

ST. AMBROSE PARISH

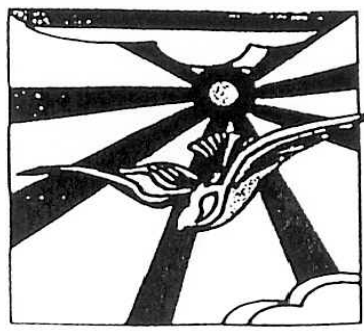
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PARISH OFFICE: 2315 Redondo Avenue
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108-3297

CHURCH LOCATION: 1975 South 2300 East
Salt Lake City, Utah

St. Ambrose Parish Mission

Holy Spirit, Soul of the Church



**April 13 – April 17, 2008
7:00 pm – 8:15 pm Nightly**

We need your Help!

**Please fill out a volunteer form
at one of the Church entrances.**

**Place your completed form
in one of the designated boxes**

Thank you from the St. Ambrose Evangelization Committee

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Catholic Foundation: Reflection on Stewardship: Do I pay more for cable TV each month than I contribute to my Church? “If it is more blessed to give than to receive, then most of us are content to let the other fellow get the blessings.” *Shailer Mathews (1863-1941)*. Contact the Catholic Foundation of Utah @ 801-328-8641.



Special Collection Next Weekend: There will be a second collection taken up at all the Masses next weekend for the support of the Church in Eastern Europe. The envelopes are available at the entrances to the Church.

Lenten Confessions: During Lent both Father Gally and Father Bill will hear confessions on Saturday afternoon from 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Confessions are also available by appointment.

Special Stations of the Cross/Eucharistic Devotion: This year as part of our regular Friday Stations of the Cross we will also have an opportunity for Eucharistic devotion. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on the main altar at 5:30 pm for those who would like some quiet prayer time before the Eucharist prior to Stations. Stations will begin at 6:00 pm, concluding with Benediction. Those wishing to attend Stations only may do so @ 6:00 pm.

Lenten Vespers: During Lent the St. Ambrose choir will lead the community in Vespers or Evening Prayer every Sunday afternoon during the season at 4:30 pm.

Senior Mass and Luncheon: Seniors 65 years and older. Mark your calendars for the First Friday of March—March 7. There will be a Mass and the Communal Celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick celebrated on that day at 11:00 am. This will be followed by a senior luncheon and entertainment by our school children. There will be no charge for the luncheon. Sign-up sheets will be available next weekend at the entrances to the Church.

Thank You, Social Committee: St. Ambrose would like to thank Bruce Baron and all the volunteers involved in making our first parish fish fry of Lent a success. The food was great and everyone enjoyed the event.

No Mass on Tuesday, February 19: There will be a Communion Service on Tuesday, February 19 at 7:00 am. Regular daily Masses will be celebrated at 7:00 am on Monday and Wednesday through Friday this week.

Parish Office Closed on Monday: The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 18, for President’s Day. It will re-open on Tuesday, February 19 at 8:00 am.

Please, Don’t Make Change: Parishioners and ushers are reminded that it is strictly prohibited from making change from the collection basket. An incident last weekend highlights the seriousness of this problem. Someone dropped a bill into the collection basket and then proceeded to make change from the basket taking out a number of bills. No one—contributor or usher—is permitted to take any money out of the collection basket. If you have larger bills that you don’t want to contribute, wait until you have the correct change. Do not make change or ask an usher to make it out of the collection basket. Thank you.

Rice Bowl Collection: As you know, Lent is a time for special alms giving to help the poor of our world. One way the Church invites us to do that is by using the Lenten Rice Bowls that are provided by Catholic Relief Services. We are invited to put spare change or dollars into the rice bowl—money that might have been spent for a latte, coffee, soft drink or snack—and to offer this up as a sacrifice during the Season. The donations from the Rice Bowl will be collected Easter weekend. The Operation Rice Bowl materials are available at the Church entrances.

Homebound Eucharistic Ministers Needed: If you would like to be a Eucharistic Minister to the homebound and the nursing-homebound of the parish, please contact Dean Betenes @ 484-8756. Training will be provided.

Please Pray for the following sick persons: Dorene Bailey, Jack Ballow, Mary Bischoff, Robert Blair, Charlene Chapman, Cliff Christiansen, John Coburn, Michael Coffey, Antonia Corak, Adam Corwell, Virginia DeMarco, Lillian Driscoll, Cameron Durst, Kathy Downs Ellison, Anne Fortun, Ines Fowler, Linda Fuller, Roberta Gammons, Lorraine Gerzewski, Hailey Griffiths, Guadalupe Haubert, Bonnie Held, William Howard, Jeanne Kaufman, Vivian Kooyman, Robert La Dua, Pam Lewis, Vince McDonald, Terry McOmber, Susan Neville, Gary Newport, Wendy Pullet, Joette Patterson, Theresa Pietramali, Ruthanna Rougelot, Estelle Sain, Fr. Jim Sanford, Eva C. Smith, Frank Mayo Smith, Yelva Smith, Sherman Snowball, Joe Stoddard, Marie Suchyta, Paul Suedkamp, Amelia Tedesco, Kellie Thompson, Elizabeth Tobinski, Kathleen McGuire Tuckey, Ann vanHorssen, Lisa Vomar and Scott Zeberlein.

