



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

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THIS WEEKEND: St. Bonaventure Spring
Raffle & Breakfast! Serving 8:30a-12pm

Upcoming TEC Weekend March 18-20 at Glad Tidings in Bloomfield. For High School 10th-12th grade. Contact Becky Kerkman (bkerkman@cppnebraska.org) to sign up. Registration forms available in church entrances.

YOUTH GROUP

This weekend (March 5) from 5-8pm at Tintern.
Includes Mass, Meal, Prayer and Faith!



Theme this month: "Relational Prayer"
All students 9-12 grade encouraged to attend!

*Sunday Mass Obligation is fulfilled by teens who attend this Mass.

PARISH LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

March 12th
2:00pm Ewing; 3:30pm Clearwater
March 26th
2:00pm Albion
4:30pm Elgin

Every Wednesday Confessions at 5:00-5:30pm in Elgin
And also prior to Sunday Masses



SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 5, 2023

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE

| Date | Time | Location (Celebrant) | Intention |
|------------|--------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| Mon, Mar 6 | 8:15a | SBE (DW) | Communion Service |
| Tue Mar 7 | 8:15a | SBE (JN) | +Jake & Elanor Heil |
| Tue Mar 7 | 8:30a | SJP (JS) | +Gladys Frye Rogers |
| Wed Mar 8 | 8:30a | STC (JS) | +Paul & Charlotte Hoefer |
| Wed Mar 8 | 6:00p | SBE (LS) | +Evelyn Pelster (Family Formation) |
| Thur Mar 9 | 8:30a | SPE (JS) | + Joe Tagel |
| Thur Mar 9 | 8:30a | SBR (LS) | +Clem & Frances Luettel |
| Fri Mar 10 | 8:15a | SBE (LS) | +Irene Ridder |
| Fri Mar 10 | 8:30a | SJD (JS) | + Max, Darlene & Steve Schindler |
| Sat Mar 11 | 5:30p | SPE (PN) | +Dick & Bonnie Kallhoff |
| Sat Mar 11 | 7:00p | SJP (JN) | +Fr. Franke Lordemann |
| Sun Mar 12 | 8:00a | SBR (JN) | +Jerome Starman |
| Sun Mar 12 | 10a | SBE (JN) | +Florian Baum |
| Sun Mar 12 | 10a | STC (PN) | For the People of Our Parishes |
| Sun Mar 12 | 11:30a | SJD (PN) | + Sam & Joan Stearns |

SBE=Elgin | SBR=Raeville | SJP=Peterburg

SPE=Ewing | SJD=Deloit | STC=Clearwater

(If your district's school is late start or cancelled due to snow, Mass and confessions are cancelled as well)

CALLING ALL VOICES! - St. Boniface Choir Rehearsals for Easter Sunday 10am! March 8, 15, 22, 29 @ 7:30pm



Bulletin Deadline: With Linda's retirement, bulletin is being worked on by staff on a more slimmed down model, each weeks published items must be in by Monday @ 5pm to bulletin@cppnebraska.org

NEWS FROM OUR PARISHES.....

NORTH

SOUTH

St. Boniface Men's Circle Schedule for SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL for Parish Ground

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| Sunday | All Circles |
| Monday | Cir 1 (Arehart-Buelt) |
| Tuesday | Cir 2 (Busteed-Getzfired) |
| Wednesday | Cir 3 (Gossman-Kinney) |
| Thursday | Cir 4 (Kluthe-Payne) |
| Friday | Cir 5 (Pelster-Schrage) |
| Saturday | Cir 6 (Schueths-Zwingman) |

St. Boniface Altar Society Circle Worklist

Clean Church 3, Next Funeral 5,
Next Charity 3, Next mtg Mar 20

St. John's Peterburg Snow Removal March is Last Names A-P



St. Boniface Spring Benefit Auction - Sat Mar 18th First Bid at 5:30pm

Each household in parish is encouraged to donate. Men's circle leaders will be calling you. Families may group together for larger items. All items will be tagged with donors name and are subject to committee acceptance. Items can be picked up and stored.

Please Contact a committed member to let them know what you can give or consign! M. Beckman 843-6045, L Beckman 843-0598, K Shavlik 843-8816, C&J Niewhohner 843-2247

Use Auction envelopes to explain what you are giving or to give a donation! Thanks!

