



ST. STANISLAUS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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AN APOSTOLATE OF THE PRIESTLY FRATERNITY OF ST. PETER

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Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 7:30am / 10:00am

Mon., Wed., Thrs.: 7:00am

Tues., Fri.: 6:30pm

Saturday: 8:15am

Confessions: *Also by appointment*

Mon., Tues., Fri.: 5:30pm - 6:15pm

Sat., Sun.: 9:00am - 9:45am

The Rosary is prayed after Mass Mon.-Sat., and before 10am Sun.

"Pray, pray very much, and make sacrifices for sinners, for many souls go to Hell because they have no one to make sacrifices and pray for them."

– Our Lady of Fatima

First Sunday of Lent

9 March 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Parish Capital Campaign Launch:

To kick-off our capital campaign, there will be two information sessions. Due to space considerations, Msgr. Fritz requests that one representative from each household come to one of the two sessions. Everyone at this meeting will receive a personalized informational folder highlighting the project's details. The presentation will cover the origins of the project, its timeline and execution; we hope it helps you to discern your generous participation during this exciting time. The sessions are Thursday, **March 20** at 6:30pm and Saturday, **March 22** at 10:00am. Please sign-up your household representative to either one of the sessions by March 11 here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080544A9A722A4FF2-55344815-capital>

Evening for Men:

All men are invited to attend an evening of instruction and reflection about authentic manhood on Monday, **March 10**. The session will run from 6:30-9:00pm. Consider coming early to enjoy some social time with other men from the parish (please bring a light refreshment to share). Msgr. Fritz will continue speaking on the topic of the Rite of Passage at 7:00pm. There is opportunity for fellowship with other men. Please join us!

Extra Confession Time: *The Light is On for You*

This Lent, parishes throughout the diocese will have Confessions available Tuesday, **March 11**, from 6:00-8:00 pm. If you (or someone you know) have been reluctant to come to the Sacrament or have been away for some time, this is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with Christ.

Msgr. Fritz will hear Confessions from 5:30pm until 6:15pm; Fr. Rickert, FSSP will hear Confessions from 6:15pm until 8:00pm.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sunday, March 9, First Sunday of Lent

7:30am: Therese Judge

10:00am: *Pro populo*

Monday, March 10, Feria of Lent

7:00am: Msgr. John C. Fritz, FSSP

Tuesday, March 11, Feria of Lent

6:30pm: Baldelli Family

Wednesday, March 12, Ember Wednesday in Lent

7:00am: Judge Family

Thursday, March 13, Feria in Lent

7:00am: James Ludwig

Friday, March 14, Ember Friday in Lent

6:30pm: Mass of Reparation

Saturday, March 15, Ember Saturday in Lent

8:15am: Jude Mariani

Sunday, March 16, Second Sunday of Lent

7:30am: Paul Judge

10:00am: *Pro populo*

Friday Lenten Devotions:

- 5:00pm until 5:45pm -- *Confessions*
- 6:00pm -- *Stations of the Cross*
- 6:30pm -- *Holy Mass*
- 7:00pm until 7:30pm -- *Adoration and Rosary*

Lenten Recollection: Schedule

Friday, March 14

- 5:00-5:45pm -- *Confessions*
- 6:00pm -- *Stations of the Cross*
- 6:30pm -- *Holy Mass*
- 7:15pm - 8:00pm -- *Simple supper*
- 8:00-8:30pm -- Talk: Practice of Teresian Prayer, I
- 8:30-9:00pm -- *Adoration and Confessions*

Saturday, March 15

- 7:30am -- *Holy Mass*
- 8:15am -- *Breakfast*
- 9:00-9:30am -- Talk: Practice of Teresian Prayer, II
- 9:30-10:00am -- Adoration and Confessions
- 10:00am -- Talk: Practice of Teresian Prayer, III

Lenten Almsgiving Opportunities:

Meals for Ronald McDonald House

Please join fellow parishioners in making a meal for the Ronald McDonald House at Beacon Memorial Children's Hospital! For 365 days a year, the RMH ensures meals for the families of children in the hospital, and they rely heavily on donated and cooked dinners. If you are interested in donating food and/or cooking onsite at RMH's kitchen, please go to this link for more information and to sign up: www.signupgenius.com/go/5080544A9A72CAAFA7-55448307-make

Donations for St. Augustine Food Pantry and Women's Care Center

From *now* until Easter Sunday (**April 20**), the parish will be hosting a donation drive to benefit both St. Augustine's Food Pantry and the Women's Care Center. Receptacles will be placed near the main entrance of the church and behind the pews for your convenience. Requested items include canned foods of all kinds; mac and cheese, instant potatoes; pancake mix and syrup; cereal; bar soap; toilet paper; diapers (newborn, #1, #5 and #6); Enfamil Formula (all types); new sippy-cups & baby bottles; new burp cloths; new baby linens (blankets, crib-sheets, towels, etc.); baby wash, baby shampoo and baby lotion. Thank you for your generosity!

Current Law for Abstinence:

On *all* Fridays in Lent, abstinence from meat is binding on those aged 14 and above. **This is grave matter.**

Teen Bible Study:

On Saturday, **March 15** there will be a Bible study for teens entitled, *Ten Bible Verses Every Catholic Should Know*. Bringing a Bible is recommended, but not required. We will gather for snacks and a social at 6:30pm and the talk will begin at 7:00pm; the event concludes at 9:00pm.

Feast of St. Joseph: St. Joseph Table Reception

Please join in celebrating St. Joseph on Wednesday, **March 19** by attending sung Mass at 7:00pm and the custom of the St. Joseph table after Mass in the lower level of the church.

"We should, indeed, honor St. Joseph, since the Son of God Himself was graciously pleased to honor him by calling him father... If then, the King of Kings was pleased to raise Joseph to so high a dignity, it is right and obligatory on our part to endeavor to honor him as much as we can."

--St. Alphonsus on St. Joseph

Consecration of Altar Stone: Save the Date !!

We will be marking the 125th anniversary of the First Mass on **March 25**; Bishop Rhoades will be here at 6:30pm to consecrate a new altar stone followed by solemn Mass. This is an important event, so please plan on attending!

Reception to follow.

Collections: March 2, 2025 - Total for Parish: \$ 6,835.00

- Mail-in Contributions: \$ 1,185.00
- 7:30am Mass Collection: \$ 2,276.00
- 10:00am Mass Collection: \$ 3,374.00

Attendance: March 2, 2025 - Total: 447

- 7:30am Mass: 157
- 10:00am Mass: 290

Mass Intentions:

The parish is *not* taking Mass intentions currently. If you would like the traditional Latin Mass offered for a specific intention, please contact the FSSP Seminary in Nebraska [fsspolgs.org] or the FSSP headquarters [info@fssp.com].

Parish Prayer Requests:

The parish website now features a prayer request page to submit prayer intentions. The QR code below will take you there. If you would like to receive emails indicating these intentions so that you too can participate in this spiritual work of mercy, please email Msgr. Fritz to be added to the distribution list.

