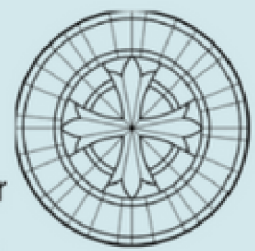


Catholic Parishes in Partnership



St. Bonaventure, Raeville | St. Boniface, Elgin | St. John the Baptist, Deloit
St. John the Baptist, Petersburg | St. Peter de Alcántara, Ewing | St. Theresa, Clearwater
Rev. John Norman | Pastor Rev. Joseph Sund | Associate Pastor

Emergency only: 402-578-0626 | **Staff Listing** cppnebraska.org/staff

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SPE=Ewing, STC=Clearwater, SJD=Deloit
SJP=Petersburg, SBR=Raeville, SBE=Elgin

Bulletin submissions due Monday by 12pm

submit to: bulletin@cppnebraska.org

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February 11, 2024 Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Celebrating World Marriage Day

Sunday, February 11th

SAY I DO EVERY SINGLE DAY!



Since God created him man and woman, their mutual love becomes an image of the absolute and unfailing love with which God loves man.

It is good, very good, in the Creator's eyes.

Catechism of the Catholic Church no. 1604

Date	Time	Event
Sun Feb 11	8AM - Noon	Super Bowl Breakfast Neligh American Legion
Mon Feb 12	8:15 AM	Communion Service/Rosary Following SBE
Mon Feb 12	7:00 PM	(Rosary 6:30 PM) Christian Mothers Meeting SJD
Tues Feb 13	--	--
Wed Feb 14	Ash Wednesday	St. Valentine's Day
Wed Feb 14	--	No Confessions SBE
Wed Feb 14	--	No PRE Classes
Thur Feb 15	8:30 AM - Noon	Morning Mass Followed by Adoration SPE
Thur Feb 15	1:00 PM	SB/PJ Early Dismissal
Fri Feb 16	---	No School SB/PJ
Fri Feb 16	7:00 PM	Stations of the Cross SBE
Sat Feb 17	5:30 PM	Mass and Card Party to Follow SJD

This year Ash Wednesday and Valentine's Day are both on February 14.

How might we reconcile these two seemingly opposite themes?

The Ash Wednesday reading beckons us to

"Return to me with your whole heart."

(Joel 2:12).



Offering Masses for Loved Ones

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the most powerful and efficacious prayer, because it is the Sacrifice of Jesus Christ to the Father for the living and the dead. It is the best gift we can give our relatives, whether living or deceased. Offer the Holy Mass for a loved one today, Living or deceased.

Journey of Faith

1 Family, 2 parishes, 8 Churches

The deadline is approaching for submitting parish name ideas. As we move towards July and the proposed parish mergers (going from 8 parishes with 8 churches into 2 parishes with 8 churches), Archbishop Lucas has asked us for suggestions for new names for the 2 parishes. This is asking one of the saints in heaven to pray for each of the new parishes formed in this process. This does not change any of the church names. Each of the 8 church buildings has been consecrated to their specific saint, so their name cannot, and will not change.

The deadline for submission is Monday, February 12.

If you have not submitted a name suggestion and you would like to, please do so by this Monday, February 12.

The FPPT (Family of Parishes Planning Team), which has a representative from each of the 8 church communities, will meet to compile the names and submit three name suggestions for each of the two new parish entities (six names will be sent in total) to Archbishop Lucas. He will then ultimately choose a name for each new parish entity. He is not required to choose from the names that are submitted, though he has asked for input from all of us, so let's give him our best ideas!

We've received 50 submissions so far. Some suggestions are the same, and some did not meet the criteria.

The link to submit your name ideas: <https://cppnebraska.org/names>

Welcome to our Parishes!

If you are new to the area, or just haven't been here in a while, WELCOME! Please visit our website & register. We look forward to hearing from you!



