at kucatholic.org/homeonthehill. Questions? Email kucatholic@kucatholic.org.

The Lawrence Community shelter is in dire need of working washers and dryers for our single adults. If anyone might have a washer and/or dryer to donate, or if you know anyone who might, please contact them at 3655 E. 25th St., Lawrence. KS.

LADIES! Mark your calendar! We will be hosting a Women's Retreat at Annunciation on Saturday, April 13, from 9-2 p.m. You won't want to miss it! More information soon!

BALDWIN FOOD PANTRY



IN NEED OF CEREAL AGAIN! Drop off your donations in the parish hall or at the Food Pantry located at Baldwin First United Methodist Church, 704 Eighth Street, Baldwin City. The hours of operation are: Thursdays, 7-8 p.m., and Saturdays, 9-11 a.m. **HELP FEED THE HUNGRY!**

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Email: www.baldwincitycatholics@gmail.com
Our website is annunciationchurchks.org
The bulletin and mass times are available on website.



KNIGHTS AT WORK TO PROVIDE MEALS TO PARISHIONERS JUST IN TIME FOR VALENTINES DAY!

MARRIAGE MINUTE

How is your Beatitude? This weekend's Gospel features the famous "beatitudes," or dispositions of heart that lead us to holiness, and therefore happiness. The Beatitudes apply in marriage as well!
• Blessed is the marriage that is "rich" in affirmation, affection and respect.
• Blessed is the marriage that always "hungers" for ways to love one another more vulnerably.
• Blessed is the marriage that draws closer in sorrow, helping one another to shoulder life's tragedies.
• Blessed is the marriage that forgives lavishly and allows wounds to heal instead of fester.
• Blessed is the marriage that is not afraid to reject cultural norms that weaken marriage. With these types of attitudes in place, we will be sure to be "blessed!" Discover more blessings at www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

Prayer for Priests
*O Jesus, our great High Priest,
Hear my humble prayers on behalf of your priests.
Give them a deep faith
a bright and firm hope
and a burning love
which will ever increase
in the course of their priestly life.
In their loneliness, comfort them
In their sorrows, strengthen them
In their frustrations, point out to them
that it is through suffering that the soul is purified,
and show them that they are needed by the Church,
they are needed by souls,
they are needed for the work of redemption.
O loving Mother Mary, Mother of Priests,
take to your heart your sons who are close to you
because of their priestly ordination,
and because of the power which they have received
to carry on the work of Christ
in a world which needs them so much.
Be their comfort, be their joy, be their strength,
and especially help them
to live and to defend the ideals of consecrated celibacy.
Amen.*

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Mon. Feb 18:** GN 4:1-15, 25; PS 50:1 &8, 16BC-17, 20-21; MK 8:11-13
- Tue. Feb 19:** GN 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; PS 29:1A,2, 3AC-4, 3B & 9C-10; MK 8:14-21
- Wed. Feb 20:** GN 8:6-13, 20-22; PS 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; MK 8:22-26
- Th. Feb 21:** GN 9:1-13; PS 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 & 22-23; MK 8:27-33
- Fri. Feb 22:** 1 PT 5:1-4; PS 23:1-3A, 4, 5, 6; MT 16:13-19
- Sat. Feb 23:** HEB 11:1-7; PS 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; MK 9:2-13

Catholic websites for daily Mass readings: from the US Conference of Catholic Bishops Read or listen to an audio recording at: goodnews@franciscanmedia.org



**~FAITH~ FAMILY~ COMMUNITY~
Hospitality Sunday!**



Thanks to Greg and Karla Wessling for hosting Hospitality Sunday! Nothing better than donuts and fellowship to warm your hearts on a cold, icy Sunday!

