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**SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026 | 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY)**

*“Then he said to Thomas, ‘Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.’” (John 20:27)*

**I**n my early 20s, I volunteered at a parish youth group. I witnessed teens encountering Jesus with a fresh, romantic wonder that reminded me of my own teenage conversion. But something had changed in me. I was quietly jaded and cynical. When teens shared stories of encountering Christ, I’d want to sarcastically murmur, “Well, good for you.” I had grown suspicious of the zeal I once knew.

Then we brought the group on a pilgrimage. I was standing in an old church in France, ignoring a long-winded tour guide. I found myself before a crucifix. In that moment, I heard something, not audibly, but unmistakably in my heart: “I came to be your friend ... and you wish to be my enemy? Why do you stand far from me? I suffer gladly for you. I was pierced for you. Why do you run from me?” My heart opened. I saw how cold and cynical I had become. But Jesus had not given up on me. He had returned, and his mercy broke through.

So I can relate to the scoffing — and transformation — of Thomas when the Risen Jesus presents his wounds for inspection. Thomas is not simply doubting; he is guarded, suspicious, even cynical. But Jesus comes to him. No lecture. Just understanding and mercy. He invites Thomas to touch his wounds. This burns away his cynicism like the morning mist.

**Divine Mercy Challenge:** This week, rejoice with someone who is newly alive in faith. If your own heart has grown skeptical or tired, ask Jesus to help you. He will.—*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



## Weekly Sacrificial Offerings

	ST. ROSE OF LIMA	ST. ANTHONY
March 29	\$2,295.00	\$617.00
April 5	\$7,007.00	\$2,604.61

## Weekly Mass Intentions

### ST. ROSE OF LIMA

Saturday, April 11	8:30am	†	Nevada Moehr
Saturday, April 11	4:00pm		Penny Wikum
Sunday, April 12	7:00am	†	Socorro S. Cantu
Sunday, April 12	9:00am		For the Parish
Monday, April 13	8:30am	†	Aurelio, Nattie & Bob Otero
Tuesday, April 14	8:30am	†	Rod Willadson
Wednesday, April 15	8:30am	†	Jesus Sanchez
Thursday, April 16	8:30am		Knights of Columbus
Friday, April 17	8:30am	†	Mary Perkins
Saturday, April 18	8:30am		Louis Kuhnel
Saturday, April 18	4:00pm	†	Manuel Ramos
Sunday, April 19	7:00am		For the Parish
Sunday, April 19	9:00am		First Communicants

### ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, April 11	4:00pm		For the Parish
Sunday, April 12	9:00am		Kay & Mark Walker
Monday, April 13	12:00pm		For the Parish
Wednesday, April 15	5:30pm		Fr. Pete's Intention
Saturday, April 18	4:00pm		JoAnne & Dick Durand
Sunday, April 19	9:00am	†	R.O. & Mary Newton

## Prayer Requests for Sick and Deceased

\*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, Phyllis Piroutek Hinman, Justin Heggem, Toki Castro, Mary Aleman, Mary Jones, Jenny Rodriguez, †Bill Schmidt, †Adrian Loya, †James Sell, †Barbara Pittsley

# FAITH IN ACTION



## 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

One \$1,000 scholarship is available 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**.



## Mock Baby Shower

The Goshen County Right to Life Chapter will host its annual Mock Baby Shower in support of the Life Choice Pregnancy Care Center on **April 18, 2026**, at 2:00 p.m. in the Brand Room at the Rendezvous Event Center. All are invited to attend and enjoy refreshments, games, and prizes. Please bring a new, unwrapped baby gift to donate. The Life Choice Baby Boutique is currently in need of the following items: baby lotion, shampoo, diapers (sizes 4–7), pull-ups, baby thermometers, teething rings, clothing (tops and bottoms in sizes 0–3, 3–6, 6–9, and 9–12 months), spring and summer outfits (newborn to 24 months), socks, blankets, bibs, bottles, pacifiers, pacifier clips, washcloths, burp cloths, grooming kits, and safety items.



