

April 2, 2023

Day by Day

Three things I pray:

TO SEE

Thee more clearly;

LOVE

Thee more dearly;

FOLLOW

Thee more nearly.



FIRST LOOK • Parish Events this Week

SUNDAY, APRIL 2 ~ PALM SUNDAY

10:30 am	Journey to Emmaus (LC John)
1:00 pm	Into Life Series (LC Fr. McGivney)
5:00 pm	Junior High Mass & Night (LC John)
5:00 pm	fiat Mass & Night (Lehner Center)
6:00 pm	Women's Renewal Meeting (LC Luke)
6:30 pm	Lent Communal Penance (Church)
6:30 pm	Cub Scout Leader Mtg. (LC Matthew)

MONDAY, APRIL 3

9:00 am	Eucharistic Adoration (Chapel)
10:00 am	Baby Bible Time (Family Room)
4:00 pm	PB&J Brigade (Hilkert 4)
5:00 pm	Mercy Monday (CWM Building)
5:30 pm	Mental Health Ministry (Mother Teresa)
6:15 pm	Women's AA Meeting (LC John)
7:00 pm	Athletic Boosters' Meeting (LC Matthew)

7:00 pm The Search Series (Virtual)
7:00 pm Into Life Series (LC Fr. McGivney)

7:30 pm Benediction (Chapel)

TUESDAY, APRIL 4

9:00 am	GriefShare Group (LC Fr. McGivney)
12:00 pm	The Search Series (Virtual)
2:00 pm	Catholic Charities (LC Matthew)
4:00 pm	PB&J Brigade (Hilkert 4)
6:00 pm	Divorce Care 4 Kids (LC Luke)
6:00 pm	Legion of Mary Lent Rosary (Family Room)
7:00 pm	Living Word Ministry Meeting (Chapel)
7:00 pm	Living Your Strengths (John Paul II)
7:00 pm	Quilting & Sewing (PLC Work Room)
9:00 pm	Men's Rec Basketball (Hilkert Gym)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

10:00 am	Into Life Series (John Paul II)
12:00 pm	If My People Pray Service (Church)
1:00 pm	AFF Book Club (LC Fr. McGivney)
4:00 pm	PB&J Brigade (Hilkert 4)

4:30 pm Women's Guild Board Meeting (LC Fr.

McGivney)

6:00 pm Cancer Support Group (Mother Teresa)

6:30 pm Into Life Series (Virtual)

6:30 pm Healing Hearts Meeting (LC Luke)
7:00 pm The Search Series (Mother Teresa)
7:00 pm GriefShare Group (LC Fr. McGivney)

THURSDAY, APRIL 6 ~ HOLY THURSDAY

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PB&J Brigade (Mother Teresa)
Sitting with Scripture (Virtual)
Boy Scout Meeting (Hilkert 1-3)
Men's Rec Basketball (Hilkert Gym)

FRIDAY, APRIL 7 ~ GOOD FRIDAY

12:00 pm	Stations of the Cross (Church)
4:30 pm	Parish Fish Fry (Hilkert Hall)
6:30 pm	Divorce Care (LC Mark)
8:00 pm	fiat Living Stations (Church)

SATURDAY, APRIL 8 ~ HOLY SATURDAY

8:30 am Women's AA Meeting (LC Fr. McGivney)1:00 pm Easter Food Basket Blessing (Church)1:30 pm Easter Egg Hunt (Parish Grounds)

Event details at StAmbrose.us/Events.

Holy Week Schedule

April 6: Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:30 pm Adoration at the Grotto: 8:30 pm - midnight Night Prayer: 10:30 pm

Adoration in the Church: midnight - 8:00 am

April 7: Good Friday

Morning Prayer: 8:15 am
Stations of the Cross: 12:00 pm
Passion of the Lord Mass: 3:00 pm
fiat Living Stations: 8:00 pm

April 8: Holy Saturday

Morning Prayer: 8:15 am

Easter Food Basket Blessing: 1:00 pm

Easter Egg Hunt: 1:30 pm - RSVP at StAmbrose.us/Easter

Easter Vigil 8:30 pm

Day by Day

Easter Sunday April 9, 2023

Sunrise Service in the Church 6:15 am

Easter Sunday Masses

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, and 12:00 pm in the church. 9:00 am and 10:30 am also in Hilkert Hall.

