

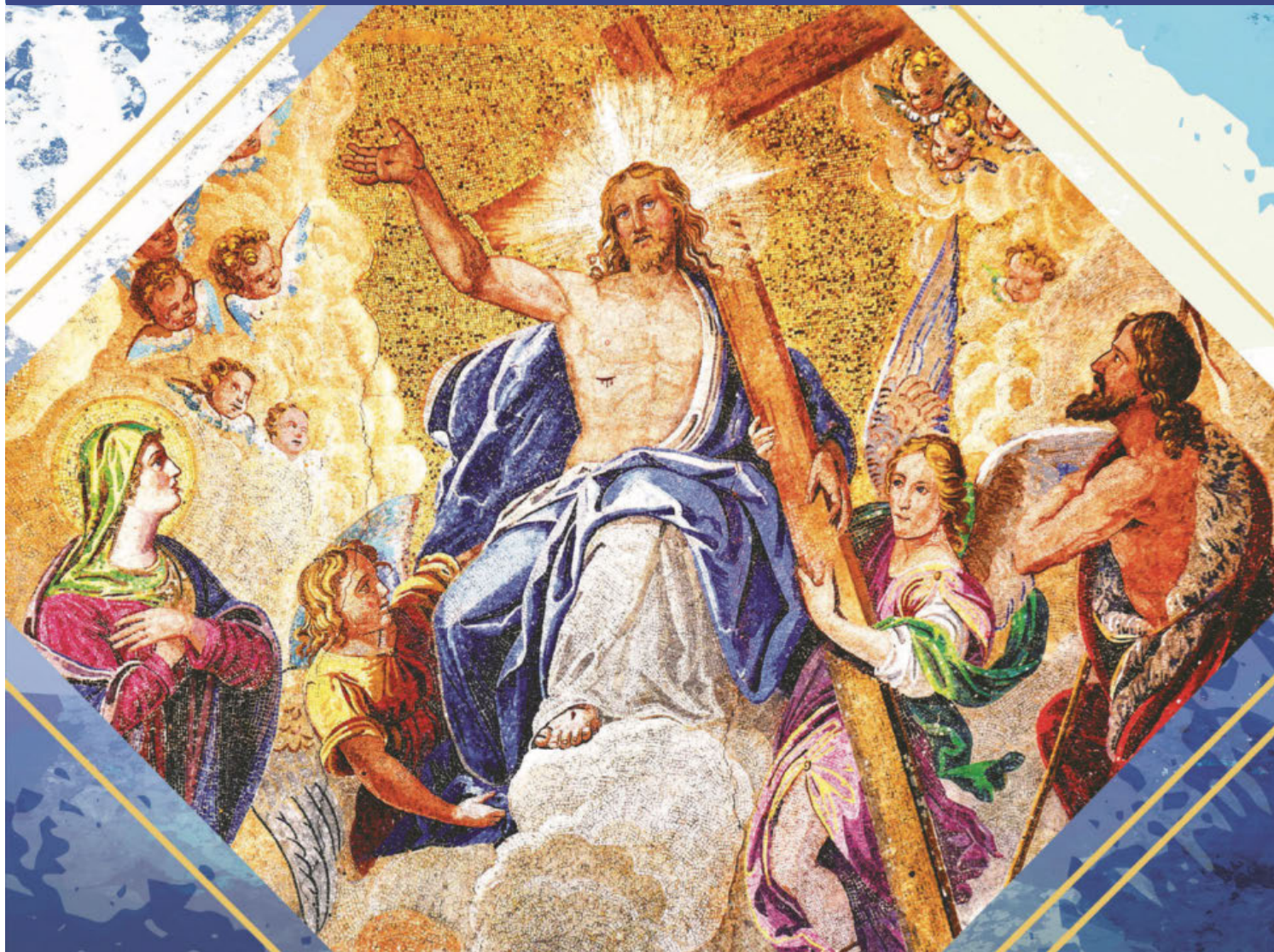
Welcome to the Catholic Churches of
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St. Timothy's & Our Lady of Grace**

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MARCH 17TH: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



Dear Friends,

Welcome to Passiontide, the last two weeks of Lent. These are the weeks when our fasting becomes the most intensive as we prepare for Holy Week. It is in this period that crosses and other statues in church are traditionally covered as we visually fast from their beauty prior to Holy Week.

The Diocesan Chrism Mass will be held on Friday, March 22nd at 7:00 PM at St. Ambrose Cathedral. It is at this Mass that the Bishop blesses the Holy Oils for the coming year. All are welcome to attend.

The final fish fry in Atlantic will be this Friday. Thanks to the Knights for their work throughout Lent and thanks to all who have supported them!

In the Lord, *Fr. Trevor*

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SS Peter & Paul—Atlantic; St. Mary's—Anita; St. Timothy's—Reno/Cumberland; Our Lady of Grace—Griswold

LITURGY AND SACRAMENTS

Confession: SSPP: Tuesday 4:15–5:00 PM; Saturday 9:30–10:00 AM & Saturday 4:30–5:00 PM

Our Lady of Grace: Saturday 3:00–3:30 PM; **St. Timothy's:** Sunday 7:00–7:30 AM; **St. Mary's:** Sunday 7:30–8:00 AM

Adoration: SSPP: Tuesday 4:15–5:15 PM First Friday 7:45–8:45 AM

Weekend Masses: **Saturday:** OLG 4:00 PM; SSPP 5:30 PM; **Sunday:** ST 8:00 AM; SM 8:30 AM; SSPP 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses: SSPP: Monday 7:15 AM; Tuesday 5:15 PM; Wednesday 7:15 AM; Friday 7:15 AM; Saturday 9:00 AM

