

**ST. MICHAEL'S**  
 918 Lincoln Box 309  
 LaCrosse, KS 67548  
 Rectory: (785) 222-2561  
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**ST. JOSEPH'S**  
 202 Main Street  
 Liebenthal, KS 67553  
 Pastor: **Father Matthew Kumi**

**HOLY TRINITY**  
 103 South Main  
 Timken, KS 67575  
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**April 9, 2017**

**TO USE OR RENT ST. MICHAEL'S PARISH CENTER: Call Janel Weigel @ 785-222-2454/3646**

**FUNERAL DINNERS:** St. Michael's: *Pat Lohrey 785-222-3119*

St. Joseph's: *Monica Legleiter 785-342-5828* Holy Trinity: *Barb Oborny 620-797-1490*

**COMMUNION CALLS:** If anyone is sick at home or hospitalized, please notify Fr. Matthew Kumi.  
 For Baptism or Marriage Preparation, please call Fr. Matthew Kumi.

<b>Monday, April 10</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>LaCrosse</b>	<b>Special Intention (BZ)</b>
<b>Tuesday, April 11</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Liebenthal</b>	<b>+LeRoy Depperschmidt</b>
<b>Wednesday, April 12</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Timken</b>	<b>+Virgil Kopsky **NOTE TIME**</b>
<b>Thursday, April 13</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>Locust Grove</b>	<b>+Blanche Tomecek</b>
<b>Holy Thursday, April 13</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>LaCrosse</b>	<b>+Fr. Gilbert Herrman</b>
<b>Good Friday, April 14</b>	<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>Liebenthal</b>	<b>Good Friday Service</b>
<b>Good Friday, April 14</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Timken</b>	<b>Living Stations Of The Cross</b>
<b>Holy Saturday, April 15</b>	<b>7:30 pm</b>	<b>Timken</b>	<b>For The Parish</b>
<b>Easter Sunday, April 16</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Liebenthal</b>	<b>+Carolyn Shannon</b>
<b>Easter Sunday, April 16</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	<b>LaCrosse</b>	<b>+Elmer Meder</b>

**LITURGY MINISTERS:**

**Timken – Saturday, April 15 – 7:30 pm**  
**COMM:** Duane Oborny & Louise Seltman  
**SERVERS:** Audra Oborny & Gabriel Oddo  
**LECTOR:** Tina Vondracek  
**GIFTS:** LoRay & Kathryn George Family  
**USHERS:** Barb & Tim Oborny

**Liebenthal – Sunday, April 16 – 8:00 am**  
**COMM:** Judy Hoffman & Mary Ann Legleiter  
**SERVERS:** Blake & Brooke Herrman  
**LECTOR:** Dermot Randa  
**GIFTS:** Emmitt & Gerri McGinn  
**USHERS:** Norbert & Randy Urban

**LaCrosse – Sunday, April 16 – 10:00 am**  
**COMM:** *Plate:* Amy Depperschmidt  
*Cup:* Bill Baalman & Brittany Suppes  
**SERVERS:** Megan Jacobs, Madison Morgan  
 Abbey Oborny  
**LECTOR:** Joyce Schaffer  
**HOSTS/GIFTS:** Brian & Jennifer Oborny  
**USHERS:** Rollie Holopirek & Rich Leiker

**St. Joseph Collections (April 1, 2017)**

Envelopes	\$ 503.00
Offertory	\$ 90.00
Candles	\$ 3.50
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 596.50</b>

*Roof Fund: \$120.00*

**Holy Trinity Collections (April 2, 2017)**

Envelopes	\$ 605.00
Offertory	\$ 30.00
Childrens Off	\$ 7.08
Altar Society	\$ 100.00
Rice Bowl	\$ 1.34
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 743.42</b>

**St. Michael Collections (April 2, 2017)**

Envelopes	\$1224.25
Offertory	\$ 128.55
Childrens Off	\$ 6.00
Candles	\$ 20.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1378.80</b>

*Thank You For Your Support!*

**CONFESSIONS:**

*St. Joseph: Saturday, 4:00 pm before Mass*  
*Holy Trinity: Sunday, 7:30 am before Mass*  
*St. Michael: First Wednesday of the month*  
*6:30-7:30 pm*

**OFFICE HOURS:**

*Scheduled hours are Thursday's*  
*from 5 to 6:30 pm or to schedule an*  
*appointment, please contact JoAnn at*  
*785-623-1917 or [jchiefs0308@yahoo.com](mailto:jchiefs0308@yahoo.com).*  
*Thank you & God Bless!*

**A WARM WELCOME to new parishioners!**

*Please introduce yourself to the pastor. Family registration forms are located in back of the church.*  
*Please fill out the form and drop in the collection basket or give to Father after Mass.*

**PRAYER CHAIN....** We pray for those among us who are ill and for their caregivers, for those experiencing a hardship or difficulty and for those in the Armed Forces. To place someone's name on the prayer chain list, please call Ardis Viegra (222-3629).

*Please keep in your prayers:* Fr. Marvin Reif ~ Thanksgiving For Moisture

We offer our deepest sympathy and prayers to the family & friends  
 of Artie Herrman and Jeanette Marple.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon them.

**BULLETIN ITEMS:** Please give your announcements to Father, email to [church@gbta.net](mailto:church@gbta.net) or mail to PO Box 309, LaCrosse. All bulletin items are due by 9:00 am Thursday.

**PLEASE NOTE THE CHURCH OFFICE HOURS FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>**

Will be from 3:30 to 5:30 pm.