All Masses will also be live streamed.





PARISH NEWS • Letter from our Pastor

- ..."Morning after morning, he opens my ear that I may hear; and I have not rebelled, have not turned back. I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard; my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting. The Lord GOD is my help, therefore I am not disgraced; I have set my face like flint, knowing that I shall not be put to shame." The prophet Isaiah, in our first reading on this Palm Sunday, reminds us why we should make our Lent prayer – our daily prayer. Day by day - morning by morning - may we see (and hear) God more clearly; love God more dearly; and, follow God more nearly - day by day. Imagine if we 'set our face like flint' on making this our prayer and our effort throughout Holy Week and every day of our lives.
- ...Welcome to Holy Week. We remember and celebrate the Saving Deeds of Jesus Christ. It needs to be, for all of us, a holy week where we turn to the Lord in prayer and **reflection.** Jesus comes as our Savior to set us free and to show us the way home. We need our Savior. We need to find our way and to give ourselves the freedom to walk day by day, step by step, choice by choice, in the ways of the Lord. Today's bulletin lists all the service for Holy Week and Easter. Challenge yourself to set some time aside for prayer and worship - for the Lord. As we recount the immense sacrifices of Jesus for us, how can we make sacrifice for the Lord???
- ...If you are reading this online before Palm Sunday, we invite all of our members to wear red as a reminder of the intense, immense love of God in Jesus Christ. As we proclaim the Passion, we are mindful of Jesus' passionate love and commitment to His faith and to us. How can our lives reflect and radiate our passionate commitment to the Lord? Please take some blessed palm branches home to remember the saving deeds of Jesus. Please take an extra bulletin for a family member or neighbor.
- ...Also for our online readers, **Passiontide is this Saturday, April 1, 2023 at 6 pm.** Come and share in a special evening of music and song that helps us remember the journey of Christ and the meaning of Holy Week.
- ...Jesus is the Font of Mercy and Forgiveness. The last opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) during Lent is this Sunday, Palm Sunday, at 6 pm. Many priests will be available for the individual celebration of the Sacrament.

- ...This week we journey with 18 adults and 7 children who will come into the Family of God and our Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. They are excited, eager and mostly humbled by the mighty things God is doing in their lives. Please pray for them and join them next Saturday evening at 8:45 pm as we enter into the Easter Vigil. It starts with the lighting of the Easter fire to remind us that Christ comes to be our light, to shatter the darkness and show us the way. Please pray for those called and chosen by God. They are also a great sign to us that God's Spirit is a live and strong in our community. God bless our Elect and Candidates!
- ...This Monday evening our sixth graders and their families are blessed to share in a Seder Meal. It reflects and is modeled after the traditional Passover meal. It's a wonderful experience to make connections between our Jewish roots and the fulfillment of the covenant in Jesus Christ. There are some spots available if you would like to join in. Contact Janet Majka for information (jmajka@Stambrose.us).
- ...All of our liturgical ministers and their families are invited to come together for dinner on Holy Thursday at 6 pm. As we prepare to renew our commitment to serve at the Table of the Lord at the Mass of the Lord's Supper, it's a wonderful opportunity for us to come together as family and parish family to remember this most holy night. For questions or RSVP, please contact Helen Lanzarotta (hlanzarotta@StAmbrose.us).
- ...Just a reminder, on Holy Thursday we will return to the practice of offering the Precious Blood at our weekend Masses. Many thanks to all who have offered to serve as Eucharistic Ministers so this can happen again for our community. We will need you. Contact Vita if you are interested (vschmidt@StAmbrose.us).
- ...Many thanks to all who have offered to assist in decorating the Church for Holy Week and Easter along with helping to clean. Many hands make for light work. **We can still use you.** Contact Helen for all the details (hlanzarotta@ StAmbrose.us).
- ...This coming Friday brings to a close our Lent Fish Fry. We've had a great year and even more, are blessed with an amazing team. Over and again, so many have commented on the flavorful food and even more, the friendliness and good spirit that has filled Hilkert Hall. Please join us this Friday from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm -- eat in or carry out. See the special insert in today's bulletin about a special opportunity for our final

fish fry.

