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### WEEKLY CALENDAR

**Monday, March 4 – Eighth Week in Ordinary Time**  
NO DAILY MASS

**Tuesday, March 5- Eighth Week in Ordinary Time**  
6:00 pm – Confession @ Annunciation  
6:30 pm – Mass @ Annunciation – Dave Kronoshek Family

**Wednesday, March 6– ASH WEDNESDAY**  
5:30 p.m. – Mass @ St. Francis  
7 p.m.– Mass @ Annunciation

**Thursday, March 7 – Thursday after Ash Wednesday**  
8:00 am – Mass @ Annunciation – Adeline Makovec

**Friday, March 8 – Friday after Ash Wednesday**  
8:00 am – Mass @ Annunciation – Joanne Rockers

**Saturday, March 9- Saturday after Ash Wednesday**  
9:00 a.m. – Mass @ Annunciation – Bud and Marcella Madl

**Sunday, March 10– First Sunday of Lent**  
8:00 a.m. – Confession @ St. Francis  
8:30 a.m. – Mass @St. Francis – Robert and Shirley Lang  
**9 -10:10 a.m - RELIGIOUS ED@ANNUNCIATION**  
10:30 a.m.—Mass @ Annunciation  
4:00 p.m. Confession @ Annunciation  
5:00 p.m. – Mass @ Annunciation

**WEEKLY OFFERING – February 24, 2019**  
**St. Francis – \$1109.00**  
**Annunciation – \$1156.00**

**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](http://www.baldwinkofc.org) for more information or contact Grand Knight, Harvey Ward.



**NEXT MEETING IS TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2018**

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

### MINISTRY SCHEDULE AT ANNUNCIATION

March 6, ASH WEDNESDAY, 7 p.m.

**Lector: Jeff Hill**  
**Eucharistic Ministers: C. Cink, G. Meinen, N. Kronoshek**  
**Offertory: Darren Griffith Family**  
**Servers: A. Cramer, S. Lundry, A. Lundry**  
**Ushers: Greg and Karla Wessling**  
**Music: Miriam Walski, Joe Bollig**  
March 10, Mass at 10:30 a.m.

**Lector: Murray Anderson**  
**Eucharistic Ministers: D. Griffith, A. Siebert, D. Turk**  
**Offertory: Devin Scott Family**  
**Servers: K. Griffith, S. Griffith, G. Callahan**  
**Ushers: Mike and Lea Watson**  
**Music: Miriam Walski, Bonnie Thurlow**  
March 10, Mass at 5 p.m.

**Lector: Cynthia Beall**  
**Offertory: Gregg Myer Family**  
**Servers: R. Myer, T. Myer, D. Myer**  
**Ushers: Gregg Myer Family**  
**Music: Miriam Walski, Harvey Ward**

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## Annunciation Catholic Church St. Francis Catholic Church

### SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

March 3, 2019



**"Do you not see the log in your own eye?"**

Scripture: *Luke 6:39-45*

*He also told them a parable: "Can a blind man lead a blind man? Will they not both fall into a pit? A disciple is not above his teacher, but every one when he is fully taught will be like his teacher. Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye, but do not notice the log that is in your own eye? Or how can you say to your brother, 'Brother, let me take out the speck that is in your eye,' when you yourself do not see the log that is in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take out the speck that is in your brother's eye. For no good tree bears bad fruit, nor again does a bad tree bear good fruit; for each tree is known by its own fruit. For figs are not gathered from thorns, nor are grapes picked from a bramble bush. The good man out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil man out of his evil treasure produces evil; for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.*

*Meditation: Are you clear-sighted, especially in your perception of sin and the need for each of one of us to see ourselves correctly as God sees us - with our faults, weaknesses, and strengths? Jesus' two parables about poor vision allude to the proverb: Without vision the people perish! (Proverbs 29:18) What can we learn from the illustration of a blind guide and a bad eye (the log in the eye)? A bad eye left untreated and a blind guide can cause a lot of trouble that will only end in misery and disaster for us! We can only help and teach others what we have learned and received from wise teachers and guides. And how can we help others overcome their faults if we are blinded by our own faults and misperceptions? We are all in need of a physician who can help us overcome the blind spots and failing of own sins, weaknesses, and ignorance.*

*Overcoming blind spots in our own lives*

*The Gospel of Luke was written by a disciple who was trained as a physician. Luke, with keen insight, portrays Jesus as the good physician and shepherd of souls who seeks out those who desire healing, pardon, and restoration of body, mind, and spirit. Jesus came to free us from the worst oppression possible - slavery to sin, fear, and condemnation. Like a gentle and skillful doctor, the Lord Jesus exposes the cancer of sin, evil, and oppression in our lives so we can be set free and restored to wholeness. A key step to healing and restoration requires that we first submit to the physician who can heal us. The Lord Jesus is our great Physician because he heals the whole person - soul and body, mind and heart - and restores us to abundant life both now and for the age to come in his everlasting kingdom.*

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**Eucharistic Adoration is the 1st Sunday of the month at Annunciation. NEXT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION APRIL 7th.**

**March Intentions of Pope Francis:**

 **Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities**  
That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

## ANNUNCIATION/ST. FRANCIS HAPPENINGS

### ~CALENDAR OF EVENTS~

**BISHOP BARRON'S "THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS"** will be shown Wednesday, March 13 at 7 p.m. in St. Ann's Hall. This will feature Michaelangelo. We hope you will join us!

