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**February 18, 2018 - First Sunday of Lent**

**This week's Mass Schedule & Events**

Sun. 18 8:30 a.m. Mass for All the people of the parish  
Mon. 19 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Jim Klucas  
Tue. 20 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Helen Paul  
Wed. 21 6:30 p.m. Stations/Mass for † Joe & Jonah Martin  
Thurs. 22 Mass at Chapman  
Fri. 23 9:30 a.m. Mass for † Art Brake  
Adoration 8:30 a.m.  
Sun. 25 8:30 a.m. Mass for Sp. Int. for Susan Raccagno



Prayer Requests

Tara Bush, Wayne Kemper, Betty Bowden, Wayne Rziha, David Caldwell, Fred Klucas, Sue Raccagno, Tyran Owens, Richard Warner, John Pientka, Steven Copeland, Terry & Gary Johnson, Greg Hopper, Kayly Schoming, Brenda Gamboa, Trella Glear, Luke & Mary Yetter, Tallie Baetz, Mary Winingham, Stan Knaus, Sharon Robinson, Linus Sanchez, Kevin Watts, Steve Tiernan, Jacey (Prochazka) Yanek, Hank Sanchez, Luke Yetter, Janice Brungardt, David Zey, Eloyd Owens, Jessica Perez & baby daughter & Ambre Honeywell.

**STATIONS & MASS:** Stations and Mass will start on Wednesday, February 21st. There will be a soup supper right afterwards in the parish hall. If you would like to bring a soup, please let Daylene know.

**YOUR PRAYERS ARE NEEDED:** Please remember those affected by the school shooting this past week! Please keep all families in your prayers - that they allow God to help them in making decisions.

"We need to learn to offer correction and be corrected, but to do both with such love that both parties can't help but be better for it."

Jon Leonetti, taken from Mission of the Family

Have a great week!

**Liturgical Assignments February 25, 2018**

**Greeters:** Brekken Coup, Brenden Kirby, Andrew Gray & Aaliyah Smith  
**Lectors:** Lexxi Espada, Trevor Kirby & Haley Tiernan  
**Servers:** Noah & Grace Martin & Kyle Ryan  
**Gift Bearers:** Brooklyn Dooley, Spencer Coup, Lucas Newcomer & Kiera Smith  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dan Winingham, Don Hellwig & Caleb Smith

Our Military Men & Women serving our country ~ Kevin Daniels, Mason Campbell, Dvon Glear, Matt Collier, Clayton & Marissa Kuhn, Matthew Lutz & Terry Tracy.



Envelopes used: 31 out of 73 = 42%

**ICC ~ Sunday Offering ~ February 11, 2018**  
**Weekly Goal: \$1,400.00**

Loose Plate:	69.00	YTD Goal:	43,400.00
Envelopes:	1,091.00	Amt. Given:	<u>46,221.29</u>
Children's:	2.00	Difference:	+2,821.29
Special Coll.:	0.00		

Please Remember ICC in your Will!

**MASS TIME FOR TRAVELERS:** For nationwide Mass times and locations: call Mass Times (1-410-676-6000) or on the internet at [www.Masstimes.org](http://www.Masstimes.org).

**SEWING/CRAFT DAY:** Our next sewing/craft day will be Saturday, March 3rd starting at 9 a.m. ~ This is open to anyone who likes to sew or do crafts or just to visit!



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** We do have classes today!!!!

**NEW PICTURE DIRECTORY:** Tuesday's picture taking was cancelled due to what was suppose to be bad weather along with illness and moved to Sunday, February 18th 1 to 8 p.m.— Sign up today if you haven't gotten your picture taken!! Thank you to all who came and had their picture taken!

**MEN SAVE THE DATE:** The next Men's Conference will be Saturday, August 11, 2018 ~ put it on your calendar and plan now to attend!

**FAMILY EVENT:** The Office of Family life is very excited to provide a family event during Lent - Sunday, March 11, 2018 ~ "Let light shine out of darkness" - Empowering FAMILIES to overcome the darkness of an oversexualized culture. 3 to 5 p.m. at St. Thomas More, Manhattan - watch for more details!

**CATHOLIC COMMUNITY ANNUAL APPEAL (CCAA):** From forming a new generation of priests or supporting our youth to become faithful leaders, the Catholic Community Annual Appeal makes diocesan ministry possible. Please make your gift to the Appeal. Join us **"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another."**

**BEST LENT EVER:** Our lives change when our habits change. Your 40 days of Lent will be an incredibly transformative experience because you've learned simple yet powerful ways to become the person God created you to be.

Starting Ash Wednesday (2/14) you'll receive daily emails with short inspirational videos from Matthew Kelly, practical tips to incorporate into your everyday life, and personal stories from Dynamic Catholic team members.

**SIGN UP TODAY FOR BEST LENT EVER AT**  
[www.dynamiccatholic.com](http://www.dynamiccatholic.com)

click on Free Resources to locate Best Lent ever to sign up!

**(February 8 - Feast of St. Josephine Bakhita),** patroness of kidnapped and trafficked children, who was abducted as a child becoming a slave thereby experiencing the meaning of slavery by living it. Pray to St. Bakhita to protect children. U.S. Catholic Sisters Against Human Trafficking. Visit: [sistersagainsttrafficking.org](http://sistersagainsttrafficking.org)

**PRAYER FOR NEW BISHOP:** Heavenly Father, you have blessed our diocese time and time again with good and holy bishops who have led us ever closer to you. Aware of your profound love for us, we ask you to bless us once again. Send us a good and holy man to become our next bishop. Inspire us, the clergy, religious and laity of the diocese to work generously with him so that we might grow together in your love and continue to the good work you have begun in us for the sake of all. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

### Question of the Week

*Theme: Reform your lives!*

**Adult Question:** What is the one area of your life which you most want to "reform" as you get ready to embrace the Gospel. What is it?

**Youth Question:** Lent gives us a chance to do things differently—to "go to the desert." How can you make Lent a time for growing in faith?

**Children Question:** What will you do this Lent to become more like Jesus?

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES THRIFT STORE:** is open at 1500 South Ninth Street, Salina. The store carries a variety of clothing, house wares, bedding, toys and accessories and is open to the public. Clients of Catholic Charities will receive vouchers for limited merchandise based on need. The Thrift Store will be open Thursdays 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Fridays 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and Saturdays 9 a.m. to noon.

Donations: If you would like to donate items or volunteer at the catholic Charities Thrift Store, contact Cara Ivey, Volunteer Coordinator, at 785-825-0208 ext. 216 or [cicvey@ccnks.org](mailto:cicvey@ccnks.org). Information regarding Catholic Charities Thrift Store is also available at [www.ccnks.org](http://www.ccnks.org).

"If you want to see what you really value and prioritize in your life, look at how you spend your time."  
Jon Leonetti taken from Mission of the Family

Hotline 1-800-593-3330

## Alcoholics Anonymous

Meets every Sunday at 8 p.m. in the parish hall & Wednesday mornings at 8 a.m. also in the parish hall. These are open meetings and all are welcome!

### St. Patrick's ~ Sunday Offering ~ February 11, 2018

**Weekly Goal: \$250.00**

Envelopes:	245.00	YTD Goal:	8,000.00
Special Coll.:	0.00	Amt. Given:	<u>8,653.00</u>
		Difference:	+653.00

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