# 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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Rev. Joseph Sund | Associate Pastor

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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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Date	Time	Event			
Sun March 24	5:00 PM Social	PJ Development Dinner			
Mon March 25	8:15 AM	SBE Communion Service			
Mon March 25	7:30 PM <b>SJD</b> Rosary/Meditation Note time, due to daylight saving time.				
Tues March 26	Tuesday of Holy Week				
Wed March 27	Wednesday of Holy Week				
Wed March 27	5-5:30 PM	Confessions at SBE			
Wed March 20	PRE Follow Schedule				
Thurs March 28	PJ/SB 1:00 PM Dismiss				
Thurs March 28	Holy Thursday See bulletin for Mass times				
Fri March 29	Good Friday See bulletin for service times Parish Offices Closed				
Sat March 30	Holy Saturday See bulletin for Mass times				
Sun March 31	Happy Easter He Is Risen				



## March 24, 2024 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord



## Hosanna!

BLESSED IS THE ONE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD As so clearly depicted in the readings this weekend, Jesus freely offers us His sacrifice, mercy and love ...

regardless of how we receive him.

He is not put off by our sinfulness, slothfulness, or pride. He wishes to enter into it with us and heal us.

As we enter into the Holy Triduum - take some time to reflect on what is happening in your life and your own heart. Are there areas that you have not let Jesus in? Now is the perfect time to surrender to him and allow his healing mercy and love to consume you and your family. Lord, prepare us to receive you more deeply as we look forward to the joy of your Resurrection.

#### 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!



## Rural Central Deanery (RCD) of the Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (OACCW)

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 9 in St. Michael's Church basement in Albion. Registration will start at 1:00 PM and the meeting will begin at 1:30PM. We will discuss plans for the convention in September. Each of our parishes will have a part in hosting the convention which will be held in Norfolk. We will discuss nominations for the Mullen Award and our RCD scholarship winner, as well as elect 2 new Board Members. Please plan on attending! Mary Lux, RCD Secretary

## Rural Northwest Deanery Spring Meeting

St. Paul's Parish Hall
In Plainview, NE
Tuesday, April 9
Registration at 9:30 AM
Meeting will begin at 10:00.
Mass will be celebrated at 11:30
with Father Ross Burkhalter.

## St. Boniface, Elgin Parishioners:

Altar Society minutes & worklist are posted on the parish website https://cppnebraska.org/parishes/stboniface/

Next Funeral: Circle 4 Charity: Circle 1

St. Boniface Church in Elgin is in need of mowing & weed eating services of the St. Boniface Parish Grounds for the upcoming season (April-October).

The list of services needed can be found on the website:

### https://cppnebraska.org/ parishes/stboniface/

Please call the parish office with any questions. (402-843-2345) We ask for you to submit a written and signed bid before March 27.

Thank You!



## **Parish Grouping Office Hours**



MAIN OFFICE

## <u>Petersburg</u>

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

#### <u>Elgin</u>

No longer holding office hours.
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)

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

## <u>Congratulations</u> Welcome to the Catholic Faith



### ~Calder Eugene Schueth

Baptized 1/28/2024 at
St. John the Baptist in Deloit
Son of Allen & Kelsi
(Devall) Schueth

## ~Hunter James Heying

Baptized 2/25/2024 at St. Boniface in Elgin Son of Austin & Connor (Kinney) Heying

#### ~Kenna Gene Borer

Baptized 2/25/2024 at St. Boniface in Elgin Daughter of Jack & Taylor (Schumacher) Borer



The Parish Office invites you to an Open House! The evening of April 7th during the Potato Bake at Werner Hall. The open house will be in the north half of the building where the offices are located. All are welcome to walk through from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM.



#### CABRINI

The Cabrini Movie is coming to
Albion's Gateway Theatre
over Easter Weekend!
Friday, March 29
Saturday, March 30
Sunday, (Easter) March 31
7:30PM Showtime
Movie is PG 13
To view trailer and learn about the life & work of Mother Cabrini go to

## http://angel.com/cabrini Elgin Knights of Columbus

Next meeting is Tuesday, April 2 7:30 PM at the Elgin KC Hall

#### St. John's, Petersburg

**Thank You** to all the ladies who helped clean St. John's Church to prepare for Easter. Your help is much appreciated!

All High School Freshman and Sophomores are invited to a Quest Retreat April 6-7th at Tintern!

Quest brings young people together & invites them to search & seek a deeper understanding and appreciation of themselves, others and God. Questions can be directed to Chelsea Preister at acpreister@gmail.com. Applications in the back of your church!

