

WEEKLY UPDATE FOR SEVEN DOLORS & ST. PATRICK'S PARISHES

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 2019 + 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



+Ash Wednesday Ministries: Sign up for liturgical ministries in the sacristy.

+Did you know: March 6 is Ash Wednesday. Lent is a great time to start new spiritual practices. Stop by the Adoration Chapel any time during the Lenten season. Public hours are from 8am to 9pm. Come spend some sacred time with Jesus, away from the secular hustle and bustle. Choose a weekly prayer partner for the Chapel or fill a vacant hour. Call Linda Lake and tell her which hour you would like to partner up with 785-341-2574.

+MC3 EVENT: Monday, March 4 at the Blue Moose. Doors open at 7:00, with welcome at 7:30, followed by Jennifer Risper's presentation. Jennifer Risper, former professional basketball player who currently works for FOCUS, will speak about her recent walk along the Camino de Santiago. Known as "The Way of Saint James" in English, it is approximately 500 miles long and leads to the shrine of the Apostle Saint James the Great in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela in northwest Spain, where it is believed St. James is buried.

+Griefshare: We meet each Tuesday at 6:30PM in the Seven Dolors Parish Center, 731 Pierre, Manhattan. Questions? Call Rosie at 565-5000 or email at formation@sevendolors.com

+Pietra Fitness: The Women's group will meet every Friday of Lent beginning March 8 at St. Thomas More (Tower Room in the Utopia Center) from 6:15p.m. to 7:15p.m. The Men's group will meet at St Isidore's (Room 2) every Thursday of Lent beginning March 7. For more information email Jhoe Stonestreet at jhoe.de.mesa@gmail.com.

+Food Pantry Needs: Canned pinto beans, strawberry jelly, saltines, salt, ground black pepper, 23 oz. applesauce, chili beans

+Finance Report:

Last Sunday's Collection	\$ 6,436.50
Average Needed Weekly	\$ 10,442.31
Actual FY to Date Collections	\$ 341,476.95
FY to Date Needs	\$ 366,807.69
FY Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ (25,330.74)

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+WEEK AT A GLANCE

FEBRUARY 24-MARCH 3, 2019

Sunday 2/24 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 AM/10 AM Masses
11:00 AM RCIA
Noon Spanish Mass

Monday 2/25

2:30 PM Small Group
5:20 PM Mass
6:30 PM Gospel of John Group

Tuesday 2/26

7:00 AM Mass
7:55 AM MCS Mass
10:00 AM Prayer Shawl
6:30 PM GriefShare
7:00 PM MCS COE Meeting

Wednesday 2/27

7:00 AM Mass
8:00 AM Mass @ St. Patrick's
1:15 PM Small Group
6:30 PM Religious Ed.

Thursday 2/28

7:00 AM Mass
7:55 AM MCS Mass
1:00 PM Food Pantry
4:00 PM Marian Mantle
5:00 PM Confessions

Friday 3/1

First Friday
7:00 AM Mass
7:55 AM MCS Mass
3:30 PM Mass @ Meadowlark Hills

Saturday 3/2

4:15 PM Mass @ St. Patrick's
6:00 PM Mass

Sunday 3/3 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 AM/10 AM Masses
11:00 AM RCIA
Noon Spanish Mass

For sacraments of baptism, matrimony or anointing of the sick, please contact the parish office.

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Msgr. James Hake is one of 17 currently retired priests of the Diocese of Salina. We share his story during the *Bishop's Annual Appeal - Call to Share* to remind us of the impact gifts have on a very personal level for those benefiting from your generosity. His story of his years of active ministry, and how he continues to serve in retirement, no doubt reminds each of us just how much impact a single priest has throughout the diocese.



For some reason, unknown to me now, I always wanted to be a "Monsignor Dreiling" when I grew up. He was our pastor in Tipton way back when I was a youngster. There must have been something about him that impressed me greatly. I know that's the mysterious way God works in our lives. I'm sure that's the reason I wanted to be a parish priest, living in a community among the people of God.

And I must say, now looking back on those days in the various parishes I've been honored to serve, that life has been very fulfilling for me. Helping the dear parishioners and being such an intimate part of their lives was always a joy, and continues to be in my memories. The celebration of the Eucharist and the Sacraments was central, as I'm sure it is for any parish priest. And as priests, it's a great comfort to us to know that the lives of God's people could not be blessed with such great gifts without the priesthood.

Although my life as a priest, for all but the first four years, was also spent in Diocesan work at the Chancery, even that work would not have been so fulfilling for me had I not been able to also serve as a parish priest. Being with and being able to serve God's people is what has "grounded" my life as a priest.

As a retired priest, I am now happy to live with those memories. Of course, living the life of the priesthood also continues, but in a much more limited way.