Bulletin items are still due by 9:00 am on Thursday.

**MASS STIPENDS** can be placed in the collection baskets or mailed. **Please make checks to St. Michael's Stipend Fund**, specify what church you want the Mass and indicate if you want the Mass on a certain date. If you have a preferred date, please submit your request at least two weeks in advance. **Each Mass is \$10.00.**

**APRIL 9<sup>th</sup> STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:** "Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!" shout the crowds in today's Gospel. May we be always ready to share our blessings when we are sent in His name!

**RISEN:** - the movie - will be shown this Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm in St. Joseph's rectory. All are invited. No cost.

**LADIES LENTEN LUNCHEON:** All ladies are invited to the Ladies Lenten Luncheon on this Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> from noon to 1:00 pm at St. Michael's Parish Center. Please bring your favorite salad for this annual potluck salad lunch. This year's hosts are the ladies from the First Lutheran Church.



**Holy Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup>:** St. Michael's at 7:00 pm  
**Good Friday Service, April 14<sup>th</sup>:** St. Joseph's at 3:00 pm  
**Living Stations of The Cross:**

Good Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at Holy Trinity at 7:00 pm  
**Holy Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup>:** Holy Trinity at 7:30 pm  
**Easter Sunday, April 16<sup>th</sup>:** St. Joseph's at 8:00 am  
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**LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Holy Trinity PSR and friends will be presenting the Living Stations on Good Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at Holy Trinity in Timken. Everyone is invited to attend and experience the stations as they are performed live. Hope to see you there!

**FISH FRY:** The LaCrosse Knights of Columbus will be hosting a fish fry on Good Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup>. The meal will be held at St. Michael's Parish Center following the Good Friday Service at Liebenthal. We will serve from 4:00-7:00 pm. Cost is \$10 per person, all you can eat.

**NOVENA OF DIVINE MERCY** begins this Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> and goes until Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Then plan to attend the Divine Mercy services at St. Mary's Church in Hays on Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 3:00 pm. Don't miss out on these special graces! Mark your calendars now.

**MONTHLY PRAYER HOUR FOR OUR COUNTRY** will be Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm in St. Joseph's Church. All 3 parishes invited to join in much needed prayer for our country.

**EASTER BLESSINGS:** Please bring any items you would like blessed (Easter Baskets, etc..) and Fr. Matthew will bless them during Mass.

**THANK YOU!** A BIG thank you to all of the Lenten Speakers for sharing their message of faith! Many thanks also to those that helped lead the Stations of the Cross. God's Blessings & Sincere Thanks!

\*\*\*\*\***ST. MICHAEL in LACROSSE**\*\*\*\*\*

**ST. MICHAEL'S PSR: No class Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, due to Holy Week.** Students are urged to attend Holy Week services instead.

**HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 13TH AT 7:00 PM MINISTRY LISTS:** *Plate:* Ruth Baalman; *Cup:* Frank & Marilyn Seidel; *Servers:* Lee Holopirek, Audrey & Chet Irvin; *Lector:* Kevin Moeder; *Hosts/Gifts:* John & Rita Liggett; *Ushers:* Mark Baalman & James Suppes

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING** is Monday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.

**ST. MICHAEL'S PROPERTY COMMISSION** will meet on Thursday, April 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 30 DAYS OF CASH WINNERS!** Joan Dreher, Fr. Ultan Murphy, Abbey Oborny, Bill Baalman & Duane Moeder (April 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> winners), Ed Oborny

**EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS:** If you would like to purchase or donate Easter flowers in memory of a loved one, please do so or call Joan at 222-2829.

\*\*\*\*\***ST. JOSEPH in LIEBENTHAL**\*\*\*\*\*

**HELP CLEAN THE CHURCH FOR EASTER** this Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>, right after the 9:00 am Mass. All help most appreciated. Spring cleaning is needed!

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** will be Tuesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm in the rectory. Please plan to attend.

**GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 14TH AT 3:00 PM MINISTRY LISTS:** *Lectors:* Darryl & Leo Herrman; *Servers:* Volunteers

**EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS:** If you'd like to help provide flowers for Easter, call Lucy: 222-3396.

**BRING IN YOUR RICE BOWLS!** It's time to put them in the collection basket. Your sacrifices will help the poorest of the poor around the world.

\*\*\*\*\***HOLY TRINITY in TIMKEN**\*\*\*\*\*

**HOLY TRINITY ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** will be held on Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm.

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**HOLY TRINITY'S FIRST COMMUNION** will be on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>.

**THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH**  
*please contact Fr. Matthew at 785-222-2561*



The students and catechists of St. Michael's PSR, grades preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grades, prayed the Stations of the Cross in the Parish Center for their Wednesday evening class on March 29<sup>th</sup>. Marilyn Seidel created the stations with pictures stapled to paint stir sticks donated by Enslinger Lumber. Students held the pictures and read about each station as the children moved to each station. Fr. Kumi was there to talk about the stations and helped the preschool students lead the closing prayer, which was the Our Father, Haily Mary and Glory Be, by being in the inner circle of a larger one with the rest of the students. Awesome job everyone!

**WEEKLY VOCATION VIEW:** Jesus emptied himself and became obedient even unto death. Are you willing to die to selfishness? Let Christ reign in your heart! (Philippians 2:6-11). If you think God is calling you to priesthood or to consecrated life, visit our website at [www.dcdiocese.org/vocations](http://www.dcdiocese.org/vocations)