Parish Grouping Office Hours



MAIN OFFICE

Petersburg

207 N. 4th Street

(open/In-Person Hours)

Monday Closed

Tuesday 10:30 am – Noon & 1 – 4 pm

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 9:30 am – Noon

When calling the parish offices,
please call 402-843-2345

(This will give you an option to connect to a priest in the event of emergency)

SATELLITE OFFICES

Elgin

No longer holding office hours.
Still used as meeting space when needed

301 S. 2ND STREET, ELGIN, NE 68636
(Still checking office door and
PO Box B weekly)

Ewing

220 W. US HWY 275, EWING, NE 68735

Tuesday & Thursday mornings

9:00 am – Noon

(Still checking PO Box 37 regularly)

Deacon Dennis Wiehn 402-843-0182

Deacon John Starman 402-843-8393

Deacon William Camp (retired) 402-843-5464

Sister Patricia Hoffman (retired) 402-843-5461

Stations of the Cross:

Fridays, 7:00 PM (Southern Tier)

-Feb 16 St. Boniface, Elgin (JS)

-Feb 23 St. Bonaventure, Raeville (DW)

-March 1 St. John's, Petersburg (DW)

-March 8 Raeville (JS)

-March 15 Elgin (DW)

-March 22 Petersburg (JS)

(Northern Tier)

-Wednesdays 9:00 AM St. Theresa,
Clearwater (following Mass)

-Thursdays 9:00 AM St. Peter, Ewing
(following Mass)

-Fridays 9:00 AM St. Johns, Deloit
(following Mass)

With School Students Fridays 3:00 PM

-Friday, February 23 SBE

-Friday, March 15 SBE

-Friday, March 22 SBE

ASH WEDNESDAY **Mass Schedule for February 14**

6:30am St. John's Deloit

8:15am St. Boniface, Elgin,
School Mass

8:30am St. Francis, Neligh

5:30pm St. Francis, Neligh

6:30pm St. Theresa's, Clearwater

7:00pm St. John's, Petersburg

7:30pm OLMC, Tilden

Note Pope John is hosting the Red
Cross blood drive. Before and after
giving blood, it is okay to eat based
on medical necessity for donations.
Still refrain from meat.



Spring Breakfast

St. Bonaventure Parish Spring
Breakfast & Raffle will be held
Sunday, March 3rd from 8:30 a.m.
until noon at the parish hall in
Raeville. Menu includes pancakes,
French toast, sausage, ham,
dessert and beverage for a
free will offering.

Raeville Parishioners:

Raffle tickets for March 3rd can be
found in back of all parish
churches. Please return any sold or
unsold tickets by Feb. 24/25 in your
Sunday collection basket or to
JoAnn Mattner. Thank you in
advance for your support!

St. Boniface, Elgin

Due to church repairs and painting,
Circle 4 will *not* clean church in
February. But will be asked to help
in March.

Nine Day Novena for Life Overview

The protection of life is a sustained prayer intention of the Church,
and in particular of the Knights of Columbus.
Knights remain firmly committed to defending the right to life of every
human being – from the moment of conception to natural death. To
commemorate and bolster this important cause, our Council will promote
a novena, nine days of sustained prayer, to build up a culture of life in our
parishes, homes and wider community. Please join us in a short prayer
service before every Mass in the southern Parishes starting on Saturday,
Feb 3 and ending on Monday, Feb 11.

Super Bowl Breakfast

Sunday, February 11

Neligh American Legion. Serving
eggs, sausage, pancakes and
French Toast 8AM – Noon..

Sponsored by the St Francis Knights
of Columbus.



Families Save the Dates

****Gratia****

Girls Retreat for upcoming
4th through 6th grades will be held
July 9-10, 2024
at Tintern

****Legion of Joseph****

Boys Retreat for upcoming
5th through 7th Grades will be held
July 17-18, 2024
at Tintern

St. John's (Deloit)

Christian Mothers Meeting

Monday, February 12th at 7:00 P.M.
Please come for St. Valentine treats
and prayer. Please bring a friend or
neighbor. Any requested agenda
items can be directed
to the officers.

St. John's Petersburg Potato Bake

Sunday April 7th – 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

We would like for St. John's
parishioners to sign up for food
donations so we don't have to make
calls or mail letters for donations.
There is a signup sheet in the lobby
of the church. We will mail out
assignments for workers for the
event. We appreciate all your
assistance with this. The proceeds
will be used to purchase new
shelving for the cooler in the
Werner Hall.

Thank You for your assistance.

Altar Society contact-

Jane Thieman 402-649-0304

PRAYER LINE

Please Remember in Your Prayers....

St. John's Petersburg:

No Intentions at this time

(To start prayer line, call
Kelly Starman, 402-386-5570 or
Kathy Koch 402-386-5481)

St Theresa's:

Leo Starman, Nate Thiele, Adam Kester,
Peg Kuester, Regina Krebs and
Scott Kuester
(To start prayer line,
call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262)

St. Peter's: Nicki Dougherty, Kathi
Retwisch, Sister Joseph, Yvonne
Duggan, Marie Vandersnick,
Anna Murdy, Gary Funk, infant Cohen
Summers, and Roger Miller.

