

## Second Sunday of Lent February 25, 2018

### Masses This Week:

<b>Monday</b>	<b>February 26</b>
8:05 a.m. -- +Joe Shively 12:10 pm – Personal Intention	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>February 27</b>
12:10 pm – Personal Intention 5:15 p.m. -- +Joan Malir	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>February 28</b>
8:05 a.m. -- +Ludwina Urban 12:10 pm – Personal Intention	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>March 1</b>
12:10 pm – Personal Intention 5:15 p.m. -- +Dora May Cottam	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 2</b>
8:05 a.m. -- +J.T.Kelso 12:10 p.m. – Personal Intention	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 3</b>
5:00 p.m. – Living & Deceased members of the Nieman & Loader families 6:30 p.m. -- +Jane Valcoure	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 4</b>
8:00 a.m. -- +Ed Gall 9:30 a.m. – Terry Dobson 11:00 a.m. -- +Eldon Colson, Sr.	

### CONFESSIONS

Monday, February 26<sup>th</sup> after at 8:30 am  
Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:45 pm  
Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4:00 pm

### LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Sunday, February 18 <sup>th</sup> :	\$15,368.00
February to date:	\$49,241.00
Needed weekly:	\$17,500.00
Needed for month:	\$78,833.00

### MINISTRY OF PRAYER

**PLEASE PRAY** for Geri Greene, Leigh Ann Alderson, all those who are disabled, in rest homes and hospitals, and service personnel serving overseas. (Names will be on this list for 1 month and then removed unless notified otherwise.)

### Events Happening This Week:

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>February 25</b>
Lenten Parish Mission/3 pm/Sacred Heart Cathedral C.Y.O./6:00-7:30 pm/Youth Center	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>February 26</b>
Faithful Families/9 am/Meeting Room #1 SMGS Council of Education/5:30 pm/Meeting Room A Adult Education/7 pm/Meeting Room #1	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>February 28</b>
P.R.E./6:45-8 pm Parish Choir Practice/7:45 pm/Church	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>March 1</b>
Bible Study/9 am/Meeting Room #1 Pilgrims on the Journey/1 pm/Meeting Room #2 SMGS Stations of the Cross/1 pm/Church One Stitch at a Time/6:30 pm/Meeting Room #2	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 2</b>
Fish Fry/5:00-7:00 pm/Parish Hall	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 3</b>
Catholic Daughters Lenten Retreat/9 am-3 pm/Par. Hall	
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 4</b>
Fundraiser Breakfast/9-11 am/Parish Hall Tri-Parish Mission/3 pm/Sacred Heart Cathedral C.Y.O./6:00-7:30 pm/Youth Center	

### Notes from the Pastor:

The USCCB, Bishops Conference, has encouraged us to share this information with our parishioners.

#### **Lenten Action for Dreamers: Congressional Call-In Campaign**

Please participate in the Call-in Day to Congress on **Monday, February 26, 2018!** Your advocacy is critical to help the nearly 1.8 million Dreamers, young people who were brought into the United States by their parents as children. They may face deportation as soon as March 6, unless Congress reaches a bi-partisan deal to protect them. Please follow these easy steps to help:

1. Please call 855-589-5698 to reach the Capitol switchboard, and **press 1 to connect to your Senators.** Once you are connected to each Senator's office, please ask the person on the phone to **deliver this simple message:**  
*"I urge you to support a bipartisan, common-sense, and humane solution for Dreamers:*
  - *Protect Dreamers from deportation and provide them with a path to citizenship.*
  - *Reject proposals that undermine family immigration or protections for unaccompanied children.*
  - *As a Catholic, I know that families are not "chains," but a blessing to be protected.*
  - *Act now to protect Dreamers, our immigrant brothers and sisters."*
2. Please call 855-589-5698 a second time to reach the Capitol switchboard again, and **press 2 to connect to your Representative.** Once you are connected to the Representative's office, please ask the person on the phone to **deliver the same message as above.**

For more information you can visit

<http://www.justiceforimmigrants.org>

Peace and Prayers, Fr. Kevin

## PARISH NEWS

**FUNDRAISER BREAKFAST:** Next Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, St. Mary's K of C will host their annual CYO breakfast following the 8:00 and 9:30 am Masses in the parish hall. Please join your fellow parishioners for breakfast and a wonderful opportunity to support the Catholic youth in our community.

## CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

**CONTRIBUTIONS STATEMENTS** for 2017 are available upon request for tax purposes. Please contact Kathy at the parish office at [kathy@stmsalina.org](mailto:kathy@stmsalina.org) to have yours mailed to you. Please allow a few days to prepare your statement.

## LENTEN ACTIVITIES:

**THE CITY-WIDE PARISH MISSION** this year will be the parish priests of Salina giving talks on Sunday afternoons 3:00-4:00pm in the Cathedral. The dates, speakers and topics are as follows:

February 25 – Fr. Kevin Weber. Topic: Overview of Sacraments

March 4 – Fr. Nick Parker. Topic: Sacrament of Baptism

March 11 – Fr. Luke Thielen. Topic: Sacrament of Confirmation

March 18 – Fr. Keith Weber. Topic: Sacrament of Eucharist

March 25 – Fr. Justin Palmer. Topic: Sacrament of Confession (this talk will be for 30 minutes. The Communal Confession Service will begin at 3:30pm.)

## SCHOOL NEWS

### FAST CASH CALENDAR WINNERS:

Sunday, February 18 – Tim & Shelly Power

Tuesday, February 20 – Rosie Rundell

Thursday, February 22 – David & Mary Sue Ash

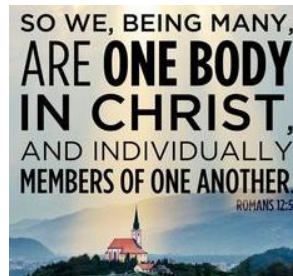
**FIRST FRIDAYS:** Each month St. Mary's School commemorates First Friday with adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:05 am liturgy. The student body says a rosary together led by the 6<sup>th</sup> grade class. Parents and friends are invited to attend. The next day they will have adoration is Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>.

EUCCHARISTIC  
ADORATION



## AROUND THE CITY & THE DIOCESE

**ONE BODY, ONE SPIRIT, ONE EUCHARIST:** Salina's Catholic Daughters Lenten Retreat with three dynamic professionals explaining how the Eucharist can give us the graces we need in life's journey. Catherine DiNuzzo, LPC, will speak on *"Our emotional health matters to God, so He gives us His Body"*. Dr. Christina Joy Mackie will speak on *how to open ourselves to the Holy Spirit & the Eucharist to grow as One Body in Christ*. Dr. Amy Hogan will present *"How the Theology of the Body & the Eucharist draws us to be One with Christ"*. Join them on Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 9 am until 3 pm in St. Mary's Parish hall. \$25 for CDA members, \$10 for men, college students & teens. RSVP by 2/28 to 785-342-0130.



**CATHOLIC COMMUNITY ANNUAL APPEAL:** Many thanks to each of you who gave to the CCAA when you received the letter from Father Frank Coady. Next weekend you will have an opportunity to make a gift during Mass if you have not

yet done so. The goal which has been set by the Diocese for our parish is \$48,036.00.

**Matt Maher LIVE in concert.** For all ages!! Concert held at the Cotillion Ballroom on Thursday, March 1<sup>st</sup>. \$25/advance or \$30/door. Tickets can be purchased online at [catholicfamilyconference.org](http://catholicfamilyconference.org). Group tickets available by email to [Mattmaherwichita@gmail.com](mailto:Mattmaherwichita@gmail.com).

**"LET LIGHT SHINE OUT OF DARKNESS"**, an afternoon of education and inspiration for families to empower them to overcome the darkness of an over sexualized culture will be held from 3-5 pm on Sunday, March 11<sup>th</sup> at St. Thomas More Church in Manhattan, KS. Special guests will be Lori & Eric Doerneman, authors of *The Parenting Dare*, an online course that gives parents the tools and confidence they want and need to equip their children to choose porn-resistant, happy, satisfying, mission-driven, on-fire lives. Call 827-8746 for more information or to register.