



**Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
 August 26, 2018  
**Vigésimo primer domingo del tiempo ordinario**  
 26 agosto 2018



# St. Ambrose and

# St. Mary

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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

Nearly twenty years ago I was given a book “Pocketful of Miracles” by Joan Borysenko. It came from a dear friend who had attended a Counselors meeting in Salt Lake City, Utah, for Addictions. It is a daily reflection book with helpful suggestions for betterment of life and has been a source of guidance and comfort for these many years of Priesthood.

As the Fortieth Anniversary of my Ordination nears, I want to share a few of her thoughts with you. “The foundation for spirituality is ethical conduct. In Eastern traditions people don’t begin to meditate, to engage in exercises of introspection or study learned texts, until they have shown the virtues of honesty, discipline, humility, charity and right conduct. Judeo-Christian tradition is similar in stressing observance of the Ten Commandments as the cornerstone of spiritual life. What is the point of meditation and prayer if we aren’t honest in our relationships and with ourselves?

“In Judaism, ethical conduct involves more than refraining from harmful activities. One must also perform beneficial activities, or mitzvot. Mitzvot are good deeds that are a blessing on the person they are done for, a blessing on the person who does them, and a blessing on God. Visiting the sick is a mitzvah, as are such things as feeding the hungry, welcoming strangers into one’s home on holidays, and taking good care of one’s body.

Right speech is just as important as right conduct. The Buddha pointed out that one’s speech is a direct reflection of what is in one’s mind. Telling stories at the expense of another person, revealing details of conversations that would best remain private, exaggerating or distorting facts and speaking with authority when the expertise is not ours are ways in which the ego seeks self-importance. As the Godseed within us begins to mature, our speech becomes simpler, humbler and more truthful....Awareness of our thought habits and the intention to change them is an important aspect of cultivating kindness.”

Over the years, Dr. Borysenko’s teachings and citations from wisdom from other cultures, religions and perspectives have inspired many actions and reactions of mine. They are ways in which one can learn how to let God transform a heart of stone into one that is real, loving and an expression of His Word (see Ezekiel 36:23-28). When we choose to seek a way of life that is understanding and compassionate, we begin to see the manifestation of the Kingdom of the Father among us. May God guide your willingness to seek that gift.

Peace be with you, Monsignor

## Parish Information

	<b>Monday 8/27/2018</b>	<b>Tuesday 8/28/2018</b>	<b>Wednesday 8/29/2018</b>	<b>Thursday 8/30/2018</b>	<b>Friday 8/31/2018</b>	<b>Saturday 9/1/2018</b>
<b>St. Mary</b>	NO MASS	8:00 AM Teresa Ann Ballart	NO MASS	8:10 AM Patrick Wildman	NO MASS	2:30-3:30 Confessions
<b>St. Ambrose</b>	8:00 AM Eugene Zagorski	8:00 PM Jesse Backous	8:00 AM Intentions of Bishop Higi	8:00 AM Charles Hanlon	8:10AM Roger Chezem	8:00 AM Mary Monica Duquaine  4:00-5:00 Confessions
<b>Other Locations</b>			11:30 AM St. Vincent Hospital  Robert Green		10:30 AM Countryside  Poor Souls	

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

<b>September 1st &amp; 2nd</b>	<b>Sat. 4:00 PM St. Mary</b>	<b>Sat. 5:30 PM St. Ambrose</b>	<b>Sun. 7:30 AM St. Mary</b>	<b>Sun. 9:30 AM St. Ambrose</b>	<b>Sun. 11:30 AM St. Mary</b>
<b>Mass Intentions</b>	Teresa Wulle Hattabaugh	Susan Fredericks	Pro Populo	Oleksy & St. Clair Families	George Williams
<b>Reader</b>	Lawson Hunsicker	Janice Martin	Josh Noll	Carol Fite	Moises Cazares
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Joanna Greene Mike Scott Joetta Allison Linda Schipp H	Stephanie Metz H C. Thompson Donna Pine	Tim Kincaid M. Kincaid Linda Ratliff Lea Papai Dave Papai H	Henry Lamper H Mary Lamper H Roger Kemp Hannah Brownell V. Hernandez Nancy Bollman	Roberto Arciga Rosa Fisher Daniel Flores Virginia Ramirez Y. St.Clair H
<b>Servers</b>	Cory Layton Volunteer	Tony Martin Alan Martin	Irv Noll Carolyn Pitts	Vanessa Harrold Lilian Villegas	Y. Rodriguez R. Cruz-Sanchez S. Velasco

## PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



<u>Stewardship</u>	
<b>St. Ambrose</b>	\$ 7644
YTD	\$ 269,815
NTD	\$ 429,000
<b>ST. Mary</b>	\$ 7,672
YTD	\$ 321,546
NTD	\$ 594,000
Renovation Fund	\$ 920 (\$126,109 of \$330 K)

**Visit our website - [www.https://stambroestmary.org](https://stambroestmary.org)  
On Line Giving— visit us at the following:**

St. Ambrose—[https:// www.osvonlinegiving.com/272](https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/272)  
St. Mary—<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/13>

**Dates To Remember**—September 7th Knights of Columbus Fish Fry 5-7:30 PM  
September 8th Knights of Columbus Chicken Fry 5-7:30 PM  
September 15th Friends of the Poor Walk at Highland Middle School Track  
Registration at 11 AM-Walk at 12 Noon.  
September 16th Wedding anniversary Mass for Diocese at Cathedral 2:30 PM. (Fulfills Sunday obligation.)  
September 30th Monsignor Sell's 40th Anniversary Celebration (Chairlift is available to access the Ambrosian Hall- St. Ambrose cafeteria.)

### **Welcome To Our Faith Family**

Lucy Rae, Daughter of Joshua and Monica Noll, baptized August 19th. May God grant her and her family years of health and happiness.

### **Kroger Rewards**

Holy Cross School participates in the Kroger Community Rewards. If you are not registered in the program please consider it. It is an easy way for the school to earn money when you buy your groceries. New members visit [www.pay-less.com](http://www.pay-less.com) or <http://www.kroger.com> and go the Community Rewards. Use FK539 (Holy Cross School). There are 78 families currently registered. With their participation Holy Cross has earned rewards of \$301.11 from April 1st, to June 30th of this year.

### **Marriage Preparation Ministers Workshop**

Our diocese is building stronger marriage preparation programs for the engaged. There is a workshop on Saturday, September 8th from 9AM-3PM at St. Joan of Arc in Kokomo. It is for all who are currently assisting in marriage preparation. The topics covered this day will include: Prayer, Theology of the Body, Male and female as a gift and NFP (Natural Family Planning). There is no charge, but registration is encouraged. Lunch is included. If you have any questions please contact Susan Hoefer at [shoefer@dol-in.org](mailto:shoefer@dol-in.org) or call (765) 421-1998.

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

**St. Ambrose Adoration** will be Sunday, September 2nd. It will begin after the 9:30 AM Mass. It will close with the Rosary and Benediction at 4:00 PM.

**St. Mary Adoration** will resume after Labor Day in September.

**Santa Maria** No vamos a tener Adoracion del Santissima los jueves durante lo mese de agosto. Se reanudará después del Día del Trabajo en septiembre.

**RCIA**—Meet on Tuesdays at 6:30 PM, in the Holy Cross North School Annex.

**Please Pray For** all those who are ill or injured, especially the sick and elderly in our parishes.

**The Military in the Middle East:** Josh Fisher, son of Gary and Kathy; Pvt. Jalen Lewis US Army, son of Stephanie Akin; Specialist Mark Schulten, Sergeant Joseph Schulten, Matthew Schulten HM3, grandsons of Cathy Thompson; Michael Shane Carter Air Force, grandson of Marllon and Emily Carter; Lance Corporal Brock Acra stationed in Okinawa Japan US Marine Corp, son of Greg and Sonia Acra. Specialist Clayton Keogh, US Army, grandson of Tim and Maryfrances Kincaid. YN3 Tyler Brock, son of Karen (O'Connor) Brock.

If you have a family member who is in the service and called to active duty and would like to add their name to a list for special prayers, please call the rectory and give us this information. Let us pray for **PEACE World Wide**. God Bless us all!

## **Announcement**

### **Celebrating Christian Marriage: 2018 Anniversary Mass with Bishop Doherty**

All married couples of the diocese celebrating significant marriage anniversaries in 2018 are invited to attend a special Mass on Sunday, September 16, at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Lafayette to celebrate their years of Christian Marriage. During the liturgy, Bishop Doherty will offer a special anniversary blessing. The Anniversary Mass will begin at 2:30 PM (EDT) and will fulfill the Sunday obligation. Immediately following Mass, Bishop Doherty will greet couples at a reception of light refreshments.

