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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, April 1: Fourth Week of Lent

NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday, April 2: Fourth Week of Lent

8:00 a.m. – Mass @ Annunciation - Keith Peuser

Wednesday, April 3– Fourth Week of Lent

8 a.m.– Mass @ Annunciation – Harold Peuser

6-7 p.m. – Confession@Annunciation

Thursday, April 4– Fourth Week of Lent

8:00 am – Mass @ Annunciation – Vera Robson

Friday, April 5– Fourth Week of Lent

8:00 am – Mass @ Annunciation – George Splichal

Saturday, April 6- Fourth Week of Lent

9:00 a.m. – Mass @ Annunciation – Barbara Ellen Turk

Sunday, April 7– Fifth Week of Week

8:00 a.m. – Confession @ St. Francis

8:30 a.m. – Mass @St. Francis – Kathy Hug

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 – March 24, 2019

St. Francis – \$339.00

Annunciation – \$2,229.00

Annunciation Feast Day Mass - \$195.00

THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED PARISH SUPPORT!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE AT ANNUNCIATION

April 7, Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Lector: Nancy Kronoshek

Eucharistic Ministers: D. Turk, D. Griffin, B.Thurlow

Offertory: Brian Cramer Family

Servers: S. Lundry, A. Lundry, A. Cramer

Ushers: Fred and Paula Mader

Music: Miriam Walski, Ginny Meinen

April 7, Mass at 5 p.m.

Lector: Tim Donohue

Offertory: Scott and Tonya Behrens

Servers: C. Behrens, E. Strain

Ushers: Scott and Tonya Behrens

Music: Miriam Walski, Joe Bollig

Annunciation Catholic Church

St. Francis Catholic Church

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 31, 2019



"I will go home to my father"

Gospel Reading: *Luke 15:1-3,11-32*

Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him. And the Pharisees and the scribes murmured, saying, "This man receives sinners and eats with them." So he told them this parable:

And he said, "There was a man who had two sons; and the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of property that falls to me.' And he divided his living between them. Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took his journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in loose living.

And when he had spent everything, a great famine arose in that country, and he began to be in want. So he went and joined himself to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed swine. And he would gladly have fed on the pods that the swine ate; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said,

'How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me as one of your hired servants."' And he arose and came to his father.

But while he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. And the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his servants, 'Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet; and bring the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and make merry; for this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.' And they began to make merry.

"Now his elder son was in the field; and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. And he called one of the servants and asked what this meant. And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has received him safe and sound.' But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, 'Lo, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command; yet you never gave me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends. But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your living with harlots, you killed for him the fatted calf!' And he said to him,

'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to make merry and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found.'"

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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.



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, APRIL 9, 2018

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

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ANNUNCIATION/ST. FRANCIS HAPPENINGS

~CALENDAR OF EVENTS~

“THE UNTOLD BLESSING, THREE PATHS TO HOLINESS” BY BISHOP BARRON will be shown Wednesday, April 3 at 7 p.m. in St. Ann’s Hall. “The greatest calling is for us to be a saint!” Come see the new series!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS during Lent:
Thursdays, St. Francis, 6:30 pm: Fridays, Annunciation, 7 pm

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (confession) will be held every Wednesday during Lent at Annunciation, from 6-7 p.m.

PENANCE SERVICE FOR OUR PARISHES WILL BE held at Annunciation on Thursday, April 11, 7 p.m. There will be 3 priests available to hear confessions.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION is Sunday, April 7, 11:30-4:30 p.m. at Annunciation. Please sign up in the vestibule. Lent is a special time to an hour with our Blessed Sacrament.

SUNDAY/HOLY WEEK MASS SCHEDULE FOR APRIL
April 7 – Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m., St. Francis; 10:30 a.m. Annunciation; (Eucharistic Adoration 11:30-4:30); 5 p.m. Annunciation
April 14 – Palm Sunday, 8:30 St. Francis; 10:30 Annunciation (everyone please wear RED!) NO 5 p.m. mass
April 18 – Holy Thursday, 7 p.m. Annunciation
April 19-Good Friday, 5 p.m. St. Francis, 7 p.m Annunciation
April 20 – Easter Vigil, 8 p.m. Annunciation
April 21 – Easter Sunday, 8:30 St. Francis, 10:30 Annunciation (no 5 p.m mass)
April 28- Sunday Mass, St. Francis, 8:30 a.m.
First Communion at Annunciation, 10:30 a.m.
Divine Mercy Sunday Service – 3 p.m. Annunciation (no 5 p.m. mass)

THE FINAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY will be on Friday, April 5, from 5-7 p.m., in St. Ann’s Hall. Great fish, sides and dessert! Please come and support the Knights in this community event.



