

Catholic Parishes in Partnership

St. Bonaventure, Raeville | St. Boniface, Elgin | St. John the Baptist, Petersburg
Annunciation Parish *servicing*
St. John the Baptist, Deloit | St. Peter de Alcántara, Ewing | St. Theresa, Clearwater
St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh | Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden

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January 26, 2025 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 10:30am-Noon & 1:00-4:00 pm

Wednesday - Friday: 9:30 am - Noon

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Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

402-887-4521

Elgin: PO Box B, Elgin, NE 68636

No office hours. Meeting space available.

PO Box checked regularly.

Ewing: 220 W. US Hwy 275, Ewing, NE 68735

No office hours. PO Box checked regularly.

Tilden: PO Box 458, Tilden, NE 68781

No office hours. PO Box checked regularly.

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(Medical emergencies or death)

Call will go to the on-call priest.

Three core values:

Communion

Communication

Sustainability

There are a number of wonderful aspects pointed out for us in today's Scripture passages.

-The first reading from Nehemiah shows us how to respond to God's word with worship, encourages us to seek and have joy in the Lord, and reminds us that rejoicing in the Lord is our strength!

-The responsorial psalm from Psalm 19 tells us that God's laws bring our soul joy and wisdom. What a beautiful reminder that deep reverence pleases the Lord.

-The second reading from 1 Corinthians points out, like Christ's body, *each one of us* is unique and essential. We each have different responsibilities and strengths that are very important. We, like Christ's body, are many parts of the Church, and we are all needed.

-Finally, the Gospel passage from Luke. Imagine this scene! Picture yourself listening to Jesus read the scroll of Isaiah, and as Jesus sits down, he informs you that hundreds of years of prophecy have just been fulfilled! Imagine how you would feel. What would you say or do next?

The coming weeks of Ordinary Time are a great opportunity to grow in faith, love, and awe of our Lord.



Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life

**SPE=Ewing, STC=Clearwater, SJD=Deloit, SFN=Neligh,
OLT=Tilden SJP=Petersburg, SBR=Raeville, SBE=Elgin**

Baptism Class

Thursday, March 27 ~ 7:00 p.m. in the Elgin Convent
If you will be attending, please contact
Gwen Beckman 402-843-8137.



**Congratulations &
Welcome to the Catholic Faith**
~ Haden Edward Thiesen

Baptized 1-11-25 at St. Theresa of Avila, Clearwater
Son of James & Mara (Seifer) Thiesen



Opportunities for Eucharistic Adoration

Come spend some time with Jesus, fully present in the Eucharist

Eucharistic Praise & Worship Hour

Sunday, February 2 ~ St. Boniface Church in Elgin.

6:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration *everyone is welcome!*

7:00 p.m. Youth Group for all 7-12 graders who wish to join.

Supper will be provided!

Eucharistic Day of Prayer at St. Boniface Church in Elgin.

Begins following 8:15 a.m. Mass on Thursday, February 6.
Ends with 8:15 a.m. First Friday Mass on Friday, February 7.

Eucharistic Adoration at St. Francis Church in Neligh

Friday, February 7 following 8:30 a.m. Mass
Benediction at 12:00 p.m.

Seminary Fund

Thank you for your generous donations to the Seminary Fund. Monies from this fund help form future priests of our archdiocese. Priests that will serve our parishes someday! You can always donate to this fund. Just place your donation in the January envelope named Seminary Fund, or state it on your check. Thank you for your generosity!

