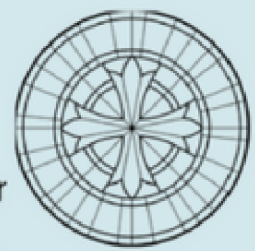


Catholic Parishes in Partnership



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

Office address: 207 N 4th Street, Petersburg, NE 68652

Mailing address: PO Box 608 Petersburg, NE 68652

Phone: 402-843-2345 | **Email:** parish@cppnebraska.org

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

Bulletin submissions due Monday by 12pm

submit to: bulletin@cppnebraska.org

Date	Time	Event
Mon Feb 19	7:00 PM	Rosary/Meditation SJD
Mon Feb 19	7:00 PM	Altar Society Meeting SBE
Mon Feb 19	Restoration project at SBE begins	
Tues Feb 20	--	---
Wed Feb 21	5:00 PM- 5:30 PM	Confessions SBE
Wed Feb 21	---	PRE Follow Schedule
Thur Feb 22	8:30 AM to Noon	Adoration Following 8:30 AM Mass SPE
Fri Feb 23	3:00 PM	Stations of the Cross SBE
Fri Feb 23	7:00 PM	Stations of the Cross SBR
Fri Feb 23/ Sun Feb 25	--	Women's CEC
Feb 24/25	--	Utilities & Easter Flowers Collections

February 18, 2024, First Sunday of Lent

Journey of Faith

1 Family, 2 parishes, 8 Churches

Thank You to all who submitted name suggestions for the upcoming parish mergers! 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 thank you to all who gave your input!

As we continue to move forward on this journey together, it is very exciting to see how full our churches are.

It is beautiful to hear so many voices joined together!

Know Your Faith


What if I forgot to confess a sin?

Our minds are not perfect, sometimes we forget things. What happens if one of these times happens to be when I am in the confessional? The Catechism tells us that after a diligent examination of our conscience we must confess all mortal sins that we are aware of. We also are encouraged to confess venial sins (smaller sins) if they have an impact on our love of God or neighbor.

The key for our question is the confession of sins that I am aware of at the time of my confession. Forgetting a sin is different from purposefully withholding a sin out of fear or embarrassment. If I withhold a mortal sin, that is a mortal sin in itself committed in confession. However, if one forgets to confess a sin with no ill intention, we believe that those sins are forgiven in the Sacrament. The difference between the two is that my intention in the latter was to confess all of my mortal sins.

We need not worry then and rack our minds over previous confessions, wondering if we ever forgot a sin we committed in our lives if we have had the intention to make a good confession. However, if I do remember some sins I haven't confessed, it may be helpful when I go to my next confession to mention it to receive guidance over those areas in my life.

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.

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.

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)

St. Peter de Alcantara's

Christian Mothers meeting

Monday, March 4

2:00 pm, at St. Dominic's Hall.

Please come and share your time
and views with us.

Quest Retreat

For all Freshmen and Sophomore
high school students on April 6-7
at Tintern Retreat Center.

Cost \$50. Please contact Gene
Schumacher at 402-564-0258 for
application details, or find
applications on CPP website
cppnebraska.org

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.

**No Eucharistic Day of
Prayer at SBE on
Thursday, February 29th
due to restoration project.**

St. Boniface, Elgin

Plaster restoration & painting touch up project

Jobsite Hours:

- M & T: All Day. **No Communion Service on 2/19 & 2/26.**
- W-F: Start time: 9:00am (will begin after mass)

Project schedule:

2/19

- M-W: Scaffolding Erection by Scaffolding Services
- W-F: Plaster Restoration begin.

2/26

- M-F: Plaster Restoration
- CSS- Painting and Stencils

3/14

- CSS- Painting and Stencils
- Scaffolding: Removal- Thursday and Friday- or the following week- TBD.

Upcoming Fish Fries



-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

-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



St. John's Petersburg Potato Bake

Sunday April 7th – 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

St. John's parishioners:

Please sign up for food donations.
There is a signup sheet in the lobby of
the church. We will mail out
assignments for workers for the event.
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

St. John's, Petersburg

Parish Council

Thursday, March 14 at 7:00 PM

Scam Alert ! If you receive a message
from ANY of our priests, asking for
money, gift cards, etc., or asking you to
call them due to an urgent matter,
please delete it.

