



**ST. LAWRENCE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH  
SANDOVAL, ILLINOIS**

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT  
MARCH 15, 2026**

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*@ Family of Faith*

*@ Community of Hope*

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**HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:** St. Lawrence: Sunday-8:30 am – Thursday-8:30 am - Holy Day Vigil-6:00 pm

St. Mary-Centralia: Saturday-4:00 pm – Sunday-10:30 am – St. Mary-Carlyle: Saturday-4:30 pm-Sunday-10:00 am

St. Teresa-Marydale: Saturday-7:30 pm – Sunday-8:00 am

**Reconciliation:** Before Sunday Mass 8:00 am - 8:20 am.

**Baptism:** Contact the office for Baptism preparation.

**Marriage:** Contact Pastor at least six months in advance.

**Anointing of the sick:** Available as needed and at Mass twice a year.

**Communion for the homebound:** Contact Pastor or call the office.

**Religious vocation:** For inquiries, contact Pastor

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## MASS INTENTIONS

Mar 15 Louis & Wilma Poninski

Mar 19 Marc Oehmke  
Freda Burns  
Jeanne Nalewajka  
Josphine Rohner

Mar 22 Open

Mar 26 Vicky Steele  
Ann Lyons  
Edie Lefew  
Frank Lusch

## LITURGICAL ROLES

*****	March 15, 2026	*****
<b>SERVERS:</b> Eugene Nalewajka Theresa Ingles		<b>GREETERS:</b> Brenda Schaubert <b>GIFT BEARERS:</b> Brenda Schaubert & Bob Perry
<b>LECTOR:</b> Mary Clark		<b>CANTOR:</b> Marlene Lackey
<b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:</b> Deacon Candidate James Burris (Body of Christ) Mary Jo Jones & Jaime Toedt (Blood of Christ)		<b>ORGANIST:</b> Mary Ann Weatherspoon <b>COUNTERS TEAM:</b> Jan Gillett Theresa Ingles
*****	March 22, 2026	*****
<b>SERVERS:</b> Dave Peters Brenda Schaubert		<b>GREETERS:</b> Cindy Lusch <b>GIFT BEARERS:</b> Dennis Krupp & Bob Perry
<b>LECTOR:</b> David Schulte		<b>CANTOR:</b> Marlene Lackey
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## STEWARDSHIP REPORT

March 08, 2026

Envelopes	\$951.00
Loose	149.00
Building Fund	100.00
Catholic Relief	56.00
Flowers	20.00
Sanctuary Candle	30.00
CSMA	220.00

Attendance -83 -

Thank you for all  
your donations.

## LOOKING AHEAD

<p><b>Sun Mar 15</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent</b> <b>MASS:</b> <b><u>CONFESSION 8:00-8:20</u></b> St. Lawrence: 8:30 am St. Teresa: Marydale: 8:00 am St. Mary: Carlyle: 10:00 pm St. Mary: 10:30 am</p>	<p><b>Mon Mar 16</b> <b>Knights Meeting 7:00 pm</b></p> <p><b>Wed Mar 18</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knights</b> <b>Meeting at Sandoval</b> <b>at 7:00 pm</b></p>	<p><b>Thurs Mar 19</b> <b>MASS:</b> St. Lawrence: 8:30 am <b><u>FINANCE COUNCIL</u></b> <b><u>MEETING AT 11:00 AM</u></b></p>
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## OF SPECIAL INTEREST

### WELCOME FR. STEVE PAUTLER & DEACON CANDIDATE JAMES BURRIS

#### Knights News

The Santa Maria Assembly will be having a Pork Loin Dinner at St. Lawrence Hall on Saturday, March 28th. The Santa Maria Assembly consists of Knights from Sandoval, Centralia, and Salem councils. Please use the enclosed flier to help advertise their dinner.