## PRAYER LINE

Please Rember 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 Schrunk
(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 Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers, Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George Childers, Ann Beckman, Bernadine Hoefer, Gene Heithoff, Infant Fallon Sue Heying, Harry Cunningham, 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, Tom Kimes, Ashleigh Henn, Marlene Henn McClinton, and Joe Pelster. (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 March 16 & 17, 2024

God Bless You for your generosity!

Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount

**SPE (Ewing)** 

Sunday \$1,070 Catholic Relief \$40 Insurance \$535 Building Fund \$2,000

## SJP (Petersburg)

Sunday \$625

SJD (Deloit)

Sunday \$749 Insurance \$270 Utilities \$20 Building Fund \$3,300

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<u>SBR (Raeville)</u>

Sunday \$753.50 Insurance \$895 STC (Clearwater)

Sunday \$1,422 Insurance \$110

SBE (Elgin)

Sunday \$7,408.50 Easter Flowers \$75 Insurance \$1,345

Date & Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON MARCH 25 8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service Rosary Following
TUES MARCH 26 8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN JS	• † Doris Kluthe • † Jerome Starman	Rosary Prior to Mass
WED MARCH 27 8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	·† Mel & Dorothy Heithoff	Rosary Following Mass
WED MARCH 27 6:00 PM	Clearwater	JN	• † Carl Ernesti	Family Formation Mass
THUR MARCH 28 6:30 PM	Neligh	PN	• † John & Margaret Koenig	Holy Thursday
THUR MARCH 28 7:00 PM	Clearwater	JN	•† Orval & Delories Hankla	Holy Thursday
THUR MARCH 28 7:00 PM	Raeville	JS	•† Dave & Marilyn Schrad	Holy Thursday
FRI MARCH 29 3:00 PM	Deloit	JN	Good Friday Service	
FRI MARCH 29 3:00 PM	Tilden	PN	Good Friday Service	
FRI MARCH 29 7:00 PM	Ewing	JN	Good Friday Service	
FRI MARCH 29 7:00 PM	Petersburg	JS	Good Friday Service	
SAT MARCH 30 8:30 PM	Elgin	JN JS	·†Paula Jensen ·†Dave & Marilyn Schrad	Easter Vigil
SAT MARCH 30 8:45 PM	Neligh	PN	Parishioners of St. Francis & OLMC	Easter Vigil
SUN MARCH 31 8:00 AM	Ewing	JN	•† Rita Funk	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 8:00 AM	Petersburg	JS	-†Dan Henn	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 8:00 AM	Tilden	PN	· † Sam & Rose Schaecher & Family	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 10:00 AM	Clearwater	JN	•† Jeanette Thiele	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 10:00 AM	Elgin	JS	·† Doris Kluthe	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 10:00 AM	Neligh	PN	- † Living & Deceased Members of the Tunink & Jessen Families.	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 11:30 AM	Deloit	JN	· For the People of Our Parishes	Easter Sunday
SUN MARCH 31 11:30 AM	Raeville	JS	·† Joe, Beth & Fr. Frank Lordemann	Easter Sunday

## Ministry Schedule for Holy Week and Easter Sunday March 30 & 31

## <u>Thurs. March 28 7:00 PM Holy Thursday Mass St. Theresa (Clearwater)</u>

Altar Servers: Grace A., Gaby A.

**EMHC: Tom Thiele** 

Giftbearers: Francis Hanzlik

Lector: Carol Kester

Ushers: Kevin Filsinger, Steve Hankla

## <u>Thurs. March 28 7:00 PM Holy Thursday Mass St. Bonaventure (Raeville)</u>

Altar Servers: Anna S., Reese S.

Lector: Joyce A Pelster

Music: Chris Grundmayer, Joyce Reestman

Ushers: Aiden K., Marty Klein

### <u>Friday, March 29 3:00 PM Good Friday Service</u> <u>St. John the Baptist (Deloit)</u>

Altar Servers: Corbin S., Caden S.

**EMHC: Cathy Palmer** 

Lector: Ann Kurpgweit, John Knievel Ushers: Jim Funk, Curtis Lemburg

## <u>Friday, March 29 7:00 PM Good Friday Service</u> <u>St. Peter (Ewing)</u>

Altar Servers: Michael K., Cooper N.

**EMHC: Helen Larson** 

Lector: Leanne Tomjack, Tim Larson Ushers: Kevin Koenig, Dan Koenig

## <u>Friday, March 29 7:00 PM Good Friday Service</u> <u>St. John the Baptist (Petersburg)</u>

Altar Servers: Kaitey S., Natalie P.

