



St. MARK *the* EVANGELIST

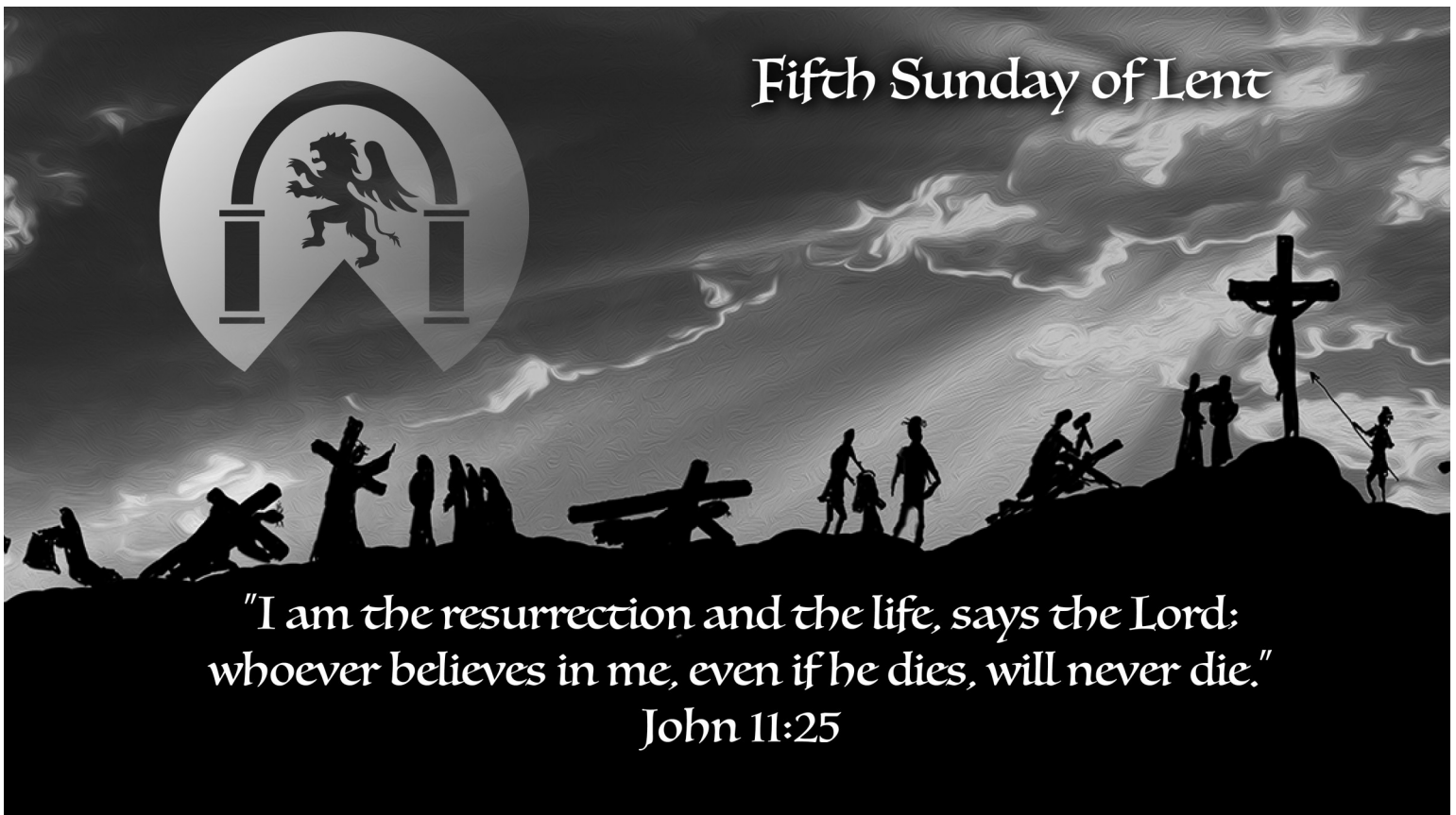
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Fifth Sunday of Lent — April 7, 2019



DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION	MASS SCRIPTURES
Sat., April 6	6:00 p.m.	+ Mary Lou Klein	Isaiah 43:16-21; Philippians 3:8-14; John 8:1-11
Sun., April 7	8:00 a.m.	People of the Parish	
	10:00 a.m.	+ Ed Albert	
Mon., April 8	8:00 a.m.	+ Alan Clupny	Daniel 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62; John 8:12-20
Tues., April 9	8:00 a.m.	+ Walt & Geraldine Faber	Numbers 21:4-9; John 8:21-30
Wed., April 10	8:00 a.m.	+ Bob Schneider	Daniel 3:14-20,91-92,95; John 8:31-42
Thurs., April 11	8:00 a.m.	Wichita Diocese Seminarians	Genesis 17:3-9; John 8:51-59
Fri., April 12	8:00 a.m.	+ John Girrens, Jr.	Jeremiah 20:10-13; John 10:31-42
Sat., April 13	6:00 p.m.	+ Ruth Heithaus	Isaiah 50:4-7; Philippians 2:6-11; Luke 22:14—23:56
Sun., April 14	8:00 a.m.	+ Doug Wiss	
	10:00 a.m.	People of the Parish	

Vespers & Stations during Lent

Each Friday during Lent there will be Stations of the Cross along with adoration and confession at 7:00 pm.

Each Sunday during Lent Vespers will be at 4:00 pm.



Parish Directory Update

We are in the process of updating contact information for all families in the parish. Please return the forms to the box on the table in the back **asap**. You may also respond by email to secretary@stmarkks.org.

Coffee & Cinnamon Rolls

The Altar Society invites all to come enjoy a fresh homemade cinnamon roll, coffee or juice and fellowship after both the 8 am and 10 am Masses - **Sunday, April 7th.**



Easter Lily Memorial

Remember loved ones with an Easter Memorial Lily. Envelopes are available in the back of church, on the table. Please fill out and return in the collection or the parish office w/ a \$15 suggested donation **by April 15.**

St. Mark's 9th Annual Easter Egg Hunt

We'll have our Easter Egg Hunt on Easter morning, **April 21st**, after the 10:00 Mass. All children are invited to bring their own Easter baskets. We will have separate hunting grounds, a 2 years & under section (in front of grotto), and a 3 years & older section (behind grotto). Instruct older children (6y+) to run past the sidewalk before beginning to hunt.



Holy Week Notes—Volunteers Needed

Liturgical volunteers are needed Holy Week. Sign up sheets are on the back table in church or you can call the parish office at 796-1604.

—**Mass times for Holy Week: Holy Thursday 7:00 pm, Good Friday 7:00 pm, Holy Saturday 8:30 pm.**

—**Stations of the Cross, Good Friday at 3:00 pm**

—**Please note there will be NO 8 am Mass on Thursday or Friday.**

—**There will be no confessions on Holy Saturday and no 6 pm Mass.**

Last Week's Stewardship of Treasure

Ordinary Parish Income	\$ 14,243.83
Extraordinary Parish Income	\$ 117.00
TOTAL	\$ 14,360.83

Thank you for your generous sacrificial giving.

ST. MARK'S CYM

Can you believe Easter is only 2 weeks away? Join us Wednesday night for some time of prayer and reflection in adoration. How has your Lent been going so far?

Looking ahead ...

April 14: CYM Mass – contact Molly to sign up!

April 17: Filling Easter Eggs followed by outdoor game

PSR Mass

We will celebrate Mass for the PSR classes on **April 10th** at about 6:40 pm. All are invited to join. Regular PSR class will resume after Mass.

Palm Sunday Procession, April 13th & 14th

The **Saturday 6 pm & Sunday 10 am Masses** on **Palm Sunday**, will begin in the parish hall for the blessing of palms and procession, providing the weather cooperates. If you are attending those Masses, plan to gather first in the hall. If you are unable to join the procession, feel free to be seated in the church and wait for the procession to arrive. The **8 am Mass** will have everything in the church, including blessing of palms.