#### **CEMETERY CLEAN UP END OF THE MONTH 27<sup>TH</sup> & 28<sup>TH</sup>**

**If anything you would like to keep, it  
needs to be removed.**



**MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR**  
Father Steve Pautler

**Seeing What Stands Right in Front of Us!**

The Gospel this Sunday tells the story of the man born blind. Jesus spits on the ground, makes mud, places it on the man’s eyes, and sends him to wash in the pool of Siloam. The man returns able to see. A miracle takes place. Yet the strange part of the story begins after the miracle. The man sees. The neighbors argue. The Pharisees debate. The experts question. The only person who seems clear about the situation is the fellow who had been blind. He says something simple and honest. I was blind. Now I see. I have always liked that line. It is short and direct and it tells the truth about many of us. A few years ago, long before a collar replaced my Xerox badge, I had an encounter that gave me a small taste of this Gospel. Every morning I drove through Carbondale on my way to work. Almost every day I noticed the same man walking along the sidewalks with a white cane. Crosswalks. Street corners. Busy roads. I would see him and think to myself that must be difficult. Then I would keep driving and go about my day. For weeks, maybe months, I watched him from a distance. Then one morning I pulled into the parking lot at my office and just as I reached for the door handle someone knocked on my window. It startled me. I looked up and there he was. The very man I had been seeing for all those weeks. I rolled down the window and he said, excuse me young man. Anyone who calls me young man becomes my favorite person. He asked if I knew where the Department of Human Services was located. It happened to be inside the same building where I worked. So I stepped out of the car and pointed toward the building like a professional traffic director and said there it is. He paused and said something I will never forget. Son you are going to have to do better than that. That sentence landed like a brick. So I grabbed his sleeve and started to guide him toward the door. He laughed and said no need for that. Just talk and I will follow. So we walked across the parking lot together and in that short five minute walk I learned more about him than I had in months of silently observing from my car window. He graduated from SIU. He stayed in Carbondale his whole life. He gradually lost his sight from a disease. When we reached the office he thanked me and went inside. I walked back to my car embarrassed and humbled. From that day on we became friends. I would stop and talk whenever I saw him. I introduced myself. I listened. I learned. And I realized something. The man with the white cane was not the only one with vision problems. I was the one who had been blind. In today’s Gospel the blind man receives sight while the crowd argues about theology and the religious leaders debate rules. Meanwhile the man who had been blind ends up seeing more clearly than anyone else because he recognizes Jesus. Sometimes blindness has little to do with eyes. We fail to see the person standing right in front of us. We pass people every day at work, at church, in parking lots, in grocery stores. We assume we know their story and we move along with our schedule. Then the Lord interrupts us with a knock on the window. Lent is a season for that kind of healing. Christ wipes the dust from our eyes and helps us notice people we over-looked. He reminds us every person carries a story worth hearing. The man in the Gospel said it best. I was blind. Now I see. Some days I still struggle with the first part of that sentence. Thanks be to God he keeps working on the second.

**The 2026 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal**

*Those who are kind to the needy honor Him*

On behalf of Father Godfrey Mullen, Diocesan Administrator, and diocesan ministries and programs, a most heartfelt thanks to all those who have already responded with a gift to the 2026 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. If you have not done so as yet, there’s still plenty of time. One-time donations or pledges – **in any amount** – are needed and can be made through your parish or at [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org) (click on “Giving to the Diocese”). Your generosity supports 17 agencies and programs that daily serve thousands of people. Please consider making your gift today or at any time you are able in the coming months. We also ask for your prayers for the success of this year’s appeal and all those we serve. Thank you and may God bless you always.

**This week’s question:**

*Why do we have so many celebrations for Saint Patrick’s Day. And what is the story with green beer and green eggs?*

**Answer:**

*St. Patrick gave the Church a great missionary saint. The world added a parade. Patrick preached Christ in Ireland and used the shamrock to teach the Trinity. His feast day, March 17, became a joyful day for Irish Catholics. When Irish immigrants came to America, the celebration grew bigger. Green came from Ireland’s nick-name, the Emerald Isle. As for green beer and green eggs. Blame food coloring and cheerful bartenders. St. Patrick likely preferred holy water. If he walked through one of our parades today, he might smile and ask when Mass begins. Saints enjoy a good celebration, yet the Gospel remains the real reason for the feast. So wear the green, enjoy the corned beef, and remember the man behind the party. A missionary bishop who loved Christ and brought the faith to a whole nation. His real work was not a parade. It was preaching, baptizing, and building the Church. That story deserves a toast of gratitude!*



*St. Lawrence Church*

**The Sanctuary Candle for the month of March  
in loving memory of...**

**John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny Burns &  
Burns Family**

*In Loving Memory*

March 2026	John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny Burns & Burns Family
April 2026	John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny Burns & Burns Family
May 2026	Marcella Schulte
June 2026	Ron Clark
July 2026	Marcus, Marilyn & Robert Oehmke
August 2026	Knabe & Dunphy Family
September 2026	John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny, & Burns Family
October 2026	Bobby Hill, Aaron, Dorothy, John & Delphine Niepoetter
November 2026	John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny Burns & Burns Family
December 2026	Shaun Ford
January 2027	Altadonna Family
February 2027	Mike Shaffer
March 2027	Marcus Oehmke
April 2027	Joe & Florence Altadonna
May 2027	Open

If, you would like to put a picture in front of the Sanctuary Candle put it up there on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month until the last day of the month. You don't have to put a picture up if you don't want to. It is up to you.