To assist in Preparation, please contact Charlene Kuhn at [ckuhn@dol-in.org](mailto:ckuhn@dol-in.org) or register with the Office of Divine Worship online at [www.dol-in.org/AnniversaryMass](http://www.dol-in.org/AnniversaryMass) or call 765-269-4600.

## **Come and See**

Monastery of the Poor Clares, Kokomo, Indiana

Saturday, October 6th

9:00 AM—5:30 PM

For young women ages 17-35

Divine Office + Conferences by the Sisters + Lectio Divina + Rosary Question & Answer + Free vocational materials + Benediction

Bring a sack lunch—drinks and snacks provided

RSVP by September 22nd either by calling the Monastery at (765)457-5743 or email Fr. Clayton Thompson at [vocations@dol-in.org](mailto:vocations@dol-in.org) or mailing your name, address, age, parish and city to: Monastery of the Poor Clares, 1175 N. 300 W., Kokomo, IN 46901

**“Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.”**  
*(Psalm 34:8)*

## **Weekly Scriptures:**

**Sun.** Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b, Eph 5:21-32, Jn 6:60-69; **Mon.** 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12, Mt 23:13-22; **Tues.** 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17, Mt 23:23-26; **Wed.** 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18, Mk 6:17-29; **Thurs.** 1 Cor 1:1-9, Mt 24:42-51; **Fri.** 1 Cor 1:17-25, Mt 25:1-13; **Sat.** 1 Cor 1:26-31, Mt 25:14-30

## OUTREACH

### **Knights of Columbus**

Beginning in September, they will be having a fish fry on the first Friday of the month and a chicken fry on the second Saturday of the month. Keep this in mind when planning a delicious meal for your family!

The Columbian Hall is available for parties, weddings and fundraisers. Call (765) 642-7946 and leave you name and number and they will get back with you.

### **Prayers Intentions**

Parishioners of St. Ambrose and St. Mary will pray for you and your special intentions. Call Betty Worden (642-0824). You do not have to give your name. Call Betty if you can help with the prayer line.

**ENL**— English Now and Later classes will begin on Tuesday, August 28th, at 9:30 AM in the Annex. If you have any questions please contact Mary Rhoten @ 765-617-1791 or 765-387-0138.

**Soup Kitchen Menu**— The Catholic Community of Anderson Soup Kitchen Ministry is in need of men and women willing to prepare soup for the Soup Kitchen Ministry. There are two openings at the time. All supplies are furnished. You prepare the soup at home and return the soup to Holy Cross north school annex. For more information call Ron Cole at (765) 779-4302.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Parish Directories**—Receive your free 8 X 10 photo and your complimentary parish directory if your photo is included (They will not be available for purchase). Please schedule your appointment **now** on-line at [www.stambrosestmary.org](http://www.stambrosestmary.org). Follow the links to have your picture taken at either location to be in your parish directory.

Locations:

St. Ambrose Assembly Hall —September 4th thru 8th;

St. Mary School Annex—September 11,12,13,14,15; and September 18th thru 22nd.

If you do not have access to a computer, please call either parish. Harriett or Anita will assist you with scheduling your appointment.

**Parish Census**—Please don't forget to fill out your census form that was in the bulletin. We appreciate everyone's participation in the census; it assists us in updating information for the diocese.

**Directorios parroquiales**—Reciba su foto gratis de 8 X 10 y su directorio parroquial de cortesía si su foto está incluida (No estarán disponibles para la compra). Programe su cita ahora en línea en [www.stambrosestmary.org](http://www.stambrosestmary.org). Siga los enlaces para tomarse una foto en cualquier ubicación para estar en el directorio de su parroquia.

Ubicaciones:

Sala de Asambleas de San Ambrosio—4 al 8 de septiembre; o

Anexo de la escuela St. Mary—11,12,13,14,15 de septiembre y del 18 al 22 septiembre.

Si no tiene acceso a una computadora, llame a cualquiera de las parroquias y Harriett o Anita lo ayudaran con su cita.

### **Censo Parroquial**

No olvide completar su formulario de censo que recibió en el boletín la semana pasada. Agradecemos la participación de todos en el censo para asistir con information para la dioecese.



