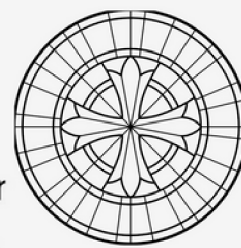


Catholic Parishes in Partnership



St. Bonaventure, Raeville | St. Boniface, Elgin | St. John the Baptist, Deloit
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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

JULY 9TH 2023

this week in our parishes....

Date	Time	Event
Mon 7/10	7:30pm	Rosary and Meditation SJD
Tue 7/11	7:30pm	Elgin KC Meeting
7/12-7/13	--	Legion of Joseph Boys Retreat @ Tintern Retreat Center
Wed 7/12	5-5:30pm	Confessions SBE
Wed 7/12	6:30pm	Altar Society Mtg SJP
Thur 7/13	8:30am	Adoration after Mass SPE
7/14 - 7/16	--	Teens Encounter Christ Tintern Retreat Center
Sun 7/16	11am	Coffee and Rolls for Deacon Dennis 40th Anniv as Deacon After Mass - SBE

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



APRECIATED

**RURAL ST. JOHN'S
 APPRECIATION LUNCH**
 after July 16th
 11:30am mass.

All St. John's parishoners are invited
 for a well deserved meal. We appreciate
 all your service, dedication and time!



Let's Celebrate

DEACON DENNIS & ROSE WIEHN
40 years as a Deacon!

Let's celebrate and show our appreciation for
 his ministry as a deacon!
 Coffee / Roll Reception
Sunday, July 16 11:00 am
St. Boniface Church Basement

**Please note surrounding area Mass Times
 as some time have changed...**

St. Francis, Neligh Sat 5pm & Sunday 10am

Our Lady, Tilden Sat 7pm & Sunday 8am

**St Mike's, Albion: Sat 7pm Sunday 10am
 (*went into effect July 1)*

St. Boniface Calendar Lottery

6/18	Korene Fehringer	\$75
6/19	Justin Funk	\$60
6/20	Jennifer Henn	\$60
6/21	Susan Mlnarik	\$60
6/22	Paul & Brenda Kuhlman	\$60
6/23	Toni Meis	\$60
6/24	Spencer & Megan Heying	\$60
6/25	Phil Kluthe	\$75

SPREAD THE WORD ON JOB OPENINGS!

If you would like to apply for a position, please send a cover letter and resume to Fr. John Norman (jnorman@cppnebraska.org). If you have questions, please call the office 402-843-2345.

ST. BONIFACE GYM CUSTODIAN

(Part-Time, On-site, Variable hours,
Opening July 1, 2023,
Hiring until filled)

See Both Job Descriptions at
cppnebraska.org/job-openings/

All married couples are invited to the annual marriage celebration, including the newly married, those celebrating milestone anniversaries, and all other witnesses to holy matrimony. To be held at St. Mary's Church, Norfolk on Sunday, August 27, a rosary will be offered at 2:00 pm. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Lucas at 2:30 pm, with a reception in the parish center immediately following. Doors to the Church open at 1:45 pm. For more information, call Jodi Phillips at 402.558.3100. Please register at:

https://archdioceseofomaha.formstack.com/forms/2023_marriage_celebration

St. Boniface Men's Circle donations are still being taken. A listing of how each Circle has done will be put in a future bulletin, so help your Circle obtain a high percentage of participation!

St. Peter's Christian Mothers will provide a meal of pulled pork sandwiches, etc. following the *Saturday evening Mass on July 22*. This time of fellowship is for everyone in church that evening. Please join us!

Congrats!



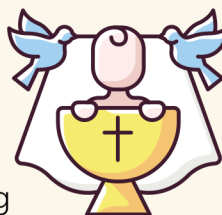
Jonathan & Xylie (Thiele) North

*Married this Saturday
at St. Theresa's, Clearwater*

Rachel Ann Starman

Daughter of Peter & Allison
Starman

baptized last weekend at
St. John the Baptist, Petersburg



Please pray for our participants in our Legion of Joseph and Gratia youth retreats this and next week! They are sponsored by our joint Vocation Committee and rely on volunteers and donors to help them become reality.