**FATHER JOE IS BACK** and the normal mass schedule will resume on Tuesday, March 5. See the mass schedule for details.

#### ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

5:30 p.m. – St. Francis

7 p.m. – Annunciation

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY** will be on Friday, March 8, from 5-7 p.m., in St. Ann's Hall. Great fish, sides and dessert! Don't miss this one, and the others on March 22 and April 5.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will be held each Friday during Lent, starting March 8, 7 p.m., at Annunciation.

**ANNUNCIATION HOSPITALITY SUNDAY POTLUCK DINNER** will be on **March 10 following the 10:30 mass.** We will introduce new families and share some great food and fellowship. Each family is asked to bring one main dish and a side dish (salad, vegetable or other). The ovens will be available for hot dishes and tableware and drinks will be furnished. We've hope you will join us! If you would like to help our few volunteers who have already signed up, please let Donita know.

#### CALL TO SHARE GOALS:

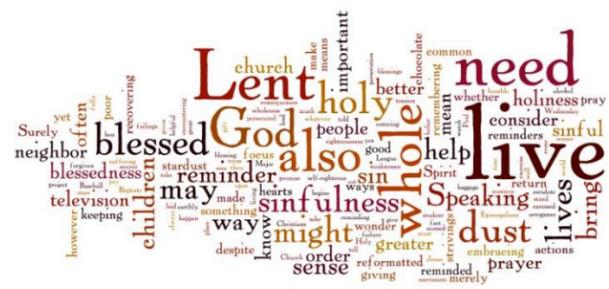
**St. Francis - \$3,031 (pledged to date - \$1420.00)**

**Annunciation - \$13,640 (pledged to date - \$5155.00)**

#### THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

**APPLICATIONS** are now available to Graduating Seniors. Please contact Harvey Ward, Scott Behrens or Mike Watson for an application. The applications are due by March 31st.

**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 or any other staples!** 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: Thursday, 7-8 p.m., & Saturday, 9-11 a.m. **HELP FEED THE HUNGRY!**

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#### BU Campus Ministry

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Tuesday-Friday from 9-12

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Our website is [annunciationchurchks.org](http://annunciationchurchks.org)

The bulletin and mass times are available on website.

## HOW CAN I BETTER PREPARE FOR LENT?

It's admirable that you want to live the season of Lent in a better way. Many people, unfortunately, think of Lent as merely a time to "give up something." They grudgingly accept some small sacrifice, hold their nose for 40 days, and then, once Easter arrives, return to business as usual. Lent shouldn't be lived like that. It is meant to be a season that leads us to a deeper conversion of heart, a closer identification with Christ. Lent has a close connection to baptism. In the early Church, adults preparing for baptism would go through a catechumenate.

So what does it mean for us concretely? It means that we should aim to get rid of sin from our lives forever, and not just during Lent. Instead of a spur-of-the-moment decision, try to set aside some time for prayer and calmly and deeply look at your life. How is your life of piety now, compared to a year ago? What are the sins you confess the most? Those sins might give you an idea of where you should focus your energy. Then, give yourself a concrete goal during Lent, something that will help you battle these particular sins. Give yourself a reasonable goal, something that you can continue to live after Easter. For example, if overeating is a problem, don't opt for a bread-and-water diet three days a week. The likely result is that on Easter you would pat yourself on the back and then return to your old ways. Rather, learn to make a small sacrifice at each meal — and then see if you can continue that habit after Lent is over. Be sure to give your sacrifices a spiritual motivation too, such as for vocations or for the conversion of a loved one. The other two parts of the triad — prayer and almsgiving — are also crucial parts of the equation. Try to attend daily Mass. Pray the Stations of the Cross once or more times a week. Daily rosary and spiritual reading are good too. If you can get a spouse or a friend to join you in these extra activities, that is even better. And don't forget almsgiving. This can involve acts of charity or volunteer work as well as donations to worthy causes. In a word, make your Lent pro-active. The habits you develop in these 40 days can serve souls all year round.

## MARRIAGE MINUTE

Have you ever been angry or annoyed, but still manage to speak respectfully to your boss, an important client or the police officer who pulled you over? Did you then get home and failed to extend the same courtesy to your spouse?

In this week's readings, we are reminded that our speech comes right from our hearts. Therefore, we should take the utmost care in how we speak to the one we love the most.

- Root out criticism, which is an attitude of superiority that assumes the worst.
- Affirm your spouse's good qualities out loud habitually.
- Communicate your love and respect with your tone of voice and facial expressions.

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#### 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. Mar 4:** SIR 17:20-24; PS 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; MK 10:17-27

**Tue. Mar 5:** SIR 35:1-12; SEE MT 11:25; MK 10:28-31

**Wed. Mar 6:** JL 2:12-18; PS 51:3-4, 5-6AB; MT 6:1-6, 16-18

**Th. Mar 7:** DT 30:15-20; PS 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6; LK 9:22-25

**Fri. Mar 8:** IS 58:1-9A; PS 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 18-19; MT 9:14-15

**Sat. Mar 9:** IS 58:9B-14; PS 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; LK 5:27-32

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

[goodnews@franciscanmedia.org](mailto:goodnews@franciscanmedia.org)



## ~FAITH~ FAMILY~ COMMUNITY~

### "The body of Christ"



#### Why is the Eucharist the center of Catholic Life?

**The Eucharist has always been one of the most important aspects of Christianity. The Catechism of the Catholic Church strongly asserts the "Real Presence" of Jesus' body in the Eucharist; this is to say that the sacrament is not symbolic of the body and blood of Jesus but rather that "it is his body and blood."**

Thanks to Father Dennis Wait for filling in while Father Joe was gone.