



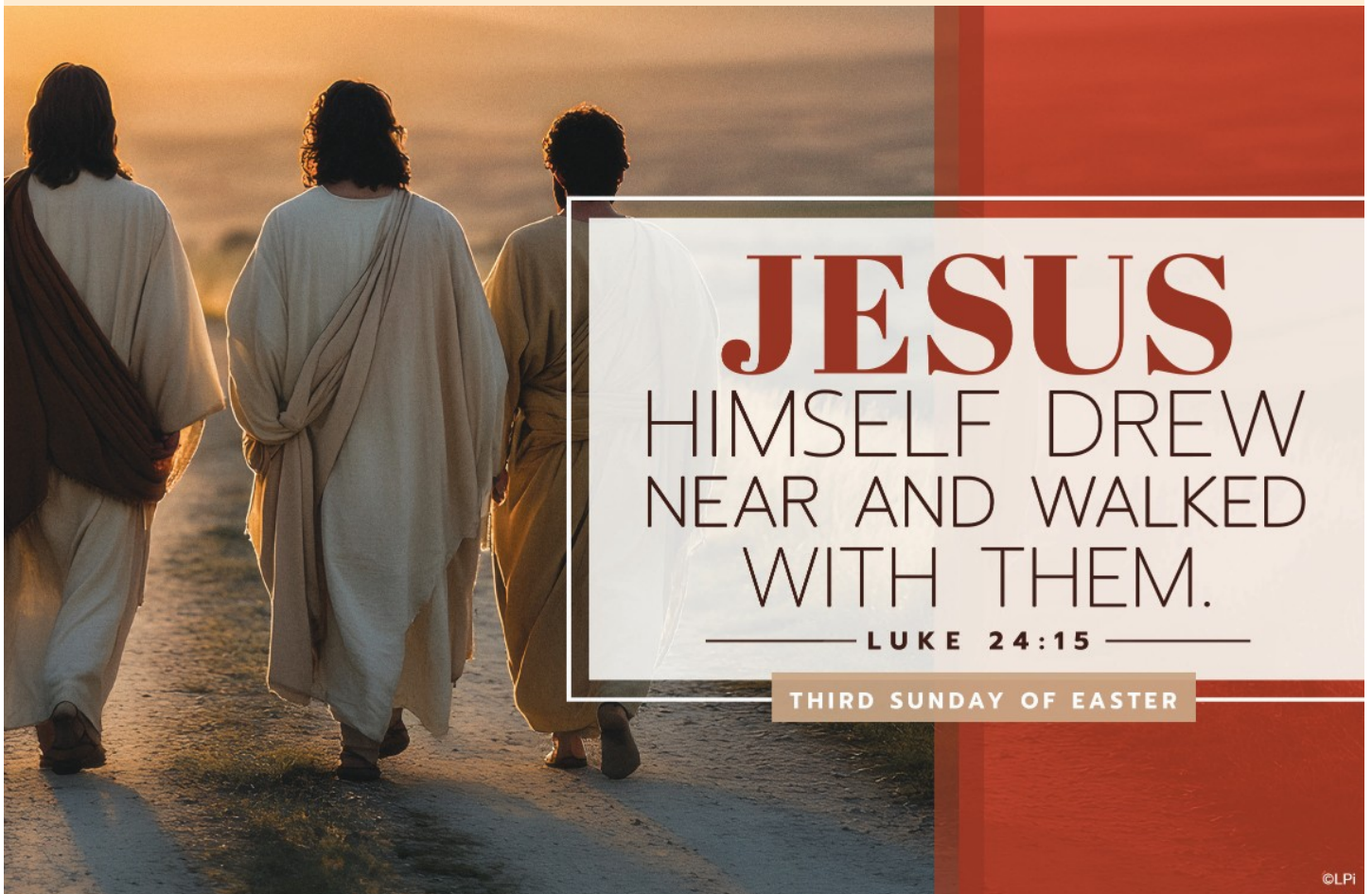
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SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026 | 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER



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HIMSELF DREW
NEAR AND WALKED
WITH THEM.

