

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 19, 2020**

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 20

Ps 66 (65):4; 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9m 16bc-17, 21 & 23; Mk 2:18-22; Cf. Ps 23 (22):5

8:00 AM Mass –David & Maggie Wyble Family

Tuesday, January 21

Cor 1:26-31; Ps 23:1b-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 13:44-46; Rev 7:17

8:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

Wednesday, January 22

Cf. Ps 143(142):11; Rom 11:35-36; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Mk 18:1-5, 10-12-24; Cf. Ps 36 (35):10

6:00 PM – King Family +

Thursday, January 23

Ps 66 (65):4; 1 Sm 18:6-9, 19:19:1-7; Ps 52-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13; Mk 3:7-12; Cf. Ps 23 (22):5

8:00 AM Mass – John Robertson +

Friday, January 24

Cf. Sir 15:5; Eph 3:9-12; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 30-31; Jn 15:9-17; Cf. Lk 12:42

8:00 AM Mass – Special Intention

Saturday, January 25

2 Tm 1:12; 4-8; Acts 22:3-26 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1 bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18; Cf. Gal 2:20

8:00 AM Mass – Don Cooper +

4:00 PM Mass – King Family +

Sunday, January 26

Cf. Psalm 96 (95); 1, 6; Is 8:23—9j:3 67A); Ps 27:2-4, 13-14; 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Cf. Mt 4:23; Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17; Cf. Ps 34 (33):6

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – Dale Kissel +

Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of:

+ **Janice Hoehenauer.** *Janice is the grandmother of Matthew Bobela.*

+ **Mary Henry.** *Mary is the aunt of B.J. King and sister-in-law of Janie King.*

Please pray for Janice, Mary, and their families.

Support the **Catholic Home Missions Appeal today!** *Right now, over 40% of dioceses in the US are considered mission territories because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities here in the U.S. More information: www.uwccb.org/home-missions.*

Annual Catholic Appeal Update: So far, 87 of our parishioner families have gifted/pledged \$30,740.00 for the **Annual Catholic Appeal**. This is 81% of Cathedral's goal to the Diocese. If you haven't done so already, we encourage you to please make a pledge/gift to the ACA so we can obtain our 100% participation goal! Your gift might just change the life of someone who desperately needs your help.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$17,953.16	\$ 837.32
Week 2	\$ 7,984.73	\$ 118.00
Totals	\$25,937.89	\$ 955.32

This Coming Week

Monday, January 20

Parish Office, ECC, Food Pantry, School, and School of Religion are closed in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Tuesday, January 21

7:00-8:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Ruggle Hall

Wednesday, January 22

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

6:30 PM Dynamic Parish – Ruggle Hall

Thursday, January 23

3:15-4:15 PM Chess Club – Ruggle Hall

Friday, January 24

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

1:00-2:00 PM School Spelling Bee – Ruggle Hall

Saturday, January 25

9:00 AM Dynamic Parish – Ruggle Hall

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass

5:00-8:00 PM Chili Bingo – Ruggle Hall

Sunday, January 26

Catholic School Week – Jan. 26-31

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass

4:15-6:15 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Meeting Room

Mark your calendars for the next **Altar Society** meeting on **Tues., February 4.** **Lisa Lilly** will conduct a rosary making class for all who are interested in learning or making their own rosaries!

Please consider including **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** to your weekly schedule (or as often as your schedule allows). The January and February schedules are available at <http://signup.com/go/vaVQXnM>. Please sign up when you are available and as much in advance if possible. If you are not able to sign up online, please contact **Amy Roetto, 816-787-0235** or amy_roetto@hotmail.com. **Thank you** for your gift of time and prayer.

Continue to save plastic grocery bags, small empty containers, and empty water bottles for our **Food Pantry**. Thank you!

Don't forget our **Dynamic Parish Night** on **Wed., Jan. 22**, at **6:30 PM** in **Ruggle Hall**, with alternate date of **Sat., Jan. 25**, at **9:00 AM**. Child care available. The Dynamic Parish consultant, **Nathan Cranfield**, will present results from Bigger Future survey and the 5-year plan for our parish. " It's time for Catholics to start dreaming again. God wants your future, the future of your parish and the future of the Church to be bigger and better than ever before. What will the future of our Church and the future of our society be like twenty, fifty, and a hundred years from now? What we do every day will determine what the Church will be like in the future. The Church is waiting to be reinvigorated. It's time for Catholics to step it up a notch, work together and take our parish to the next level. It's time to boldly envision an incredible future for the Catholic Church in America." - Matthew Kelly. All parishioners are invited and encouraged to attend.

“Here am I, Lord; I came to do your will.” (Ps 40:2)

A message from Father Hansen . . . This Sunday we begin our journey in Ordinary Time, and this will be so until Ash Wednesday. I write from my annual silent retreat. Eleven meditations will be preached in these five days.

Thirteen priests are here from the USA and Canada. In a meditation this morning Fr. Paul (who’s preaching) mentioned that he often asks children if they pray. Many times they’ll say, “with my family.” He asks if they pray alone to God. Not usually. One of the goals of Dynamic Parish is, after five years, every parishioner will be praying ten minutes of mental prayer each day. I like this definition of mental prayer (mental prayer, as a phrase, as I understand it, was used first by St. Teresa of Avila): To pray is to talk with God. But about what? About Him, about yourself; joys, sorrows, successes and failures, noble ambitions, daily worries, weaknesses! And acts of thanksgiving and petitions; and love and reparation. In a word, to get to know him and to get to know yourself, to get acquainted! Another goal of Dynamic Parish is that all parishioners will go on retreat. These won’t be a five-day retreat but over weekends. One of the seminarians in Cincinnati where I met the founder of Dynamic Parish said he’s in the seminary because of the very retreat Dynamic Parish offers. May our young people be encouraged to pray on their own and with their families. After all, one day they’ll be on their own and their personal prayer life will be essential to their happiness and fruitfulness in life! I’m grateful to all those on the Dynamic Parish team and I hope to see many of you at the Dynamic Parish follow-up this Wed., Jan. 22, at 6:30PM in Ruggie Hall (repeated Sat., Jan. 25, 9:00 AM).