Date	Time & Event
	Every Monday SJD Rosary/Meditation 7:00 p.m.
	Every Tuesday SFN Rosary 10:00 a.m.
	Every Wednesday Confessions at SBE 5:00-5:30 p.m.
Sun Jan 26	Elgin KC Free Throw Contest St. Boniface Gym ~ 12:30 p.m. Pope John Evening with Friends ~ Elgin KC Hall
Mon Jan 27	Youth Group at St. Dominic's Hall in Ewing ~ 6:00 p.m. for all Juniors & Seniors who wish to join.
Wed Jan 29	SPE Bible Study 9:30 a.m. OLT Youth Group for 9-12 grades, 7-8 p.m. at OLMC Hall OLT CCD: 7:00-8:00 p.m. Albion PRE: Follow Schedule
Sun Feb 2	Eucharistic Praise 6:00 p.m. St. Boniface Church, Elgin <i>Everyone welcome for an hour of uplifting Adoration!</i> Youth Group ~ 7:00 for all 7-12 graders (supper provided)
Tues Feb 4	St. Francis KC Council 7550 meets in Neligh ~ 7:00 p.m. Elgin KC Council 2411 meets in Elgin ~ 7:30 p.m.
Wed Feb 5	SPE Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Family Formation Clearwater site: Mass/Class 6:00-7:15 p.m. Neligh site: Class only 6:00-7:00 p.m. OLT Youth Group for 9-12 grades, 7-8 p.m. at OLMC Hall OLT CCD: 7:00-8:00 p.m. Albion PRE: Follow Schedule
Thurs Feb 6	SBE Eucharistic Day of Prayer. Adoration begins following 8:15 Mass & ends with 8:15 a.m. First Friday Mass on Feb 7.
Fri Feb 7	SFN Adoration begins after 8:30 First Friday Mass. Benediction at 12:00 pm
Sun Feb 9	St. Francis KC Seminarian Brunch Neligh Legion Club 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Wed Feb 12	Family Formation Clearwater site: Class only 6:00-7:00 p.m. Neligh site: Mass/Class 6:00-7:15 p.m. OLT Youth Group for 9-12 grades, 7-8 p.m. at OLMC Hall OLT No CCD. Parent teacher conferences. Albion PRE: Follow Schedule

Bulletin submissions due Tuesday by 12:00 p.m. *Live Lent Together*

For anyone who has led and is interested in leading another small group during Lent.

This virtual training is meant for current small group leaders and will help them identify and pray for new small group leaders from within their existing groups, as well as make the invitation for them to lead.

Dates: January 23 from 6:30-8:00pm & January 25 from 9:30-11:00am

Registration: <https://archdioceseofomaha.formstack.com/forms/ilt25>

Would you like to lead a small group during Lent?

If you have not led a small group before, and would like more information, please contact
Becky Kerkman, Evangelization Coordinator at 402-843-0573.

OACCW (Omaha Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women) Winter Meeting ~ Tuesday, February 11, 2025

All women welcome! St. Francis Borgia Church, 2005 Davis Drive, Blair, NE 68008

ITINERARY: 9:30 a.m. Registration of \$10 includes coffee/rolls and Lunch. 10:00 a.m. Meeting hosted by OU Deanery, Mass, Lunch, Commission/Committee reports and Speaker. Karen Marshall, Crofton, is the newly elected OACCW Vice-President, she recently went on a trip/pilgrimage to Medjugorje and will tell us all about it. Please have a representative from your parish or deanery come to share in the activities of the day and bring back information to your parish. There are always many updates to share. Looking forward to seeing you all! *RSVP encouraged by February 1* for lunch count to Leonarda Arens OACCW President via email at arensljrepair@hotmail.com or text to 402-253-5120.

Date & Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON JAN 27, 8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service
TUES JAN 28, 8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN FB	· † Carol McDermott · † Living & Deceased Family Members of the Blecha & Greitens families	
WED JAN 29, 8:15 AM	Elgin	JN	· † Louis, June & Jerry Kerkman	
WED JAN 29, 8:30 AM	Neligh	FB	· † Joan Sehi	
WED JAN 29, 9:30 AM	Arbor Care	FB	· † Emil & Mary Ann Hladvock	
WED JAN 29, 5:00 PM	Elgin	JN		Confessions 5:00-5:30 PM
THURS JAN 30, 8:15 AM	Elgin	JN	· † Marin Schindler	
THURS JAN 30, 8:30 AM	Neligh	FB	· † Ralph & Dolores Busch	
FRI JAN 31, 8:15 AM	Elgin	JN	· † Rudy Starman & Chris Hansen	All School Mass (1st grade plans) Pope John Parent's Day
FRI JAN 31, 8:30 AM	Neligh	FB	· † Dr. Dwaine Peetz	
SAT FEB 1, 5:30 PM	Tilden	FB	· † Laurie Zavodsky	
SAT FEB 1, 5:30 PM	Deloit	JN	· † Sam & Joan Stearns	
SUN FEB 2, 8:00 AM	Raeville	FB	· † Marguerite Henn	
SUN FEB 2, 8:00 AM	Clearwater	JN	· For the People of Our Parishes	
SUN FEB 2, 10:00 AM	Elgin	FB	Living & Deceased Members of The Nielsen Family	
SUN FEB 2, 10:00 AM	Neligh	JN	· † Rollie Reicks	

Private confessions 30 minutes prior to each weekend Mass.

