



St. Ambrose Catholic Church

SEPTEMBER 17, 2023
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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

CHURCH LOCATION:

1975 South 2300 East,
Salt Lake City, Utah 84108

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 9:00 am
5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30 am
11:00 am
5:00 pm
Weekdays 7:00 am
Holy Days (see inside)
Wednesday 6:00 pm
(Tridentine
Latin Mass)

CONFESSIONS:

Wednesday from 3:00-5:00 pm
Saturday from 3:00-4:40 pm

PASTOR:

Rev. Erik Richtsteig

DEACONS:

John Bash (retired)
Steven Neveraski

PARISH COUNCIL:

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ParishCoPres@gmail.com

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801-209-3387

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385-446-6581

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Sarah Maland
801-485-9324

PARISH OFFICE:

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Salt Lake City, Utah 84108
801-485-5610
paroff@xmission.com

PARISH SCHOOL:

J.E. Cosgriff Memorial Catholic School
Mary Thorne, Principal
801-486-3197



24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times." - Mt 18:21-22

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Find everything you need to know about Saint Ambrose Parish activities, Facebook, ministries, priest and deacons, lay staff, and calendars all in one place! It's easy and intuitive to navigate. Stay informed about our parish events, and announcements!

View Mass online at the following link: <https://www.stambrosecatholicchurch.org/sunday-mass>

Sunday Mass for the current week is typically available by 8:00 AM each Sunday morning.

**ADORATION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT**
Tuesdays 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

*"Forgive your neighbor's injustice;
then when you pray, your own sins
will be forgiven."*

— Sirach 28:2



It's so easy to hold a grudge. Often, we might think it feels better to hold on to our resentment and seek pity for the ways we have been wronged. But of course, this is not what God wants for us. Jesus Himself said, "be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect" (Matthew 5:48). Of course, we as humans will inevitably fail in our pursuit of perfection. But that doesn't mean we should stop striving to achieve it. Come, be strengthened to continue in your efforts toward perfection. Adoration is available to all every Tuesday and on First Fridays from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM.

Sign ups for Tuesday Adoration are now open through February 2024. Access the sign up by clicking on any Tuesday Adoration event on the calendar on the homepage of our website. Contact Mary Pat at adorationatstambrose@gmail.com with any questions.

Join us for Coffee and Doughnuts in the social hall after Sunday 8:30 am and 11:00 am Masses. This is a great time to get to know other parishioners or get reacquainted with some you may not have seen for awhile.

Donations toward the cost of refreshments are welcome and **volunteers are needed!** Contact Bruce Baron if you would like to volunteer to help during the year: baron84108@gmail.com



Parish Religious Education

Registration is now open for the 2023-2024 school year. Scan the QR code below or go to <https://forms.gle/W2PZSfDzKw4e6PreA> to register your student. We have classes from Pre-school (3 years old) through 12th grade. **Please note: each student must be registered separately.**



Classes began last week! Register ASAP to ensure your student doesn't miss out on this important instruction in our Catholic faith. Registration will be open until October.

Pray for the living and the dead

Mass Intentions are a way for us to remember and pray as a community for our loved ones—living or deceased. **All masses are \$10.00.** We are now scheduling intentions for 2024. If you have intentions for specific dates, please let us know ASAP to ensure the dates are still available. Call the rectory at 801-485-5610 to schedule an intention.



In Loving Memory

We express our sympathy to the families of:

Clark Giles

and

Emily Norton

May they rest in Christ's peace.

Bible Bits

September 17, 2023

Sirach 27:30—28:7 is the First Reading for this Sunday. Sirach is one of the nine books or portions of books not found in most Bibles of Protestants. These books are sometimes referred to as “apocryphal” (i.e., of doubtful authenticity), which is not true. Note: all of these books or book portions are in the Old Testament and were originally written in Greek. Catholics refer to these writings as “deuterocanonical” (second canon), and they are considered by the Church to be somewhat “less important” but fully inspired by God. All of the Old Testament was translated into the Greek language beginning in the 3rd century B.C. and was completed in or near 132 B.C. That translation is known as the Septuagint (LXX) because of its legendary 70 translators. It was the Bible of the early Church, and it contained all of the deuterocanonical writings including Sirach. Notice 28:2: “Forgive your neighbor’s injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven.” Sound familiar? See Matthew 6:12.



Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic Church?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) meets Tuesdays at 7:00 pm in the Vaughan Center.

This Week’s Topic: Divine Revelation

If God, the all-powerful Creator of the Universe, loves us, then how does He communicate with us? The answer is surprising, yet it establishes an essential part of what we believe as Catholics.

If you or someone you know have been considering learning more about Catholicism or thinking about joining the Church, come check out RCIA at St. Ambrose! For more information and to be added to our RCIA mailing list, contact Sarah Maland at 801-485-9324 or by e-mail at stambrosehbbc@gmail.com.