— LUKE 24:15 —

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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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: 6:00pm
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



SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 9:00AM MASS

Weekly Sacrificial Offerings

| | ST. ROSE OF LIMA | ST. ANTHONY | ST. LEO |
|----------|------------------|-------------|------------|
| April 12 | \$2,487.00 | \$701.41 | \$1,275.26 |

Weekly Mass Intentions

ST. ROSE OF LIMA

| | | | |
|---------------------|--------|---|-----------------------------|
| 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 |
| Monday, April 20 | 8:30am | † | Socorro S. Cantu |
| Tuesday, April 21 | 8:30am | | Stan Speckner |
| Wednesday, April 22 | 8:30am | † | Aruelio, Nattie & Bob Otero |
| Thursday, April 23 | 8:30am | † | Aurora Mia Meyerhofer |
| Friday, April 24 | 8:30am | | Tinker Clark |
| Saturday, April 25 | 8:30am | † | Mary Perkins |
| Saturday, April 25 | 4:00pm | † | Dora Ramos |
| Sunday, April 26 | 7:00am | † | Maggie Ramos |
| Sunday, April 26 | 9:00am | † | Joe Zavorka |

ST. ANTHONY

| | | | |
|---------------------|---------|---|------------------------|
| Saturday, April 18 | 6:00pm | | JoAnne & Dick Durand |
| Sunday, April 19 | 9:00am | † | R.O. & Mary Newton |
| Monday, April 20 | 12:00pm | | Cristelli Family |
| Wednesday, April 22 | 5:30pm | | Fr. Pete's Intention |
| Saturday, April 25 | 6:00pm | | For the Parish |
| Sunday, April 26 | 9:00am | † | Steve & Jean Patik Jr. |

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 Agualló, Adam Kester, Donny Schindler, Phyllis Piroutek Hinman,
Toki Castro, Mary Aleman, Mary Jones, Jenny Rodriguez,
†Bill Schmidt, †Adrian Loya, †James Sell, †Barbara Pittsley

FAITH IN ACTION



St. Anthony Mass Change

Fr. Pete will celebrate Mass at St. Anthony's on Saturdays at 6:00pm, instead of 4:00pm, beginning April 18, 2026, through the summer season.



First Communion Mass

St. Rose's First Communion Mass will be celebrated this **Sunday, April 19, at 9:00am**, with a reception to follow. All are welcome to join us for this special occasion. Nine children will receive the Eucharist for the first time—please keep them in your prayers as they reach this important milestone in their faith journey.

We are so grateful to Kendra Stienmetz for lovingly teaching and preparing the class; to Father Ray for his time with the students, especially in the Sacrament of Reconciliation; to Michelle Marlatt and Claire Bloemker for their beautiful music that will help make the Mass especially meaningful; to Mark Marlatt for live-streaming and recording the Mass; and to Kelly Greenwald and CCW for planning and organizing the reception.



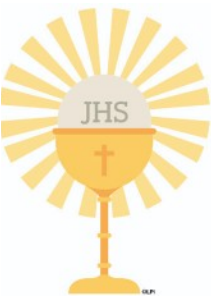
Altar Server Training

Anyone who has received their first communion is old enough to be an altar server. If you or your child is interested in this ministry, or if your child would like a refresher course in serving, there will be an altar server training on **April 29 at 5:30pm**. This is a great time for all of our first communicants to join this ministry. When you serve at Mass, you serve Jesus Himself! If you have any questions, please contact Mandy at 307-575-9626.



Graduation Mass

St. Rose's 2026 Graduation Mass will be celebrated on **Sunday, May 3, at 9:00am**. We look forward to honoring and praying for our graduating seniors as they reach this exciting new chapter in their lives. If you would like your senior to participate in the Mass and/or be recognized in the bulletin, please contact Megan Griggs at 402-750-1035 or mgriggs@dcwy.org by April 22. Please join us as we celebrate and support our graduates on this special occasion.