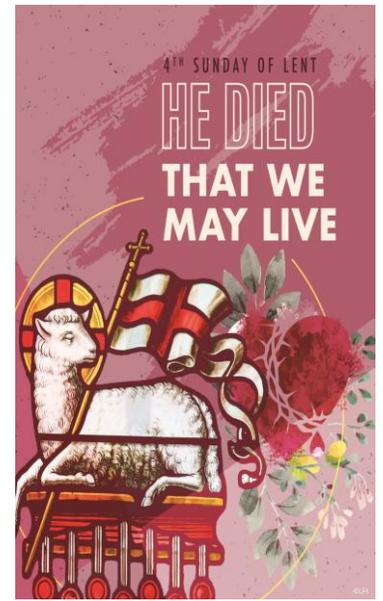
**RECENTLY  
DEPARTED  
SOULS**

**2025**

Mary Kay Gunther  
Michael Wooden  
Victoria (Vic) Steele  
Sharon (Jane) Rizzo  
Shirley Brady  
Adeline Pinston  
Sr. Marlene Buese  
Linda (Beckmann) DeKalb

**VOCATION CORNER  
MARCH 15, 2026**

This Thursday, (March 19th), is the feast of the Solemnity of St. Joseph. "When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him." (Matt 1:24). It was grace that moved Joseph to embrace his vocation as the guardian of Israel's Messiah. It's the same grace that empowers us to accept God's call and wisdom for our lives. Joseph's yes in faith changed the world. God also has a plan for your life. You don't know where your yes might lead and how God might use it. Ask St. Joseph to help. Then, like Joseph, go out in faith to be a "doer of the word" (James 1:22). (The Word Among Us)



**Respect Life Corner  
MARCH 15, 2026**

"To celebrate the Gospel of life means to celebrate the God of life, the God who gives life... In every child which is born and in every person who lives or dies we see the image of God's glory. We celebrate this glory in every human being, a sign of the living God, an icon of Jesus Christ" (The Gospel of Life 84).

**NEIGHBORING PARISHES  
RFECONCILIATION  
SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, March 15, 2026**  
St. Damian, Damiansville – 1:00 pm  
St. Dominic, Breese–3:00 pm  
**Monday, March 16, 2026**  
St. Mary, Mt. Vernon–6:00 pm  
**Sunday, March 22, 2026**  
St. Cecelia, Bartelso-3:00 pm  
St. Francis, Aviston-6:00 pm  
**Wednesday, March 25, 2026**  
OLPH, Posen-6:00 pm  
**Thursday, March 26, 2026**  
St. Mary, Trenton-7:00 pm  
**Sunday, March 29, 2026**  
St. Michael, Radom-5:00 pm  
**Monday, March 30, 2026**  
St. Barbara, Sheller-5:00 pm  
**Tuesday, March 31, 2026**  
St. Charles, Dubois-5:00 pm

**Quote for the week: Enjoy the little things in life one day you will realize they were the big things.**

### **Fourth Week of Lent**

The Fourth Sunday of Lent brings the story of the man born blind from John's Gospel. His disciples ask, "Who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" Jesus heals the man who now sees more clearly than the Pharisees the true identity of Jesus. "I do believe, Lord." At some Masses, we will hear the [Scrutinies](#) for RCIA candidates.

The first readings this week can be read as powerful messages to us from our God about our Lenten journey. They also seem to be chosen with an eye to the persecution Jesus will experience.

Thursday is the Solemnity of St. Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Our gospels this week are all from the Fourth Gospel. After two days of healing stories, the opposition against Jesus builds. In Cana, in Galilee, Jesus heals the son of a royal official. Back down in Jerusalem, he heals a man who was sick for 38 years, incurring the wrath of his enemies because he did it on the sabbath. Because of this, and that he called God his Father, they now plot a way to kill him. Jesus says his opponents do not want to come to him for life. Unafraid of them, Jesus goes to Jerusalem for a feast and openly tells people that he has come from God. They did not arrest him then, "for his hour had not yet come." Thinking they know where Jesus is from (in both senses: where he lived now and his origin in heaven), his enemies insist that prophets don't come from where Jesus is from.

