

Prayer List

John Griffith	LaVerna Molleker, <i>Don Molleker's mom</i>	Elaine Stirn, <i>Art Stroda's sister</i>
Terry Holt	Brad Hudgens	Kathleen Oborny
Rita Brennan	Jay Smith	Jake Smith
Pat Stika, <i>Rosalie Rudolph's sister-in-law</i>		Sheila Williams, <i>Donna Fink's daughter</i>
Demetry Evancho	Kendra Pratt, <i>Karen Konarik's niece</i>	Ben Klenda, <i>Mark Klenda's brother</i>
Tom Darnley, <i>Pat & Laurie Holub's friend</i>		Linda Campbell, <i>Jean Stuchlik's niece</i>
Diana Riley, <i>Greg Davidson's sister</i>		Julie & Lloyd Anderson, <i>Bob & Marlene Herzet's friends</i>
Cecilia Gayle	Gordan Schroeder, <i>nephew of LaVada Holub & Faye Makovec</i>	
JoAnn Nowak	Jillian Ledford, <i>niece of Don & John Vinduska & Carol Wituk</i>	
Beth Bouflog & family, <i>Susan Ross's daughter</i>	Vince Truax, <i>Rita Brennan's brother-in-law</i>	Chris Connor, <i>Pam Jones's brother</i>
Lea Schwart	Charles Horinek, <i>Jim & Norma Horinek's nephew</i>	
Jimmy Rudolph	Jeremy Schlehuder	Mark Jirak, <i>brother of Francis, Ron & Steve Jirak, Rita Brunner & Flo Rahn</i>
Amy Vogel	Sunny Herman, <i>Rose Davidson's father</i>	Taia Tinsley, <i>Pat Holub's daughter-in-law</i>
Walter Plus	Lana Stevenson, <i>Lori Kirkpatrick's friend</i>	Quinn Trapp, <i>Duane & Lori Kirkpatrick's friend</i>
Robert Raleigh	Marlin Miller, <i>Marlene Herzet's brother</i>	Deanna Saba, <i>Lou Voelker's daughter</i>
Charlotte Casey	Joan Winter	Bob Grochowsky, <i>Don & Jeannie Vinduska's brother-in-law</i>
Delmer Fink	Dan Sobczynski, <i>LaVada Holub's nephew</i>	Candee Thode, <i>Daniel Stuchlik's sister</i>
	William & Irma Benda	Evelyn & Cassandra Montoya, <i>Bob & Marlene Herzet's friends</i>

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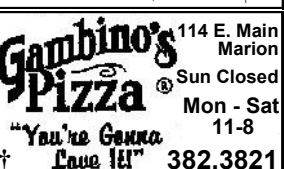
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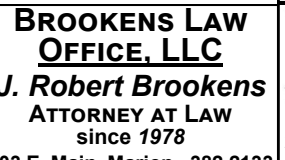
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2nd Sunday of Advent
December 4, 2022

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hfpmc.org

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Pilsen Tues. 5pm - Wed. 1am;
Tampa Weds. 8am - noon; Marion Thurs. 6am – Fri. 8am.
CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD: By appointment,
Saturday in Florence 4:30-4:50pm,
Sunday in Marion 8-8:20am, Pilsen 10-10:20am,
20 minutes before daily Mass.
ROSARY: 20 minutes before every Mass.
BAPTISM & MARRIAGE: Contact Fr. Bebak.
PSR & RCIA: Contact the church office for information.
BULLETIN DEADLINE: Thursday noon, church office.

THIS WEEK'S HOLY MASSES & INTENTIONS

Mon., 12/5	Marion 8am	Matt & Stacie Marsden family Family of the Month
Wed., 12/7	Marion 8am	Demetry Evancho Knight of the Month
Thur., 12/8	Pilsen 8am Marion 7pm	+ Teresa (Turk) Beckett + Ray & Denice Bina
Fri., 12/9	Marion 8am	+ Rose Kramer
Sat., 12/10	Florence 5pm	+ Kaleb James Montgomery
Sun., 12/11	Marion 8:30am Pilsen 10:30am	+ Vickie Smolik For the Parish