This is not from them! Thank you!

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

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, and
infant Cohen Summers.

(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 10 & 11, 2024

God Bless You for your generosity!

Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount

SJD (Deloit)

Sunday \$415
Respect Life \$100

SBE (Elgin)

Sunday \$2,394
Respect Life \$25
Utilities \$50
Insurance \$25

STC (Clearwater)

Sunday \$1,716

SJP (Petersburg)

Sunday \$1,818.25
Seminary \$1,050
Utilities \$1,000
Cemetery \$50

SPE (Ewing)

Sunday \$866
Respect Life \$100
Utilities \$55

SBR (Raeville)

Sunday \$90

Special Collections: February 25 - Easter Flowers, February 25 - Utilities



March 8.9.10 (Men's)
April 12.13.14 (Women's)

September 27.28.29 (Men's)
October 11.12.13 (Women's)

What is CEC?

Christians Encounter Christ (CEC) is a Catholic movement within the Archdiocese of Omaha. The CEC Method is introduced in highly structured three-day weekend experience, beginning on Friday evening and ending on Sunday night. CEC Movement believes that Christianity can penetrate all areas of the secular world, living, growing, and transferring Christ's values to society. The CEC Weekend is a personal and communal encounter with Christ through the Holy Spirit which leads to a lifelong relationship with God by living a method of ongoing spiritual growth and evangelization of our Catholic faith.

If you would like to experience a CEC weekend, talk to someone who has already made a CEC weekend, or call the parish office (402-843-2345) & ask for Becky or Clarissa for more information!



Spring Benefit AUCTION



Saturday, March 16, 2024

Elgin KC Hall

Bidding starting at 5:30PM

The bar will be open
and food available.



**Each parish family is asked to
donate a \$50 quality auction item
or \$50 in cash**

Contact a member of the auction
committee with your item.

St. Boniface Auction Committee

Luke Beckman	402-843-0598
Kara Shavlik	402-843-8816
Travis Eischeid	402-843-6680
Craig & Jess Niewohner	402-843-2247
Michael Moser	402-649-0391
Ted & JoAnn Baum	402-843-8370
Jay & Kristen Evans	402-640-8622
Andy & Nicole Starman	402-843-6521
Austin Meis	402-843-6604
Shane Beckman	402-843-0447
Tyler Childers	402-843-0536
Austin Mitchell	402-843-6443
Ross Schindler	402-843-0232
Jason Hoefer	402-843-8054

All proceeds go to St. Boniface Parish

Date	Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON FEB 19	--	Elgin	-		No Communion Service
TUES FEB 20	8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN JS	+Marvin Koch +John & Helen Dvorak	Rosary Prior to Mass
WED FEB 21	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	+Jerome Starman	Rosary Following Mass
WED FEB 21	8:30 AM	Clearwater	JN	+Clet & Tim Thrasher	Stations following Mass
THUR FEB 22	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	+Ed Grundmayer	SB 1st Grade Plans Mass
THUR FEB 22	8:30 AM	Ewing	JN	+Alex & Joyce Thrasher	Stations following Mass
FRI FEB 23	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	+Ron Reestman/Terry Henn	
FRI FEB 23	8:30 AM	Deloit	JN	+LaVern & Vera Dell Stuhr and Philip Thiele	Stations following Mass
SAT FEB 24	5:30 PM	Tilden	PN	+Joe Lennemann & Frank Hecht	
SAT FEB 24	5:30 PM	Ewing	JN	+Cotton & Luellen Jones	
SUN FEB 25	8:00 AM	Petersburg	JS	+Shannon & Olivia Temme	Deacon John Starman
SUN FEB 25	8:00 AM	Clearwater	JN	For the People of the Parishes	
SUN FEB 25	10:00 AM	Elgin	JS	+Deceased Members of Albert Heithoff Family	Deacon John Starman
SUN FEB 25	10:00 AM	Neligh	PN	Parishioners of St. Francis & Our Lady Mount Carmel	