**EMHC: Jordan Temme** 

Lector: Lisa Schumacher, Theresa Heying

Music: Alan Temme

Ushers: Kevin Schumacher

## <u>Sat. March 30 8:30 PM Easter Vigil Mass</u> <u>St. Boniface (Elgin)</u>

Altar Servers: Elizabeth M., James M., Lillian M.

Giftbearers: Dave & Gwen Beckman

Greeters: Ben & Anna Meis,

Mark & Brenda Schrage

Lector: Alan Reicks Music: Deb Baum

Ushers: Scott Beckman, Leigh Kluthe, Dean Schrage, Dave Hoefer

## <u>Sun. March 31 8:00 AM Easter Sunday Mass</u> <u>St. Peter (Ewing)</u>

Altar Servers: Riley N., Cooper N.

**EMHC: Carol Rotherham** 

Giftbearers: Ed & Mary Jo Nordby

Lector: Pat Ruther

Ushers: Denis Bergstrom, Gerg Napier

## <u>Sun. March 31 8:00 AM Easter Sunday Mass</u> <u>St. John the Baptist (Petersburg)</u>

Altar Servers: Anita K., Kaci W.

Music: Alan Temme

Ushers: Rick Pelster, Vet Stuhr

## <u>Sun. March 31 10:00 AM Easter Sunday Mass</u> <u>St. Theresa (Clearwater)</u>

Altar Servers: Ayden B., Jayde B.

EMHC: Jennifer Kester Giftbearers: Chris Moser Lector: Connie Cronin

Ushers: Kevin Rittscher, Jeff Schlecht

## <u>Sun. March 31 10:00 AM Easter Sunday Mass</u> <u>St. Boniface (Elgin)</u>

Altar Servers: Matthew K., Michael S.

Giftbearers: Andrew & Kristin Childers Family

Greeters: Jeff & Tracey Schindler,

Ray & Peggy Payne

Lector: Luke Beckman Music: Deb Baum

Ushers: Gary Schiltmeyer, Steve Kerkman,

Terry Bauer, Duane Hoefer

## <u>Sun. March 31 11:30 AM Easter Sunday Mass</u> <u>St. John the Baptist (Deloit)</u>

Altar Servers: Aurelia M., JB M.

EMHC: CeCe Mlnarik Lector: Lisa Mlnarik

Music: Charley Mlnarik, Josh Mlnarik

## Sun. March 31 11:30 AM Easter Sunday Mass St. Bonaventure (Raeville)

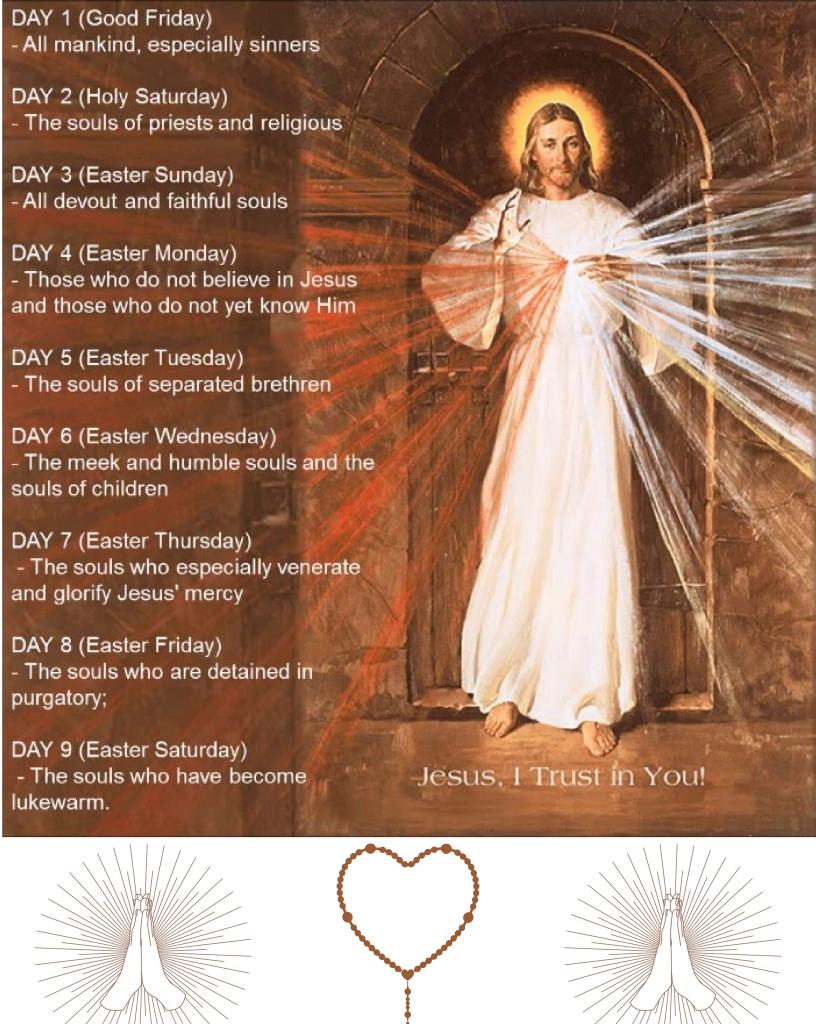
Altar Servers: Samantha S., Kaiden B.