The Fifth Sunday of Lent brings us closer toward the Passion and death of Jesus. This is the third and final week of Scrutinies in our parishes for those in the RCIA program. In John's Gospel, we hear the story of the raising of Lazarus. Jesus is not there when his dear friend, Lazarus dies, but after meeting with Lazarus' grief-stricken sisters and himself weeping, he stands at the door of the tomb. "'Lazarus, come out!' Jesus commands. The man who had been dead came out. His hands and feet were wrapped with strips of burial cloth, and a cloth covered his face. Jesus then told the people, "'Untie him and let him go.'"

### **Daily Prayer This Week**

The readings this week make it very clear that Jesus faced opposition that couldn't accept who he is. We see that Jesus comes to lay down his life that we might live. So, this week of Lent is an important time for us to ask ourselves if there are any parts of our hearts, any of our patterns, that oppose Jesus and his desire to give us life. This kind of honesty can transform our lives. It can allow the grace of God to bring reconciliation and healing we might not have imagined.

Even if it hasn't been easy to get really engaged with Lent so far, we can still make a beginning, even now. The key is openness and desire. If we can feel any attraction, any sign that the Lord is possibly drawing us, then the Lord can work with us - no matter what resistance or fear we might also be experiencing. All we have to do is act out of these desires and simply ask the Lord for the grace to help us be more honest and more open to what he is offering us. For example, we can ask for the grace to examine our consciences more thoroughly. We could try a different approach to facing any resistance we might have to the Lord's working in us. We might not commit the big sins, but we may not have examined what we fail to do. Who am I failing to love, to forgive, to be generous to? With whom am I withholding affection, care, reconciliation? Where can I live more honestly, with more integrity? How might I proactively change patterns of escape with patterns of care for others?

It is a time of grace when we can experience moments of "recognition," or self-understanding. It isn't grace to "beat up on" ourselves. It is grace to feel grateful to the Lord for showing us obstacles to the life he is offering us. It is grace to feel our spirits lighten as we feel drawn to greater freedom and peace. It is incredible grace when we are drawn to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This week, let us give thanks to the Lord who deeply desires our greater freedom and joy. As we go to bed each night, let us thank the Lord for what we saw that day and renew our desires for the next day of grace.

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on the Creighton University's Online Ministries web site:  
<https://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/Prayer/A1-OT-30.html>

## **FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (A)**

### **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**March 15, 2025**

**1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a**

**Psalms 23:1-3a, 3b-6 (1)**

**Ephesians 5:8-14**

**John 9:1-41**

### **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**March 22, 2025**

**Ezekiel 37:12-14**

**Psalms 130:1-8 (7)**

**Romans 8:8-11**

**John 11:1-45**

**Gathering: #680 Amazing Grace**

**Pres. of Gifts: #659 Open My Eyes**

**Communion: #838 O Sacrament Most Holy**

**Recessional: #362 In These Days of Lenten Journey**

**Readings: 892**



**Young Voice, Big Achievement!**

Sixth grader Briella represented St. Mary with confidence and poise as she read her winning essay at the BPW Equal Pay Rally on Saturday. We are proud of her hard work, courage, and the fine example she sets for our school. Well done, Briella.

*The Season of Lent*  
El Tiempo de Cuaresma

**Record Crowds and Full Hearts at Our Lenten Fish Fry!**  
Our Lenten Fish Fry keeps rolling as the crowds keep coming week after week. The lines stretch a little longer, the fryers keep working overtime, and the hall stays filled with laughter, conversation, and the steady rhythm of hungry guests and faithful volunteers. It is a beautiful sight to watch our parish family gather around the table, sharing good food and good company while supporting the life of the parish. Thank you to everyone who continues to show up, lend a hand, and bring a friend along. At this rate we might need a few more fish and a few more fryers before Lent is over. What a wonderful problem to have.



**Young Scholars, Big Achievement!**

Congratulations to our St. Mary Scholar Bowl teams for strong tournament finishes. Our JV team earned third place, an impressive result since the entire team is made up of 5th grade students competing against older teams. Carl received All Tournament honors for his excellent performance. Our Varsity team also finished third. Griffin, Callen, and Hunter were named to the All Tournament Team. Griffin and Callen also represented St. Mary in the Rotary Scholarship Bowl match. We are proud of these students and the way they represent St. Mary through hard work, knowledge, and school pride.