**South Campus**  
**Pre-3 thru Grade 1**  
**2825 Lincoln St.**  
**765-642-8428**

[www.holycrossschool-anderson.com](http://www.holycrossschool-anderson.com)

**North Campus**  
**Grades 2 thru 8**  
**325 E. 11th St.**  
**765-642-1848**

*United in faith and rooted in Catholic identity, Holy Cross School encourages students to achieve their personal best in academics and model Christ in service and faith.*

The Holy Cross School Middle School Band has grown. We are in need of 3 trumpets, 2 alto saxophones, and 1 snare drum. If you have one of these and/or would like to donate to the band program, please contact the school office at 765-642-1848.

**Holy Cross School is still accepting enrollment** for the 2018-19 school year. We welcome parishioners and their children to join the Holy Cross School family. Contact one of the school offices listed above. Make Catholic education a tradition in your family!

## Young Church

Anderson Catholic Young Church

High School Youth are invited to gather at the assembly hall at St Ambrose on Sunday, September 16th from 2-3:30. Hope to see you there!

## Sunday Religious Education

**This is the last week to register for this year!**

Classes are for youth from kindergarten through high school AND for those preparing to receive First Communion or Confirmation. You may contact either rectory Monday through Friday or email [janicestorey9@gmail.com](mailto:janicestorey9@gmail.com).

## Clases de Catecismo Dominical

**Esta es la última semana para registrarse en este año!**

Las clases son para todos aquellos niños y jóvenes que cursen desde el kindergarten hasta la preparatoria y para quienes se preparan para recibir la Primera Comunión o Confirmación. También puede comunicarse a la oficina de lunes a viernes y a [janicestorey9@gmail.com](mailto:janicestorey9@gmail.com).

## DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

Hace casi veinte años, Joan Borysenko me regaló un libro titulado "Pocketful of Miracles". Venía de un querido amigo que había asistido a una reunión de Consejeros en Salt Lake City, Utah, para Adicciones. Es un libro diario de reflexión con sugerencias útiles para el mejoramiento de la vida y ha sido una fuente de guía y consuelo para estos muchos años de sacerdocio.

A medida que se acerca el Cuadragésimo Aniversario de mi Ordenación, quiero compartir algunos de sus pensamientos con usted. "La base para la espiritualidad es la conducta ética. En las tradiciones orientales, las personas no comienzan a meditar, a realizar ejercicios de introspección o a estudiar textos aprendidos, hasta que hayan demostrado las virtudes de la honestidad, la disciplina, la humildad, la caridad y la conducta correcta. La tradición judeocristiana es similar al enfatizar la observancia de los Diez Mandamientos como la piedra angular de la vida espiritual. ¿Cuál es el punto de meditación y oración si no somos honestos en nuestras relaciones y con nosotros mismos?

"En el judaísmo, la conducta ética implica más que abstenerse de actividades dañinas. Uno también debe realizar actividades benéficas, o mitzvot. Las mitzvot son buenas acciones que son una bendición para la persona por la que han sido hechas, una bendición para la persona que las realiza y una bendición para Dios. Visitar a los enfermos es una mitzxah, como lo son alimentar a los hambrientos, darles la bienvenida a los extraños a las casas durante las vacaciones y cuidar bien el propio cuerpo. El discurso correcto es tan importante como la conducta correcta. El Buda señaló que el habla de uno es un reflejo directo de lo que está en la mente. Contar historias a expensas de otra persona, revelar detalles de conversaciones que se mantendrían en privado, exagerar o distorsionar hechos y hablar con autoridad cuando la experiencia no es nuestra, son formas en que el ego busca la importancia personal. A medida que la semilla del Dios dentro de nosotros comienza a madurar, nuestro discurso se vuelve más simple, más humilde y más sincero ... La conciencia de nuestros hábitos de pensamiento y la intención de cambiarlos es un aspecto importante de cultivar la bondad".

Con el paso de los años, las enseñanzas y citas de sabiduría de otras culturas, religiones y perspectivas del Dr. Borysenko han inspirado muchas acciones y reacciones más. Son formas en que uno puede aprender cómo dejar que Dios transforme un corazón de piedra en uno real, amoroso y una expresión de Su Palabra (vea Ezequiel 36: 23-28). Cuando elegimos buscar un modo de vida que sea comprensivo y compasivo, comenzamos a ver la manifestación del Reino del Padre entre nosotros. Que Dios guíe tu disposición a buscar ese regalo.

La paz sea contigo, Monseñor

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