



ST. GREGORY
1310 Carolina St., Marysville



ST. MALACHY
1012 Main St., Beattie

CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 25, 2026



MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Tuesday, Jan. 27

8:15am *St. Gregory* † Juanita Lyhane

Wednesday, Jan. 28

St. Gregory ***NO MASS***

Thursday, Jan. 29

9:30am *St. Gregory* † Pat Diederich
(note time change)

8:30am *St. Malachy* † Lawrence Mulhern

Friday, Jan. 30

8:15am *St. Gregory* † Sharon Chaulk
† Jeff Chaulk

Saturday, Jan. 31

5:30pm *St. Gregory* ~ People of the Parishes of
St. Gregory and St. Malachy

Sunday, Feb. 1

7:00am *St. Gregory* † Bud and Lorraine Wassenberg

8:45am *St. Malachy* † Gregory Taphorn

10:30am *St. Gregory* † Dorothy Peschel

Monday, Feb. 2 **Presentation of the Lord**

7:00pm *St. Gregory* † Isla, Elmer and Daniel Schwarz

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30pm - 5:15pm *St. Gregory*

Sunday 8:30am - 8:40am *St. Malachy*

ADORATION

Wednesday 11am - 12pm *St. Gregory*

Thursday 9am - 11am *St. Malachy*

Friday 6am - 3:30pm *St. Gregory*

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ST. JOHN BOSCO | FEAST DAY: JAN. 31ST

Saint John Bosco's theory of education could well be used in today's schools. It was a preventive system, rejecting corporal punishment and placing students in surroundings removed from the likelihood of committing sin. He advocated frequent reception of the sacraments of Penance and Holy Communion. He combined catechetical training and fatherly guidance, seeking to unite the spiritual life with one's work, study and play.

Encouraged during his youth in Turin to become a priest so he could work with young boys, Saint John Bosco was ordained in 1841. His service to young people started when he met a poor orphan in Turin, and instructed him in preparation for receiving Holy Communion. He then gathered young apprentices and taught them catechism.

After serving as chaplain in a hospice for working girls, Don Bosco opened the Oratory of St. Francis de Sales for boys. Several wealthy and powerful patrons contributed money, enabling him to provide two workshops for the boys, shoemaking and tailoring.

By 1856, the institution had grown to 150 boys and had added a printing press for publication of religious and catechetical pamphlets. John's interest in vocational education and publishing justify him as patron of young apprentices and Catholic publishers.

Saint John Bosco's preaching fame spread and by 1850 he had trained his own helpers because of difficulties in retaining young priests. In 1854, he and his followers informally banded together, inspired by Saint Francis de Sales.

With Pope Pius IX's encouragement, John gathered 17 men and founded the Salesians in 1859. Their activity concentrated on education and mission work. Later, he organized a group of Salesian Sisters to assist girls.

Fr. Bosco died on January 31, 1888. The call for his canonization was immediate. Pope Pius XI knew Fr. Bosco personally and agreed, declaring him blessed in 1929. St. John Bosco was canonized on Easter Sunday, 1934 and he was given the title, "Father and Teacher of Youth."

Reflection

John Bosco educated the whole person—body and soul united. He believed that Christ's love and our faith in that love should pervade everything we do—work, study, play. For John Bosco, being a Christian was a full-time effort, not a once-a-week, Mass-on-Sunday experience. It is searching and finding God and Jesus in everything we do, letting their love lead us. Yet, because John realized the importance of job-training and the self-worth and pride that come with talent and ability, he trained his students in the trade crafts, too.

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ST. MALACHY**Ladies Guild Meeting**

The Ladies Guild meets on the first Sunday of the month after Mass. Next meeting will be February 1st.

FINANCES

Envelope and Plate for January 18th \$ 914.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 1ST

Sacristan: Tara Schneider
Eucharistic Minister: Jarrod and Katy Smith, Vicki Smith
Servers: St. Gregory Students
Lector: St. Gregory Students
Song Leader: St. Gregory Students
Gifts: St. Gregory Students
Money Counters: Lynette Sandmann, Paul Studer
Ushers: Jason Schneider, Jarrod Smith
Clean Linens: Linda Bergmann
Feb. Guild Leaders: Leslie Holthaus, Shedera Kopp, Sandy Loiseau, Tracy Wassenberg

ARCHDIOCESE NEWS**IGNITE FOR LIFE & KANSAS MARCH FOR LIFE**

Topeka Performing Arts Center

JANUARY 28, 2026



Come Holy Spirit, enflame our hearts to protect the lives of unborn children and expectant women!



IGNITE for Life
9:00am



KS Mass for Life
10:30am



KS March for Life
12:00pm



For More Information: archkck.org/ignite

All events are free.

ST. GREGORY**FINANCES**

Envelope and Plate for January 18th \$ 10,856.30

BUILDING PROJECT

Loan Principal Balance (as of 01/01/26) \$ 125,656.04
 Donations (since 01/01/26) \$ 1,760.00
 Total Contributions to Date \$7,994,069.29

WEDDING CELEBRATION

Congratulations to
Emma Peschel and Gavin Sedlacek,
 who were married Friday at St. Gregory's.
May the Lord bless you as you begin your lives together.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Kathie Rueger,

mother of John and Jennifer.

A funeral Mass was held Friday at St. Malachy's,
 with burial in St. Patrick Cemetery.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Jim Schoenberger,

brother of Tom.

A memorial service was held Friday in Chanute.