The Eucharist

On days such as this, we recall miracles like the wedding feast at Cana or the multiplication of the loaves. Perhaps we remember the road to Emmaus, when Jesus was made known "in the breaking of the bread." In these stories, God satisfies our hunger in a supernatural way. But the cry of the human heart goes much deeper. "Man cannot live on bread alone," after all. In the Eucharist, God's supernatural presence takes the form of physical food. In the absence of physical nourishment, the body slowly begins to break down. Without an intentional pursuit of spiritual nourishment, our souls will similarly suffer. Our inner lives need rest and rejuvenation. We need daily connection with our Creator. We need to receive from the One who feeds us. The radical reality of the Eucharist speaks to our deeper aches, to the God who alone satisfies. ©LPi

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.

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.

THE STORY THAT NEVER ENDS

The biggest mistake we can make as Christians is to think that the Resurrection is the end of the story.

Of course we know, logically, that it isn't — there are whole books of the Bible that come after it, detailing not just the activities and teachings of the Risen Christ, but the development of the early Church and the Gospel's first baby steps into the wider world. We know this.

But sometimes we don't act like it.

The thing is, we like stories that can be tied up neatly in a bow. It's why "happily ever after" is a thing. These tidy endings are especially satisfying following an emotional gut punch

and a twist — for instance, let's say the crucifixion of the story's hero and a gotcha! moment where it turns out he's not dead after all. Drinks all around! And...scene. The curtain falls.

But the curtain didn't fall. It still hasn't.

Look at Cleopas. He has heard the testimony of people he knew, people he trusted — and yet, he's in a world of confusion. He's stumbling along the road, wondering what to believe.

Christ gave us "happily ever after." But what do you do with "happily ever after?" What do you do with the Resurrection? What do you do with salvation?

The Resurrection left loose ends — not



because it was insufficient, but because it was not a final chapter. So being a Christian means embracing the life of a loose end. It means figuring out what to do with the Resurrection, with salvation, with forgiveness — with this hard-won "happily ever after" that is a gift but also a commission.

Because the curtain is still up, and we are all characters in the Greatest Story Ever Told.

So, what's the next scene? —©LPi

St. Rose of Lima Ministries

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

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Homebound Ministers: Mercedes Loya/Greg Rutar/Sue Schmidt

| | Apr. 25 - 4:00pm | Apr. 26 - 7:00am | Apr. 26 - 9:00am |
|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| Reader | Marcy Cates | Lori Hofer | Gloria F. & Fabian H. |
| Greeters/ Collections | Gretchen Chord Mary Agnes Haagensen | Kelly Greenwald Stan Speckner | Megan Griggs Dane Griggs |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Mary Anne Smith Robert Baumgartner | Greg Rutar Lou Kuhnel | Jerry Pauli Colleen Pauli Mark Miller |
| Servers | none | none | Izzi Prah Mariana Sanchez Brinley Krause |

Altar Flowers Donated by: Kelly Greenwald & Tam McAnelly

Homebound Ministers: Rachel Martin/ Greg Rutar/ Sue Schmidt

St. Anthony Ministries

| | Apr. 18 - 6:00pm | Apr. 19 - 9:00am | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Reader | Penny Wells | Kay Walker | 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 | Ron Parker | Tim Newton Sharon Newton | |
| | Apr. 25 - 6:00pm | Apr. 26 - 9:00am | |
| Reader | Barbara Holiday | Antonio Padilla | Jon Malcom will be a substitute reader if needed. |
| Ushers | Volunteers | Volunteers | |
| Eucharistic Ministers | Barbara Holiday | Mark Miller Antonio Padilla | |

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

3rd Sunday of Easter
7:00am Mass
9:00am First Holy Communion Mass & Brunch to follow

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MONDAY

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

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TUESDAY

St. Anselm
7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass

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WEDNESDAY

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

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THURSDAY

St. George
St. Adalbert
7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass

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FRIDAY

St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
7:30am Rosary
8:30am Mass
9:15am Adoration
5:30pm Stations



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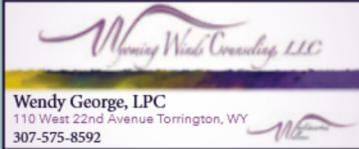
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