

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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February 9, 2025 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

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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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Three core values:

Communion

Communication

Sustainability

Deacon Dennis Wiehn 402-843-0182

Deacon James Schindel 402-910-8912

Sister Patricia Hoffman (retired) 402-843-5461

World Marriage Day is February 9, 2025

It is always celebrated on the second Sunday of February.

Marriage is a gift from God and is a love as close to Divine as we can conceive. It is an image of the Trinity, revealing to us the importance about who God is and how He loves us.

“Man cannot fully find himself, except through a sincere gift of himself.”

St. Pope John Paul II



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

A prayer for married couples to pray together:
 Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of marriage. We lift up our marriage to You, asking for Your grace to strengthen our love and unity. Fill our hearts with patience and understanding, guiding us through trials. Grant us the wisdom to listen deeply and the grace to express ourselves with love. Surround us with Your peace and joy, and let our relationship be a reflection of Your divine love. Amen.

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.



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

Registration:
<https://archdioceseofomaha.formstack.com/forms/llt25>

The Live Lent Together theme for Lent 2025 is Invitation. All the material is prepared for you. 6-week guides for small groups to pray together with Scripture.

If you'd like to lead a small group, please contact Becky Kerkman, Evangelization Coordinator for materials or information. 402-843-0573 or bkerkman@cppnebraska.org

Date	Time & Event
	Every Monday SJD Rosary/Meditation 7:00 p.m.
	Every Tuesday SFN Rosary 10:00 a.m.
	No Wednesday Confessions at SBE this week
Sun Feb 9	St. Francis KC Seminarian Brunch Neligh Legion Club 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Feb 11-13	Clergy Conference
Wed Feb 12	Family Formation Clearwater site: Class only 6:00-7:00 p.m. Neligh site: Class only 6:00-7:00 p.m. No Mass, priests at Clergy Conference. OLT Youth Group for 9-12 grades, 7-8 p.m. at OLMC Hall OLT No CCD. Parent teacher conferences. Albion PRE: Follow Schedule
Sat Feb 15	SJD Card Party following 5:30 p.m. Mass. BYOB & snack to share.
Sun Feb 16	Taste of Italy with Fr. John at St. Dominic's Hall in Ewing (Get your tickets by Feb 9th!)
Sun Feb 23	SJP Coffee & Rolls at Werner Hall after 8:00 a.m. Mass E & M Sunnybrook Cafe's fried chicken dinner Held at SJD Hall 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Sun Mar 2	SBR Spring Breakfast & Raffle 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Mon Mar 3	SJD Rosary at 6:30 p.m. Christian Mothers meeting to follow.
Sat Mar 15	SBE Spring Auction

Mentorship Program through the Archdiocese of Omaha

The Mentorship Program equips lay people to confidently and fruitfully share their faith through friendship and deep investment in others. Training is practical and hands-on, teaching key habits and skills for intentional evangelization through individual accompaniment. Participants gain a common language and experience with likeminded leaders from across the Archdiocese.

You are welcome to join one of the "Come and See" events!

Each evening provides an opportunity to meet current and past program participants, learn more about the program, and get your questions answered.

Sunday, April 6
 Sacred Heart Parish Center, Norfolk
 5-7pm with dinner provided
 Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 2
 RSVP: https://archdioceseofomaha.formstack.com/forms/come_and_see

Thursday, April 7
 Chancery, Omaha
 5:30-7:30pm with dinner provided
 Please RSVP by Wednesday, April 2



Worldwide Marriage Encounter
 Feb. 14-16, 2025, Lincoln
 Sept. 19-21, 2025, Grand Island

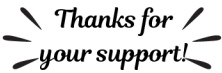
For questions, contact Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839
 Space is limited. Reserve your weekend early.
 For more information visit www.wwme.org

OACCW

(Omaha Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women)
 Winter Meeting ~ Tuesday, February 11
 All women welcome! St. Francis Borgia Church in Blair.
 9:30 a.m. Registration | 10:00 a.m. Meeting
 RSVP encouraged by February 1 for lunch count to arensjrepair@hotmail.com or text to 402-253-5120.

Help Wanted: School Lunch Manager & Assistant

Pope John Central Catholic School is seeking a school lunch Manager and Assistant for the 2025-26 school year. Early hire is possible. 8:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. No weekends, holidays or summers! Hourly pay is negotiable. Contact Lisa Schumacher, Principal, 402-843-5325 or Lschumacher@pjcrusaders.org.



