



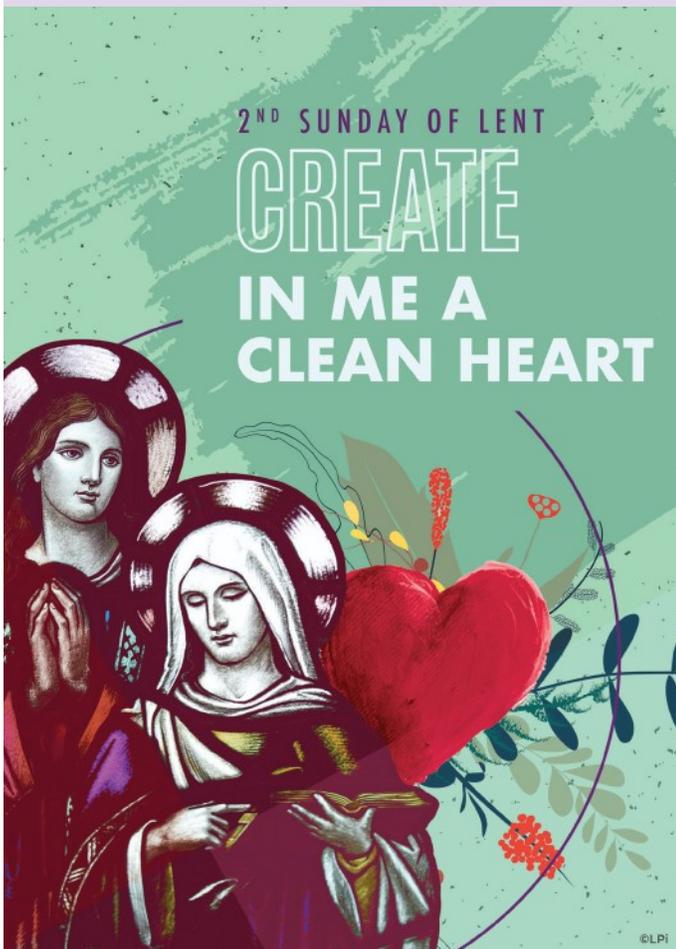
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SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2026 | 2ND SUNDAY IN LENT



When I sit down to answer emails or write a Gospel reflection or return a phone call, I sometimes wonder: Does any of this humdrum work matter? Maybe you ask the same thing about your daily labor. Today's Gospel, the Transfiguration, offers a surprising answer.

Jesus leads Peter, James, and John up a mountain. There, “**his face shone like the sun face and his clothes become white as light**” (Matthew 17:2). That detail regarding his clothes is worth considering.

We know Jesus' body is inseparably united to the divine nature. But his clothing? That's something made by human hands. It's an artifact. And yet it shines with the same uncreated light. What does this detail mean? The early Church noted that Adam and Eve's first act after the Fall was to make clothing. This clothing symbolizes all human labor that supports our dignity. In Jesus' glorified garments, we see not just the redemption of our body, but of human effort to protect and uplift human dignity.

Parents, your family is your work. Baristas, plumbers, nurses, accountants — your labor, your emails, your phone calls, your spreadsheets — can all become radiant when offered to God in love. The question isn't just do I believe in Jesus' glory, but do I believe he can share it with the work of my hands?

Lenten Challenge: Identify the “artifact” you are making to uplift the dignity of others: your job, your home, your relationships. Consciously bring it to the Lord this Sunday at Mass. Offer it to share in His glory. It will begin to shine. —*Father John Muir*, ©LPI

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Mass

—ST. ROSE OF LIMA—
Saturdays: 4:00pm
Sundays: 7:00am & 9:00am
Daily Mass Mon-Sat: 8:30am

—ST. ANTHONY—
Saturdays: 4:00pm
Sundays: 9:00am
Daily Mass Monday: 12:00pm
Daily Mass Wednesday: 5:30pm