- ...At the Fish Fry, and over the weekend, our Women's Guild will be selling nut and poppyseed rolls. They are truly delicious homemade fresh!!! God bless our Guild. Please support them and enjoy a very tasty treat.
- ...Come next Saturday for the Easter Basket Blessing at 1 pm. It's a wonderful family tradition. Afterward, we have an amazing Easter Egg Hunt (and so much more) for all the kids and grandkids. Please invite your family, neighbors and friends. It's a great way to bring people together at Saint Ambrose. See today's bulletin for all the details or check out our website: www. StAmbrose.us/Easter.
- ...Please keep Fr. Bill Krizner, pastor of St. Colette, in your prayers. He is dealing with some very serious health concerns. Let's surround him and the parish community with our prayers.
- ... As we bring to a close the season of **Lent, how did you do??** Did you take the one percent challenge (14 minutes and 24 seconds a day)? Whatever you discerned to do for these forty days... has it helped, worked?? Have you 'set your face light flint' and remained focused and faithful??? Even more, how can you use this most Holy Week to make time for the Lord. Especially on Thursday evening, we will gather in Vigil and prayer through the course of the night. Our Vigil will be in the courtyard. Like those early followers of Jesus, can we 'remain here' in prayer with the Lord?
- ...Personal invitations make all the difference. Your personal invitation to family and friends to join you for Holy Week and Easter might be the needed spark to bring family and friends with you when we gather in prayer and remember the saving deeds of Jesus and the joy and hope of the Risen Christ. Please extend a personal invitation. You will actually be giving your friends and family a great gift the gift of the Lord.
- ...Monday is the last day to offer Easter Flowers in memory of loved ones. You can go online to add their name/intention to the Memorial List. Go to: www.StAmbrose.us/Flowers.
- ...God bless you and your loved ones abundantly. **May these days be filled with God's grace and blessing.** Every day we walk with the Lord. Especially this holy week, we go day by day, step by step, choice by choice in the Ways of the Lord.

INTENTIONS • Remembrance & Gratitude

Masses & Services

Schedule & Intentions

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday: 8:15 am

Thursday: 5:30 pm

Saturday: 4:30 pm and 8:15 am (Mass on the 1st Saturday of the month, Prayer Service in the Chapel on the other Saturdays) **Sunday:** 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm, and 5:00 pm

Sunday, April 2 Palr	n Sunday
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7:30 am	† Mary Yaro (Chris Kucera)	RS
9:00 am	† Shirley Walz (Bob & Patrice Downs)	RS
10:30 am	† David Oster (Pam & Dave Adams)	AH
12:00 pm	† Baby Timothy Lloyd (Grandparents)	AH
5:00 pm	† Mr. & Mrs. Talpain (George & Ruth Carol)	RS

Monday, April 3

8:15 am † Dennis Luna (Helen Lanzarotta)5:30 pm Prayer Service in the Chapel

Tuesday, April 4

8:15 am Prayer Service in the Church

Wednesday, April 5

8:15 am † David Stevenson (Family)

Thursday, April 6 | Holy Thursday

8:15 am Prayer Service in the Church7:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

10:30 pm Night Prayer Service in the Church

Friday, April 7 | Good Friday

8:15 am † Victor A. Pacewic (Mary Ann Riess)
3:00 pm Passion of the Lord Mass in the Church

Saturday, April 8 | Holy Saturday

8:15 am Prayer Service in the Chapel

8:30 pm † Barbara Mary Harpster (John & Laurie RS & AH

Stolarczyk)