Church History Taught from a Solidly Catholic Perspective!



Church History Study on Thursdays

Come learn about the major people, places, and events in our Church’s 2,000-plus-year-history. Our study of Church History meets Thursday evenings at 7 PM in the Vaughan Center, and will run through March 2024. **It’s not too late to join!** If you are interested in attending, please contact Sarah Maland at 801-485-9324 or stambrosehbbc@gmail.com. There is a \$30 fee to cover the cost of materials. *Please note: We will not meet this week. See you September 28th!*



40 DAYS FOR LIFE
THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION

Kick-Off Prayer Rally
September 26 @
5:00pm at Planned

Parenthood Metro. Supplies available. 2023 Fall Campaign—September 27 – November 5, you’re invited to join other Christians world-wide for 40 Days for Life to transform our world.

- **Prayer and Fasting:** 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion.
- **Peaceful Vigils:** You’re also invited to stand and peacefully pray one hour a week with a buddy for the end of abortion in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood Metro (160 S. 1000 East). Sign up on the website (below) TODAY or just show up when you can.
- **Community Outreach:** Help spread the word about this important community outreach. E-mail (below) to request Yard signs and other supplies.

Contact: Barbara Granja,
SLC40DaysforLife@gmail.com, 385-799-5433
Sign up TODAY - 40daysforlife.com/SaltLakeCity

SACRIFICIAL GIVING For SEPTEMBER 2-3

Contributions Envelope/Basket	\$4,733
Automatic Electronic Contributions	\$1,145
Total Contributions September 2-3	\$5,878
School Collection '23-'24 FY to Date	\$795

SACRIFICIAL GIVING FOR SEPTEMBER 9-10

Contributions Envelope/Basket	\$6,634
Automatic Electronic Contributions	\$1,155
Total Contributions September 9-10	\$7,789

School Collection '23-'24 FY to date **\$905**

Thank you for your generosity!

Prayer Requests: Mark Andreas, Mary Kay Artz, Jubilee Ashby, Judy Pignanelli-Barrere, Dcn. John Bash, Christie Bogle, Grant Bradfield, Liam Brady, Karen Byrne, Mel Calvert, **Esther Cendejas, Danny Clyne**, Debbie Collins, Michael Davies, Mary Divver, John Dwan, Jim Ehleringer, Terry F. Fox, Dan Fuehring, Courtney Fullmer, Mary Jean C. Gallegos, Adon, Ariel, Bernie, & Gerry Garcia, Maxine Giovacchini, Melvin Gortatowski, Valerie Green, Ann Gregory, Cindy Griff, Kristie Griffiths, Virginia Gullledge, Beth Hambrick, Evert House, Jonathan Hulbert, Linda Itami, Annette Kane, Robert Keller, Mariclare Klein, John Klinetop, Guy Lacy, Bruce Lambert, Bibianna Lee, Sujin Lee, Shay Meh, Tim Moe, Henriette Mohebbi, Pat Moore, Lisa Morris, Richard Nolin, Dorothy Pendleton, Debra Ann Peters, Sandra Raucci, Denny Reeves, Corbin Richey, Grace Rohland, Edward Scozzare, Marilee Schary, Lucy Schreck, Garth Smith, Marie Suchyta, Hilary Waldon, Steve Walker, Stacy Walther, Cory Wilson, Tiffany Young, Vi Yelderman, James W. Zeberlein, Sr.

Bold: Newly Added

Carmelite Fair

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17

11:00 AM TO 5:00 PM

CARMELITE MONASTERY • 5714 HOLLADAY BLVD. • 801-277-6075 • www.carmelslc.org/carmelite-fair/

- Food
- Golf Tournament
- Family Fun
- 5K
- Entertainment
- Childrens Games
- Live & Silent Auctions
- Handmade Goods
- Carmelite Candy

FAIR SCHEDULE

8:00 am - 9:00 am: 5K Run/Walk
 9:00 am - 4:00 pm: Silent Auction
 10:30 am: First shuttle bus pick up
 11:00 am: Fair starts with opening prayer and flag ceremony
 12:00 pm: Angelus prayer by the Sisters
 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm: Live Auction
 5:00 pm: Prize drawing and fair ends
 5:30 pm: Last bus leaves the monastery

ENTERTAINMENT

11:00 am New York based Jazz Entertainer Emilee Floor
 12:00 pm WCS Wibes - JT Swing
 12:30 pm Utako Triskalariak (Utah Basque Dancers)
 1:00 pm Passion Flamenca (Tablado Dance Company)
 3:00 pm Utah Pipe Band
 3:30 pm OPA Greek Dancers
 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm: Higher Ground Jazz Band will perform in the dining area

Healing After Contraception Free Online Retreat Hosted by One More Soul will be a free pre-recorded virtual event that tells the truth about wounds caused by contraception and sterilization and provides a path to healing. This FREE event will run from Thursday September 21 to Friday September 29, 2023. Each day of the event, new video(s) will be released. Participants can log in anytime and view the new content. Most talks last 30-45 minutes. Various speakers will discuss and share their personal stories about the physical, emotional, and spiritual wounds that come from contraception and sterilization. Moreover, they will bring a message of healing, hope, forgiveness, conversion, and love. Learn more and sign up for the retreat at the retreat webpage here: <https://healing-after-contraception-retreat.onemoresoul.com/>



Afternoon Toddler Class

Monday - Thursday 12:30 - 3:00 pm
 2 day and 4 day options available

OPENINGS AVAILABLE!!