Ministry Schedule for February 1 & 2: The Presentation of the Lord

Saturday 2/1/2025

5:30 pm Mass – St. John the Baptist, Deloit

Altar Servers: Alec S., Cohen S.

EMHC: Janette Kerkman, Sara Lemburg,
Diane Dicke

Gift bearers: Jason & Jody Schindler

Lector: Lisa Mlnarik

Ushers: Josh Mlnarik, Marty Kerkman

5:30 pm Mass – Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Tilden

**(Contact Jolene Schapmann to schedule
Communion to sick or homebound 402-649-0829)**

Altar Servers: JJ B., Logan B., Reece B.

EMHC: Sarah Black, Doris O'Brien, John O'Brien

Lector: Emily Vaughn

Ushers: Eddie O'Brien, Mark O'Brien

Sunday 2/2/2025

8:00 am Mass – St. Bonaventure, Raeville

**(Contact Joan Stuhr to schedule Communion to sick
or homebound 402-843-0485)**

Altar Servers: Kaiden B., Liam P.

EMHC: Jake Grundmayer, Tami Schrage,
Megan Heying

Gift bearers: Ken & Jo Schmitz

Lector: Mark Grundmayer

Music: Joyce Reestman, Chris Grundmayer

Rosary Leaders: Ken & Joan Stuhr

Ushers: Bryan Bode, Christopher Bode

Sunday 2/2/2025

8:00 am Mass – St. Theresa, Clearwater

Altar Servers: Beau A., Gaby A.

EMHC: Kevin Filsinger, Marlene Thiessen,
Tom & Dianna Kester, Koryn Koinzan

Gift bearers: Gail & Connie Cronin

Lector: Carol Kester

Ushers: John Kester, Smoke Kester

10:00 am Mass – St. Boniface, Elgin

**(Contact Deacon Dennis Wiehn to schedule
Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-0182)**

Altar Servers: Cameron K., Karson K.

EMHC: Tom Hoefer, Julie Schiltmeyer,

Natalie Burenheide, Jake Eischeid

Gift bearers: Dave & Gwen Beckman

Greeters: Dave & Janice Eischeid, Jay & Kristen Evans

Homebound: Dave & Janice Eischeid, Julie Schiltmeyer

Lector: Luke Beckman

Music: Mark Moser

Ushers: Bill Mescher, Gary Schiltmeyer,
Brayden Burenheide, Jim Baum

10:00 am Mass – St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh

**(Contact Milly Clemens to schedule Communion to sick
or homebound 402-649-3194)**

Altar Servers: Andrew H., Owen S.

EMHC: Jim & Kathy Koenig, *Del & *Susie Ames
*Precious Blood

Lector: Ron Gilg

Ushers: **Randy Kallhoff **Duane Knievel **ushers for the month
Nick Strom, Dale Kallhoff

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

serving St. John the Baptist, Deloit | St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing
St. Theresa of Avila , Clearwater | St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh | Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden

Stewardship for Jan 18-19, 2025

(Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount)

**A breakdown of each campus will be available
at Finance Council meetings**

God Bless you for your generosity

Sunday Offertory	\$5,125.50
School Assessment	\$475
Respect Life	\$2,049.89
SFN Building Fund	\$150
OLT Building Fund	\$10
SJD Building Fund	\$150

Building Fund money goes into a Reserve account. If you are donating to the Building Fund, please write a separate check. Thank you for your generosity!

*Youth Group ~ January 27th ~ 6:00 pm ~ St. Dominic's Hall in Ewing.
Open to Juniors & Seniors within our Family of Parishes*

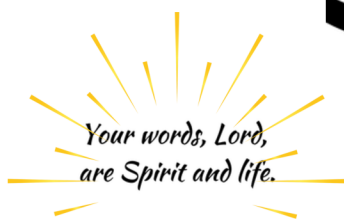


Neligh KC Council 7550 Meeting
Tuesday, February 4 ~ 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study at St. Peter's, Ewing
Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m.