If you wish to use the Youth Retreats donation envelope yet, and have not yet done so, they can be found in all of the churches. Please place the envelope in the collection basket next weekend.

Registration for our 2023-2024
Family Formation religious
education program for students
entering K-6 grade is now open.

If you are interested,
please contact
Becky Kerkman

bkerkman@cppnebraska.org



*actual picture of Becky Kerkman

HOMILIES ARE ONLINE!

Visit cppnebraska.org/homilies for more details or search "Catholic Parishes in Partnership" in your podcast app!

PODCAST

Secrets of Technology

Did You Know that Fr. Sund helps out with a podcast that looks at technology news from a Catholic point of view. The angle of the show is meant for those who are normal people and not tech nerds, helping to understand the events and uses of tech.

Check it out at
SQPN.com/tech

OACCW

Province Of Omaha --Annual Province Meeting
Monday, July 17, 2023 For Women of Omaha, Lincoln
and Grand Island Dioceses
Blessed Sacrament Church 518 W. State St. Grand
Island, NE

Registration and Coffee 8:15 am
- Dismissal 3:00 pm

**SPEAKER: FATHER ALLAN PHAN, ASST. PASTOR,
SACRED HEART CHURCH, CRETE NE**

Pre-registration required: Before Thursday, July 13, 2023

Send to: Sharon Swett 829
W. Depot St. Ericson, NE 69637

Contact: Leonarda Arens
OACCW 1st VP for more information 402-253-5120

St. John's, Petersburg,
Altar Society will be
meeting this Wednesday,
July 12 at 6:30 pm. We will
be discussing the bazaar
meal. All ladies of the
parish are invited.

**PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP
FOR WEEKEND OF JULY 2**

Parish	Collection	Amount
ST. BONIFACE ELGIN	Sunday	\$3124
	Holy Day	\$75
	Faith Form	\$20
ST. BONAVENTURE RAEVILLE	Sunday	\$1333
	Cemetery	\$35
	Building	\$325
ST. JOHNS PETERSBURG	Sunday	\$2313
	Ascension	\$325
	Building	\$100
ST. PETERS, EWING	Sunday	\$1314
	Peter's Pence	\$200
ST. THERESA, CLEARWATER	Sunday	\$1721
ST. JOHNS DELOIT	Sunday	\$1444
	Peter's Pence	\$50
	Mission	\$20

Know YOUR Faith



Join Fr. Sund weekly for a
lesson in faith

Is it EVER okay to miss Sunday Mass?

The third commandment requires of us to keep holy the Sabbath day. For us as Christians, this means attending Mass on Sunday (or Saturday evening). The Church teaches that if I fail to attend Mass any Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation on purpose, I have committed a mortal sin and should not receive the Eucharist until I have gone to the Sacrament of Confession.

Understandably, we can find ourselves in difficult situations unable to get to Mass at times. -- I wish to draw out a few situations of examples to show what breaks this commandment and what doesn't.

- An 85 year old woman looks outside on a Sunday morning. A sheet of ice has covered the streets. She decides for her safety not to go to Mass as she is prone to falls. Health is the limitation here. The woman is physically unable to go to Mass. (The same would apply if someone is badly ill) She has not sinned.
- A young child is sick with the flu. One of the parents stays home to care for them and is unable to find a Mass to attend. The illness of a small child extends to parents as they have to care for them. Also, the parents caring for the child may also be carrying the flu virus. This is not a sin.
- A young high school student has a volleyball tournament on Sunday morning. She is unable to make it to Mass. This is a sin. Furthermore, the adults scheduling the volleyball tournament, and the parents that signed them up, even if they themselves make it to Mass, have also sinned mortally in leading children into mortal sin.
- A family of five is traveling across the Ozarks. There are very few Catholic Churches in the area. They do not do any prior planning and miss Sunday Mass. This is breaking the third commandment, when traveling, even on cruises, we must always put the attendance of Mass on Sunday in our travel plans!