Sunday, April 9 | Easter Sunday

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6:15 am	† Joseph & Valaria Swec (Jeff & Diane Ch	napman) AH
7:30 am	† Geraldine Caruso (Daughter)	RS
9:00 am	† Deceased Members of the Luna &	RS (Church)
	Lanzarotta Families (Benjamin Family)	
9:00 am	† Gregory Crane (St. Ambrose Ushers)	AH (Hilkert)
10:30 am	† Carmen & Florence Ravo (Pillatt	AH (Church)
	Family)	
10:30 am	† Richard Raspante (Mary Ann	RS (Hilkert)
	Passalacqua)	
12:00 pm	† Thomas Chase (Family)	RS

Confession & Home Visits

Call the PLC Office at 330.460.7300 to schedule.

Week of March 26, 2023

	Mar. 26, 2023	Jul. 1, 2022 to Mar. 26, 2023	Jul. 1, 2021 to Mar. 27, 2022
Sunday Collection	\$ 28,117	\$ 1,601,344	\$ 1,495,100
Amount Needed	\$ (39,000)	\$ (1,521,000)	
Over / (Under)	\$ (10,883)	\$ 80,344	
Building Fund	\$ 1,640	\$ 53,678	\$ 64,858
ACH Collection	\$ 4,000 (weekly)		
Online Sunday Collection	\$ 625		
Children's Envelopes	\$ 253 from 40 envelopes collected		

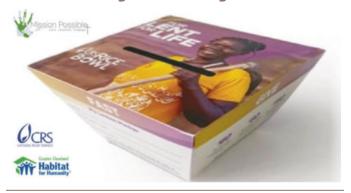
Generations of Faith | Campaign Update

Total Pledged:	\$ 4,653,451.29
Total # of Gifts:	819
Deposits (week of Mar. 23):	\$ 925.00
Total Collected to Date:	\$ 4,143,836.28

Ways to Support Our Parish

- Automatic giving (for more information, contact Lynn Rogers at LRogers@StAmbrose.us).
- Online at StAmbrose.us/Donate.
- **By mail** (donations can be mailed to Saint Ambrose Parish, 929 Pearl Road, Brunswick, OH 44212).
- Drop your collection envelope in the baskets at the doors of the Church or at the Parish Office or in the secured mailbox.

Don't forget to turn in your Mission Rice Bowls because your "small change makes a big difference!"



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Monday, from 9:00 am to 7:30 pm, Chapel. Drop by or sign up at StAmbrose.us/Adoration.

Benediction

Every Monday, at 7:30 pm, Chapel.



LIFTING ONE ANOTHER • Prayers & Support

We Pray for Our Sick

Angie	Marie Ceslewski	Dan Ginley	Jess Lahl	Ed Plitt	Lori Uhler
Josephine	Jeffrey Conrad	Kristen Jindra	Knox Lette	Kathleen Pillatt	Mark Vozar
Josh	Maureen Conway	Sophia Maria Jindra	Phyllis Marinelli	Mary Ann Riess	Kent Walter
Russ	Ken Daubert	Mary Keaton	Matt McFadden	Marge Sabbados	Russell Wolanin
Ruthie	Diane Davenport	Rosemary Kemper	Rita Miczak	Gertrude Schmidt	Karen Zabrocki
Kari Ballish	Francis DeLorm	Barbara Kioarski	Louise Mould	Joseph Schmidt	
Ted Beba	Kathleen Duncan	Agnes Knox	John & Faith Nelson	Bradley Sieber	
Pixie Blake	Holdigard Fanslau	Matt Koko	Joe Neura	Nash Taylor	
Melissa Boey	Barb Ferris	Dolores Kozlowski	Bob & Karen Pencek	Gloria & Dave Tews	
Bernie Carpico	Micah Galuzny	Theresa Krakora	Judy Peskura	Kristina Thorn	
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We Lift Up Those Battling Cancer -