January 29 & February 5 (weather permitting)

Thank you to All who supported Rural St John's Right to Life Meal and Fundraiser! Special THANKS to Father Kramper for his Great Ideas and Excellent Help!! The Gals on the committee were Amazing and All the help was Appreciated!
\$1735 was raised for Boyd Holt County Right to Life. They contribute much to our area for PRO-LIFE including radio announcements and ads, roadside billboards, parades, booths at the local Fairs and contributions to Beginnings Pregnancy Center and Nebraska Right To Life!!



St. John's Deloit
CARD PARTY
(10pt. pitch)

Saturday
Feb. 15th, 2025

After 5:30 pm Mass
~ St. John's Hall

Everyone is asked to bring a finger food dish to share

B. Y. O. B.



Taste of Italy with Fr. John
Sunday, February 16th 6:00 p.m.
St. Domonic's Hall, Ewing

Featuring: Salad, Garlic Breadstick, Pasta with Sausage in White Sauce, Plain Marinara, Grilled Sausage in Red Sauce, Dessert. Beer and Wine.

For tickets: contact Janet Sawyer 402-340-4997
or Sarah Keegan 402-660-2099 **by Feb 9th**
Advanced Tickets only \$25 per person



St. Francis Knights of Columbus

Seminarian Brunch on Super Bowl Sunday

February 9 ~ Neligh Legion Club 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Serving pancakes, French toast, sausage & eggs!



OLMC Catholic Women

will meet on Tuesday February 4 ~ 2:00 p.m.

St. John's, Deloit

Monday, March 3 ~ Rosary 6:30 p.m.
Christian Mother's Meeting to follow

St. Francis, Neligh February Rosary Sodality Committee
Alice Lyons, Shelly Sands, Lauren Simonsen, Sue Seier, Patty Payne, Sally Clarkson, Pauline Tolfa, Terra Kimes, Merri Strong, Kim Alspaugh, Rosemary Legate, Denise Gunderson, Sheila Parks.

St. Francis, Neligh February Church Cleaning
Feb 1 Ted Hughes, Russ Vetick, Sara Parra
Feb 6 Maria Shabram, Nick Henn, Chad Shabram
Feb 13 Kenny Parks, Doug Jessen, Shawn Stenka, Troy Shabram
Feb 20 Chad Kaup, Doug Hazelhorst, Jim Lyons
Feb 27 Andy Elder, Jim Koenig, Dane Nielsen

Annunciation Parish Prayer Line

Adam Kester, Roger Allen, Regina Krebs, Matt Belitz, Angela Hardisty, Betty Latham, Peg Kuester, George Ternus, Glen Grahleer, Lainey Henn, Jan Jurgens, Kyle & Jackie Nelson, Alice Johnston, Bob Stoffel, Gary Inlow, Boyd Batenhorst, Julie Krueger, Todd DeGroot, Nate Thiele, Brett Kielty, Kyle Netzel, Jackie Netzel, Jase Hemminger, Phyllis Dusel, Leo Starman, Nicki Dougherty, Sister Joseph, Yvonne Duggan, Marie Vandersnick, Anna Murdy, Joe Knust, Steve Herrington, Rick Johnson, Craig Allemang, June Anderson, Leonard Kerkman, Ladd Chandler, Kathy Long, Gerald Schapmann

To add to prayer line call for St. Francis call Susie Ames 402-929-0038, Milly Clemens 402-649-3194, or the Neligh Office at 402-887-4521. Our Lady of Mount Carmel call Jeanne Dahl 402-640-6466. St. Therasas call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262. St. Johns call Jeanne Knievel 402-929-0847. St. Peters call Lavonne Sisson 402-626-7755

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St John's Petersburg

The Altar society is still looking for 1-2 ladies to step up and take a position on the Altar Society for Vice President. Call or message Jane Thieman 402-649-0304.



Elgin Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest! Sunday, January 26
St. Boniface Gym, 12:30 p.m. Registration
 For ages 9 to 14, not in H.S. basketball. Kids compete with their own gender & age.

St. Johns, Petersburg


Sunday Offertory	\$1,150
Respect Life	\$125
Utilities	\$150

St. Bonaventure, Raeville

Sunday Offertory	\$1,713.50
Seminary	\$700
Respect Life	\$293.81
God's Portion	\$1,000

St. Boniface, Elgin

Sunday Offering	\$1,453.77
Insurance	\$25
Building Fund	\$100
Respect Life	\$528

SAVE THE DATE ~ 

Let us cook breakfast for you!