**Purrs from the Pew, Sister Fluff of Divine Mischief**  
*Sunshine, Fish Fry, and the Great Chicken Vigil of Lent!*

Peace be with you. Sister Fluff reporting again from the front lines of Lent. A season of prayer, a season of sacrifice, and this week a season of eighty degree sunshine. The Lord sent warmth worthy of July, so I stretched across the warm sidewalk outside the parish hall and began the sacred ritual of shedding my winter fur. Preparation matters. Parishioners walked by saying, "Look at that lazy cat." My friends, contemplation often looks like laziness to the untrained eye. My evening duties continued at the parish fish fry where the scent of fried cod filled the building with an aroma strong enough to challenge the saints. Volunteers moved with heroic speed while I made several quiet patrols beneath the serving tables. Purely pastoral work. A crumb here, a fallen fry there. I remind myself it is Lent and moderation matters, though if a piece of fish lands directly in front of one's whiskers, ignoring it feels almost disrespectful. Then there are the eggs in the kindergarten classroom. The incubator glows softly like a small theological mystery. Inside sit the future chickens of this parish. Each night I visit and sit beside the machine with disciplined focus. I do not tap. I do not poke. I simply watch and guard with great seriousness. Still, I admit a certain concern. If those shells crack open and tiny chickens appear, my Lenten resolve will face its greatest trial!! Until then I continue the journey. Prayer, sacrifice, sunbathing, and quiet observation of poultry. Holiness grows one temptation at a time. *Sister Fluff, F.D.M. Feline of Divine Mischief*



**SMS CALENDER**

MONDAY, MARCH 09, 2026

ABBEY DEMPSEY - SANDOVAL  
KANDICE FISCHER - CENTRALIA

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**



**ST. LAWRENCE CHURCH**  
Each Wednesday during Lent  
6:00 p.m. Stations and Exhibition

**ST. MARY CHURCH**  
Each Friday during Lent  
2:00 p.m. SMS Students  
4:00 p.m. Stations and Exhibition

**SUNDAY MASSES:**

**Sandoval:**  
St. Lawrence - 8:30 a.m.

**Centralia:**  
St. Mary (Vigil) - 4:00 p.m.  
St. Mary - 10:30 a.m.

**Carlyle:**  
St. Mary (Vigil) - 4:30 p.m.  
St. Mary - 10:00 am

**Marydale:**  
St. Teresa (Vigil) - 7:30 pm  
St. Teresa - 8:00 am

**Salem:**  
St. Theresa (Vigil) - 5:00 pm

**Kinmundy:**  
St. Elizabeth – 7:30 am

**WEEKLY READINGS**

Monday, March 16, 2026  
Isaiah 65:17-21  
Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b  
John 4:43-54

Tuesday, March 17, 2026  
Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12  
Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9  
John 5:1-16

Wednesday, March 18, 2026  
Isaiah 49:8-15  
Psalm 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18  
John 5:17-30

Thursday, March 19, 2026  
2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16  
Psalm 89:2-5, 27, 29 (37)  
Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22  
Matthew 1:18-21, 24a

Friday, March 20, 2026  
Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22  
Psalm 34:17-21, 23  
John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday, March 21, 2026  
Jeremiah 11:18-20  
Psalm 7:2-3, 9bc-12  
John 7:40-53



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# Sandoval Shalom

## Spaghetti Dinner

Served with

Garlic bread, salad & dessert

# March 21, 2026

## 4:00 – 7:00 pm

# First United Methodist Church in Sandoval

Donations only!

All money helps buy groceries for  
the food pantry!!!

## SANTA MARIA ASSEMBLY #1518

# Pork Loin Dinner

## MARCH 28, 2026

ST. LAWRENCE HALL

SANDOVAL, IL

**Serving 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Meal includes Pork Loin, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans,  
Applesauce, Dessert and Drink

This will be a free will offering dinner.

Proceeds will benefit Fourth Degree Knights  
of Columbus Charities



### Mass, Reconciliation, and Sacred Liturgy during Lent and the Easter Season

#### Reconciliation

**Ash Wednesday**  
St. Mary Church  
9:20 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

**Monday, March 9, 2026**  
St. Mary Church  
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

**St. Mary Church**  
Each Saturday of Lent  
3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

**St. Lawrence Church**  
Each Sunday of Lent  
8:00 a.m. - 8:20 a.m.

#### Stations of the Cross

**St. Mary Church**  
Each Friday of Lent  
2:00 p.m. (School)  
4:00 p.m.

**St. Lawrence Church**  
Each Wednesday of Lent  
6:00 p.m.



#### Holy Week

**Chrism Mass**  
Cathedral of St. Peter  
11:00 a.m.

**Holy Thursday**  
St. Lawrence Church  
7:00 p.m.  
Veneration until 9pm  
Confession after Mass

**Good Friday**  
St. Mary Church  
3:00 p.m.  
St. Lawrence Church  
6:00 p.m.

**Holy Saturday**  
St. Mary Church

#### Easter Season

**Easter Sunday**  
St. Lawrence Church  
8:30 a.m.

*Blessing of Baskets  
and Easter Egg Hunt*

St. Mary Church  
10:30 a.m.

