

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 20 2019**

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 21

Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 2:18-22

8:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

Tuesday, January 22

Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 and 10c [5]/Mk 2:23-28

8:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

Wednesday, January 23

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 3:1-6

6:00 PM Mass – John Robertson +

Thursday, January 24

Heb 7:25-8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [8a and 9a]/Mk 3:7-12

8:00 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

Friday, January 25

*Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/
Mk 16:15-18*

8:00 AM Mass – Basil Hoehn +

Saturday, January 26

*2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10 [3]/
Mk 3:20-21*

8:30 AM Mass – No special intention scheduled

4:00 PM Mass – Roger Gillette +

Sunday, January 27

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 119:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn 6:63c]/1 Cor

8:30 AM Mass – People of the Parish

11:30 AM Mass – John Robertson +

Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of James Rost, who died last week. James is the brother of Carolyn Gronniger and Greg Rost, and cousin of Jeanne Modlin. Please pray for James and his family.

Thank you to the many parishioners who helped in taking down the beautiful decorations in church: **Mary Beth Boyles, Bill Carr, Amy Clary, Leroy Davis, Bob Den Ouden, Chris Den Ouden, Linda Gerhardt, Ann Gronniger, Dennis Gronniger, Sally Hoehn, Lisa Lilly, Joe Lysaght, Mike Muehlbach, Peggy Muehlbach, Kitty Spafford, David Wyble, Evelyn Wyble, and our 8th grade students.**

If your schedule allows, an hour in **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** to pray for our students or your own intention would be a great way to grow spiritually this year. We do have some opening for the remainder of January. Please sign up at <http://signup.com/go/vaVOXnM> or by contacting **Amy Roetto** at amy_roetto@hotmail.com or **816-787-0235**.

The **Parish Office, School, and Early Childhood Center** will be closed on **Monday, January 21** in observance of **Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**. The **Food Pantry** will be open and the **School of Religion** will have class on **Monday**.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME

Monthly Budget Goal \$76,166 (included \$4000 for reserve)

	<u>Offertory</u>	<u>Aged, Sick & Poor</u>
Week 1	\$17,713.55	\$897.00
Week 2	\$ 7,129.40	\$ 50.00
Total	\$24,842.95	\$947.00

This Coming Week

Monday, January 21 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Parish Office, School, and ECC Closed

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

6:00-6:50 PM School of Religion – Ruggle Hall

Tuesday, January 22

7:00 PM Boy Scouts - Gym

Wednesday, January 23

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

Thursday, January 24

No special activities scheduled for today

Friday, January 25

8:00 AM All School Mass - Church

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

6:30-9:00 PM *Ladies Night Out* – St. Anne’s Room

Saturday, January 26

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass – 4th Grade Family Mass

5:00 PM Chili Bingo Night – Ruggle Hall

Sunday, January 27 Catholic School Week Begins

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass

After Mass Coffee, Milk, & Donuts – Ruggle Hall

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass

4:00-6:00 PM RCIA – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

7:00-8:30 PM Confirmation – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

All ladies of the parish are invited to *Ladies Night Out* on **Friday, January 25, 6:30-9:00 PM** in **St. Anne’s Room**. Join us for a good movie, yummy snacks, and great fellowship. Please bring \$2 for drinks.

There will be a training session for new **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** to be held here at our Cathedral, through the **Diocesan Office of Worship**, on **Tues., Jan. 29, 5:00-9:00 PM** in **Ruggle Hall**. A light dinner will be provided. If you are interested, please contact **Father Hansen**. Applicants need to be approved by your Pastor and the fee taken care of by your parish. If you have questions, contact **Kitty Spafford** in our **Parish Office** at **232-7763**.

Next weekend, **Jan. 26-27**, our 2nd collection will be for **Cathedral’s utilities and the upgrade of our heat system**.

Altar Society Members: we need desserts for the **Chili Bingo Night** on **January 26**. Drop yours off either at **school** on **Friday** or **Saturday** after **2:00 PM** in **Ruggle Hall**. Thanks!



This **Tues., Jan. 22**, the Church in the U.S. observes the annual **“Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children”**. This day is set aside to pray for the legal protection of human life and to do penance for the violations to human dignity through abortion. We are called to observe this day through prayer and penance. More information is available at www.usccb.org/january-22.

Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations. (Ps 96)

Message from Father Hansen.... I write today while on the bus, somewhere in Indiana, on the way to the Pro Life March. Last week I asked for prayers for the March and I appreciate the many promises to pray that you have shared. Across the aisle from me is the mother, Lisa Goedken, of one of the Religious Sisters (Sister Faustina) in our Diocese. Lisa's late husband, Deacon Martin Goedken, led Catholic Charities here in St. Joseph for over a decade. I was at Sister Faustina's Final Vows just a few years ago; she serves in Vladivostok, Russia, along with three others Sisters.

One of the ministries her Community (Sisters in Jesus the Lord) brought to our Diocese is called Rachel's Vineyard (<https://rachelsvineyard.org>). This ministry helps women and men who've had or supported an abortion. When the Sisters asked me to be a chaplain for one of the Rachel's Vineyard Retreats, I was hesitant. However, after being chaplain for three of the Retreats, I can only say they were rewarding beyond anything I could have imagined and that I met women of great courage who received healing that led to wholeness only possible with God's grace!