Ministry Schedule for February 24 & 25 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 2/24/2024

5:30 pm

St. Peter (Ewing)

Altar Servers: Cooper Napier, Michael Koenig

EMHC: Carol Rotherham

Giftbearers: Mary Woslager

Lector: Karen Funk

Ushers: Kevin Schrunk, Bruce Hoffman

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

Sunday 2/25/2024

8:00 am

St. Theresa (Clearwater)

Altar Servers: Kelton Bruhn, Ruby Ahlers

EMHC: Duane Kester

Giftbearers: Tina Thiele-Blecher & Family

Lector: Sonia Rittscher

Ushers: Jarod Bearinger, Tim Jr. Kester

8:00 am

St. John the Baptist (Petersburg)

(Contact Deacon John Starman to schedule

Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-8393)

Altar Servers: Kaci Wies, Karlie Wies

Homebound: John Starman

Lector: Lisa Schumacher

Money: Shirley Henn, Eric Petsche

Music: Guitar Group

Ushers: Scott Preister, Dale Salber

10:00 am

St. Boniface (Elgin)

(Contact Deacon Dennis Wiehn to schedule

Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-0182)

Altar Servers: Karson Kallhoff, Landon Kallhoff

Giftbearers: Keith Heithoff

Greeters: Ted Baum, Alan Reicks,

Ed Parks, Anne Parks

Homebound: Sr. Pat Hoffmann, Kris Starman

Lector: Tracy Beckman

Ushers: Mike Zegers, Chuck Pelster,

Chris Baum, Leigh Kluthe

Music: Deb Baum & Becky Kerkman

**If you would like something in the bulletin,
posted on Facebook, the website, Flocknote,
or added to the calendar:**

please submit your information to bulletin@cnpnebraska.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!

Sign up to receive the bulletin *online* at cnpnebraska.flocknote.com

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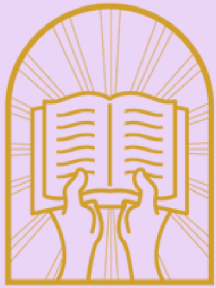
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How will you live this Lent?

Here are some ways to get connected and renewed this Lent



LIVE Lent TOGETHER

Start a small group!

All the material is prepared for you. 6-week guides for small groups to pray together with Scripture (lectio divina). They rely on Jesus to do the heavy lifting of leading the group, and aim for transformation of heart (not just transfer of information).

Your small group can include friends, neighbors, co-workers, or even your children and their friends.

Anyone interested in leading or being in a LLT group please contact Becky

402-843-0573

bkerkman@cppnebraska.org



Hallow - the #1 Catholic prayer app is *free* and breaks down everything you need to know about prayer and has great prayer resources to help you build a habit of daily prayer.

Lent can be an incredibly rewarding time for our faith lives. Hallow would be a perfect guide, if you are looking to experience Lent in a more meaningful way.



The Bible in a Year Podcast

In The Bible in a Year podcast, Fr. Mike Schmitz walks you through the entire Bible in 365 episodes, providing commentary, reflection, and prayer along the way.

Each 20-25 minute episode includes: - Two to three scripture readings - A reflection from Fr. Mike Schmitz - A guided prayer to help you hear God's voice in his Word.

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FEELING AMBITIOUS?!

How do we detach from the worldly culture so that we can feel true freedom in being disciples of Jesus?

Exodus 90 for men

The Exodus 90 app is your daily spiritual formation guide to support you in becoming uncommonly free to share the love of God with those he has called you to serve.



Magnify 90 for women

We are called to be a light for the world, beacons of hope, a city on a hill! This Magnify 90 journey asks us to foster a deep relationship with God and others.



The Catechism in a Year (with Fr. Mike Schmitz)

Read the entire Catechism of the Catholic Church in 365 days with Fr. Mike Schmitz. If you have ever wanted to understand what it means to be Catholic and allow those truths to shape your life—this podcast is for you!

