

St. John the Baptist Parish & St. Mary of the Assumption Parish

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS			March 8, 2026	Third Sunday of Lent	
Saturday	March	7	5:30 p.m.	St. John, Clyde	+Virgie Baldwin by Michael Baldwin
Sunday	March	8	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary, Clifton	All Parishioners
			10:30 a.m.	St. John, Clyde	+Ina Garrison by Roxana Marcotte
Monday	March	9	12:05 p.m.	St. John, Clyde	+Roxana Marcotte by Jeff & Jennifer Koch
Saturday	March	14	5:30 p.m.	St. John, Clyde	+Charles D. Koch by Dean & Loretta Koch
Sunday	March	15	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary, Clifton	Tim Long by Jerry & Sue Long
			10:30 a.m.	St. John, Clyde	All Parishioners

St. Mary Liturgical Assignments:

Date	Rosary	Greeters	Cross Bearer	Reader	EMHC	Servers	Gifts Bearers	Collection	Money Counters
March 8	Francis Cox	Matt Schwab family	Susan Bechard	Stephen Kieffer	Sue Long Deanne Jackson Monica Wurtz	Brad Schwab Remi Wurtz	Travis Wurtz Family	Dennis Alexander Wade Knoettgen	Jamie Rogge Kristin Oestrich
March 15	Jerry Long	Daniel & Judy Deaver	Zachary Leiszler	David Leiszler	Monica Wurtz Stephen Kieffer S. Bev. Carlin	Warric Gelino Grady Wurtz	Rocky Fahey Family	Shawn Taddiken Travis Wurtz	Matt Schwab Travis Wurtz

St. John Liturgical Assignments:

Date	Rosary	Greeters	Cross Bearer	Reader	EMHC	Servers	Gift Bearers	Money Counters
March 7	Stephanie Girard	Noel Garrison Kimberly Birdsall	Scott Seifert	Karen Leiszler	Norm Francis Noel Garrison	Cohen Girard Cooper Girard	Eric Stenberg family	
March 8	Choir	Guy & Julie Steier	Jody Sipe	Greg Askren	Jackie Askren Mary Lynn DeLude	Ryan LeClair Zach Bulleigh	Derek Sandmann family	Jeff & Jennifer Koch
March 14	Eric Stenberg	Scott & Dawn Seifert	Steve Biery	Steve Rogers	Maryclara Joyce Bernard Debes	Cohen Girard Remy Girard	Travis LeClair family	
March 15	Choir	Rusty & Becky Sikes	Greg Askren	Jackie Koch	Jody Sipe Gary Sipe	Luke Nobert Zach Bulleigh	Douglas Koch family	John & Cindy Chavey

Finance totals: St. John March 1 – Plate: \$270.00, Envelopes: \$2,640.00

St. Mary March 1 – Plate: \$151.00, Envelopes: \$1,505.00

Homebound Ministry:

Adoration at St. Mary: Tuesday, March 10 at 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Adoration at St. John: No Adoration.

Outreach Ministers for March: Circle One- Linda Brown, Jennifer Koch & Joan Bechard

Sacrament of Reconciliation: St. John - 4:15-5:15 p.m. Saturday and 30 mins before daily Mass

St. Mary - 7:45-8:15 a.m. Sunday, and 30 mins before daily Mass

Notes from the Pastor

Retreat: I will be on a silent 8-day Ignatian retreat beginning this week, March 10-17. Priests are required by canon law to make a retreat every year. (Our diocesan gatherings in Wichita do not fulfill this requirement). Fr. Kyle Berens will cover Masses the weekend of March 14-15.

Save the Date: On Saturday, April 18 from 7-9 pm, we will have a Theology by the Pint event in Clyde. This is an adult gathering (BYOB) where I will field questions about the Catholic faith. Open to all, including non-Catholics. More information to follow.

Catholicism 101: Common Plenary Indulgences

Manual of Indulgences, Other Concessions, Introduction 7. Deserving of special mention are grants pertaining to those works by any one of which the faithful can obtain a plenary indulgence each day of the year, always safeguarding Norm 18 §1, according to which a plenary indulgence can be acquired no more than once a day:

- adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for at least one half hour (grant 7 §1, 1°)
- the pious exercise of the Way of the Cross (grant 13, 2°)
- recitation of the Marian rosary or of the hymn *Akathistos*, in church or an oratory; or in a family, a religious community, or a sodality of the faithful or, in general, when several of the faithful are gathered for any good purpose (grant 17 §1, 1°, and grant 23 §1)
- the devout reading or listening to the Sacred Scriptures for at least a half an hour (grant 30)

Parish News

St. Mary Altar Society: Meeting Tuesday, March 10th at regular time, 4:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross: The Stations of the Cross is a popular Catholic devotion that commemorates the Passion and death of Jesus Christ. It consists of 14 specific events (stations) beginning with His condemnation by Pontius Pilate and ending with His burial in the tomb. By meditating on these scenes, the faithful spiritually accompany Christ on His journey to Calvary, entering into the mystery of His redemptive suffering.

Stations will be prayed at both parishes at 7 pm on most Fridays of Lent. The full schedule is available by the entry and online. CYO Stations and Fish Fry will be at St. John on March 27th.

Diocesan News

Annual Spaghetti Dinner: Join the sisters of St. Joseph at the Motherhouse in Concordia, Sunday, March 15 for a spaghetti dinner. They will be serving from 11:00 am-1:00 p.m. Early Bird tickets are \$12.00 per person or \$15.00 at the door. Children 3 and under are free. A raffle and silent auction will be held throughout the dinner. All proceeds will support the upkeep of the Motherhouse elevators.

Bishop's Annual Appeal: Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2026 Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, there is still time to participate. You can return your pledge card by mailing it to Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 1696, Salina KS 67402 or give online at: appeal.givecfds.org.

Report allegations of the abuse of a minor to the
Department of Children and Families
800.922.5330
KBI Crime Hotline
800.572.7463

If you suspect abuse of a minor by church or school personnel, in addition to contacting civil authorities, the diocese provides a confidential Hotline: 866.752.8855 ext.1067
Website: reportandprotect.com
Email: reportabuse@salinadiocese.org
Reports will be responded to promptly by the Victim Assistance Coordinator

To report an incident of sexual abuse and related misconduct by a Bishop or Religious Superior currently or in the past, the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Services provides a confidential Hotline: 800.276.1562
Website: reportbishopabuse.org

The Diocese of Salina complies with Kansas laws regarding reporting suspected abuse to civil authorities and cooperates with civil authorities investigating reports of suspected abuse by all persons, including but not limited to Church Personnel.

Questions regarding reporting should be directed the Safe Environment Office Diocese of Salina -785.827. 8746

*"God is light; and in him there is no darkness. If we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another."
1 John 1:5-7*