—ST. LEO—
Sundays: 11:30am
First Fridays: 12:00pm

Confession

—ST. ROSE OF LIMA—
30 minutes before every Mass
Saturdays: 11:30am-12:30pm

—ST. ANTHONY—
Monday: 11:30am-12:00pm

—ST. LEO—
Sundays: 11:00am & 12:30pm

Rosary

—ST. ROSE OF LIMA—
Monday-Saturdays: 7:30am

—ST. ANTHONY—
Saturdays and Sundays: 30 min
before Masses

Adoration

—ST. ROSE OF LIMA—
Fridays: 9:15am-5:15pm

Stations of the Cross

—ST. ROSE OF LIMA—
Fridays: 5:30pm

The STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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Join us for **Stations of the Cross** at St. Rose on
Fridays at 5:30pm.

Weekly Sacrificial Offerings

	ST. ROSE OF LIMA	ST. ANTHONY
February 22	\$1,596.00	\$371.00

Weekly Mass Intentions

ST. ROSE OF LIMA

Saturday, February 28	8:30am	†	Dolores Martin
Saturday, February 28	4:00pm	†	Urban Kack
Sunday, March 1	7:00am	†	Bill Schmidt
Sunday, March 1	9:00am	†	Pat Novak
Monday, March 2	8:30am	†	Vincent Lee
Tuesday, March 3	8:30am	†	Patsy Lee
Wednesday, March 4	8:30am	†	Brad Lee
Thursday, March 5	8:30am	†	Kevin Lee
Friday, March 6	8:30am	†	Tom Amberg
Saturday, March 7	8:30am	†	Priest's of Diocese of Cheyenne
Saturday, March 7	4:00pm		Fr. Clark Lenz
Sunday, March 8	7:00am		For the Parish
Sunday, March 8	9:00am	†	Ann Dee

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, February 28	4:00pm	†	Bill Schmidt
Sunday, March 1	9:00am		Ridgway Family
Monday, March 2	12:00pm	†	Kayo Hernandez
Wednesday, March 4	5:30pm		Fr. Pete's Intention
Saturday, March 7	4:00pm		For the Parish
Sunday, March 8	9:00am		Barbara Ehlert

Prayer Requests for Sick and Dying

*To update this list, please call or email St. Rose of Lima's Parish Office.

• ST. ROSE OF LIMA •

Chris Aguallo, Adam Kester, Donny Schindler, †Bill Schmidt

FAITH IN ACTION



Lenten Almsgiving Tree

During Lent, we are called to pray, fast, and give alms. St. Rose of Lima CCW is once again sponsoring collecting monetary donations this Lent that will go toward the St. Rose Cookie Jar (emergency funds for those in need) and the Care and Share Food Pantry. The Lenten Almsgiving tree will be set up beginning Ash Wednesday and will continue through Palm Sunday. You can take an envelope off the tree in the back of the church and return it with your donation either in the collection basket or to the parish office anytime between Ash Wednesday and Palm Sunday. Please make checks payable to St. Rose and write "Lenten Almsgiving" in the Memo line. Thank you for your generosity this Lent.

GriefShare

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New session starting March 12, 2026 from 5:30-7:30pm for 13 weeks in the Parish Library. Please pass on the information to those who might want to join. For more information contact Cordy Espelage at 303-263-6537.



St. Anthony's Mass Intentions Needed

We have openings for Mass intentions starting in June. Please call Mercedes at the St. Rose parish office to schedule. Each Mass intention is a \$10 donation.



A Thank You from St. Rose Office

The St. Rose Office extends a heartfelt thank you to everyone who joined us for the Mardi Gras Dinner, to all who brought a dish or donated items, and to those who stayed to help clean. We are grateful for our parishioners, and it was beautiful to see everyone together in fellowship. Wishing you all a blessed Lenten season.



Arnold Quinonez Memorial Scholarship

Applications, sponsored by the Guadalupe Society, are available in the Parish Office or from the school guidance counselors. Applicants must be a member of St. Rose of Lima Parish, a candidate for graduation from high school, a newly entering adult or a continuing education student in an institution of higher education. The scholarship offers a \$500.00 award. Priority deadline is **April 13, 2026**. For questions or assistance contact Margaret Puebla at 307-532-2124.