(To start prayer line, call
Lavonne Sisson
402-626-7755)

St. John's Deloit:

Darlene Schueth and
Steven Schruink
(To start prayer line, call
Jeanne Knievel
402-929-0847.)

St. Boniface, St. Bonaventure:

Laura Ferando, Brandon Henn, Infant
Graham Sayers, Adam Kester, Marlene
(Hoefer) Hughes, Larry DeMuth, Infant
Paul Bell, Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers,
Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George
Childers, Ann Beckman, Bernadine
Hoefer, Gene Heithoff, Infant Fallon Sue
Heying, Harry Cunningham, Marin
Schindler, Judy Johnson, Denise
Jamison, Bruce Baum, Alice Kallhoff,
Travis Pieper, Phil Stuhr, Judy Zegers,
Mike Dwyer, Brett Kielty, Henry Biggie,
Tom Jamieson, baby Nora Henn, Barb
Ziegler, and Tom Kimes.

(To start prayer line
for St. Boniface,
call Mary Jane Boes

843-2379/JoAnn Beckman 843-6287 .

St. Bonaventure: Call Mary Ann
Fangman 402-843-6129 or

Diane Scholl
402-386-5256.)

If names can be taken off the prayer
list, please let us know. Thank You

Parish Stewardship for February 3 & 4, 2024

God Bless You for your generosity!

Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount

SJD (Deloit)

Sunday \$1,188
Respect Life \$75
Seminary \$50
God's Portion \$1,000
Fish Fry \$160

SBE (Elgin)

Sunday \$1,830.93
Seminary \$55

STC (Clearwater)

Sunday \$2,447

SBR (Raeville)

Sunday \$1,224.50
Respect Life \$225
Seminary \$50
Building Fund \$500
Furnace \$350

SPE (Ewing)

Sunday \$100

SJP (Petersburg)

Sunday \$660

Special Collections
February 25 - Easter Flowers
February 25 - Utilities



St. John's Deloit
Card Party
(10pt. pitch)

After the 5:30 p.m.
Saturday night Mass
at St. John's Hall



February 17, 2024

*Everyone is asked to bring a
finger-food dish to share*

**B.Y.O.B.**

Upcoming Fish Fries

-Wednesday, February 14

Ash Wednesday
American Legion in Clearwater
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

-Friday, March 8

Elgin KC Hall
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

-Friday, March 22

St. John's (Deloit)
5:00 PM - 8:30 PM

-Every Friday during Lent

Petersburg Legion Club
5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

-Every Friday during Lent

Albion KC Hall
5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

You're Invited!

OACCW Winter Meeting

WHO: All Catholic Women

WHAT: OACCW (Omaha Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women) meeting.

WHEN & WHERE: Tue., Feb 13, 2024 at Heine Learning Center in Msgr. Cyril J. Werner Activity Center, parking lot and entrance on south side of Holy Trinity Elementary School, off S. Summit Street in Hartington, NE. *Please note this is a change from original scheduled host site.

ITINERARY: 9:30 a.m. Registration of \$10. 10:00 a.m. Meeting begins. Lunch and Commission/Committee Reports to follow throughout day and a program presented by RNC. Day will conclude with Mass at 2:00 p.m. Info/Updates to include Catholics at Capitol, Spirituality Day and next meeting.

Deanery Presidents: Please bring your Senior girl scholarship winner essays and names for the Scholarship committee selection of OACCW \$750 scholarship. Remember, they need turned in by Feb 15 to Kim. Please bring finished baby blankets, bibs, diapers and indestructible books for Christ Child Society layettes. Please bring your Parish/Deanery Penny and a Prayer collections for the Archdiocesan Vocations Fund. RSVP encouraged by Feb 7 for lunch count to Kim Estes,

OACCW President via email at kimberley_estes@hotmail.com
or text to 402-340-2866.