UNPLANNED is the inspiring true story of one woman’s journey of transformation. All Abby Johnson ever wanted to do was help women. As one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation, she was involved in upwards of 22,000 abortions and counseled countless women about their reproductive choices. Her passion surrounding a woman’s right to choose even led her to become a spokesperson for Planned Parenthood, fighting to enact legislation for the cause she so deeply believed in. Until the day she saw something that changed everything, leading Abby Johnson to join her former enemies at 40 Days For Life, and become one of the most ardent pro-life speakers in America. Take a friend and go see this movie. It is truly life changing. **Unplanned In Theaters March 29, 2019**
<https://www.unplannedfilm.com/>



BALDWIN FOOD PANTRY

IN NEED OF CEREAL AND 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!**

Annunciation Parish
740 N 6th Street
Baldwin City, KS 66006

St. Francis Parish
452 E 300 Rd
Overbrook, KS 66524

BU Campus Ministry
Campus Center
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Baldwin City, KS 66006

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Tuesday-Friday from 9-12

For a personal appointment with Father Joe please call him at 785-594-3700.

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Our website is annunciationchurchks.org

The bulletin and mass times are available on website.

REFLECTION

As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, bareth them on her wings: So the LORD alone did lead him, and there was no strange god with him.

God does similar things to us. He disturbs our nest and causes us to reach toward him. Thank God for the stirrings that He sends our way.

Every Apostle had his nest stirred.

Every great reformer and revivalist had his nest stirred.

Every man who has ever longed to accomplish the purpose of the Kingdom had his nest stirred.

-He had to emigrate toward a new calling. He had to leave the familiar for the unfamiliar. He had to leave the profane and move toward the sacred. He had to leave the shallows and reach for the depths. No man can ever move without breaking some present relationship or thought process.

-Too often the sad part is that most men fail to recognize the hand of God as the One who is stirring the familiar surroundings to stimulate their own growth.

-God built a nest in Genesis 47 for the seventy souls of Israel. Their herds increased, they had prosperous times, and they had favor of the monarch. But then Joseph died and his services were forgotten. The favored became the despised. They were hemmed in by forts and they were set to hard labor. Their nest became so uncomfortable that there was something that wanted to soar to a Promised Land.

Spiritual Lessons From The Eagle’s Nest Contributed by Philip Harrelson on Feb 8, 2007

COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IN 2019 please sign your name on the sheet in the vestibules of both parishes. You will receive a special invitation from Archbishop Naumann to attend the 50th Anniversary Celebration on June 2, 2 p.m., at the Church of the Nativity, Leawood. Please sign-up by May 1.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE
BABY NEEDS DRIVE**

The Social Justice Committee at Annunciation is partnering with the Insight Women’s Center in Lawrence to provide items for their “Buttons & Bows Boutique.” The Women at the Center are given “baby bucks” that they earn through the Center’s prenatal and parenting curriculum. Items needed are:

- Boppy nursing pillows and covers
- Diaper bags
- Blue Similac formula
- Blue Similac Sensitive formula
- Baby wash
- Baby shampoo
- Breast Milk Storage Bags
- Wipes (individual packs of 80-100)
- Diaper rash cream
- Girls NB to 12-month footie pajamas
- Brand new car seats
- Brand new strollers
- Books- board books and cloth
- Size 5 diapers
- Pullups: 2T & 3T
- Swaddles
- Toilet Paper
- Bottled Water

Please bring your baby items to St. Ann’s Hall from now **until April 14**. Thank you for your support of these mom’s who choose “Life!”

**WOMENS
“RENEWAL”
RETREAT
April 13, 2019
9 a.m.-2 p.m.
Annunciation
Catholic Church**



Ladies of Annunciation and St. Francis!
Please join us for this spiritual renewal retreat given by Sister Loredana and Sister Ruth from the Apostles of the Interior Life (AVI).

The Sisters of the AVI will share their insights and gifts on this day of reflection, finding peace and joy in Christ.

*Lunch will be provided!
Bring a friend or family member and share this day of renewal and reflection together.*

*This is your special day ladies!
A blessing and joy for your soul...
See you on April 13!*

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. Mar 25: IS 65:17-21; PS 30:2 AND 4, 5-6; JN 4:43-54

Tue. Mar 26: EZ 47:1-9, 12; PS 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; JN 5:1-16

Wed. Mar 27: IS 49:8-15; PS 145:8-9; JN 5:17-30

Th. Mar 28: EX 32:7-14; PS 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; JN 5:31-47

Fri. Mar 30: WIS 2:1A, 12-22; PS 34:17-18, 19-20; JN 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Sat. Mar 31: JER 11:18-20; PS 7:2-3, 9BC-10, 11-12; JN 7:40-53

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



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*Solemnity of the Annunciation!
A beautiful feast day celebration!*