Noah	Rosie Colucci	Edward Gaus	Bob Klaehn	Helen Mancuso	Kim Saffle
Todd	Megan Dauer	Beth Gerding	Daniel Klamert	Lisa Mayfeld	Andy Stamper
Erin Alan	Steven Dearth	Mike Ginley	David Klem, Jr.	Mick McGinnis	Jen Stancato
Kimberly Ball	Barb Dick	Robert Hirus	Joy Kowalski	Sandy Metzer	Angelo Stavole
Jane Bast	Roger Droll	David Hoffman	Joan Krall	Edward Morey	Evelyn Sukey
Fred Beba	Kristen Eble	Mark Hogan	Kathy Kunkler	Tina Mounts	Jackie Symons
Paula Berghauser	Mary Ferritti	Melanie J	Joyce Lancaster	Barb Nofel	Barbara Tescar
Melissa Boring	Barbara Fiala	Bridgitte Jones	J.D. Languth	Eric Reeder	Dominic Trizio
Debbie Burrell	Jackie Fielding	Adraine Jungbluth	Dolores Lauerhahs	Allyson Reynes	Jenny Vasel
Rosanna Buttazzoni	Barbara Fischer	Clara Kalal	Jennifer Lazar	Cathy Ricciuto	Joanne Walsh
Gail Buttitta	Noah Forlini-Kotlarek	Mike Kalka	Terri Leitter	Corinne Rickabaugh	Mary Jo Weihrouch
Nora Carangio	Joseph Fuizzotti	Desh Kapur	Carol Lersch	Karen Ryan	Gary Zayas, Sr.
Charlotte Casselbary	Robert Gallik	Kim Kasicky	Dan Lewanski	Gene S.	
Mary Cipollone	Vince Gassi	Kathy Keglovich	Richard Malone	Toni S.	

To have your loved one's name added to a prayer list, or to change the status of your loved one, email Bulletin@StAmbrose.us. We try to keep prayer lists as up-to-date as possible, **if you notice a name has been removed from a list but should be re-added, please email us this request.**

Gratitude to Our Members in the Armed Forces

CPT	Joseph Tobin Adams, Marine Corps	PO	Rob Hartman, Navy	LCPL	Christian Nowak, Marine Corps
MN3	Garret Anderson, Navy	ICE2	Walter J. Hicho, Navy	SSGT	Matthew Pyzik, Air Force
SPCL	Andrew Bajusz, National Guard	CPT	Keith Holcomb, Air Force	LCPL	Lukas Robison, Marine Corps
SSGT	Kurt J. Becka, Air Force	E2A	Kileo Huntington, National Guard	PO	Elora Romero, Navy
LCPL	Cade Bonds, Marine Corps	IT3	Jeffrey M. Jones, Navy	SPC	Carsten Safran, Army
A1C	Tigan Braskie, Air Force	SSGT	Charles J. Kalemba, Air Force	AVCM	Christopher J. Schornik, Navy
PFC	Brian S. Buck, Army	LTCOL	Brad Klusmann, Marine Corps	LTG	Stephen Sklenka, Marine Corps
LCPL	Morgan J. Butas, Marine Corps	LTJG	Shaun Krall, Navy	PVT	Alex Skoczen, National Guard
ET	Simon Claypool, Marine Corps	SGT	Jacob E. LeRoy, Army	PVT	Xavier Skoczen, National Guard
SSG	Michael Duniec, Air Force	WO1	Zachary J. Leuhsler, Marine Corps	CDR	Philip J. Starcovic, Navy
LT	Dr. Ryan Fashempour, Navy	CPL	Nicholas Levitsky, Marine Corps	MIDN	Mollie Stracensky, Navy
PFC	Tyler Faught, Army	LTCOL	Leonard Livingston, Air Force	SrA	Nathaniel Taylor, Air Force
SPC	Matthew Fischer, National Guard	LTCOL	Theresa Livingston, Air Force	CPT	Zachary Taylor, Marine Corps
A1C	Brandon Gazso, Air Force	PFC	Alex Lowry, Army	SrA	William Wiener, Air Force
LT	Serena Gerfy, Navy	MAJ	James Maskovyak, Army	SrA	Paige Zoltowski, Air Force
MIDN	John Ham, Navy	SPC	William Mortensen, Army		

Email Bulletin@StAmbrose.us your loved one's name, rank, and branch of service so that your parish family can pray for them.