Friends of St. Boniface School Spring Raffle

(3) \$1000 Mastercard Gift Cards (3) \$500 MC Gift Cards. Only 250 tickets are being sold for \$100 a piece. Purchase by March 7! Contact a student/parent or the school office for more info. Drawing is Mar 24th!

Knights of Columbus will be held this Tuesday
March 7 at Rural St. John's at 7:30 pm.



The ladies of St. Boniface Parish are reminded to send in your Altar Society Dues to your head circle leader. Thank you!

St. John's Fish Fry Rural Clearwater

Friday, March 24, 2023
5:00 – 8:30 pm



Menu: 3 kinds of Fish, 2 kinds of Potatoes, Mac & Cheese, Homemade Desserts, Salads and Rolls.
Free Will Offering. Dining Room Seating
(Take Out by calling 402-485-2476).

Make plans to come and enjoy "The Best Fish Fry in The Country". Located at 10 miles south & 1 mile east of Ewing at 50898 848th Road.

***St. John's Parishioners are asked to sign-up on the sheets in the back of church for donations, food and faithful helpers!!!

Nebraska is one step closer to protecting preborn babies with beating hearts. On Wednesday, February 22nd, the Health & Human Services Committee voted to advance the **Nebraska Heartbeat Act, LB626**, to General File for debate. Help us celebrate by thanking the Health & Human Services Committee members, and tell your senator to support the Nebraska Heartbeat Act during each round of debate. See how you can, by going to <https://necatholic.org/takeaction/>



Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North America Volunteers is now accepting application for their 2023 Special Needs Pilgrimage to Lourdes, France. This holy pilgrimage sight is known for miracles, healing and peace. The dates are June 18-24, 2023 and October 8-14, 2023. To find out more visit www.Lourdes-Volunteers.org or call Ray Gubbels at 402-360-3331 or Marvin Stech at 402-649-5015

EASTER FLOWERS

Each of our parishes are now asking for donations or memorials in memory of loved ones, to be used for Easter Flowers. Please use your March 5 Flower Envelope from your packet and please remember to (print) your loved one's name on the outside of the envelope. Please figure \$18/per Lily. Note: St. Theresa's also has a sign-up sheet in the entrance of church.



Parish Financial Stewardship

| Parish | Collection | Amt |
|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| St. Boniface, Elgin | Sunday College Min Black/Indian Home/Foreign Easter Flow | \$9514.80 \$425 75 25 30 |
| St. Bonaventure, Raeville | Sunday Utility Ash Wed Black/Indian | \$940 \$505 \$192 \$25 |
| St. John's Peterburg Peterburg | Sunday Rae's of Sunlight | \$1268.75 \$1830 |
| St. Peter's, Ewing | Sunday College Min Uiltiy | \$2804.00 \$100 \$100 |
| St. Theresa's, Clearwater | Sunday Black/Indian Utility | \$2673.00 \$80 \$100 |
| St. John's, Deloit | Sunday Black/Indian | \$1217.00 \$90 |

JOIN US FOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FOLLOWING 8:30am Weekday Masses at Clearwater, Ewing and Rural St. John.

March 10th @ 7pm at
St. Boniface, Elgin



Know Your Faith: Why No Meat?

During the Lenten season, the Church requires that on Fridays of Lent all Catholics over the age of fourteen refrain from the consumption of meat. Why meat?

The Latin word for meat is "caro" which is a word directly meaning flesh meat. So it is really that on Friday's in Lent we don't eat flesh. (Fish has never been considered "caro")

The symbolism here should stick out. Christ offers his flesh for us, and so it is a very small act of us to give up the eating of fleshy meat. Absitence is a form of self-denial that helps us to grow in holiness. Another reason of giving up meat is that it helps us to identify with the poor of the world who do not have such luxuries.

~~Fr. Sund~~ Check back each week to learn more!

Prayer Line

"St. Boniface, St. Bonaventure: Please Remember In Your Prayers: Infant Graham Sayers, Marcia Redler, Adam Kester, Marlene (Hoefler) Hughes, Larry DeMuth, Al Haines, Geraldine Wardyn, Darrell Getzfred, Infant Paul Bell. Parishioners: Neil Childers, Marie Cheatum, Loretta Zegers, Donna Mackel, Juan Hoefler, Gloria Lordemann, Marin Schindler, Chris Baum, George Childers, Diane Kerkman, Phyllis Tharnish, Ann Beckman, Karen Eischeid, Bernadine Hoefler, Gene Heithoff, Infant Fallon Sue Heying. Drois Kluthe ELGIN PRAYER LINE REQUESTS St. Boniface: Call Mary Jane Boes 843-2379/JoAnn Beckman 843-6287.

