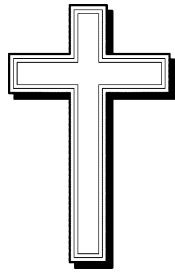


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Weekend Mass Schedule

Summer Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass – 6:00 PM in Phillipsburg

Sunday Mass – 8:30 AM in Logan

Sunday Mass – 10:30 AM in Phillipsburg

Winter Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass – 6:00 PM in Phillipsburg

Sunday Mass – 8:30 AM in Phillipsburg

Sunday Mass – 10:30 AM in Logan

(Schedule changes April 1 & Oct. 1)

Sacramental Schedule

Reconciliation – Saturday at 5:30 PM in Phillipsburg, Sunday Morning prior to Mass in Logan; or contact the priest to set up an appointment for confession.

Baptism – contact the priest to schedule. Instructions required with the first child.

Marriage—contact the priest at least six months prior to the wedding date to complete required marriage preparation.

Anointing of the Sick – contact the priest to schedule a time to be anointed.

If you are admitted to the hospital, please ask the hospital or a family member to contact the priest so that he may come to visit you, or if you are homebound.

Information

New members to the parish—please contact the priest or secretary to register.

Moving away from the parish, please contact the priest or secretary.

Bulletin deadline – Wednesday noon to the secretary

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

An ancient title for this Sunday is *Dominica in Albis*, or “Sunday in White.” During the Easter Vigil, the newly baptized are invested with a white garment, a sign that they have put on Christ. At one time, the garments were worn for a full week of celebration and reflection, and on this Sunday the newly baptized would appear in their robes again in their new place among the faithful for Eucharist.

In later centuries, the energy of new life at Easter was largely forgotten, and this Sunday was renamed “Quasimodo Sunday,” or “Low Sunday.” In recent years, with the recovery of the insight that Easter is the privileged time for celebrating and renewing baptism, there is nothing “Low” about this Sunday. At a week’s distance, the beauty and grace of our Easter celebration is sustained by joyful alleluias, the blessing and sprinkling of holy water, and the comfort of the Lord’s presence to us. He is risen, and he summons us together, opening up the scriptures for us, breaking the bread, filling us with new life.

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SEEING IS BELIEVING

Seeing is believing! Since cellphone screens connect us instantly to social media, live TV, and loved ones’ faces near and far, “Doubting Thomas” could be our patron saint: “Unless I see, I will not believe!” But how comforting for any of us who share Thomas’s doubt, or love “doubters” who do, to see how kindly Jesus responds. By offering the very evidence that Thomas demanded, Jesus doesn’t scold Thomas, but seems to understand such skepticism. Could Jesus have been thinking of us, who long to believe that “Jesus is risen!” but see so much suffering, and perhaps even cause some, that we wonder, how could something so wonderful be true? In today’s reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the risen Jesus’ healing love comforts through disciples who love others. In Revelation, “our brother John” doesn’t just claim he saw Jesus alive, but passes on Jesus’ life-giving words, “Do not be afraid.” Seeing Jesus in others is believing!

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Notes from the Pastor

Sunday April 28: Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday). First Holy Communion at Sts. Philip & James Parish in Phillipsburg.

I wish you the joy and peace of the Easter Season. May the Risen Lord bless you and your family.

Divine Mercy Sunday: Sunday, April 28: Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated at Sts. John's Parish in Logan by singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass.

Divine Mercy Sunday is celebrated at Sts. Philip & James parish in Phillipsburg at 3:00 pm with singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet, adoration and Benediction and a reception.

First Holy Communion: First Holy Communion for Sts. Philip & James is celebrated on Sunday, April 28 at 10:30 a.m. Reception follows after Mass at the parish hall.

May Crowning: Sunday, May 5. May Crowning in both the parishes will take place after communion prayer.

May 2 is the First Thursday of the Month: Holy Mass and Adoration at Sts. Philip & James parishes in Phillipsburg at 5:30 p.m.

May 3 is the First Friday of the Month: Holy Mass and Adoration at St John's Parish in Logan at 5:30 p.m.

Report Abuse: Message from Bishop Vincke

The recent crisis within the Church has caused pain and heartache for all people. To anyone who has ever been a victim of abuse, I offer my deepest apologies. I pray that you and your family may experience healing and peace if you, or someone you know, have ever been abused by a member of the clergy, please report the abuse. I strongly encourage you to reach out to law enforcement and the Diocese of Salina to report any incident of abuse. Kansa Protection Report Center: 1-800-922-5330 KBI: 1-800-KSCRIME or ClergyAbuse@kbi.ks.gov Diocese of Salina: 785-825-0865 or reportabuse@salinadiocese.org or www.salinadiocese.org/safety-security