Our Lady of Grace: Tuesday 9:00 AM; **St. Mary's:** Thursday 9:00 AM; **St. Timothy's:** Friday 9:00 AM

Sunday 10:30 AM Mass has Livestream available at www.sspeterpaulandmary.org

WEEKLY READINGS

SUNDAY, MARCH 17TH FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jer 31:31-34/Heb 5:7-9/Jn 12:20-33

Monday, March 18th

St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Dr. of the Church
Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62/Jn 8:1-11

Tuesday, March 19th

St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Solemnity
2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16,
18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Wednesday, March 20th

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday, March 21st

Gn 17:3-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday, March 22nd

Jer 20:10-13/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday, March 23rd

St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop
Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56

SUNDAY, MARCH 24TH

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Mk 11:1-10 or Jn 12:12-16 (37)/Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/
Mk 14:1–15:47 or 15:1-39

Parish Office Hours:

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Office Manager: Kris Wernimont

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 16th

4:00 PM (OLG) Marilyn Jipsen

5:30 PM (SSPP) + Julie Modrell

Sunday, March 17th

8:00 AM (ST) + Larry Mills

8:30 AM (SM) + Eugene Kopp

10:30 AM (SSPP, Livestream) People of the Parish

Monday, March 18th

7:15 AM (SSPP) No Intention

Tuesday, March 19th

9:00 AM (OLG) Mass of Thanksgiving

5:15 PM (SSPP) + Todd Roecker

Wednesday, March 20th

7:15 AM (SSPP) Heather Freund

9:30 AM: Caring Acres, Anita

Thursday, March 21st

9:00 AM (SM) + Larry Cleppe

Friday, March 22nd

7:15 AM (SSPP) Nathan Koch

9:00 AM (ST) + Charles & Patricia Mullen

Saturday, March 23rd

9:00 AM (SSPP) No Intention

4:00 PM (OLG) + Richard Higgins

5:30 PM (SSPP) People of the Parish

Sunday, March 24th

8:00 AM (ST) + Jerry & Deb McCurdy

8:30 AM (SM) No Intention

10:30 AM (SSPP, Livestream) Kate Leonard Getty

Church Reminders

Easter Flower Envelopes: Are available in the back of the churches and will be accepted until April 7th.

Senior Scholarships: Deadline is April 1st.

Last Year Blessed Palms: Can be placed in the baskets at the back of the church, as they should be respectfully discarded.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 17th	3rd Scrutiny RCIA
Monday, March 18th	Seeking Truth 7-8:15 PM TR
Tuesday, March 19th	Adoration and Confession 4:15 Mass @ 5:15 PM RCIA 7–8:00 PM Lenten Study 7:00 PM TR Knights of Columbus Mtg. 7:00
Wed., March 20th	K–8 FF 5:15–6:15 PM HS FF: 7:00–8:15 PM
Friday, March 22nd	Chrism Mass, St. Ambrose 5:00 Stations of Cross 5 PM, SSPP KC Fish Fry 5:30–7:00 PC
Saturday, March 23rd	OLG: Confession, 3:00–3:30 Mass: 4:00 PM Lector Jessica Steinbeck
Saturday, March 23rd	SSPP: Confession 4:30–5:00 Mass: 5:30 PM Lector Patty Testa
Sunday, March 24th	ST: Confession 7:00–7:30 Mass: 8:00 AM Lector Kathy Cullen
Sunday, March 24th	SM: 7:30–8:00 Mass: 8:30 AM Lector Duane Thelen
Sunday, March 24th	SSPP Mass: 10:30 AM Lector Phil Hascall

Important Notice to all Parishioners There will be no confessions after Thursday, March 28th.

TITHING WEEK OF MARCH 10TH

TITHING	2023	2024
SS Peter & Paul	\$4,821.15	\$4,028.40
St. Mary's	\$745.01	\$1,038.00
St. Timothy's	\$550.00	\$743.00
Our Lady of Grace	\$464.00	\$1,166.00

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Don't forget to come to SSPP Parish Hall, or pick up, from 5:30–7:00 PM to enjoy the Knights of Columbus LAST Fish Fry for this year!

ALSO DROP OFF YOUR 40 CANS FOR 40 DAYS.

CHRISM MASS AT ST. AMBROSE CATHEDRAL

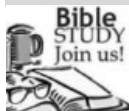
The annual liturgy at which all the oil of the sick and catechumens are blessed and consecrated. March 22, 5:00PM

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Special collection for *Catholic Relief Services* will be taken this weekend. Not only does this help our global outreach project, but 25% will stay in our diocese to help support those in need.



OLG PARISH BIBLE DISCUSSION



After much success from our study time with Beautiful Eucharist, Our Lady of Grace will be offering a parish bible discussion study for any parishioner wanting to strengthen their understanding of our Catholic faith. The meeting day and time will be determined by those interested.

Please contact Julie Adams at 712-789-9691 by April 1.



Every Tuesday during Lent at SS Peter & Paul:
Exposition the Blessed Sacrament at 4:15
Followed by confession and Mass at 5:15

Annual Women's Conference speaker, Liz Kelly is a jazz singer who met Jesus in late-night adoration. Sign up so you don't miss her talk by going to: DesMoinesDCCW.org before April 8th.



PRAY FOR PARISHIONERS IN CARE FACILITIES

Florence Thelen, Lynn Sporrer, Ardell & Ruth Eiben, Donna Rourick, Jim Hawes, Mary Weresh, Cindy Hensley, Martha Piper, Brenda Norman, Mike Kelly, Marge Lund, Gwen Hayes, Connie Nevins, Phylis Brownsberger, LaRue Wheelock, Elaine Shannon, Jan Petersen, Leo & Marlene Zimmerman, Merlyn & Sharon Rieber, Jerry Sieck, Fr. Al Sherbo, Betty Placzek

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