## Thank You From St. Rose of Lima

A heartfelt thank you to all our parishioners who donated eggs and candy for this year's Easter Egg Hunt. Because of your generosity, our children enjoyed searching through over 1,300 eggs. The Golden Egg was found by Scarlett from Cheyenne, who attended Easter Mass with the Myer family. The grand prize, generously donated by Torrington Cinemas, included a popcorn bucket, two drink tumblers, and a gift card. We are grateful for every donation, every helping hand, and every joyful spirit that made this tradition special for our parish children. Thank you again, and God bless.



## First Communion Prayer Cards

You will find prayer cards in the back of the church for each of our nine 2026 First Communicants. Please feel free to take one or more and keep these children in your prayers as they prepare for and celebrate this very special day on **Sunday, April 19** at 9:00am.

As a parish family, we are blessed to witness the beauty of this sacred sacrament—when these young members of our community receive the Eucharist for the first time. Their joy and faith are a powerful reminder to all of us of the grace and wonder of Christ's presence among us.

## POPE LEO'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR APRIL is for *priests in crisis*:

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

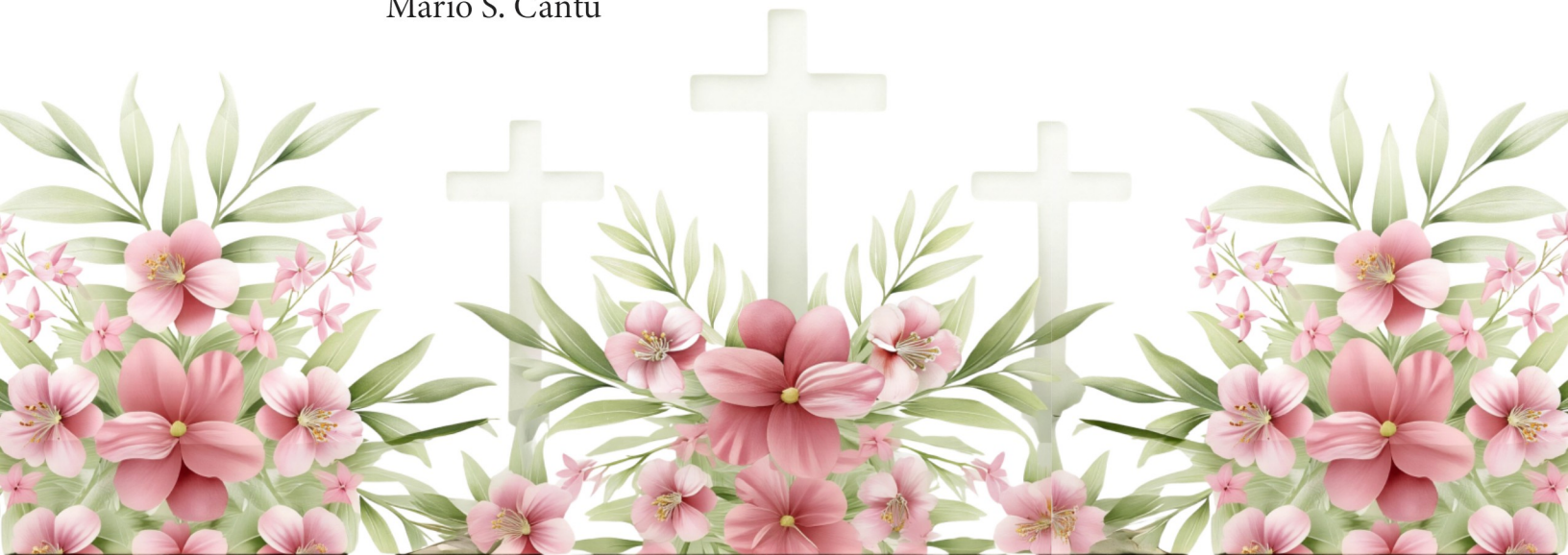
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| †Boden Barnes              | †Gregorio & Carmen Loya     |
| †Baumgartner Family        | †Yolanda Loya               |
| †Socorro S. Cantu          | †Harold & MaryLou Markle    |
| †Sam Cochran               | †Ruth Louise Murrell        |
| †DeLancey Family           | †Dan Peterson               |
| †George Fleck Jr.          | †Tomasia Ramirez            |
| †Virginia Fleck            | †Albert & Catherine Reindl  |
| †Rudy Garcia               | †Rudy & Mildred Rutar       |
| †Emma Gene Gauvain         | †Jesus Sanchez              |
| †Robert Gauvain            | †Conrad Servantez           |
| †Anastacia Hernandez       | †Betsy Soeth                |
| †Alvin & Joanna Krutsch    | †Vern Ella & Kari Lee Stull |
| †Todd Leach                | †Mary & Doug Williamson     |
| †Antonio & Celestina Lopez |                             |

