

# St. Patrick Parish



638 West D Ave, Kingman, KS

### NEWCOMERS

A warm welcome to our parish family. We want to meet you. Please come to the Parish Office to register.

### ALL PARISHIONERS

Please keep us informed of changes in names addresses, phone #'s etc. to update our files.

WEBSITE: [www.stpatskingman.org](http://www.stpatskingman.org)

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### April

8	Mon	Fifth Week of Lent .....	8:00 am †Robert & Alberta Schwartz
9	Tue	Fifth Week of Lent .....	6:30 pm †John Bock
10	Wed	Fifth Week of Lent .....	8:00 am ♦Special Intention
11	Thu	Fifth Week of Lent .....	8:00 am †Marvin Lindt
		WHEATLANDS HEALTH CARE CENTER .....	9:00 am †Poor Souls
12	Fri	Fifth Week of Lent .....	8:00 am †Bob Harbert
13	Sat		
		<b>Sunday Vigil</b> .....	5:00 pm †Pampi & Donnie Gonzales
14	Sun	<b>Palm Sunday</b> .....	8:00 am ♦People of the Parish
			10:00 am †Martin Hampel

Pastor.....Rev. Andrew Walsh  
 Parish Secretary.....Elaine Clouse  
 Parish Phone .....620-532-5440  
 School Principal.....Dr. Eva Harmon  
 School Secretary .....Tammi Osner  
 School Phone .....620-532-2791

**CONFESSIONS**  
*Tuesdays – 6:00-6:25pm*  
*Thursdays – 7:30-7:55am*  
*Saturdays – 4:00-4:45pm*

**St. Patrick Catholic School News**

Mon, Apr 8 - Track @ Douglas High School  
 Tues, Apr 9 - 4<sup>th</sup> Gr. - Art Field Trip  
 Wed, Apr 10 - Battle of the Books  
                   1<sup>st</sup> Communion Banner Mtg 6:30pm  
 Thu, Apr 11 - 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Wheatlands  
                   Track @ South Barber  
 Fri, Apr 12 - Living Stations - 2:30 pm  
 Sat, Apr 6 - Team #7 Cleaning Team

Our mission in life is to become a fully human person who knows and loves God above everything else and reflects this love to others. It is a privilege for St. Patrick Parish to be a part of this mission.”

*“Everyone who lives and believes in me  
will not die for ever, says the Lord.”*

### ALTAR SERVERS

This Week – Clayton Thimesch & Ben Bradshaw

5:00 pm – Trey Bough & Peyton Thimesch

8:00 am – Thomas Behring, Will & Kael McBeth

10:00 am – Cannon Reed, Gus & Jude Arnold

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm – Stan Goetz

8:00 am – Janice Neville

10:00 am – Jeralyn Hill

### LECTORS

5:00 pm – Dave Hayes

8:00 am – Peter Bedford

10:00 am – John Korbel

### NARRATORS

Marvin Neville

Robert Tatro

Joe Hill

### GIFT BEARERS

5:00 pm – Garold & Karen White

8:00 am – Greg & Lynn Schreiner

10:00 am – Pat & Carole Maloney

### ROSARY LEADERS

5:00 pm – Karen White

8:00 am – Jeanette Valadez

10:00 am – Joel Arnold Family

### CANTORS

5:00 pm – Adult Choir

8:00 am – Andy Schrag

10:00 am – Audrey Birkenbaugh

### ORGANISTS

5:00 pm – Deb Osbon

8:00 am – Andy Schrag

10:00 am – Aidan Hill

### USHERS

5:00 pm – Joe & Elaine Clouse

Gina Fischer, Delbert Osner

8:00 am – Earl Knoblauch, Roger Arensdorf

Ross & Ryan Kinsler

10:00 am – John & Tammi Osner

Vince Lubbers, Linda Burket



## “FULLY ALIVE AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES”

April 7, 2019

Fifth Sunday of Lent

The idea of being FULLY ALIVE seems to indicate a need for intentional living on our part, and that, indeed, would be true; however, it would not be enough. Even with 100% of our own good intentions, we would still require a second ingredient: the grace of God. We become FULLY alive because we are filled with God's grace. You only need to look at today's readings to have proof. The prophet Isaiah refers to the LORD as the one who rescued the Jewish people from slavery; He opened a way in the sea and a path in the waters. In other words, He made it possible for them to survive. But to survive is not the same as living -- they are ALIVE because God was with them and God was within them. They were His people, and they were filled with His grace. Then, in John's gospel, we have the woman who was to be put to death for her sin of adultery. When Jesus pointed out that each of the men gathered there was also a sinner, they departed; they let her live. Jesus recognized that she needed more. He poured out His grace and forgave her, allowing her to become FULLY alive in His love. Carry this message with you as you make your way through this week. As stewards of God's gifts, we should live and give purposefully, but we must remember that it is only through God's grace that we can become FULLY ALIVE.