Bishop Gerald Vincke, Bishop of the Diocese of Salina

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

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| Sat. April 27 | Sts. Philip & James | 6:00 PM | Marg Hickert |
| Sun. April 28 | St. John's | 8:30 AM | People of the parishes |
| | Sts. Philip & James | 10:30 AM | Mel Schremmer |
| Mon. April 29 | No Mass | | |
| Tues. April 30 | St. John's | 5:30 PM | Betty Jane Bittel |
| Wed. May 1 | Sts. Philip & James | 7:20 AM | Aaron Harman |
| | St. John's | 5:30 PM | Mary Becker |
| Thurs. May 2 | Sts. Philip & James | 5:30 PM | Vincent Ritter |
| Fri. May 3 | Sts. Philip & James | 7:20 AM | Sp.Int. of Jeremy & Tami Sauer |
| | St. John's | 5:30 PM | Cyril & Kilanna Schmidt |
| Sat. May 4 | Sts. Philip & James | 6:00 PM | Sp.Int. of Melany Pinkerton |
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| Sun. May 5 | St. John's | 8:30 AM | Lynn Becker |
| | Sts. Philip & James | 10:30 AM | People of the parishes |

Rosary Intention for the Month of April

Prayer for Confirmation Candidates

God the Holy Spirit, as our young adults prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, strengthen them with your gift of grace, to love and serve as a disciple of Christ. Grant that they may grow into the fullness of the stature of Christ. Fill them with the joy of Your presence. Increase in them the fruit of Your Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of love, patience and gentleness, the spirit of wonder and true holiness. We ask this in Your name. Amen

SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Stewardship St. John's Parish is a stewardship parish; parishioners support the parish through volunteer services and the use of offertory envelopes.

Offertory \$107.00 Children's \$22.00 Envelopes \$1105.00 Rice Bowl \$12.00

Holy Thursday: Rice Bowl \$294.06 Envelopes \$250.00

Good Friday: Holy Land \$173.00 Flowers \$50.00

Money Counters: April-Rob & Diane May- Lisa & Leonard

Spiritual Bouquet for Mother's Day – there will be a sign up sheet. Please put down the names of the mothers to be included and the mother's who have passed away.

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 28: Divine Mercy Sunday will be celebrated by singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass.

Graduation Sunday-May 5 – 8th grade and Seniors will be honored

May 3 is the First Friday of the Month: Holy Mass and Adoration at 5:30 p.m.



SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Stewardship: Offertory \$69.00 Adults \$1785.00 Children \$25.00
Votives \$36.00 Flowers \$10.00 Scholarship \$10.00 Building \$675.00

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 28: Divine Mercy Sunday will be celebrated at 3:00 pm with singing of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Adoration and Benediction and a reception.

First Holy Communion: Sunday, April 28 at 10:30 a.m. Reception follows after Mass in the parish hall.

Congratulations, best wishes and prayers to our First Communicants:

Addisyn Ellenberger daughter of Kim and Brady Ellenberger

Addison Lauren daughter of Crystal & Joel Lauren

Lane Gower son of Matt & Lynae Gower

Valeria Hernandez daughter of Azalia & Hector Hernandez

May 2 is the First Thursday of the Month. Holy Mass and Adoration at 5:30 pm

Parish information: Since our Sacristan Darla Harman has undergone a surgery, Gwen Bui and Sandy Schulte will take care of the Sacristan's duty until Darla recuperates from surgery. Please keep Darla Harman in your prayers.

Be sure and check our website www.phillipsburgcatholic.org !

Online Giving: There is now a tab on the website that you can make donations to the church electronically. If you have any questions on how to set this up please call the office. If you don't want to put information in online you can also set up recurring donations to come out of your checking account with the office.

We also have a mobile app called Give Plus. You download the app and then search for our church by zip code and you can set up an account.

SAINT JOHN'S MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Ministers for April 28 8:30 AM

Lector: Rob Pinkerton
Offertory: Steve Brown
Servers: Sam P. Chelsi B.
Music: Rob Noone, Janice L
Ex. Ord. Min.: Linda T. J.Long
Rosary: Terry & Sandra G.
Rolls: Darren B. Charles B.



Ministers for May 5 8:30 AM

Lector: Mike Kemper
Offertory: Graduates
Servers: Camille G. Ryan P.
Music: Kelsey P. Hannah D
Ex. Ord. Min.: Leonard L. T. Brown
Rosary: Rob & Lisa Pinkerton
Rolls: Reception for Graduates

Happy Birthday to: Mike Kemper (30) Grayci Bliss (1) Bill Ashmore (4)

SAINTS PHILIP AND JAMES MINISTRY SCHEDULE

MINISTERS FOR April 27 6:00 PM

Servers:Adult/Child
Music: S.Schmidt
Lector: M.Gower
Offertory: J.Sauer
Ushers/Greeters: J.Schilowsky
Ex. Ord. Ministers: D.Reha,A.Gower

MINISTERS FOR May 4 6:00 PM

Servers:Adult/Child
Music: M. Innes
Lector: G.Saville
Offertory: L.Jansonius
Ushers/Greeters: S.Ragsdale
Ex. Ord. Ministers: D.Harman,M.Wells

Happy Birthday to: Ali Marez (29) Dan Blubaugh (1)

Happy Anniversary to: Mr. & Mrs.Scott Pirotte (29)

Altar Society Chairperson to take care of linens for April-Anna Schremmer

MINISTERS FOR April 28 10:30 AM

E.Leidig, H.Dougherty, G. Sauer
P. Dusin
B.Swenson
D.Leidig
D.Koelsch
W.Gower,J.Bui

MINISTERS FOR May 5 10:30 AM

C.Corman,E.Leidig A.Hassel
Reha/Pirotte
D.King
G.Saville
S.Thompson
M.Koelsch, B.Williams