Knights of Columbus Scholarships

Two \$500 scholarships are available annually from the Knights of Columbus to Catholic students who will be attending an accredited college or university as a full-time student beginning in the fall semester. Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 grade point average and be members of St. Rose, St. Anthony, or St. Leo Parish. Applications may be picked up at the St. Rose Parish Office or by calling Paul Puebla at 307-575-2283. Completed applications must be received by the Knights of Columbus by **April 15, 2026**.

POPE LEO'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH is for *disarmament and peace*:

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

PARISH INFORMATION

COMMUNICATION DEADLINES

Bulletin submissions are due by 7:00am on Mondays. Other communications (website, Flocknote, Facebook) have no deadline, but please allow up to 48 hours for a response. Email all announcement submissions to Marissa and Megan at triparish.bulletins@gmail.com or visit the parish office.

DONATIONS

By using this code you are able to donate electronically to:

- St. Rose of Lima
- St. Anthony
- St. Leo
- St. Rose of Lima CCD General Fund
- St. Rose of Lima CCD Food Fund



HOSPITAL MINISTRY

Do you know a Catholic in the Torrington hospital? Please call the office with their name and room number so we can visit, bring Communion, and offer Anointing.

MAIN STREET MARKET RECEIPTS

We would love your help supporting our Religious Education program! Please

save your Main Street Market receipts. You can find boxes for collecting them in the back of the church, parish office and the religious education building. Thank you for your support!

MASS INTENTIONS

Contact the Parish Office to schedule a Mass intention. Each Mass intention is a \$10 donation.

REGISTER AS A PARISHIONER

Welcome! We hope you feel at home here. Visitors, we pray God's blessings on your journey. If you're looking for a parish community, we'd love to welcome you into our family—please introduce yourself! To register, stop by or call the Parish office.

NURSING HOME MINISTRY

Do you know a Catholic resident at the Torrington nursing home? Let us know! We'd love to visit, bring Communion, and offer Anointing. Residents are also welcome to join us for Mass every Tuesday at 3:00pm.

PRAYER CHAIN

St. Rose of Lima: Contact Mary Agnes

Haagensen at beacon117@yahoo.com or 308-247-9228 to request prayers or join the prayer chain.

St. Anthony: Contact Tim Newton 307-331-4086 and/or Kay Walker 307-836-2928 to request prayers.

PERPETUAL VOTIVE CANDLES

St. Rose perpetual votive candle are available for \$200 per year, and each includes an engraved plate displaying your intention. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Mercedes in the office.

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Parents are required to participate in a pre-baptismal meeting with a priest before the baptism can be scheduled. Please call St. Rose of Lima Parish Office to set up an appointment.

Matrimony: Eight-month preparation program prior to wedding date.

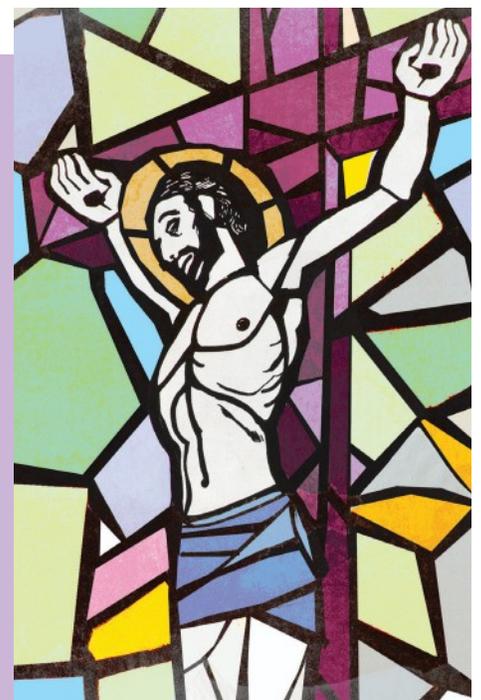
Reconciliation: Confessions are heard daily, 30 minutes before every Mass, and on Saturday from 11:30am-12:30pm. They are held in the confession either face-to-face or behind the screen.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS, EXPLAINED!