**Contributions last Weekend \$13,167.00**

*Stewardship is the grateful response of a  
Christian disciple, who recognizes and receives  
God's gifts and shares these gifts  
in love of God and neighbor!*



**Adorers needed for the following  
hours: Wednesdays 1:00 am;  
Fridays–1 am and 4pm. For more  
details, call Connie Seiwert at 316-  
641-1909.**

**Liturgy of the Hours** (Morning Prayer)

Mondays thru Fridays 7:15 am.

## **Living Stations**

Friday, April 12 – 2:30 and 5:30 pm. presented by St. Pats 5th Graders. All are welcome!

## **Altar Society Meeting.**

Tuesday April 16th - 7pm in the conference room. All ladies of the parish are encouraged to attend.

## **Easter Lily Memorials**

Altar Society is offering Lily Memorials for \$20.00. Anyone interested, please leave money and information in the candle box or contact Danielle Romme 316-619-0942. Envelopes are also available in your contribution boxes.



## ***Stations of the Cross Fridays 5:30 pm.***

## **Altar Society Committee Lists**

have now been updated. Please pick up your updated copy from the back of Church.

## **Young Mother's Group Meeting**

Sunday, April 7 at 8 pm. Conference Room. Come enjoy some great fellowship with the women of our community! Contact Liz Meyer at 316-285-8830 or [elizabeth.meyer14@gmail.com](mailto:elizabeth.meyer14@gmail.com) with any questions. Also mark your calendars for our 2nd Annual Womanly Grace mini-retreat for all women of the parish and surrounding communities on June 2 from 11:30-3.

## **New Group Informational Meeting**

April 14th at 4 p.m. in the school cafeteria. All parishioners are invited to come to an informational meeting to learn more about the Bishop's pastoral goal of becoming a parish of missionary disciples.

**L'Alto Catholic Institute** will be working with our parish to help form an Evangelization Team to shape a parish-wide vision for discipleship.

## **Piano Concerto**

Aidan Hill will be performing here in Kingman, on Sunday, April 14, 3pm, at the United Methodist Church. It will be a free will offering to benefit the music programs at St. Patrick & Kingman Middle/Elementary Schools. Donations will be divided evenly between the 2 schools.

## **From the Pastor's desk**

This Sunday marks the final two weeks of Lent, which the Church calls Passiontide. During the season of Lent, the Church requests that we “do with less.” Churches are not ornamented with flowers. Music is to be a bit more subdued. In the Mass we do not say the Gloria nor do we say “alleluia.” During Passiontide, we begin our immediate preparation for Easter by doing with even less. Today, the statues are draped in purple veils. Even the image of the Crucified Lord is veiled during Passiontide. During the Triduum, which consists of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday, we lose even more. After the Mass of the Lord's Supper in the evening of Holy Thursday, the altar is stripped of its clothes and left bare until the Easter Vigil. On Good Friday there is no Mass, only the liturgy of the Lord's Passion. Holy Saturday is even more subdued with no liturgy until the Vigil after nightfall. Even the Easter Vigil itself begins in darkness until the lighting of the Easter fire.

## **Mass Intentions**

A perfect way to remember your loved ones or someone who is in need of our prayers. Openings are available for this year for Mass Intentions. Only \$10 each. For more information call the parish office at 532-5440.

### **WHY DO WE DO THAT?**

#### **CATHOLIC TRADITIONS EXPLAINED**

##### **Question:**

What is holy water and how do I explain the reason that it is placed at the entrances of churches to my non-Catholic friends?

##### **Answer:**

Holy water is a sacramental, a reminder of the life of the Church expressed and celebrated through the sacraments. God's grace is mediated through word and gesture (the outward signs). This comes to us through Jesus (instituted by Christ) as he entrusts to the Church his saving mission (to give grace). In turn the Church, through the sacraments, shares that grace and mission with us.

On Ash Wednesday, we receive ashes on our foreheads to remind us of our origins, humbly created from the dust.

But by blessing ourselves with holy water, we are reminded of our destiny! We are baptized sons and daughters of God. This is also a call to conversion, to live more fully our baptismal call to live as disciples of Jesus. We see holy water whenever we renew our baptismal promises. This will occur during the Easter liturgy as well, reminding us that we are indeed on a journey of faith and renewed in Christ. Blessing ourselves with holy water reminds us that we are baptized into a community faith, and always in need of turning from sin and toward God. Holy water is a visible sign of our baptism!

*Liturgical Publications*