We are grateful to those who, during their busy holidays, took time to decorate our beautiful church! If you enjoyed the fruits of their labors, please give a shout to those who made it happen: **Linda Gerhardt; Ann & Dennis Gronniger; Alrita Wagner; Kitty Spafford; Mary Beth, Justin, & Jeff Boyles; Evelyn and Mark Wyble; John and Joyce Weight; Kathie and Allison Stroud; Chris and Bob Den Ouden; Jeanne Modlin; Sally Hoehn; Joe Lysaght; Dan and Mary Ann Didde and crew; Cathedral students; Dominic CDeBaca; and Leroy Davis.** Forgive us if we left anyone out.

The Catholic young adult group, *Coram Deo*, will meet on **Monday, Jan. 20, for Mondays on the Bluff! Meet here at Cathedral at 6:10 PM** for a walking rosary to **River Bluff Brewing**, where we will enjoy pizza, drinks, and fellowship. Please bring a few bucks in cash to help defray the cost of pizza and bring your ID. Questions? Contact **Ally Goetz** at agoetz@olog.org.

Brothers in Christ Men’s Conference – Sat., March 21, 7:30 AM-4:00 PM, at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish in St. Joseph**. Join us for a Day of Spiritual Growth & Inspiration. Day will include Mass, Confession, Holy Hour, hot lunch, and great speakers: **Jon Leonetti, Father Richard Heilman, Michael John Poirer, Coach Tony Dudik**, and Closing Mass with **Bishop James Johnston**. Tickets \$30. Please purchase tickets through [Eventbrite.com/e/2020-brothers-in-christ-mens-conference-tickets](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2020-brothers-in-christ-mens-conference-tickets) or **David Hurst, 816-262-3950**.

CHECK THIS OUT . . . School and ECC News

- **Congratulations** to the following students on qualifying for the K of C Council 571 and Bishop LeBlond Council 5067 district free throw competition at SFX on **Jan. 29**, beginning at **5:00 PM**: Age 9 Girls **Ava Libel & Elisa Enciso**; Age 9 Boys: **Miles Mace & Colby Grable**; Age 10 Boys: **Henry Staggs & Walter Meierhoffer**; Age 11 Girls: **Claire Wise**; Age 11 Boys: **Jarrett Lujan & Xavier Aleman**; Age 12 Girls: **Daisy Harshman & Isabelle Giles**; Age 12 Boys: **Trey Icke & Trey Pfister**; Age 13 Boys: **Beckett Frisch & Jackson CDeBaca**; Age 14 Boys: **Alexander Liechti**. A very special thank you to Knights’ Members **Dan Didde, Tom Wright, and Joseph Vigliaturo** for organizing the competition and **Mary Ann Didde** for her work creating the certificates and keeping the competition moving.
- **St. Joseph Catholic Middle School Winter Social – Fri., Jan. 31, 7:30-9:30 PM** in **Cathedral Gym**. **Grade 6-8 Catholic School Students** are invited to come celebrate the end of Catholic School Week. Enjoy a fun night that includes music by DJ Flo.
- **Cathedral School Fundraiser – Mardi Gras on Sat., February 22**, at **Bishop LeBlond High School**. Tickets are \$50. Doors open at **5:00 PM**. Join us for an evening of fun, bidding, cocktails, food and dancing! Purchase tickets: <https://cathedralmardigras.ticket.qtego.net/tickets/list>. Questions: **Katy Richmond** at katyrichmond@live.com.

Cathedral Cash can be purchased/ordered at the table in the west vestibule after our weekend Masses, contact the School Office at **232-8486**, CathedralCash@cathedralsj.org, or go to www.shopwithscrip.com.

For Christians, a **pilgrimage to the Holy Land** is like going home. And just before Advent 2020 is the perfect time for a life-changing faith trip! Nazareth, Bethlehem, Cana, Mt. Tabor, Jerusalem, the Dead Sea and much more. Don’t just see it – experience it. Scriptures and the Mass will become far more meaningful. It’s a trip you’ll treasure the rest of your life! (**Nov 2-11, 2020**). Save \$300-\$1200 over similar trips that offer less! Space is limited, so act now. Discounts for those who sign-up soon. For more info, contact **Mark Wyble** at religiousramblers@gmail.com or **816-233-8427**.

Conception Abbey Retreat: Catholic Ritual: Collective, Formal, Performative, Formative, Transformative – Jan. 24-26. Reflections/analysis of the treasure of our Catholic ritual tradition as based in Community, as formal rites that teach us and form us, and ultimately transform us, in our Catholic faith. Led by **Br. Cyprian Langlois, OSB**. Contact **Abbey Guest Center**, guests@conception.edu or **660-944-2809**.

Praying with Mandala: A Spiritual Art Form – Thurs., Jan. 30, 9:30 AM-3:00 PM, at **Sophia Spirituality Center, 751 S. 8th St., Atchison, KS**. Perhaps you’ve been coloring someone else’s mandalas or have been intrigued by the beauty of this ancient spiritual art form? Come and learn how to “grow” your own mandala. One need not know how to draw. Fee \$50 includes lunch and supplies. Contact by **Jan. 23: 913-360-6173** or sophiaspiritualitycenter.org.