ST. HENRY CATHOLIC CHURCH FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 30, 2025

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> **DAILY MASSES** As scheduled in the Bulletin

SUNDAY MASSES Saturday Evening: 5:00 p.m. Sunday Morning: 8:15 a.m.

CONFESSIONS Saturday 4:15 – 4:45pm or by appointment.

THIS WEEK AT ST. HENRY

Monday, March 31, 2025 Mass: 8:15 a.m. +Mary Dawson-Burrows

Tuesday, April 1, 2025 Mass: 8:15 a.m. +Josephine Thompson

Wednesday, April 2, 2025 Rosary for Vocations at 8:15 a.m.

> Thursday, April 3, 2025 Mass: 8:15 a.m. **+Ron Gray**

Friday, April 4, 2025 Mass: 8:15 a.m. **+Pete Dawson**

Saturday, April 5, 2025 Mass: 5:00 p.m. St. Henry Parish Family

Sunday, April 6, 2025 Mass: 8:15 a.m. **+Travis Williams**

STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

The stewardship message in the parable of the Prodigal Son is that it is never too late to become a good steward. Blessed is the elder brother who had been a good steward all along, but blessed, too, is the prodigal who had to lose all he had in order to understand the value of what he'd been given.

Your Gift of Praise of God

Please take a few moments to prayerfully consider the many ways the Lord has blessed you this week!

STEWARDSHIP OF YOUR TREASURE MONTHLY OPERATING ACCOUNT

Projected expenses for March	\$19,084.62
Amount received for March	\$15,270.00
Sunday Envelopes	\$2,630.00
Number of Families	105
Envelopes received for the week.	32

Thank you for your generosity – may the Lord bless and reward you for the good you do!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MARCH 29 AND MARCH 30 SATURDAY 5:00 PM

LECTOR.....Debbie Hobbs GIFT BEARERS.....Jason Renaud Family

SUNDAY 8:15 AM

LECTOR.....Kim Small GIFT BEARERS.....Roy Holland Family

> LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR APRIL 5 AND APRIL 6 SATURDAY 5:00 PM

LECTOR.....David Renaud GIFT BEARERS.....Andrew Bryant Family

SUNDAY 8:15 AM

LECTORBobbie Holland GIFT BEARERS....Sheila Shankle

NEWS FOR MARCH 30

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/ CONFESSION

You are invited and encouraged to make use of the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession as part of your personal spiritual preparations for Easter! Confession is available on Saturday afternoons in the church from 4:15-4:45pm or by appointment (please contact Father David). The opportunity for Confession will also be available THIS Sunday, March 30, from 2:00-3:00pm. May the grace of God and the cleansing of our souls from sin deepen our faith and love for the Lord and for each other!

ST. HENRY SPRING SCIENCE FAIR

Everyone is invited to attend the St. Henry Spring Science Fair which will be held in the school gym THIS Thursday, April 3, from 5:30-6:30pm. The kids have been working really hard on their projects! Stop by and see the many new things they have learned through their hard work!

LENTEN FISH FRY

The St. Henry School/Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fry is scheduled for THIS Friday, April 4. Mark your calendars and plan to attend! A "Donation Poster" is available at the back of the church if you would like to donate the needed items. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated!

SPRING MUSICAL

Notre Dame Regional High School is excited to announce their Spring Musical production of "The Sound Of Music"! Performances will be held on April 3, 4, and 5 at 7:00pm in the Cynthia King Performance Hall on the campus of Notre Dame. There will also be a "matinee" on Sunday, April 6, at 3:00pm. Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased online OR at the door. Come and enjoy the talents of our students!

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We will have Eucharistic Adoration THIS Friday, April 4, beginning at 9:00am and concluding with Benediction at 12:30pm. We will also have our monthly Holy Hour on Monday evening, April 7, from 6:00-7:00pm. Consider spending some time in prayer and adoration of our Eucharistic Lord!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please note that there will NOT be Stations of the Cross THIS Friday evening, April 4, due to the Fish Fry. There WILL be Stations at 2:20 in the afternoon with the school children!

EASTER EGG HUNT

All children are invited to attend the Easter Egg Hunt which will be held after the Morning Mass NEXT Sunday, April 6! Bring your baskets for a great time!

PCCW MEETING

All ladies of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend our next PCCW Meeting which will be held on Tuesday, April 8, at 6:00pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

JUBILATION JAZZ CONCERT

The musical group "Jubilation Jazz" will again be performing a FREE community concert in St. Henry School Gym on Friday, April 11, at 7:00pm in conjunction with the Dogwood/ Azalea Festival. This was a "hit" for our community and school family last year! If anyone would like to help support and "underwrite" this concert with their expenses, please contact the School Office (573-683-6218). Any donations and support you can give is greatly appreciated! May God Bless You!

SPRING DINNER

St. Joseph Parish in Scott City is hosting their Spring Dinner on Sunday, April 13, from 10:3am – 1:00pm. The menu includes fried chicken, chicken & dumplings, chicken & dressing, green beans, slaw, dessert, and drink. The cost is \$15 for adults, \$7 for children (6-12), and FREE for children 5 and under. You have the option to dine in OR carry out. Come and enjoy a great meal!

ST. HENRY GOLF TOURNAMENT

The Annual St. Henry Golf Tournament will be held at the Charleston Country Club on Friday, April 25, beginning at NOON! Registration and lunch begin at 11:00am. For more information, please see the flier on the vestibule bulletin board. This is always a fun and exciting fundraiser for St. Henry School! Thanks to all of you for your support and generosity in making this a successful event for our school family!

EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to make a donation to help purchase Easter Flowers for the church, please use the envelope included with your contribution packet OR enclose your donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" and include your name and the name (s) of the person (s) being remembered by your offering. You may drop your envelope in the collection basket located at the entrances of the church. Thanks!

HISTORY BOOK SPONSOR

We are getting closer to a final review/edit of our Parish 150th Anniversary History Book! If you happened to purchase a sponsorship on the DAY of the Anniversary Picnic in July, 2023, please contact Father David. Some of the sponsorship forms may have not ended up in the correct place, so we want to make sure that everyone who purchased a sponsorship will have their name printed in the book. Thanks and God Bless!

REVERENCE IN CHURCH

Please maintain a spirit of respect and reverence in the church after the weekend Masses. Our culture seems to have lost a sense of respect for sacred spaces, especially in a Catholic church where our Lord is sacramentally present among us. If you visit with others in the church after Mass, please do so in a quiet respectful way. With the beautiful weather that we are now having, consider visiting with each other outside. During this time of Eucharistic Renewal and Revival, may we grow in our respect, reverence, and awe of our Lord's Presence in the tabernacle!

THANKS

We extend our thanks and gratitude to Jana and Makayla Thompson for sharing their time and talent in caring for the flower beds and landscaped areas around the church and rectory! We hope to add some new shrubs and other items in areas where the previous plants have died. If you would like to make a memorial donation to help purchase these items, it would be appreciated!