In the earliest years of Christianity, the locations central to the story of Holy Week — the Garden of Gethsemane, Calvary, the Holy Sepulcher, and more — were destinations for pilgrims who wanted to experience Christ's sacrificial love for us in a physical way. In the years after the Crusades, pilgrimage to the Holy Land became impossible for most Christians, and the Stations of the Cross was popularized as a devotional means to pray through the passion and death of Christ.

Throughout history the number of stations has varied, with different traditions focusing on different events. In the 18th century, the number was officially fixed at 14 by Pope Clement XII. These stations are taken from the Gospel accounts of Christ's passion and death, though there are several which are derived from tradition and apocryphal sources, such as the meeting of Mother and Son and St. Veronica wiping the face of Christ.

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St. Rose of Lima Ministries

	Feb. 28 - 4:00pm	Mar. 1 - 7:00am	Mar. 1 - 9:00am
Reader	Maureen Baumgartner	Mike McNamee	Holly Lara
Greeters/ Collections	Mary Krause Chris Krause	Rachel Martin Stan Speckner	Lou Kuhnel Marilyn Kuhnel
Eucharistic Ministers	Mary McConnaughey Robert Baumgartner	Mercedes Loya Greg Rutar	Mark Miller Rikki Sanchez Sue Schmidt
Servers	none	none	Aspyn Aragon Andrew Bloemker Daniel Bloemker

Altar Flowers Donated by: No Flowers (Lent)

Homebound Ministers: Donna Charron/Richard & Holly Lara/Greg Rutar

	Mar. 7 - 4:00pm	Mar. 8 - 7:00am	Mar. 8 - 9:00am
Reader	Marcy Cates	Larry Espelage	Mark Miller
Greeters/ Collections	Gretchen Chord Mary Agnes Haagensen	Jim Wagner Greg Rutar	Russell Stienmetz Kendra Stienmetz
Eucharistic Ministers	Maureen Stull Mary McConnaughey	Lou Kuhnel Rachel Martin	Jerry Pauli Colleen Pauli Gloria Fitzsimmons
Servers	none	none	Finley Marsh Jerra Stienmetz Julia Steinmetz

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Homebound Ministers: Donna Charron/Richard & Holly Lara/Rachel Martin

St. Anthony Ministries

	Feb. 28 - 4:00pm	Mar. 1 - 9:00am	
Reader	Marian Jones	Daphne Malcom	If you can not be there, please call a substitute. If you are not included on the schedule, and would like to be, please contact Diana Griffith, 575-2033.
Ushers	Volunteers	Volunteers	
Eucharistic Ministers	Barbara Holiday	Diana Griffith Jon Malcom	
	Mar. 7 - 4:00pm	Mar. 8 - 9:00am	
Reader	Penny Wells	Kay Walker	Jon Malcom will be a substitute reader if needed.
Ushers	Volunteers	Volunteers	
Eucharistic Ministers	Wendy Meredith	Tim Newton Sharon Newton	

St. Rose Weekly Calendar!

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SATURDAY

7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass
11:30am Confessions
4:00pm Vigil Mass

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SUNDAY

2nd Sunday in Lent
7:00am Mass
9:00am Mass

2

MONDAY

7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass
6:30pm K of C Bingo

3

TUESDAY

St. Katharine Drexel
7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass

4

WEDNESDAY

St. Casimir
7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass
4:30pm CCD
—PreK-2nd
6:30pm CCD & YG
—3rd-12th

5

THURSDAY

7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass

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FIRST FRIDAY

7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass
9:15am Adoration
5:30pm Stations



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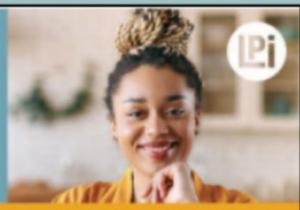


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