*In Honor of . . .*

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|------------------------|----------------|
| Mary & Fernando Alemán | Oscar S. Cantu |
| Betty Blasius          | Raul C. Cantu  |
| David S. Cantu         | Carol Soeth    |
| Mario S. Cantu         |                |



# St. Rose of Lima Ministries

	Apr. 11 - 4:00pm	Apr. 12 - 7:00am	Apr. 12 - 9:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Chris Krause	Mike McNamee	Russell Stienmetz
<b>Greeters/ Collections</b>	Judy Krug Henrietta Clutter	Joe Landeros Jim Wagner	Sue Schmidt Mandy Bloemker
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Robert Baumgartner Mary Krause	Alyce Jolovich Greg Rutar	Holly Lara Rich Lara Mark Miller
<b>Servers</b>	none	none	Niola Hernandez Eliseo Hernandez Finley Marsh

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**Homebound Ministers:** Rich and Holly Lara/Mercedes Loya/Sue Schmidt

	Apr. 18 - 4:00pm	Apr. 19 - 7:00am	Apr. 19 - 9:00am
<b>Reader</b>	Maureen Baumgartner	Larry Espelage	Kendra Stienmetz
<b>Greeters/ Collections</b>	Teresa Baros Ecil Reyes	Lou Kuhnel Marilyn Kuhnel	Mary Krause Chris Krause
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Maureen Stull Mary McConnaughey	Mercedes Loya Rachel Martin	Holly Hatley Mandy Bloemker Dane Griggs
<b>Servers</b>	none	none	Aspyn Aragon Josie Griggs Chapo Chavez

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**Homebound Ministers:** Mercedes Loya/Greg Rutar/Sue Schmidt

# St. Anthony Ministries

	Apr. 11 - 4:00pm	Apr. 12 - 9:00am	
<b>Reader</b>	Marian Janas	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.
<b>Ushers</b>	Volunteers	Volunteers	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Sarah Seyfang	Diana Griffith Jon Malcom	
	Apr. 18 - 4:00pm	Apr. 19 - 9:00am	
<b>Reader</b>	Penny Wells	Kay Walker	Jon Malcom will be a substitute reader if needed.
<b>Ushers</b>	Volunteers	Volunteers	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Ron Parker	Tim Newton Sharon Newton	

# St. Rose Weekly Calendar!

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**SATURDAY** *within the Octave of Easter*  
**7:30am** Rosary  
**8:30am** Divine Mercy Novena  
**11:30am** Confessions  
**4:00pm** Vigil Mass

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**SUNDAY**  
*Divine Mercy Sunday*  
**7:00am** Mass  
**9:00am** Mass  
**10:00am** OLG Meeting  
**3:00pm** Divine Mercy  
**4:00pm** K of C Meeting

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**MONDAY**  
*St. Martin I*  
**7:30am** Rosary  
**8:30am** Mass  
**6:30pm** K of C Bingo

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**TUESDAY**  
**7:30am** Rosary  
**8:30am** Mass

15

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

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**THURSDAY**  
**7:30am** Rosary  
**8:30am** Mass

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



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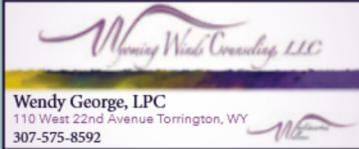
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