EMHC: Brenda Kuhlman

Giftbearers: Scott & Stephanie Stuhr

Lector: Mark Grundmayer Music: Paul Kuhlman

Ushers: Jerry Bode, Bob Bode



## The Divine Mercy Novena

## Begin on Good Friday. End on Divine Mercy Sunday

"ON EACH DAY OF THE NOVENA YOU WILL BRING TO MY HEART A DIFFERENT GROUP OF SOULS AND YOU WILL IMMERSE THEM IN THIS OCEAN OF MY MERCY ...."

Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet for nine days with these intentions in mind. (See reverse side)



## **How to Pray The Chaplet of Divine Mercy**

Sign of the Cross,
Say your intentions for that day,
Our Father,
Hail Mary,
Apostles Creed,



- On each of the large beads: Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.
- On each of the small beads: For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
- After praying all 5 decades, <u>repeat the following three times</u>: Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.
- <u>Closing Prayer</u>: Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.
- Amen.

Divine Mercy Sunday will be celebrated at all weekend Masses on April 6th & 7th.

A 3:00 pm Holy Hour with Exposition, Benediction and Confession will be held at St. Boniface Church in Elgin on April 7th.

Please invite a friend to share in this wonderful opportunity to experience God's mercy & grace. Fr. Sund will hear confessions until all have been heard.

The worthy reception of the Eucharist on Divine Mercy Sunday is sufficient to obtain the extraordinary graces promised by Jesus. A plenary indulgence obtained by fulfilling the usual conditions, also is available.

#### **Extraordinary Graces for Divine Mercy Sunday**

Jesus speaking to St. Faustina, from her Diary book:

"My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy" (699). "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My mercy" (1109). "Whoever approaches the Fountain of Life on this day will be granted complete forgiveness of sins and punishment" (300). "The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion will obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment" (699).

In addition, our Lord says through St. Faustina that we are to perform acts of mercy:

"Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be acts of mercy" (742).

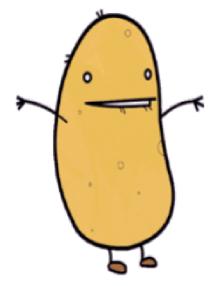
"The graces of My mercy are drawn by means of one vessel only, and that is trust.

The more a soul trusts, the more it will receive" (1578).

To receive these graces, the only condition is to receive Holy Communion worthily on Divine Mercy Sunday (or the Vigil celebration) by making a good confession beforehand and staying in the state of grace and trusting in His Divine Mercy. By these conditions, our Lord is emphasizing the value of confession and Holy Communion as miracles of mercy. The Eucharist is Jesus, Himself, the Living God, longing to pour Himself as Mercy into our hearts.

# **POTATO BAKE**

St. Johns the Baptist Catholic Church Werner Hall\*\*\*Petersburg, NE



<u>Sunday\*\*\*April 7th, 2024</u> 5:00 to 7:00 PM

Baked Potato with several toppings to choose from & Homemade Desserts!!!



Free Will Offering \*\*\* Please Join Us!!

Split the Pot! \$\$\$\$

Proceeds will be used for new shelving for the walk-in-cooler at Werner Hall.



# Catholic Parishes in Partnership

INVITES ALL MOTHERS-TO-BE AND THEIR FAMILIES FOR A SPECIAL EVENT

# Blessings of a Child in the Womb

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH, PETERSBURG, NE

Monday, April 8, 2024 6:30PM Prayer Service

IN CONJUNCTION WITH FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION

AS A PARISH FAMILY, WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS AND SUPPORT FOR NEW LIFE IN THE WOMB!
WE WANT TO WALK WITH YOU!

OPEN TO ALL WHO WISH TO PRAY FOR EXPECTING MOTHERS AND NEW LIFE.

Please contact Deacon John Starman with any questions 402-843-8393