Saint Ambrose Military Messages Ministry

Our Military Messages Ministry invites you to consider becoming a **Prayer Warrior**, **Military Messenger**, **or to give support** for postage, stationery, yellow ribbons, Easter lilies, and more. Visit StAmbrose.us/Military to learn more.

A HOME FOR ALL • We Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart

Liturgy Corner

Holy Thursday

Holy Thursday is possibly one of the most important, complex, and reflective days of celebration in our Catholic faith.

Holy Thursday commemorates the Last Supper of Jesus Christ when he established the sacrament of Holy Communion and institution of the sacrament of the priesthood. This year, we will have some of our 2nd graders who will be coming to the Table of the Lord for the first time; to 'dress' the altar to prepare for the Mass of the Lord's Supper. We will also have our priest wash the feet of our RCIA elect, symbolizing the 12 disciples.



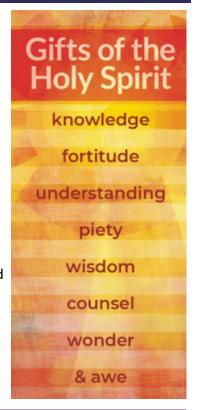
On the night of Holy Thursday, Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place where those who believe in Christ, remain in the presence of the Eucharist just like the Disciples, who kept a vigil with Christ. After the Mass, the altar is stripped, the holy water fonts are emptied, and the Blessed Sacrament is carried through a procession to the Courtyard where one can spend quiet time with Jesus. At 10:30 pm, join us for Nighttime Prayer; the Blessed Sacrament will be reposed in the Church from 12:00 am - 8:00 am where Adoration continues. On this night when Jesus gives us the greatest gift he could possibly give, the gift of himself in the Holy Eucharist, let us be grateful for this fruit. Let us give ourselves to him, raising our lives, with his, to the Father.



Healing Prayer Ministry

Upcoming Meeting
As we continue on our
Lenten journey, turn
your hearts ever more
toward God and His
word! Join the Living Word
Healing Prayer Ministry on
Tuesday, April 4, at 7:00
pm in the Chapel as we lift
up our hearts and voices in
praise, worship, sharing, and
healing prayer. Bring your
Bible and allow the Spirit to
touch your life.

Come, Holy Spirit, touch our lives through Your Word!





Women's Poppy Seed & Nut Rolls Annual Sale



LAST CHANCE!!!

A limited supply of poppy seed and nut rolls, along with Penny's Easter Candy, will be available for purchase at the Fish Fry on April 7 and in Hilkert Hall following the morning Masses on Palm Sunday.

\$15 per roll

All orders that were placed online prior to March 15 will be available for pick up after morning Masses on Palm Sunday .

For questions, please call Laurie Zarefoss, Women's Guild president, at 330.220.4596.

Thank you for supporting the Women's Guild.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE • We Engage and Empower Others



FOR OUR SENIORS Upcoming Events

StAmbrose.us/Seniors Weekly Yoga is held in Mother Teresa (unless otherwise specified) on Wednesdays at 9:00 am.

Holy Week Time Off

Preparing for the Resurrection

We are taking some time off during Holy Week to focus on the last days leading up to Easter. Please note the following schedule adjustments:

- Wednesday, April 5 no Yoga
- Wednesday, April 5 no Coffee & Donut Social
- Thursday, April 6 no Tai Chi

We encourage everyone to "Enter In" to these days and take advantage of the many other offerings here at Saint Ambrose.

Be ready to bring the joy of the Resurrection (and a side dish or dessert!) with you on April 13 when we return to celebrate a very special potluck social. Visit StAmbrose.us/Event/Route-66-Festive-Festival for more information and to register.