Sunday, March 2 ~ St. Bonaventure's Spring Breakfast & Raffle!
Raeville Hall ~ 8:30 am-Noon

We pray for the souls of Lee Sullivan and Janice Hart who recently passed away.

Please keep the Sullivan and Hart families and loved ones in your prayers.

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

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



2024 St. Boniface Quilt Raffle

Thank you to our wonderful quilters ~ Nancy Shavlik, Deb Hemingway, Linda Schindler, Bunny Coleman, and Margaret Jensen for creating the quilt for the 2024 Thanksgiving Bazaar. JoAnn Mattner of Raeville was the lucky winner!

2024 St. Boniface Quilt Raffle Profit: \$1,239

Many thanks to Nancy Shavlik for donating the fabric & piecing the top.
 ~ Pat Spieker & Deb Pelster for help with putting the quilt on the frame.
 ~ Carol Koinzan for sewing the binding on.



Elgin KC Council 2411 Meeting
 Tuesday, February 4 ~ 7:30 p.m.

Sausage

<u>Expenses</u>	
Purchase Hogs	(\$3,120.75)
Processing	(\$9,947.74)
<u>Income</u>	
Donations	\$3,630.00
Pre-Sale Sausage	\$14,468.00
Profit	\$ 5,029.51

Money Drawing

<u>Expenses</u>	
Printing tickets	(\$452.00)
Prize money	(\$6,500.00)
<u>Income</u>	
Donations	\$28,985.00
Profit	\$22,033.00

Gun Raffle

Profit	\$5,000
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St. Boniface Thanksgiving Bazaar 2024

Thanksgiving Meal

<u>Expenses</u>	
Groceries/supplies	(\$3,039.94)
Advertising/printing	(\$1,527.40)
<u>Income</u>	
Donations	\$12,005.00
Meals Served	\$24,589.81
Profit	\$32,027.47

Total Profit 2024

\$64,089.98

Total Profit 2023

\$51,182.00

Total Profit 2022

\$53,938.00

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who made our bazaar a resounding success! Your support, contributions, and enthusiasm made the event special. Thank you to everyone who helped with the preparations, committee members, and those who stepped up to help wherever there was a need. We couldn't have done it without you!

St. Johns, Petersburg, St. Boniface, Elgin & St. Bonaventure, Raeville Prayer Line

Carolyn Beckman, Laura Ferando, Brandon Henn, Adam Kester, Larry DeMuth, Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers, Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George Childers, Ann Beckman, Gene Heithoff, Fallon Sue Heying, Harry Cunningham, Judy Johnson, Denise Jamison, Bruce Baum, Travis Pieper, Phil Stuhr, Judy Zegers, Mike Dwyer, Brett Kielty, Henry Biggie, Tom Jamieson, Nora Henn, Barb Ziegler, Ashleigh Henn, Marlene Henn McClinton, Jerry Stamp, Fayden Evens, Bob Redler, Vince Spieker, Judy Pelster Lindholm, Rose Wiehn, Linda Buelt, Rodger Riley, Pauline Pelster, Samantha Korth, Kenny Thiele, Joan Richert, Leon Weiland

To add to prayer line for St. Johns call Kelly Starman, 402-386-5570 or Kathy Koch, 402-386-5481.

St. Boniface call JoAnn Beckman 402-843-6287 or Darlene Heithoff 402-843-5482.

St. Bonaventure call Mary Ann Fangman 402-843-6129 or Diane Scholl 402-386-5256



Spiritual Bouquet for Seminarian Kyle Snodgrass

**Prayers and other acts are being collected for Kyle Snodgrass, St. Francis member, who is in his first year at Seminary in St. Paul, MN.
Please return no later than Sunday, February 2.**

A spiritual bouquet is a collection of devotional acts and prayers said on behalf of someone and his/her intentions. Each individual act or prayer is like a spiritual flower that when gathered with other acts and prayers becomes a bouquet. All offerings will be printed onto flower cutouts for presentation to Kyle as a bouquet.



Please indicate how many of each prayer/act that you will offer:

- **Masses**
- **Holy hours/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**
- **Novenas**
- **Rosaries**
- **Our Fathers**
- **Hail Marys**
- **Acts of charity** -----
- **Other** -----
- **Other** -----

Name(s): -----

(All names will be forwarded to Kyle but will be listed separately from the prayers offered)

(Couples & families: please combine your prayer/act totals on one form)

Fill out and return in collection basket.