"St. Peter's: Anna Murdy, Infant Nash Koenig, Bob Walnofer, Nicki Dougherty, Kathi Retwisch, Sister Joseph, Yvonne Duggan, Marie Vandersnick. (To start prayerline, call Lavonne Sisson 402-626-7755).

St. John's: Darlene Schueth (To start prayer line, call Jeanne Knievel 402-929-0847.)

St Theresa's: Bob Mattini, Leo Starman, Nate Thiele and Adam Kester. (To start prayer line, call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262)



Congratulations to the **Wolfpack** and **Bobcat** girls and boys basketball teams on their hard fought seasons!



Did you know **HOMILIES ARE POSTED ONLINE** for EVERY WEEK? You can go back and listen for prayer and reflection. Scan the QR Code below or search "Catholic Parishes in Partnership" in your favorite podcast app

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Liturgical Schedule for Saturday-Sunday March 11-12

| Date | Servers | Ushers | Grt/Ros/Mon | Gifts | Lectors | Music | EMHC |
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| Sat, Mar 11 Ewing 5:30p | Charlee Wagner Paityn Wagner | Dan Koenig Ed Nordby | ----- | Denis & Jody Bergstrom | Karen Funk | Follow Schedule | Mark Tyrrell |
| Sat, Mar 11 Peterburg 5:30p | Christian Preister Kaitey Schumacher | Gene Knust 1 Volunteer | Money: Rick Pelster Kevin Schumacher | ----- | Anita Krohn | Alan & Jeanne Temme | Deacon John Starman Hombound: Teresa Heying |
| Sun, Mar 12 Raeville 8:00am | Melissa Stuhr Reese Stuhr | Jerry Schrage Spencer Heying | Rosary Leaders Mark & Carole Tharnish | Cyril & Joyce Pelster | Tami Schrage | Paul Kuhlman | Chris Grundmayer |
| Sun, Mar 12 Elgin 10:00am | Cecil Shavlik Jovie Vaisvilas | Chuck Pelster Alan Reicks Terry Reicks Bob Schiltmeyer | Alan & Michelle Reicks- W Paul & Jolene Schrage- N & S | Mike & Mary Alice Dwyer | Luke Beckman | Laura Ruge | Priest, Deacon Dennis, Hombound: *Dave & *Gwen Beckman |
| Sun, Mar 12 Clearwater 10:00am | Kaylee Thiele Justice Blecher | Francis Hanzlik Kelly Kerkman | ----- | Clifford Steskal Family | Connie Cronin | Follow Schedule | Marlene Thiessen |
| Sun Mar 12 Deloit 11:30a | Emerson & Aurelia Mlnarik | Steven Bartak Allen Schueth | ----- | Dave & Marilyn Sehi | Cathy Palmer | Follow Schedule | Diane Dicke |



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES!!!



| Date | Time | Event |
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| Sun 3/5 | 8:30-12p | St. Bonaventure Spring Breakfast and Raffle Drawing |
| Sun 3/5 | 5-pm | High School (9-12) Youth Group @ Tintern |
| Mon 3/6 | 7:30pm | Rosary and Meditation Rural St John |
| Tues 3/6 | 7:30pm | Elgin Knights of Columbus Meeting @ St. John's Deloit |
| Wed 3/7 | 8:30am | Stations follow 8:30am Mass @ Clearwater |
| Wed 3/7 | 5pm | Confessions 5:00-5:30pm in Elgin |
| Wed 3/8 | 5-6pm | North Family Formation Students Only (|
| Wed 3/8 | 6pm | South Family Formation Mass Clearwater followed by Father's Talk (approx 6:30) |
| Wed 3/8 | 7:30pm | Adult Choir Practice Elgin |
| Thu 3/9 | 8:30a | Stations follow 8:30am Mass @ Ewing |
| Fri 3/10 | 8:30a | Stations follow 8:30am Mass @ Deloit |
| Fri 3/10 | | NO SCHOOL for PJ/SB - No School Stations |
| Fri 3/10 | 5-7:30pm | Albion KC Fish Fry, Albion KC Hall |
| Fri 3/10 | 7:00pm | Stations of the Cross Elgin |