*Blessing of Baskets  
and Easter Egg Hunt*

**First Holy Communion  
and Divine Mercy**  
Sunday, April 12th  
St. Mary Church  
10:30 a.m.

**BIRTHDAY**

03-23 Clayton Cain  
 03-23 Chris Williams  
 03-29 Lacy Toedte  
 04-05 Jan (Walker) Gillette  
 04-06 James Nattier  
 04-13 Mickayla (Schulte) Skibinski  
 04-15 Kayce Schilling  
 04-16 Johnny Bosler  
 04-16 Lana Nalewajka  
 04-20 William Hall  
 04-29 John Toedte  
 05-03 Jane (Gerrish) Waddell  
 05-05 Garry Pryor  
 05-06 Jared Farthing  
 05-09 John Rohner  
 05-11 Mary (Schaubert) Williams  
 05-15 Fr. Jose  
 05-16 Allison Lammers  
 05-16 Blake Lammers  
 05-17 Eugene Nalewajka  
 05-17 Bettye Williams  
 05-19 Kaiden Alonso  
 05-20 Maureen Knabe

**ANNIVERSARY**

03-22 Charles & Jolynn Garrett  
 04-10 Tom & Cindy Lusch  
 05-16 Jared & Kimberly Farthing  
 05-20 Tony & Lana Nalewajka

**SHALOM IS NEEDING HELP**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2025  
 SETTING UP FROM 9:30 AM - ?.  
 DISTRIBUTE ON SATURDAY, MARCH  
 14, 2025 FROM 7:00 AM – 9:30 AM FOR  
 MORE INFORMATION CONTACT  
 BRENDA SCHAUBERT

**Those in nursing homes or  
 assisted living are:** Gerald &  
 Phyllis Fanger. Please pray for  
 them, their families and their care-  
 givers.

**REMEMBERING OUR LOVED MARCH**

01-99 John Schooling  
 02-08 Peter Basch  
 02-12 Pauline Walker  
 03-02 Catherine (McCarthy) Kain  
 04-98 Kirk Griffin  
 05-91 William Lusch  
 06-86 John Barton  
 09-89 John DeBernardi  
 09-97 Dale Robert Kelso  
 09-95 Joseph Korenewski  
 09-90 Gertrude Resch  
 12-05 Leo Grasher  
 12-07 Daniel Guthrie  
 13-21 Clyde Nelson Waddell  
 18-22 Marcus Oehmke  
 18-09 Marie Satchwill  
 19-09 Joseph Grasher  
 20-89 Freda M. Burns  
 20-16 J. R. Temple  
 22-21 Jeanne Nalewajka  
 23-08 Josephine Inez Rohner  
 24-94 Durward Thomas  
 25-86 Laura Waddell  
 26-90 Frank Lusch  
 26-15 Earl McMillan  
 26-91 John Smith  
 27-21 Edie (Thomas) Leffew  
 28-01 Henry Lukaseck  
 29-08 Ann Lyons  
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 Clark, Daisy Conrad, Kevin Conrad, Jared  
 Fogerson, Don Frazier, Sue Gambill, Jim,  
 Harlan & Debra (Small) Gerrish, Mary Gore,  
 Ron & Barb Grasher, Debbie Grasher,  
 Alexis Hall, Bill & Mary Hall, Mary Ann Hall,  
 Tom Hall, Tom Ingles, Michelle Irvin, Linda  
 Jacobson, Wilma Jourdan, Judy Jenkins,  
 Bob Kannall, Cassy Karcher, Richard  
 Knipping, Curt & Marlene Lackey, Tom  
 Lusch, Karleigh McClaren, Tracy Minton,  
 John Mullen, Jerry Nitz, Earl Nolte, Jeff  
 Orrell, Dennis Ott, Donna Paine, Rachel &  
 Sandie Peters, Philip Quandt, Jerry  
 Ratermann, Pat (Gerrish) Roestel, Larry  
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