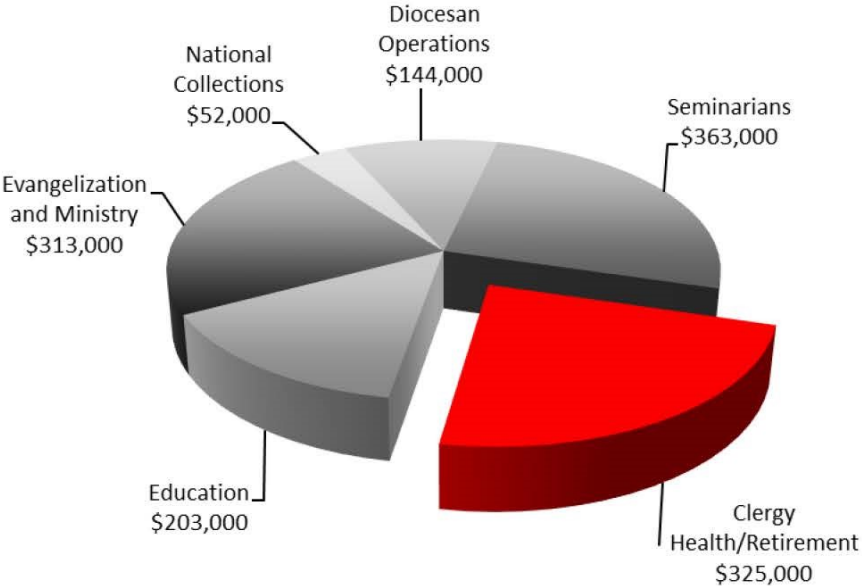
My privilege of "working" for the Diocese partially continues by way of serving on the Marriage Tribunal, for which I was sent to school and trained many years ago. It continues to be a joy and great satisfaction to be of some help to people who are in need of healing because of difficulties in past marriages. Also, I find, as a retired priest, that I can now more freely offer Masses for my family and friends and for special occasions.



We priests who are retired from the role of active pastors are growing in numbers because, thanks be to God, good health care and medicine is prolonging life. Because of the continued shortage of priests, we hope and pray that our limited “usefulness” will continue to be of help to our priests who are serving full-time, and many in an over-burdened way in our Diocese. Please know that your support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal is very gratefully appreciated by all of us.



To meet the retirement and healthcare needs of our retired clergy, \$325,000 (or 23% of the \$1.4 million goal for Bishop's Annual Appeal) is required. Retirement and healthcare needs total less than \$1,600 per month per retired clergy. Gift support for Call to Share greatly helps ensure these needs and the other programs provided throughout the Diocese of Salina are funded.



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Ministry Schedule March 2 - 3, 2019

	EMOC	Hospitality	Altar Server	Lector
Sat. 6 pm	Richard Bachamp Tanya Bachamp Marla Schmidt	Cindy Donohoe Tim Donohoe Vida Gieber Toni Murphy	VOLUNTEER VOLUNTEER	Dan Strohmeier (1) Stephen Lauer (2)
Sun. 8 am	Jolene Amtower Karen Buyle Ray Buyle Carrie Ellis Dan Wright	Mo Glende Bernard Irvine Emily Irvine Amy Jensen	Cameron Coonrod Benjamin Irvine Nate Irvine	Jason Ellis (1) Nellie Bucholtz (2)
Sun. 10 am	Jo Beihl Alexandra Kifer Jason Lingenfelser Larry Nordstrom Dep Shepek Deacon Ed Suoza Airica Voma	Jerry Beihl Jayme Koppenheffer Dani Lingenfelser VOLUNTEER	Will Lingenfelser Luke Peschel Hayde Platt Jaydin Vargas	Stacie Levendofsky (1) James Shen (2)

February Linens: Maggie Haag **Albs:** Suzanne Simon / **February 23 Sacristan:** Jean Kuehler **Votives:** Wright Family

Mass Intentions for February 23-March 3, 2019 (*St. Patrick's in Italics*)

Saturday/Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday/Sunday
4:15 pm <i>For the Parish</i> 6 pm St Esther Umscheid 8 am +Jeremy Pittman 10 am +Steve Konz Noon +Beloved Dead	5:20 pm +Clay, David & John Wataha	7 am +Beloved Dead 7:55 am +Larry Giller	7 am +Lorraine Glach 8 am <i>St Mark Stelljes</i>	7 am St Cecial Sexton 7:55 am +Beloved Dead	7 am +Souls in Purgatory 7:55 am +Bud Reker 3:30 pm +Bud Reker	4:15 pm <i>St John Geisick</i> 6 pm <i>For the Parish</i> 8 am +Ron Riat 10 am +Dave & Mark Irvine Noon

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