COMMUNITY PARISH NEWS**Pro-Life Baby Shower**

LAST WEEK TO DONATE! The Knights of Columbus are conducting a Pro-Life Baby Shower in January. Please help them fill the play pen at St. Gregory's in the gathering space with baby items such as diapers, bottles, new clothing, etc. Cash donations are also accepted. For more information, contact Dan Faulkner at 562-8900 or Paul Broxterman at 799-5628.

Presentation of the Lord

There will be a Mass to celebrate the Presentation of the Lord on **Monday, February 2nd at 7pm at St. Gregory's**. Blessing of the Candles will take place in the gathering space at the beginning of Mass. Everyone is invited to bring candles from home and join in the procession after the blessing.

The Feast of St. Blaise

The Feast of St. Blaise will be celebrated on **Tuesday, February 3rd at the 8:15am School Mass**. Father Quentin will bless throats following the Mass.

AREA NEWS

Monday, January 26th - Soup Day, United Methodist Church, Frankfort. Serving ham and beans, wild rice and chicken, carnita and chili soups, along with sandwiches and desserts from **11am-1pm and 4-6pm**. Free will offering. All proceeds benefit the window replacement project at the Historic Grade School.

Sunday, February 8th - Soup-R-Bowl Lunch, St. Mary's Church, St. Benedict. Serving chili, chicken noodle and vegetable beef soup along with relishes and desserts from **10:30am - 1:00pm** in the church hall. Dine in or carry out. Free will offering. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday, February 8th - Re-Dedication Mass, St. John the Baptist, Hanover. You are cordially invited to attend the Re-Dedication Mass with the Blessing of a new Altar beginning at 3pm. Reception will follow in the school gym.



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC SCHOOL



January Virtue of the Month - Orderliness

This month, we are practicing the virtue of orderliness. Orderliness is keeping oneself physically clean and neat and one's belongings in good order. When we work on the virtue of orderliness, we think about how we can practice this virtue at home. Orderliness looks like making our bed, or setting the table. It also looks like taking care of our own needs, like brushing our teeth and combing our hair. When we take care of our needs, we give glory to God by caring for His Temple.

Dear Jesus, help us to practice the virtue of orderliness whether we are at school or at home. Sometimes we don't like cleaning our rooms or making our beds, but we know that practicing orderliness is what You ask of us. We want to be a saint and to please You! Amen.

Good News Online Book Fair

From January 19th - February 2nd, you can shop online at www.goodnewsbookfair.com/virtual-fair. Enter code STGREGORY26 at checkout for our school to receive credit for your purchase. Free shipping for all orders over \$35. Good News Book Fair has a group of curators made up of librarians, authors, and parents who read every book and make sure the books are age-appropriate and clean reads. Sample books will be available to look at after each Mass next weekend.

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PRAYER LIST

SHORT TERM HEALTH ISSUES

Dave Whitesell	Dan "Matt" Musil
Laurel Johnson	Rachel Frese
Randy Wiler	

LONG TERM HEALTH ISSUES

Dan Haug	Carol Howell
Jennifer Cohorst	Phil Studer
Bobbie Cohorst Anthony	Donna Sedlacek
Jeanne Cohorst Cummings	Rick Thompson
Peter Jeff Sekul	Alice Murray
Marcella Andrews	Pat Clark
Emmitt Budy	Steve Sawin
Lacey (Jones) Stevens	Torey Butler
Sandy Schmitz	Alan Wassenberg
Christopher McCloud	Tony Evans
Kenny Wurtz	Mary Landoll
Mary Kay (Voet) Nold	Debra Nietfeld Lambert
Janel Weigel	Joan Wacek
Hudson Gartner	Sami Kirkland
Kristi Meyer	

Please let us know when your loved one is better!

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, call Margaret Huffman at 713-9653 or the Parish Office.

Class Coin War to Benefit the Olmsted Family

We would like to invite you to participate in a change war to support Veronica Olmsted and her family as she bravely fights cancer.

To show our support, the students and staff will be hosting a class coin war beginning this weekend and going through Friday, February 6. The class that raises the most money will be thanked with a 30-minute game time in the gym and a snack.

Donation containers are located at the back of church this weekend and also the weekend of Jan. 31-Feb. 1 and will be set up in the school front hallway during those weeks. We encourage everyone to bring in cash or change to support the Olmsted family.



SUPPORTING OUR LEGACY

A BENEFIT FOR ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

8TH ANNUAL SOUL DINNER & AUCTION

SATURDAY | 14 | FEBRUARY

HEART & Soul

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS: \$75 PER PERSON
 TABLE RESERVATIONS ARE AVAILABLE EXCLUSIVELY TO SPONSORS

5 PM • SOCIAL & SILENT AUCTION
 6:30 PM • DINNER & LIVE AUCTION
 CATERING PROVIDED BY JD CATERING OF LINN, KS
 8:30 PM - HOWL AT THE MOON DUETING PIANOS OF KANSAS CITY

PURCHASE TICKETS AT ST. GREGORYS SCHOOL
 OR ONLINE BY USING THE QR CODE PROVIDED

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT 785-562-2831
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BIRTHDAYS

Jan. 26	*Jay Schmitz, Zoe Throm, Eli Knabe
Jan. 27	*Gary Skalla, Dick Nordhus, Hudson Frink
Jan. 28	Scott Kracht, Jared Strunk, *Rodney Rilinger
Jan. 29	Jon Padden, Joe Kroeger
Jan. 30	Patty Germer, Jaelynn Lord
Jan. 31	Jim Wassenberg, Madelyn Schell, Paityn Knabe, Skylar Knabe
Feb. 1	*Veronica Olmsted

ANNIVERSARIES

Jan. 28	*Matt and Meredith Bergmann
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