P.I.E.

If you would like to donate to the PIE fund (*Partners in Education*), please make checks payable to Pope John, and mail to the school: PO Box 179, Elgin, NE 68636. This fund helps families who need it offset the cost of tuition to provide a Catholic education for their child.

Date & Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON FEB 10, 8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service
TUES FEB 11, 8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN	· † Carol McDermott	
WED FEB 12	---	--	No Masses. Clergy Conference	
THURS FEB 13	---	--	No Masses. Clergy Conference	
FRI FEB 14, 8:15 AM	Elgin	JN	· † Kyle Warren, Al & Mary Schrage	All School Mass (K. plans)
FRI FEB 14, 8:30 AM	Neligh	FB	· † Vernon Jessen	
SAT FEB 15, 5:30 PM	Tilden	FB	Living & Deceased Family Members of E.R.W.	
SAT FEB 15, 5:30 PM	Deloit	JN	· † Sam & Joan Stearns	
SUN FEB 16, 8:00 AM	Raeville	FB	· † Jerome & Elvira Grundmayer	
SUN FEB 16, 8:00 AM	Clearwater	JN	· For the People of Our Parishes	
SUN FEB 16, 10:00 AM	Elgin	FB	· † Louis, June & Jerry Kerkman	
SUN FEB 16, 10:00 AM	Neligh	JN	· † LeRoy Shabram & Kallhoff & Shabram Families	

Private confessions 30 minutes prior to each weekend Mass.

Ministry Schedule for February 15 & 16: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**If you are unable to show up for your scheduled ministry, please find a substitute.

Saturday 2/15/2025

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

Altar Servers: Corbin S., Caden S.

EMHC: Elaine Kimes

Gift bearers: Ben & Jamie Hupp

Lector: Kelsi Schueth

Ushers: Gregg Bartak, Allen Schueth

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: Carter H., Hunter M.

EMHC: Brianne O'Brien

Lector: Jeanne Oelsliger

Ushers: Billy O'Brien, Sam Schaecher

Sunday 2/16/2025

8:00 am Mass - St. Theresa, Clearwater

Altar Servers: Jayde B., Ayden B.

EMHC: Tom & Diana Kester

Gift bearers: Tom Kester

Lector: Deb Schlecht

Ushers: Jeff Schlecht, Chris Moser

10:00 am Mass - St. Boniface, Elgin

(Contact Deacon Dennis Wiehn to schedule

Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-0182)

Altar Servers: Chloe K., Reid K.

Gift bearers: Steve & Jane Niewohner

Greeters: Marilyn Reestman, Jolene Schrage,

Connie Pelster, Gwen Beckman

Homebound: Betty Getzfred, Jessica Niewohner

Lector: Dave Beckman

Music: Mark & Julie Dwyer

Ushers: Paul Schrage, Chuck Pelster,

Steve Heithoff, Gary Hoefler

Sunday 2/16/2025

8:00 am Mass - St. Bonaventure, Raeville

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

Altar Servers: Wyatt S., Samantha S.

EMHC: Megan Heying

Gift bearers: Bob & Jaci Hoefler

Lector: Joyce Pelster

Music: Paul Kuhlman

Rosary Leaders: Mark & Carole Tharnish

Ushers: Spencer Heying, Tyler Reestman

Petersburg Homebound: Larry Pelster

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

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

Altar Servers: Carter C., Charlie C.

EMHC: Carla Teel, Dale Kallhoff

Lector: Milly Clemens

Ushers: **Randy Kallhoff **Duane Knievel

**ushers for the month

Jaysen Sehi, Troy Shabram

Stewardship for Feb 1-2, 2025

Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount
God Bless you for your generosity

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!



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.

St. John's, Petersburg
Altar Society Meeting
Tuesday, February 11 ~ 6:30 p.m.

St. Johns, Petersburg

Sunday Offertory	\$535
Insurance	\$50
Vocation Support	\$75
Sunday On-Line Giving	\$75

St. Bonaventure, Raeville

Sunday Offertory	\$1,630
Vocation Support	\$30
Respect Life	\$150
Building Fund	\$600

St. Boniface, Elgin

Sunday Offering	\$2,437.25
Insurance	\$25
Utilities	\$100
Vocation Support	\$1,340
Sunday On-Line Giving	\$100

SAVE THE DATES!