Focusing on 8 Key Components:

- VOCABULARY EXPANSION
- GROSS MOTOR DEVELOPMENT
- CATHOLIC VALUES
- FINE MOTOR DEVELOPMENT
- TEAM WORK
- ORAL LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT
- MAKING FRIENDS
- SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL GROWTH

Contact Admissions
 Director
 Heather Burns
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 801-486-3197



Visit cosgriff.org to find out more!!

MINISTRY FOR NEXT WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 23 - 24

SATURDAY

5:00 pm: Lector - Edward Makowski

SUNDAY

8:30 am: Lector - Richard Sievers

11:00 am: Lector - Adon and Tillie Garcia

5:00 pm: Lector - Please Sign Up

Confessions:

Wednesday afternoon: 3:00-5:00 pm

Saturday afternoon: 3:00-4:40 pm

PARISH EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 18 - 24

Rosary follows 7:00 AM weekday Masses

Monday, September 18

7:00 am Mass church

Tuesday, September 19

7:00 am Mass church

8:00 am Adoration church

7:00 pm RCIA Precatechumenate VC

Wednesday, September 20

7:00 am Mass church

8:45 am Cosgriff All-School Mass church

3:00 pm Confession church

6:00 pm Latin Mass church

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal VC

Thursday, September 21

7:00 am Mass church

Friday, September 22

7:00 am Mass church

Saturday, September 23

9:00 am Mass church

9:45 am Prayer Group church

3:00 pm Confession church

5:00 pm Mass church

Sunday, September 17

8:30 am Mass church

9:45 am Religious Education Classes school

10:15 am Choir Rehearsal VC

11:00 am Mass church

12:00 noon Baptism church

5:00 pm Mass church



MASS INTENTIONS – SEPTEMBER 16 - 24



Sat., Sep. 16 Sts. Cornelius, pope, & Cyprian, bishop, martyrs

9:00 am † Derrell Kelch (Debra Beltran)

5:00 pm Intentions of Joe Drew (Lynn Rohland)

Sunday, Sep. 17 TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (OT)

8:30 am † James Michael Bledsoe (Knights of Columbus)

11:00 am For the People of St. Ambrose

5:00 pm Intentions of Mary Kay Artz (Mary Beth Andrews)

Monday, September 18 Twenty-fourth Monday in OT

7:00 am TBA

Tuesday, September 19 Twenty-fourth Tuesday in OT

7:00 am † Jon Richey (Lynn Rohland)

Wednesday, Sep. 20 Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-Gon, priest, & Paul Chong Ha-sang, & companions, martyrs

7:00 am TBA

8:45 am * School Mass

6:00 pm Latin Mass

Thursday, Sep. 21 ST. MATTHEW, APOSTLE & EVANGELIST

7:00 am TBA

Friday, September 22 Twenty-fourth Friday in OT

7:00 am Intentions of Patricia Jachim (Mary Serge)

Saturday, September 23 St. Pius of Pietrelcina, priest

9:00 am TBA

5:00 pm † Josephine Mirabelli (The Mirabelli Family)

Sunday, September 24 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30 am † Mildred Reagan (Christine Stang)

11:00 am For the People of St. Ambrose

5:00 pm † Erno Daniel (Alexa Maland)

† Masses for the Deceased

* School Mass



SCRIPTURE READINGS – SEPTEMBER 16 - 24



Sat., Sep. 16	1 - I Timothy 1:15-17 Gospel - Luke 6:43-49
Sun., Sep. 17	1 - Sirach 27:30—28:7 2 - Romans 14:7-9 Gospel - Matthew 18:21-35
Mon., Sep. 18	1 - I Timothy 2:1-8 Gospel - Luke 7:1-10
Tue., Sep. 19	1 - I Timothy 3:1-13 Gospel - Luke 7:11-17
Wed., Sep. 20	1 - I Timothy 3:14-16 Gospel - Luke 7:31-35
Thu., Sep. 21	1 - Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13 Gospel - Matthew 9:9-13
Fri., Sep. 22	1 - I Timothy 6:2c-12 Gospel - Luke 8:1-3
Sat., Sep. 23	1 - I Timothy 6:13-16 Gospel - Luke 8:4-15
Sun., Sep. 24	1 - Isaiah 55:6-9 2 - Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a Gospel - Matthew 20:1-16a