We should make our best efforts to make Mass on Sunday and to keep Sunday Holy and free from unnecessary work. If we purposefully miss Mass we must go to the Sacrament of Confession before receiving the Eucharist.

PRAYER LINE

Please Remember in Your Prayers...

St. Boniface, St. Bonaventure: Infant Graham Sayers, Adam Kester, Marlene (Hoefer) Hughes, Larry DeMuth, Infant Paul Bell. Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers, Donna Mackel, Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George Childers, Diane Kerkman, Phyllis Tharnish, Ann Beckman, Bernadine Hoefer, Gene Heithoff, Infant Fallon Sue Heying, Harry Cunningham, Marin Schindler, Jack Conger, Judy Johnson, Larry Luettel, Denise Jamison, Bruce Baum. Jan (Borer) Merrill, Alice Kallhoff
(To start prayer line, call Mary Jane Boes 843-2379/JoAnn Beckman 843-6287.)

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

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

St. John's Petersburg:
(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, Dwaine Trease
(To start prayer line, call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262)

Sunday, July 30: St. Boniface will have the 8:00 am Mass and St. Bonaventure will have the 10:30 am Mass. Norfolk Missionary Benedictine Sisters 100th Jubilee in the USA, is planned for July 30th 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Bonaventure Church/hall in Raeville, followed by dinner. Freewill offering. RSVP for dinner by July 15. Please give your name and the number of those attending. Sr. Rosann rosannosh@gmail.com, 300 N. 18 St. Norfolk, NE 68701. There are also postcards in the main entrance of all six of our churches, with the RSVP information for the meal.

MISSION COOPERATION

ENVELOPES are in your packets,
dated July 9.

We do not know the date of when
our missionary priest will be
visiting our parishes, so please
hang onto this envelope so you
can use it at that time.

St. Boniface Altar Society Circle Worklist

Church Cleaning - Circle 2
(July 20 week)
Next Funeral - Circle 6
Next Charity - Circle 5
(Coffee/Roll Reception-July 16
- Deacon Dennis 40th Anniv. Of
Ordination)
Next Meeting - Monday,
August 21, 2023

Missionary Benedictines Sisters

Celebrating 100 Years in the USA

**July 30, 2023 Mass & Lunch
10:30am
St. Bonaventure's, Raeville,
Nebraska**

On July 31, 1923, a sapling was planted by four Missionary Benedictine Sisters of Tutzing, Germany. They had been invited to Nebraska by Archbishop Jeremiah Harty of Omaha to minister to German immigrants. The fall of 1923 the Sisters began teaching in St. John Berchman's School, Raeville, Nebraska.

The small community quickly began to sink its roots and grow. Within one year, a second mission, Sacred Heart Hospital in Lynch, Nebraska. In 1926, Raeville gained status as a priory, with Sr. Diemud Gerber, OSB, as the first prioress. The Sisters opened Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital in Norfolk, Nebraska, in 1935. In 1940, the priory center was transferred to Norfolk and named Immaculata Convent. Through the needs of the Church and the changing talents of the community, the Spirit continues to call for adaptations in their ministries.

THE SISTERS WANT TO CELEBRATE WITH YOU!

Please RSVP for Lunch (see above)



LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Weekend of July 15-16

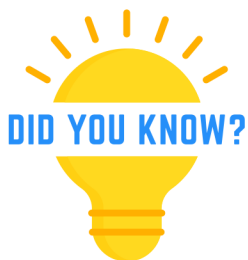
Weekend	Servers	Ushers	Greeters-Elg. Rosary Ldrs-Rae. Money Counters-Pet.	Gift Bearers	Lectors	Music	E.M.H.C. No Precious Blood unless indicated *To the Homebound
Saturday July 15 5:30 pm St. Peter's EWING	Charlee Wagner, Paityn Wagner	Kevin Schrunk Kevin Koenig	-----	Kevin & Lisa Schrunk Family	Sierra Summers	Follow Schedule	Priest, Mark Tyrell
Saturday July 15 7:00 pm St. John's PETERSBURG	Katelyn Krohn Natalie Preister	Wally Scholl Larry Zegers	Money; Hank Thieman Shirley Henn	-----	Rod Stuhr	Guitar Group	Priest, Deacon John Starman To the Homebound: Larry Pelster
Sunday July 16 8:00 am St. Bonaventure RAEVILLE	Anna Stuhr Melissa Stuhr	Tyler Reestman Martin Klein	Rosary Leaders Mark & Carole Tharnish	Martin & Amy Klein Family	Brian Stuhr	Joyce Reestman	Priest, Clarissa Stuhr
Sunday July 16 10:00 am St. Boniface ELGIN	Carter Selting Michael Selting	Gary Dinslage Kevin Dinslage Eric Haselhorst Mike Brockhaus	Jeff & Tracey Schindler- W; Mark & Brenda Schrage-W & S	Keith & Lynne Heithoff	Linda Kerkman	Mark Moser	Priest, Deacon Dennis To the Homebound: *Tyler Childers *Betty Getzfred
Sunday July 16 10:00 am St. Theresa's CLEARWATER	Gabby Ahlers Kaylee Thiele	Bill Kester Aaron Kruger	-----	Jeana & Ryan Ahlers	Tina Thiele-Blecher	Follow Schedule	Priest, Duane Kester
Sunday July 16 11:30 am St. John's DELOIT	Corbin Schueth Cooper Mueller	Jim Funk Dale Funk	-----	Jason & Jody Schindler Family	Kelsi Schueth	Follow Schedule	Priest, Ann Kurpgeweit

MASS AND INTENTION CALENDAR

14th Week of Ordinary Time

Date	Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON 7/10	8:15AM	Elgin	DW	Communion Service	
TUE 7/11	8:15AM	Elgin	JS	† Marvin Borer	Rosary After
TUE 7/11	8:30AM	Petersburg	JN	Special Intention	Rosary Prior
WED 7/12	8:15AM	Elgin	JS	† Leo & Dorothy Dwyer	
WED 7/12	8:30AM	Clearwater	JN	† Jerome Starman	
WED 7/12	5:00-5:30PM	Elgin	JS	Confessions	
THUR 7/13	8:30AM	Raeville	JS	† Leonard & Agnes Starman	
THUR 7/13	8:30AM	Ewing	JN	† Dec. Members of Lawrence & Mary Stuhr Family	Adoration Follows
FRI 7/14	8:15AM	Elgin	JS	† Jim & Cathy Camp	
FRI 7/14	8:30AM	Deloit	JN	† Merle Sehi & Kyle Riesberg	
SAT 7/15	5:30PM	Ewing	JN	For the People of Our Parishes	
SAT 7/15	7:00PM	Petersburg	KJ	† Ruth Kerkman	Celebrant: Fr. Kevin Joyce
SUN 7/16	8:00AM	Raeville	JN	† Ruth Kerkman	
SUN 7/16	10:00AM	Elgin	KJ	Intention of Deacon Dennis & Rose Wiehn	Deacon Dennis 40th Anniversary as Deacon
SUN 7/16	10:00AM	Clearwater	JN	† Omer & Joan Hoffman	
SUN 7/16	11:30AM	Deloit	JN	† Keith & Jackie Bartak	Appreciation Lunch after Mass

Next weekend Father Kevin Joyce will be joining us for Masses in the southern tier. Fr. Sund will be the Spiritual Director for Teen's Encounter Christ. Please pray for a succesful retreat for the teens and team! We are thankful for Fr. Kevin Joyce for providing coverage!



Daily and Sunday Mass Readings

Can be found online.

Visit bible.usccb.org

NEEDED! The Vocation Committee needs a new adorer for Eucharistic Adoration during the 6-7 AM Friday morning slot!! The Spirit has been working on many of you for adoration for a while, he will keep urging you until you do it!!! Questions or interested call or message Karen @ 402-843-0640.