Feast days for week of Dec. 4th: Mon., Advent Weekday Tues., St. Nicholas, bishop: Nicholas, died 4th century; bishop of Myra in Asia Minor; model pastor noted for charity; popularized as Santa Claus (anglicized from Dutch “Sinter Claus”); patron of children, bankers, pawnbrokers, sailors, perfumers, brides, unmarried women, travelers, fishermen, dock workers, brewers, poets & prisoners; also of Russia, Greece, Sicily, Lorraine, & Apulia in Italy where his relics are enshrined in Bari. Wed., St. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor of the Church: Ambrose, died Holy Saturday, 397; born of noble parents; while a catechumen, chosen by popular acclaim as bishop of Milan & consecrated Dec. 7, 374; compelling preacher; baptized St. Augustine; one of the 4 great doctors of the Latin Church. Thurs., Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Fri., St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin: In 1531 Our Lady appeared 4 times to this native convert at Tepeyac, near Mexico City, and left a miraculous imprint of her image on his cloak. Canonized by Pope John Paul II in 2002. Sat., Our Lady of Loreto 3rd Sunday of Advent: Is 35:1-6a Jas 5:7-10 Mt 11:2-11

Your Contribution for Nov 26 & 27	\$4,279.66
Weekly Operating Budget	\$5,000.00
Overage (Shortfall)	(\$720.34)

PARISH GIFT:
Fr. Bebak has a gift for the parish: “2023: A Book of Grace-Filled Days.”

FROM THE
Pastor's Desk

They can be found in the back of church or the church office.

Ready the Way

“Ready the way of the Lord!
Ready the way of the Lord!”
A voice cries out in the wilderness:
“Ready the way of the Lord!”
Here is your God,
coming with your vindication.
Look and behold the saving power of God.

NOTE: On Wed., Dec. 7th:
Marion PSR will not be held.

CYM will meet in Pilsen 7-8:30pm.

**Church office closed
Thurs., Dec. 8th.**

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS for DECEMBER 11, 2022

Readings: B884, R483

Third Sunday of Advent	
Saturday, Florence 5:00pm	Lector: Pat Zogelman Ushers: Reilly Reid, Duane Kirkpatrick
Church Cleaners: Steph Kraus & Dainne Cyr	
Sunday, Marion 8:30am	EMHC: Luretta Turk Lector: Laurie Holub
Ushers: Eddie Weber, Russ Hake Coffee & Rolls: Brad Yazel	
Church Cleaners: Chris Stuchlik family Bells: Reagan Cooper Rosary: Ken Vinduska	
Sunday, Pilsen 10:30am	EMHC: Sharon Gutsch Lector: Angie Stika
Ushers: Daniel Stuchlik, Ross Stuchlik, Kevin & Nicholas Krch Rosary: Terry Klenda	
Homebound EMHC: Marion:	Dianne Reichard Hillsboro: Bruce Winkler

Immaculate Conception Holy Day of Obligation, Thursday, December 8th
Pilsen 8:00am EMHC: Laverne Bina **Lector:** David Oborny
Ushers: Randy Svitak, John Vinduska, Terry Vinduska, Leonard Bina **Rosary:** John & Kathy Oborny
Marion 7:00pm EMHC: Greg Davidson **Lector:** Lloyd Davies
Ushers: Frank Tajchman, Mark Tajchman **Bells:** Sophia Baxa **Rosary:** Loretta Turk
MARION ADORATION will be closed down from 5-8pm.

THANK YOU: Thanks for all the support, cards, & prayers I received from you, my parish family, before, during, & after my open heart by-pass surgery on August 1. I am happy to report it couldn't have gone better! Your prayers are powerful!! God bless you...*Francis Jirak*

THANK YOU to all those who donated for the Community Christmas Bake Sale, either by providing baked goods or buying them, or by making a cash donation. We collected \$1,513 for the needy in our county! God bless everyone for their generosity in this great time of need.

SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Wanda Richmond, who died Fri., Nov. 25th. She is the sister-in-law to Joyce Richmond and aunt to Jackie Palic, both of our parish. Arrangements are pending. Please keep her soul and her family in your prayers.

SYMPATHY is extended to the family of Louis Kaiser, father to David Kaiser, who died Sat., Nov. 19th. His funeral service was Sat., Nov. 26th, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lincolnville. Please keep his soul and his family in your prayers.



Hallow is BACK!!! The #1 Catholic App is once again available for free to our parish! Enjoy complete access for free from now until Easter Sunday!! Wonderful content for all the family to enjoy. No credit card needed! Look for the bulletin insert or the cards in the back of each church. Questions? Call or email Theresa Cady at 620-382-7216 or cadyjeff@sbcglobal.net.

ADORATION TIME: The blessings received from this hour with Our Lord are many, and the time flies by. Please prayerfully consider filling one of the times available.

SUGGESTION: A family, or a group of friends, could share one hour among them so that each person doesn't have to go every week.