St. John's Petersburg Altar Society will host coffee and rolls!

Sunday, February 23

At Werner Hall following 8:00 a.m. Mass



All are welcome for food & fellowship!

St. Boniface, Elgin Spring Auction!

Saturday, March 15

Elgin KC Hall

First bid starts at 5:30 p.m.

Silent Auction closes at 7:30 p.m.

Each family of St. Boniface is asked to donate a \$50 quality auction item or \$50 in cash.

Auction items can be any quality item from equipment, vehicles, antiques/collectables, or services!

All proceeds go to St. Boniface Parish



St. John's Petersburg

Snow & Ice Removal

by last name:

February A-P

March R-Z

April A-P



Parking lots, walkways & steps at all entrances of the Church & Rectory as well as parking lot, sidewalks & front entrance of the Parish Office & Werner Hall. Staff are in the Parish Office every day of the week & quilters use the Werner Hall on Tuesdays. Please clear Cemetery Driveways when there is a funeral. Thank you for serving your parish.

St. Boniface Men's Circle

SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL

SUNDAYS *ALL CIRCLES*

Mondays CIRCLE 1

Tuesdays CIRCLE 2

Wednesdays CIRCLE 3

Thursdays CIRCLE 4

Fridays CIRCLE 5

Saturdays CIRCLE 6



Men's Circle Leaders are asked to be the lead on your day and make sure enough help is lined up. This is for the walkways, steps, ramps, parking areas & all entrances of the Church, North entrance of Rectory, Convent, Sister's Home & Gym. Students use the NW door of church for lunch. The ramp door is where commodities are delivered. Thank you!

St. Bonaventure, Raeville's

Spring Breakfast & Raffle!

Sunday, March 2

Raeville Hall ~ 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Free will donation

Serving pancakes, french toast, sausage, ham, homemade desserts & drinks.

St. Bonaventure, Raeville Parishioners:

Pick up your raffle tickets at the back of St. Bonaventure Church. PLEASE save us the postage. Thank you!



Baptism Class

Thursday, March 27 ~ 7:00 p.m. in the Elgin Convent. This is for parents that have not previously attended a baptism class. If you will be attending, please contact Gwen Beckman 402-843-8137.

St. John's Petersburg

Potato Bake!

Sunday, April 6 ~ Werner Hall

St. John's, Petersburg Parishioners:

There is a signup sheet at the back of church for food items and workers. Please sign-up. Thank you for your help and support!



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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, Marlene Henn McClinton, Jerry Stamp, Fayden Evens, Bob Redler, Vince Spieker, Judy Pelster Lindholm, Linda Buelt, Rodger Riley, Pauline Pelster, Samantha Korth, Kenny Thiele, Joan Richert, Otto Hoffschneider, Cooper Dirks

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

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 Feb 1-2, 2025

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Sunday Offertory goes in one general account.

**A breakdown of each campus is available
at Finance Council meetings**

God Bless you for your generosity

Sunday Offertory	\$6,590
Vocation Support	\$1,092
Respect Life	\$20
Solemnity of Mary	\$20
Insurance	\$150
Utilities	\$1,000
STC Building Fund	\$100

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!

This Sunday

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!



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

Youth Group
at OLMC Hall
Every Wednesday
7:00-8:00 p.m.
for all 9-12 graders

Faith

World Marriage Day
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St. John's, Deloit

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

St. Francis, Neligh February Church Cleaning

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

Save the Date for ST. PAT'S BASH IN TILDEN

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church in Tilden will be holding their Annual St. Pat's Bash Fundraiser on **Sunday, March 16th from 11am - 2pm in the OLMC Hall** in Tilden. On the menu are soups, sandwiches, desserts and beverages for a free will donation. Join in the fun with a variety of games and raffles. Prizes include a Handmade Quilt, Husker Football Tickets, Black Stone Grill package, Cash Prizes, and much more. Raffles begin at 2pm, and you need not be present to win. Bring your friends and family and test your luck at the St. Pat's Bash on March 16th!

We pray for the soul of *Joan Hawk* who passed away and extend sincere sympathy to the family, loved ones and friends of Joan. A funeral service was held Saturday, February 8 at St. Peter's Church in Ewing.

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

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



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.

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, Christine Olson, Olivia Trease Anderson

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