IN YOUR PRAYERS please remember these persons who died this past month.

Joseph Bailey

Nick Economou

Randy L. Gardner, brother of
Silver and Judy Gardner

Bernard House

Lena Lucero

St. Ambrose Parish Mission: This mission was partially inspired by John Paul's encyclical, *The Holy Spirit in the Life of the Church and the Word* and part three, section one of the Catechism, *Man's Vocation, Life in the Spirit*. The main purpose of this mission is to educate, inspire and empower the people of God in the non-native role that the Holy Spirit has in every aspect of the life of the Church. The purpose of this mission is to enliven the local church with the life of the Holy Spirit dwelling in them by the grace of the sacraments. The Mission will take place April 13-17, 2008. More information will follow.

DDD: Did you know that every person in the Diocese of Salt Lake has benefited from the Diocesan Development Drive? Since 1966, 37 priests have been supported in the seminary by the DDD. The Diocese of Salt Lake currently has nine men studying to be our priests. Three seminarians will be ordained in 2010. Please be generous in your support.

Offering Envelopes Religious Education

The following children gave of their time, talent and treasure:

- Erica – Helped at school and gave of her treasure.
- Oscar M. – Was loving and forgiving, respectful of others, and gave of his treasure.
- Sam M. – Worked hard to be a good student, made good decisions, and gave of his treasure.
- Nicholas P. - Gave of his treasure.
- Alexander P. – Gave of his treasure.

Children's Offering Envelopes are available: Teaching our children to share their time, talents and treasure with others is a basic teaching of our Church. Using children's offering envelopes teaches them the importance of sharing and helps the children feel part of the larger Catholic community. The envelopes are not dated, so there is no waste. Envelopes can be purchased for \$2.50 a box. The money collected goes to help children's religious education programs at St. Jude Parish in central Utah. See Pam Avery in Vaughan Center or call 485-9324.

So far, the children have contributed \$777.20!

Director of Maintenance Needed: St. Ambrose Parish is looking for a full-time Maintenance Director who will oversee the maintenance of the Church, rectory/offices, grounds and Vaughan Center. For information about the qualifications, duties and salary, please contact the Parish Office during regular business hours. The application deadline is March 1, 2008. (*Humberto, our previous Maintenance Director, is no longer working for St. Ambrose Parish.*)

49er's Club: Board Meeting-Monday, February 25, at 9:30 am in Vaughan Center.

Cathedral of the Madeleine Founder's Day Concert is Sunday, March 2, 2008. Featuring the music of Francis Poulenc, Olivier Messiaen and J. S. Bach. Call 994-4663 for your guaranteed seating pass.

Catholic Schools Week: Catholic Schools across Utah celebrated Catholic Schools Week from January 28-February 1. Activities throughout the week focused on this year's Catholic Schools Week theme, "Catholic Schools Light the Way." The 8th grade class created a colorful slideshow to demonstrate what they have learned from their time at J.E. Cosgriff School. Parents and grandparents were invited to the all school Mass, lunch and to tour the classrooms. Two special guest speakers visited the students on Friday. Sister Germaine, of the Daughters of Charity, visited with students in grade K- 5. Judge Christine Decker spoke to the middle school students. Catholic Schools Week was a great opportunity to gather together as a Catholic school community and reflect upon the benefits of a Catholic school education.



Summer School: Plan your summer activities around J. E. Cosgriff summer school. Classes will run from June 3-June 26, on Monday through Thursday from 9:00 am-2:00 pm. A variety of classes will be offered for Kindergarten through Eighth grade. Watch for a brochure or call the school office @ 486-3197 to have more information sent to your home.

The Judge Bulldog Baseball Team is hosting its second annual Spring Baseball Auction and Carnival on Saturday, March 1st, from 5:00-8:00 pm in the Judge gymnasium. Funds raised will support the team's expenses and assist in updating equipment and facilities. Carnival-style games, food, silent auction items and baseball-related items to purchase. Cost is \$10.00 per person including a food ticket and most games. Silent auction and games open at 5:00 pm. For questions, please contact the Judge Memorial Athletic Department @ 517-2136.