Leonarda Arens, 1st Vice President/Mary Thoene, OACCW Publicity
402-253-5120/ 402-841-0923

Date	Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON FEB 12	8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service / Rosary Following
TUES FEB 13	8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN JS	+Walter Stokes +Jerome Starman	Rosary Prior to Mass
WED FEB 14	6:30 AM	Deloit	JN	+Bill Koening	Ash Wednesday
WED FEB 14	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	+Darrell Getzfred	Ash Wednesday/PJ 7/8 Gr Plan Mass Rosary following Mass
WED FEB 14	8:30 AM	Neligh	PN	Fred & Mable Scarlett	Ash Wednesday
WED FEB 14	5:30 PM	Neligh	PN	Dr. Dwaine Peetz	Ash Wednesday
WED FEB 14	6:30 PM	Clearwater	JN	+Ruth Kerkman	Ash Wednesday
WED FEB 14	7:00 PM	Petersburg	JS	+Sal, Kristine, Marilyn, Rich and Norm Henn	Ash Wednesday
WED FEB 14	7:30 PM	Tilden	PN	Dusel & Jarechi Families	Ash Wednesday
THUR FEB 15	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	+Leona Wiehn	
THUR FEB 15	8:30 AM	Ewing	JN	+Sam & Joan Stearns	Stations following Mass
FRI FEB 16	8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service
FRI FEB 16	--	Deloit	--	No Mass	
SAT FEB 17	5:30 PM	Tilden	PN	For the Parishioners of OLMC & St. Francis	
SAT FEB 17	5:30 PM	Deloit	JS	+Jack & Mark Schindler	
SUN FEB 18	8:00 AM	Raeville	JN	+Floyd Henn, Cindy Bohaboj, & Bernard Kuhlman	
SUN FEB 18	8:00 AM	Clearwater	JS	+Mary Ann Thiele & Arnold	
SUN FEB 18	10:00 AM	Elgin	JN	For the People of Our Parishes	
SUN FEB 18	10:00 AM	Neligh	PN	+Alice Tunink	

Ministry Schedule for February 17 & 18

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 2/17/2024

5:30 pm

St. John the Baptist (Deloit)

Altar Servers: Cohen Schindler, Alec Schindler

EMHC: Sonja Bartak **Giftbearers:** Carolyn Schindler

Lector: John Knievel **Ushers:** Allen Schueth, Doug Schueth

Sunday 2/18/2024

8:00 am

St. Bonaventure (Raeville)

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

Altar Servers: Raaf Klein, Liam Pelster **EMHC:** Brenda Kuhlman

Giftbearers: Fred & Mary Ann Fangman **Lector:** Tami Schrage

Music: Paul Kuhlman **Rosary Leaders:** Mark & Carole Tharnish

Ushers: Spencer Heying, Tyler Reestman

8:00 am

St. Theresa (Clearwater)

Altar Servers: Shaylie Kester, Isabella Kester **EMHC:** Jennifer Kester

Giftbearers: Ed & Sandy Moser

Lector: Carol Kester **Ushers:** Bill Kester, Steve Thiele

10:00 am

St. Boniface (Elgin)

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

Altar Servers: Lillian Moser, James Moser **Giftbearers:** Sue Schiltmeyer

Greeters: Tracey Schindler, Jeff Schindler, Ron Eischeid, Linda Eischeid

Homebound: Borer Larry, Linda Kerkman **Lector:** Jodine Meis **Ushers:** Merle

Borer, Jack Borer, Chris Baum, Terry Bauer **Music:** Mark & Julie Dwyer

Family of Parishes Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:30 PM Every Weekend Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden

5:30 PM 1st/3rd/5th Weekend St. John the Baptist, Deloit

5:30 PM 2nd/4th Weekend St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing

Sunday

8:00 AM Every Weekend St. Theresa, Clearwater

8:00 AM 1st/3rd/5th Weekend St. Bonaventure, Raeville

8:00 AM 2nd/4th Weekend St. John the Baptist, Petersburg

10:00 AM Every Weekend St. Francis, Neligh

10:00 AM Every Weekend St. Boniface, Elgin

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please submit your information to
bulletin@cppnebraska.org

(by Mondays at 12:00PM for the bulletin please!)

If you send your information to this email address, it is sure to be seen and addressed by the bulletin editor & communications department.

When calling the parish office:

If you leave a voicemail, please state which parish you are calling in regard to. This makes it easier for us to determine needs for cemeteries, prayer lines, calendar dates, etc.

Thank You!

**** When area schools have a late start or cancellation due to weather, then that day's Mass or Communion Service at parishes within our family will be cancelled as well, though the Mass intentions for that day will still be celebrated by the priests privately.**