If My People Pray...

Prayer Service for Our Nation

Are you discouraged by the news, division, and chaos taking place in our great country? It is not hopeless because God gives us the answer, "If My people humble themselves and pray, I will revive their land." Join us on **April 5 in the church at 12:00 pm** to pray for the United States. We will pray a Patriotic Rosary, the Litany of Saints, and spend time in quiet reflection. All are welcome.

Our nation depends on us and our prayers.

Cancer Support and Prayers Open to All

We pray, especially during this season of Lent, and read Scripture to remind us that we are not alone and can find joy and peace in our lives. During our meetings, we open our hearts, provide support, and include all affected by illness and those who could not be with us in our prayers.

Come to our next meeting on **April 5, at 6:00 pm in the Mother Teresa room** to join us to eat
nutritious foods and talk about our medical
updates. We get together because cancer has
touched our lives in some form or another.

For more information, contact Terri at 216.990.0082 or Miriam at 330.225.9005.

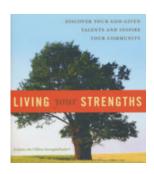


Living Your Strengths

Couples...Learn Your Strengths!

Join us April 30 and May 7 in the John Paul II room at 7:00 pm and better understand your relationship by learning what is BEST in each other. It is geared toward better understanding your husband, wife, boyfriend, or girlfriend. If you or your partner have already taken Living Your Strengths and want to return for more insight, we welcome you back!

Space is limited and an online assessment needs to be completed prior to the first class meeting. Register by April 19 at St.Ambrose.us/Couples-Living-Your-Strengths.



SAINT AMBROSE SCHOOL • On the Move!

Dear Parish Family,

Welcome Back!

We are excited to welcome our students, faculty, and staff back to campus from spring break tomorrow, April 3! We hope that everyone had a restful week with their families for spring break!

The Holy Spirit is Alive and Working in the Hearts of Our Angels! A few examples:

- One of the first grade students came to show me the picture he made with sadness for Jesus after listening to the song "Reckless Love."
- Our eighth grade students received a surprise visit from three of their Damascus counselors when they were there in seventh grade. Their faith was reignited and they were joyful and refreshed after their time with the counselors.
- Regularly, sixth and seventh grade students lead our dismissal prayer. Eighth grade students are now helping, too.
- Our Senior Buddies are being blessed by our students, and our students are being blessed by them. This last week, Mrs. Nerlich's class received a special thank you from their Senior Buddy. Each student received an "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" pen and notepad with continued prayers. Mrs. Nerlich writes, "You have all been my angels this year."

These are just a few of so many examples of the life within our school. Thank you God for the work you are doing for our students!

Summer Camp Registration is Open!

All are welcome to join us for summer camp! We have a preschool-grade K summer camp at our LAPS campus and a camp for children going into grades 1-8 at our main campus. Join us for the week, or the entire summer! For more information and to register, visit www.SaintAmbroseSchool.us/summer-camp. These summer camps are open to the community and to the public! Sign up before May 1 to receive preferred scheduling and dates!

Blessings, Lisa Cinadr, *Principal*







Now Hiring for Summer 2023 & the 2023-2024 School Year

Saint Ambrose Catholic School is seeking the most ideal candidates to fill the following positions:

- 4th and 5th Grade Math / 5th Grade Religion Teacher.
 Candidates for this full-time position must hold appropriate State of Ohio licensure.
- **Campus Minister** to serve grades 6-8. Work with and lead students to a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ. This is a full-time position.
- **Middle School Religion Teacher**. This position requires a dynamic and faith-filled teacher to work with and lead students. Candidates must hold appropriate State of Ohio licensure.
- Institutional Advancement Staff Member. This position reports to the Director of Institutional Advancement and works on projects related to marketing, events, social media, and writing. Candidates should be energetic and have a flexible schedule with weekend and evening availability.
- **Cafeteria Manager**. This position oversees the total operation of the school lunch program. The shift is 6.25 hours, Monday-Friday.
- **Summer Camp Counselors.** These positions are part-time and seasonal for this summer.

