

SACRED LITURGY

Daily Mass intentions offered in private by Fr. Fasching.

MONDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 13

+Ely Bridges by William & Judy Laflin

TUESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 14

+Jim Perkins by S.H. Grief Ministry

WEDNESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 15

+Karen Bidne by Joe & Joann Bergkamp

THURSDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 16

Fr. Jeff Fasching by Seven Sisters Apostolate

FRIDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 17

Pastors Intentions

SATURDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER, APRIL 18

+Donald Keel by Bob & Judy Lamb

SUNDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER

APRIL 19 (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

People of the Parish

Adoration Chapel - Closed

Altar Society Meetings - Canceled

CYM & PSR Classes - Canceled

First Holy Communion - Postponed

Little Flowers - Canceled

Collection for April 5th:

General: \$1964.50, Caring Heart \$10,
Easter Flowers \$30

**Sunday offerings may be mailed,
dropped off at the parish office, or
To donate online:**

[https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/
parish-online-offertory/](https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/parish-online-offertory/)

Then select: **Sacred Heart, Halstead**
**Please note there are multiple
Sacred Heart Parishes**

Sick and Homebound

Carolyn Armendariz	Dennis Howard
Larry Ayala	Lynndell King
Margaret Bergkamp	Nate McKee
Joseph Bisterfield	Ronda Meyer
Pat Breckunitch	Marla Porch
Kirk Bridges	Bentley Sanchez
Mary Ann Bumm	Irene Stone
Martina Chavez	Jim Vaughn
Shelly Drake	Mary Walters
Charlene DesCoteaux	Kenny Weber
Bill Ediger	Christine Wright
Ike Farmer	
Father Juan Garza	All of our Care
Anthony Gomez	Home Residents
Catherine Gonzales	
Marsha Grattan	
Katherina Gripp	

Souls of the Faithful Departed

Ray Albert	James Gleason
Karen Bidne	Reine Grattan
Elyjah Bridges	Kathleen Jackson
Teresa Brooks	Jim Perkins
Donna Daniels	Darrell Robinson
Michael Duron	Jerry Runnebaum
Mary Kellnhofer	Carolyn Wright
Joseph Makovec	
Patrick McGinn	



**Please Pray for our
Service Personnel**



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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Tuesday 10 am - 12pm

Catch us on the web at www.SacredHeartHalstead.com

April 12, 2020 Easter Sunday

Mass Schedule

All public Masses are cancelled until further notice

Confessions: Sunday 9am - 10am or By Appointment in Church basement

Temporary protocol for confession:

Priest and penitent are to sit no less than 6 feet apart facing away from each other.

The Church is open daily for private prayer from 7:30am to 8pm.

**During this time of no public Mass, please pray the daily readings and
make a Spiritual Act of Communion.**

Spiritual Act of Communion

**My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I
love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since
I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritu-
ally into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite
myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen**

**Mass times on EWTN are: 7am, 11am, 6pm & 11pm
You can also watch online at: dailymass.com**

The Easter Triduum

The Latin word “triduum” refers to a period of three days, specifically the three days prior to the great feast of Easter: Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and the Easter Vigil. Just as Sunday is the high point of the week, Easter is the high point of the entire year. The meaning of Easter is revealed and anticipated through the Triduum, which focuses on the central events in the life of Jesus Christ, namely the Last Supper, His trial and crucifixion, His time in the tomb, and His Resurrection from the dead.

Our Lord Jesus Christ was betrayed by one of His closest friends. He willingly suffered His Passion and Death as a result of lies and treachery perpetrated by those closest to Him. Judas was a devil. The religious leaders in Our Lord's time were devils. Christ Himself directly named them as such when He said to them: “Your father is the Devil.” Our Lord called them devils because they immersed themselves in lies. Just as Satan—the father of lies—has no truth in him, neither did they.

Jesus Christ suffered His Passion and was murdered because those in power hated truth, and Jesus was Truth personified. But Easter celebrates the Resurrection and the final victory. This same victory is promised to us if we but choose to persevere. The current climate offers us a wonderful opportunity to do just that. Many of us are suffering. We have been denied Truth Himself in the Holy Eucharist. We are confined to our homes. Many are lonely. Many are wondering when this crisis will end...

Perhaps now more than ever we must focus on our hope in the Risen Christ. We must embrace our suffering as part of God's divine providence. We must remember that we cannot expect to see Easter Sunday on the Last Day without first suffering through the Passion and Death of being a follower of Christ. We simply cannot share in the glory of the Resurrection without first embracing suffering, and that includes any form of suffering God allows to occur in our lives.

We are living in unprecedented times. We must beg God to increase our faith and hope in Him. We cannot be like His disciples who abandoned Christ in fear and hiding when things got tough. We have been given knowledge of Our Risen Lord and we must act as such. Christ offers a “peace” the world cannot give; only He can, but we must believe in Him with unwavering hope. We must see these current times as an opportunity to demonstrate our faith and hope like no other time in history.

Suffering is inevitable in this valley of tears. Remember Christ's Agony in the Garden. Remember His Passion and Death. Unite your own suffering to His. Realize that our sincere faith and hope in Him will always bring an Easter victory.

He is Risen!

In Christ,
Fr. Jeff Fasching

Missalettes

Please do not remove the missalettes from the church.

Blood Mobile

**Monday, Apr. 13th
Sacred Heart Parish Center
12:30pm to 6:30pm**