PARISH SUPPORT

Weekly Income needed FY '07-'08	\$9,038
Contributions same week year ago	\$11,469
Contributions last week	\$9,206

FEBRUARY 17, 2008

WEEKDAY READINGS

Monday-Psalm 79:8, 9, 11 & 13; Daniel 9:4b-10; Gospel-Luke 6:36-38.

Tuesday-Psalm 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23; Isaiah 1-10, 16-20; Gospel-Matthew 23:1-12.

Wednesday-Psalm 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Jeremiah 18:18-20; Gospel-Matthew 20:17-28.

Thursday-Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; Jeremiah 17:5-10; Gospel-Luke 16:19-31.

Friday-Psalm 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Gospel-Matthew 16:13-19.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. 2/16 5:00 pm - Jeanne Truxal (Mirabelli family)
Sun. 2/17 8:00 am - Donna Kane (Leo Kane)
10:00 am - Peter O. Marron (Marron family)
12:00 pm - Special intentions of Will Voytovich (Voytovich family)
Mon. 7:00 am - Vern & Elvira Hanson (Francis & Joan Hanson)
Brian Reagan (Joe & Angela Duricy)
Tues. 7:00 am - No Mass Communion Service
*** Joesphine Vieta (Bob Brooks)
Wed. 7:00 am - Dave Dedrickson (Teresa Catlin)
*10:30 am - Bill Muller-recovery (Chris & Kathy Merritt)
Thurs. 7:00 am - Special intentions of Todd Peterson family
**11:00 am - John Kurtyka (his 49er friends)
Fri. 7:00 am - Janet Brennan-recovery (Nancy Brinton)
John Baptist Nguyen (Agnes)
Sat. 2/23 5:00 pm - Ila McGuire (her 49er friends)
Sun. 2/24 8:00 am - Travis Watrous (Dean & Rita Butler)
10:00 am - Nora O' Hara (Voytovich family)
12:00 pm - Special intentions f Brian Reagan family (Mariclare Klein)

*School Mass **Nursing Home Mass

LITURGICAL MINISTRY FOR NEXT WEEK, FEBRUARY 23RD & 24TH

5:00 pm: Lector-Barbara Struhs. E.C.M.-Lou Bertram, Connie Bertram, Trudi Terry. Altar Servers-Evan Collins, Xavier Matheson, Erin Morgan.

8:00 am: Lector-John Panos. E.C.M.-David Hughes, Carol Hughes, Mary Welsh. Altar Servers-Mary McKinlay.

10:00 am: Lector-Linda Itami. E.C.M.-Richard Sievers, Leslie Marks, Rosemary Baron, Pam Sewell. Altar Servers-Evan Bradley, Kaitlin Bradley, Keil Bradley, Mikaela Schmiett.

12:00 pm: Lector-Kathleen Brown. E.C.M.-Dean Betenes, Lynn Jackson, Jim Stanley, Claire Stanley. Altar Servers-Ian Gorrell-Brown, Logan McLaughlin, Keagan McLaughlin.

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1975 South 2300 East
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LORD'S DAY MASS:

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am
10:00 am
12:00 Noon

WEEKDAYS: 7:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30 pm-4:30 pm
(or by appointment)

PASTOR:

Rev. William F. Wheaton

ASSOC. PASTOR:

Rev. Lourduraj Gally

PERMANENT

John Bash

DEACONS:

George Reade

PARISH OFFICE:

2315 Redondo Avenue
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108
485-5610 and 484-3642

PHONES:

HOURS:

8:00 am-4:00 pm (Mon-Thurs)

SECRETARY:

Melanie Elizondo

BOOKKEEPER:

Vicki Bourg

VAUGHAN CENTER: 1929 South 2300 East

DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Pamela Avery (485-9324)

DIRECTOR OF LITURGY AND MUSIC:

Christopher Huntzinger
(209-3387)

BEREAVEMENT & HOMEBOUND:

Dean Betenes (484-8756)

VOLUNTEERS:

Melanie Elizondo (485-5610)

PARISH COUNCIL PRESIDENT:

Dan Adams
463-1516 adams@mech.utah.edu

J. E. COSGRIFF MEMORIAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL:

2335 Redondo Avenue
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108
486-3197

PHONE:

PRINCIPAL:

Betsy Hunt

SECRETARY:

Debbie Fleisch

DIRECTOR OF SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

AND DEVELOPMENT: Kayla Smith

EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM:

Tammie Cleverly (484-8905)

The Catholic Diocese of Salt Lake

is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse, or have been abused by clerics, Church volunteers or Church workers, contact the Division of Child and Family Services @ 1-800-678-9399. For pastoral assistance contact the Diocesan Pastoral Center @ 328-8641.