All positions require VIRTUS training and background checks on candidates.

Please email a cover letter, resume or curriculum vitae, and three references to Lisa Cinadr at LCinadr@StASchool.us.

PSR & MORE • We Inspire with Prayer and Worship

Parish School of Religion

Wonderful Welcomes

We are looking forward to welcoming two children, **Mateo F. and George Z.**, to the Table of the Lord on Holy Thursday. May this be the first of many times they will receive the most Holy Sacrament.

Additionally, the following five children will be celebrating the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil: **Anthony C., Lucas H., Roula K., Genevieve L., and Cain S.** May we continue to lift them up in our prayers and ask the Holy Spirit to continuing working in their hearts as they come to know Him more deeply.

Junior High Faith

Our junior high students participated in a Holy Week retreat-style session last week walking through each day of the week. Thank you to our junior high core team for preparing, leading, and engaging our students as they prepare their hearts for the Resurrection of Jesus Christ on Easter.



April Reminders Classes will resume on Wednesday, April 12 and Monday, April 17.





HERE FOR YOU • We Serve with the Compassion of Christ

Give Alms During Holy Week

Food Collection

Mark your calendar for **April 3,** our next Mercy Monday collection. From **5:00 pm - 6:30 pm**,

please drop items off by pulling your vehicle under the **Catholic Works of Mercy carport.** Specific items we are in need of for April are boxed Tuna Helper, jars of peanut butter and jelly, boxed instant potatoes, and 64 ounce

Volunteer Opportunity

bottles of apple juice.

"See the need, fill the need!"
We encourage you to use your Godgiven gifts to serve your parish
community! Here is a great way for you to
"fill the need.."

Peace, Love & Prom volunteers are needed! We will be having a prom event for our special-needs guests on April 22. We need many volunteers to make this magical night a success. Visit StAmbrose. us/Peace-Love-Prom for a list of the many ways you can help and to sign up! Or, contact Gabby Moss at GYatson@ StAmbrose.us for more information on how you can volunteer.

God bless you for your goodness!





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Ladies First

Sing of Mary!

Prepare for May Crowning month through music! We will sing Marian songs and discuss the history behind them. Gather with other ladies to enjoy faith, fellowship, and food on April 25, in the Mother Teresa room, at 6:45 pm. Be sure to RSVP for this wonderful time by emailing mathdenmom@aol.com by April 18.

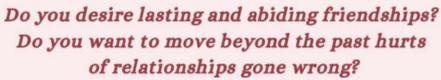


Saint Ambrose Women's Ministry invites you to

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Monday April 24th 7:15 pm to 9:00 pm

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Join Women's Ministry as we explore what it takes to stay close in friendships for the long haul.

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A Special Invite for Women

Women's Welcome Renewal Weekend

Join us on **April 29 and 30** for a weekend of spiritual growth, sharing of faith, joyful fellowship, and a quiet sense of reflection. This opportunity is **FREE** and will focus on enhancing and renewing you by:

- Deepening your understanding of the Christian faith.
- Developing positive relationships with other women with fellowship and trust.
- Reflecting on your own personal needs in a private peaceful atmosphere.

The retreat will be held at Saint Ambrose Parish. For more information, contact Donna Busser at 440.463.3226 or auntdonna1@me.com or Nicole Razek at 330.461.3757 or

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Anniversaries

Best wishes to...

Rick and Lisette Mohos who celebrated 25 years of marriage on March 28!

"Let us love, since that is what our hearts were made for."

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Let's Celebrate Them!

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Please submit your milestone at StAmbrose.us/Milestones.





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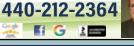
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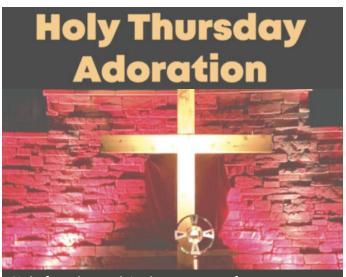
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