There are three Marion adoration time slots that need a second person:

- * Thursday mornings from 9-10am AND
- * Thursday evenings 10-11pm AND 11pm-midnight.

Please contact Jackie Palic at 620.382.3757.

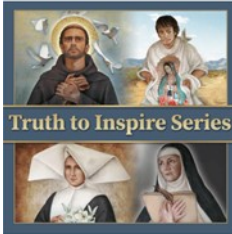
“Won’t you spend an hour with Me?”



CHOOSE LIFE! Please pray for marriage & family. "Abortion, the deliberate killing of a human being before birth, is never morally acceptable and must always be opposed." ~ *Living the Gospel of Life, Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship, USCCB*

FORMED.ORG: To register at signup.formed.org: type "Holy Family, Marion, KS" in the box; type in your email & name; click "sign up". This will prompt you to open your email to authenticate. Download the FORMED app after. Contact Mary Jirak (mrsjirak@gmail.com) or Vickie Jirak (vickie_jirak@hotmail.com) for questions. LISTEN: “Truth To Inspire: Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal” ~November 28--St. Catherine Laboure~

DIVINE MERCY RADIO: Tune in to 101.7 FM, online at dvmercy.com, or on the free phone app at 8:30 AM on Saturdays.





UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Dec 3 - Sat - Marion church decorated for Christmas at 9am
Florence church decorated for Christmas after 5pm Mass

Dec 4 - Sun - Pilsen church decorated for Christmas at 1:30pm
K of C meets, MAC 7pm
Deadline for collection for St. Anthony Family Shelter & Harbor House

Dec 7 - Wed - CYM meets, PL 7-8:30pm
Marion PSR cancelled

Dec 8 - Thurs - Immaculate Conception Holy Day of Obligation, with Masses at:
Pilsen 8am and Marion 7pm
No Marion Adoration from 5-8pm.
Church office closed

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday, December 24th 5:00 pm, *Florence* Midnight, *Pilsen*
Sunday, December 25th 10:00 am, *Marion*

GUN RAFFLE: The Tampa/Hope/Elmo Knights of Columbus are selling GUN RAFFLE tickets for 2023. Proceeds from this raffle support pro-life, local vocations to the religious life, and other worthy causes. The first drawing will be Sunday, January 8, followed by a drawing each first Sunday of the month through December 2023. Raffle tickets can be purchased from Francis Jirak (785-965-7244) or any Knight from Council #2906.

THANK YOU to Yazel-Megli Funeral Home for the 2023 calendars, found in the back of our churches and in the church office. Everyone is invited to take one for your home. Be sure to say “thanks” to Brad!

DARE TO BE CATHOLIC! Morning Meditation:

My God, my life seems to be filled with trials. Once one passes, another is knocking on my doorstep. I am growing weary in my daily battle, struggling to find the patience to bear what You are asking of me. It seems like all I do is stumble and fall.

My child, you are relying too much on yourself and too little on My grace. This is a form of pride. Let go of your desire to control every minute detail in your life. You will find simplicity and patience when you leave the details up to Me. There is little which you really have control over.

My strength will fill you if you truly seek to open your heart and make an earnest effort to lean on Me. How hard are you trying? If you are putting your best foot forward, you will find renewed strength to press forward. I know the time and the place of delivering you from your burdens. Use them to grow in friendship with Me, and find gratitude in the fact that I send them to make you a saint.

~ from the website OUR WARPATH

Day of Prayer and Healing: *Entering Canaan: A Day of Prayer and Healing* retreat for women and men who have been impacted by abortion will be offered in Wichita Sat., Jan. 7th, 9am-5pm. The day retreat can help participants begin the healing journey and bring hope to those who are suffering from the impact of past abortions. Registration is \$30 which includes lunch and all materials. **If cost is a problem, contact the church office.** Participation is confidential. For more information or to register, contact Stephanie Nemechek (316)269-HOPE (4673) or ProjectRachel@CatholicDioceseofWichita.org.

CHRISTMAS CALL TO SHARING 2022: We can't fully practice our Catholic faith without the life and ministry of priests. You will soon receive an invitation to consider a gift to the Christmas Call to Sharing—a gift of gratitude to support retired priests & the education of seminarians. God has blessed us this year with 35 men in the seminary & continues to bless us with so many retired priests who serve the Church in many ways. I would ask that you be as generous as you possibly can be at this most holy time of year.

JEST KIDDING: How does Moses make his coffee so great? *Hebrews it.*