*St. Michael the Archangel, pray for them!
Father Emil Kapaun, pray for them!*

Amn Derek Hemmen	Sgt Mark Mohr
1stLt Shane Brittain	James Strunk
Sgt John Schaffer	Andrew Klausner
Sgt Justin Flint	TSgt Pete Sevart
Cpl K. Shaun Boosinger	Cpl Andrew Nutter
E7 Jonathan Casey	Ssgt Michael Hermann
Michael J. Klausner	Michael Klausner
SSgt Wesley Mains	Lt Col Charles Timmermeyer
MAJ Shawn Mains	

May God watch over all our military personnel!

Please remember the sick in your prayers

Dolores Mies	Curt Mohr
Joe Martin	Tom Strunk
Andrew Erker	Luke Eck
Lucas Schauf	Jerry Giebler
Michael Mertes	Jan Stuart
Donald Stockemer	Mike Hurley
Pete Swingle	Ambrose Martin
Ky Heinz	Marcia Maybrier
Dylan Schneider	Carl Burrows
Cindy Seiwert	Shannon Gould
Kim Reiman	

Easter Basket Service Project

As a part of our PSR & Family of Faith program, we are collecting items for Easter baskets to send to the Catholic Charities family shelters in Wichita. If you picked up an egg, please return all donations to the parish hall by **Wednesday, April 10th**. All are invited to join us to assemble baskets on April 14th at 2 pm with a short presentation from Catholic Charities.



Safe Haven Sunday: Equipping the Family, Safeguarding Children

Our Safe Haven Sunday was a big success! St. Mark’s extends a tremendous “Thank You!” to all who made Safe Haven Sunday possible and to all parishioners for their support of the education and awareness on the issues of pornography at our Sunday celebration. Again, thanks to our parish community for your openness to the topics of internet safety and the dignity of the human person in light of the pornographic culture. Just because Safe Haven Sunday is over for this year, it doesn’t mean our efforts to make our homes safe havens is over. Stay informed at <https://cleanheart.online/diocese-wichita>

Prayer & Action 2019 - Calling high school students!

St. Mark’s will participate in this weeklong diocesan service program **June 9-14**. Cost is \$59. This is a great opportunity to serve those in need within our own diocese. Our group will be going to Sacred Heart, Ark City and joining others to clean, paint, & do out-door service. Contact Molly (402-613-9790) for details or see the parish website under “CYM” to sign up!

First Communion last Sunday

Congratulations to our 2nd graders.
 Evan Brand Grant Eck Taylor Grimes
 Claire Hein Emerson Linnens Giovanni Lopez
 Dominick Mies Charlie Mohr Chandler Rausch
 Banks Seiler Gabriel Seiwert Mabel Smarsh
 Addysen Spexarth Luke Spurlock Hailey Tunnell

THIS WEEK’S EVENTS

Saturday, April 6

8:30 am Parish Clean Up Day & Church Cleaning
 6:00 pm Youth Choir Sings

Sunday, April 7

Coffee & Cinnamon Rolls after both Masses
 4:00 pm Vespers

Monday, April 8

6:00 pm Women’s Group
 7:00 pm SMAC Practice
 12:00 pm Adoration

Tuesday, April 9

3:30 pm Children’s Choir Practice
 7:00 pm RCIA
 10:00 pm Adoration ends

Wednesday, April 10

6:30 pm PSR & Mass
 8:00 pm CYM

Thursday, April 11

11:00 am Bulletin Deadline
 4:00 pm Organ Lessons

Friday, April 12

8:30 am Change out Missalettes
 7:00 pm Stations w/ adoration & confession

Saturday, April 13

6:00 pm SMAC Sings

Sunday, April 14

9:00 am Teen Choir Practice
 10:00 am Teen Choir Sings
 2:00 pm Family of Faith Service Project
 4:00 pm Vespers


Extra Confession times for Holy Week

Wednesday, April 17th from 5:00-6:00 pm
 Thursday, April 18th after Holy Thursday Mass
 Friday, April 19th after Good Friday Liturgy

St. Mark’s Day


Mark you calendar for St. Mark’s Day on **Sunday, April 28th**. Watch the bulletin for more details.

Elijah Cup
Families Praying for Vocations
Please return the Elijah Cup to Church by Noon Saturday.