May our Pro Life actions also lead to healing for the many who have suffered because of past abortions; allowing them fullness of life through God's grace and through the maternal intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary! The website above is a great resource for when and where the Retreats are held.

Mir House, the Chapel of the Holy Rosary, 6492 NE Hwy 6, is open 24 hours per day, 7 days a week with adorers committed to praying to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Adorers needed to come on a regular basis. Substitutes are available to help out. You also may drop in and visit our Lord anytime. Call **816-233-8359** and leave a message or visit the website to sign up for a specific time.

Men's Conference will be on **Sat., March 23, 7:00 AM-5:00 PM,** at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.** A day of spiritual growth & inspiration which includes Mass, Holy Hour, Lunch, and Speakers will feature **Bishop James Johnston, Fr. Richard Rocha, Dave DiNuzzo Sr., and Dr. Scott Sullivan.** Tickets: \$25 at EventBrite.com or \$30 at door. Contact **David Hurst** at **262-3950** or dhurt032204@yahoo.com.

Do you ever find yourself multi-tasking while "listening" to your husband or thinking "I've heard all this before" when your wife brings up an issue? The **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** can help you overcome these barriers to effective listening and start listening to your spouse with an open heart. The next weekend in **Kansas City** is **March 1-3.** Visit www.wmme4youandme.org or contact **816-741-4066.**

Stewardship Makes A Difference . . . Thank you to everyone who leads the congregation in praying the rosary before the **4:00 PM Mass:** **Rita Davis, Tony Drummond, Sally Hoehn, Wilma Jenkins, Sue Lysaght, and Kitty Spafford,** and before the **8:30 AM Mass:** **Amy and Jacob Clary, Tim Curry, Chris Den Ouden, Kitty Spafford, Catherine Welsh, and Mark Wyble.** If you would be interested in helping, please call **Kitty** in the Parish Office at **232-7763.**

CHECK THIS OUT . . . The Good News of Cathedral

- **Congratulations** to **Jake Lilly,** Cathedral Class of 05 and LB Class of 09, who married **Laddie De Grand,** here at Cathedral, on **January 12!**

Our School and ECC News

- We happily announce the birth of our newest little Raven, **Malachi William James Hodapp.** Our English teacher, **Mrs. Emily Hodapp,** husband **Jeremiah,** and baby are doing well. Malachi was born on **Sat., January 12.** We welcome **Mrs. Nancy Dillon** as our substitute teacher.
- Please join us for an evening of fun and fellowship at **Chili Bingo Night** on **Jan. 26** from **5:00-7:00 PM** in **Ruggle Hall.** The cost is \$6 per person or \$15 per family. This includes a chili dinner, drink, and dessert. Hot dogs will be on sale for \$1. All proceeds benefit the **Cathedral Technology Fund.**
- **New Family Coffee and Donuts:** Invite your friends and family members who may be interested in Cathedral School to an informative coffee and donuts **Open House** on **February 7, 7:30-9:00 AM.** We will give tours, have tuition information, and answer any questions they may have. Please help us spread the good word of our school!
- **Schwan's Cares:** By placing an order through Schwans.com, a portion of the sales will come back to the school and be used to fund important campus improvement efforts like replacing the gym roof. A special **thank you** to **Beth Lukehart** for organizing. Follow this link to give back: https://www.schwans-cares.com/campaigns/44378-cathedral-school-gym-fundraiser?fbclid=IwAR3ddk_Ry3lFm7z9v6kwP3TojbV6aAtvui4ownFdpRG8g3Jx4u wd3hUYXVk.
- Join us for an evening of fun, bidding, cocktails, food, and dancing at Cathedral's **Mardi Gras.** Our annual fundraiser will be on **March 2** at **Bishop LeBlond High School.** Cocktail Hour begins at **5:00 PM.** Purchase tickets (\$40/person) at cathedralmardigras.ticket.qtego.net.
- Plan ahead and use **Cathedral Cash** Cards for your everyday grocery, household, clothing, gift, and gas purchases and your Super Bowl celebration. Don't forget that **Cathedral School** gets a rebate for every card purchased. You also can order cards through our school office, CathedralCash@cathedralsj.org, or **ScripNow.**

Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration invite single women, ages 18-40, who are considering religious life, to visit for a weekend, for a week-long Monastic Experience, or for a personal discernment retreat at their monastery in **Clyde, MO.** Pick your own date to experience the daily rhythm of their life where you can join them in singing the divine office, attend daily Mass, spend time in personal prayer, and open your heart to God's call by learning about discernment and prayer. No cost to attend. More details at www.benedictinesisters.org. To register, please contact **Sr. Maria Victoria** at vocation@benedictinesisters.org or **(660) 944-2221, ext. 127.**

Our **Food Pantry** is in need of plastic grocery sacks, small empty water bottles, and small empty containers (i.e. whipped topping, cottage cheese, dips, etc). **Thank you** for your ongoing support!

Altar Society Painting Party!!



Come join us for an evening full of fun and fellowship! Melissa Pfister will lead you through painting your own canvas. No experience is required! Finger food and drinks (including wine, of course) will be provided!

**Tuesday, February 5th at 6:30 pm in Ruggle Hall
(following a brief meeting at 6pm in St. Anne's)**

\$30 per person

Only 20 spots available!

Contact the parish office to sign up today!