Apr 6	6 pm	Dave & Chris Seiler
Apr 7	10 am	Scott & Tiffany Wegerer family
Apr 13	6 pm	Bret & Susan Hastings family
Apr 14	10 am	Kenny & Kaye Kruse

Call Gaye Horn at 722-9601 to be scheduled for a week of prayer with the Elijah Cup.



Prayer Line

To place a prayer intention on the prayer line, please call Kathy (Mrs. Ray) Mies at 796-1909. Your intention will be sent to all who signed up for this ministry on their Stewardship form.

Fully Alive as Missionary Disciples

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. 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. 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.

Annual Quilt Party

St. Joseph Altar Society will have their Quilt Party on **Sunday, April 7th** in Conway Springs. 21 handmade quilts. Refreshments start at 12:30, games begin at 2 pm.

Colwich/St. Mark's Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

The Knights will have a Fish Fry **Friday, April 12th**; 4-7 pm at Sacred Heart Hall, Colwich. Free will Donation.

Daily Server Schedule

A new schedule is posted for daily servers May thru July. View the parish website under **News & Ministry Schedules** for a list of when your son is scheduled to serve.



Spiritual Life Center Programs

For more information or to register, please call 744-0167 or Visit www.slw Wichita.org

Abiding in the Word: Lenten Lunchtime Series;

Thursdays of Lent; noon-12:45 p.m. Fr. Tom Hoisington will lead participants through a study of the upcoming Sunday's scriptures. The program includes lunch at the Center, presentation and discussion. The program ends in time for folks to get back to work after their lunch hour. \$10.

Stations of the Cross by Torchlight: Friday, April 12; 8:30 pm. Join this special torchlight procession of our outdoor stations as we usher in Holy Week. Bring your own flashlight and dress appropriately to be outside. No charge.

Palm Sunday Retreat: At the Cross, Her Station Keeping; April 12-14, 2019; Our annual Palm Sunday retreats will take participants on a spiritual journey with Christ and Mary through the Stations of the Cross. The retreat includes a procession through the Outdoor Stations, spiritual talks by Fr. Josh Evans, Fr. Chad Arnold, and Fr. Ken VanHaverbeke, and plenty of time for prayer and reflection. Saturday evening features an "Evening of Reflection" concert with local musicians Sarah and Josh Holthusen. Enter into Holy Week on this beautiful weekend retreat. Early bird rates end April 1. Register soon to secure your spot!

Lenten Mediations: An Evening of Music & Prayer; Saturday, April 13; 7-8:30 pm. Part of our Palm Sunday Retreat, welcome musicians Sarah and Josh Holthusen for a beautiful concert as we enter into Holy Week. Evening includes music, prayer, refreshments, and quiet time to end the evening. \$15 if not attending the Palm Sunday Retreat.

Liturgical Roles for April 13th & April 14th

	Saturday 6:00 p.m.	Sunday 8:00 a.m.	Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Acolyte or MC	Beau Kerschen	Ben Purvis	CYM
Altar Servers	Michael Braaten Matthew Braaten	Cal Purvis Hank Purvis	Laine Graf Pius Graf
Lector	Steve Patton, Steve Toman	Brian McCoy, Bonnie Sheahon	CYM
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Sacred Host: Gavin Seiler	Sacred Host: Connie Wiss	Sacred Host: CYM Precious Blood: Gary Dick, Pat Newby
Offertory	Patrick & Shannon Simon	Derek & Crystal Grimes	CYM
Head Usher	Rich Harris	Michael Schmidt	Ethan Weber
Ushers/Greeters	George Kreidler Lois Kreidler Alan Lubbers	Steve Sheahon Luke Schmidt Sydney Schmidt	CYM
Musicians	SMAC	Scotney Reichenberger Sara & Kathy Myers, Ruth May	Teen Choir
Rosary	Brenda Eck	Ray & Kathy Mies	CYM

Daily Servers Ben Patton
April 8 - April 12 Elijah Pavelski

Daily Servers Hank Purvis
April 15 - April 19 Cal Purvis
Only Apr. 15-17

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO BE AT YOUR DESIGNATED MASS, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH SOMEONE ELSE.