

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

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 18, 2019



Over the next several weeks, we'll delve into these topics

Change means things *don't* stay the same...

Identity is about being who we are...

Vision gives us direction to where we are going...

Growth and Progress doesn't mean things *should* stay the same...

CHANGE MEANS THINGS DON'T STAY THE SAME

SO WHAT CHANGED? THE WORLD AROUND US CHANGED

I know that some people are more interested in the inner organizational elements of the Church than others. Still, I want to share our context. July 1st marked our official change into this new configuration as a parish grouping. Some of the changes and adjustments were related to the configuration, while other changes 'just happened' around the same time.

In January 2019, the Archdiocese Pastoral Planning Office announced these new parish groupings for the rural area of our diocese. Fr. Jeff Lorig took charge of the Planning Office in December 2018, and this changed the method of our planning and implementation. We are designated as six parishes that will be eight parishes within the next five years. We will have one pastor and one associate pastor assigned to the grouping.

Also in January 2019, the Archdiocese Finance Office chose Paycor as our required payroll processor as a way of increasing our reporting compliance under the Affordable Care Act (ACA). The Archdiocese of Omaha exists under civil law as a collection of independent Nebraska non-profit corporations. A corporation exists for each parish, for the central office of the Chancery, and for joint ventures like Pope John XXIII Central Catholic School. At the same time, under the ACA, the Archdiocese of Omaha has a religious

exemption to the Dept of Health and Human Services mandate for insurance plans to cover contraception products or services. This exemption considers the Archdiocese to be considered as an aggregate of all the individual corporations. We were scheduled to implement this new payroll program for our July 15 pay date. Moving all parish corporations to this payroll processor also provided the opportunity to consolidate our payrolls. To run a separate payroll for each organization would have had an added cost. We consolidated our payrolls under Pope John XXIII School and St. Boniface Parish so that instead of paying more to a payroll service provider, we could return those resources to our employees.

In February 2019, Archbishop Lucas announced changes in our diocese's safe environment policy. These changes are the effect of the US Bishops' (USCCB) 2018 revisions to the *Charter for the Protection of Young Peoples*. This expands the list of those that need to be certified to include:

- All volunteers at parish festivals and bazaars
- Knights of Columbus who volunteer at activities hosted on parish grounds
 - Note: Knights of Columbus also have their own policies over certification
 - Both sets of policies must be followed
- All parish employees, regardless of whether their job entails contact with youth
- Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion and all involved in any homebound ministry

These changes will be implemented over the next 2 years.

In May 2019, the Archdiocese Vicar for Clergy's Office established a Clergy *Code of Conduct* applying to priests and deacons. This defines 'appropriate boundaries' of how clergy are meant to relate to the people of God. In addition, our Vicar for Clergy has pressured us to come up with alternatives to having offices in priest residences. The Vicar for Clergy wants separation between home and work for priests. He also wants us priests to live in the same rectory. Right now, we are not making any changes to our office structures. **By July 2020, however, we will have to make some changes to our priest living and working environments.**

Know of my prayers for all those beginning their school years. It comes with some initial craziness, but there is something to be said for "blessed routine" again!

Peace,



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30 pm

St. Peter de Alcantra, Ewing

Saturday: 7:00 pm

St. John the Baptist, Petersburg

Sunday: 8:00 am St. Bonaventure, Raeville
Sunday: 10:00 am St. Boniface, Elgin
Sunday: 10:00 am St. Theresa of Avila, Clearwater
Sunday: 11:30 am St. John the Baptist, Deloit

RELIGIOUS

Fr. John Norman, Pastor PO Box 37- Ewing, NE 402-626-7605

Email: jmnorman@archomaha.org

Fr. Kevin Vogel, Assoc. Pastor PO Box B- Elgin 402-843-2345

Email: kwvogel@archomaha.org

Deacon Dennis Wiehn 402-843-0182

Deacon John Starman 402-386-5570

Deacon William Camp (retired) 402-843-5464

Sister Patricia Hoffman PO Box 219 402-843-5461

Emergencies Needing a Priest: call office numbers and system will re-direct your call.

Elgin Office (office entrance is east side of rectory)

Mailing Address: PO Box B, Elgin NE 68636

Parish Office Phone 402-843-2345

Fax 402-843-2253

St. Boniface Gym Phone 402-843-2249

Website: www.stbonparishes.com

Hours:

Monday 1pm-4pm

Tuesday-Thursday (Closed 12-1 pm) 9am-4pm

Friday 9am-12pm

Michele Reicks mreicks@stbonparishes.com

Linda Moser lmoser@stbonparishes.com

Petersburg Office (office entrance is north entr. Werner Hall)

Mailing Address: PO Box 608, Petersburg NE 68652

Parish Office Phone 402-386-5580

Hours: Wednesday 10:00 am-3:00pm

Jaci Hoefer jhoefer@archomaha.org

Ewing Office (office entrance is front door of Rectory)

Mailing Address: PO Box 67, Ewing, NE 68735

Helen Larson) 402-626-7605

Hours: Monday and Thursday 9:00am – Noon

Catholic Schools

St. Boniface School (K-6) / Pope John Central (7-12)

Betty Getzfred, Principal 402-843-5325

Website: www.pjcrusaders.org

St. Michael School- Albion (Preschool-8)

Lisa Schumacher, Principal Website: www.stmichael.esu7.org

Elgin Religious Education

Family Formation (Gr. K-6)

Cheryl Veik, Coordinator 402-843-8023

Elgin Sunday Youth Group (Gr. 7-12)

Louise Schindler, Sunday Youth Group 402-843-5375

Petersburg Religious Education (in Albion)

Lisa Wagner, Director (to register) 308-750-0423

(Gr. K-8) Wednesday during School Year **6:00 pm**

(Gr. 9-12) Wednesday during School Year **7:15 pm**

Ewing, Clearwater, Rural St. John's Religious Ed

Elementary - Angela Tagel, Director 308-367-7246

Jr. Hi/HS - Ann Kurpgeweit and Sandy Moser, Directors

Religious Ed begins the first Wednesday after Labor Day

COMBINED BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY NOON

Send to lmoser@stbonparishes.com

(AND) mreicks@stbonparishes.com

All parishes have one website: <https://stbonparishes.com/>

If parishes want event flyers, calendars, minutes etc.

please email mreicks@stbonparishes.com.

Each parish maintains their own Facebook Page

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE (watch events page for changes)

Wednesday: 5-5:30pm- Elgin

Saturday: 4:45-5:15 pm- Ewing

Saturday: 6:15- 6:45 pm- Petersburg

Sunday: 7:30-7:50 am- Raeville

Reconciliation will be offered before and after each Mass, as available, and other times as shown here in the bulletin. Daily Mass Schedules for each of the six churches in our grouping will remain the same.

ADORATION SCHEDULE

St. Peter's: Thursday- 9- Noon

First Saturday- 6:00 pm-Midnight

Elgin: Day before First Friday , Each Month

St. John's-Deloit- Devotions on Mondays at 7:00 pm

PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

St. Boniface: Call Betty Mackel 402-843-2394 or Mary Jane Boes 402-843-2379

St. Bonaventure: Call Mary Ann Fangman 402-386-5350 or Mary Ann Starman 402-386-5538

St. John-Petersburg: Call Kathy Koch 402-386-5481 or Kelly Starman 402-386-5570

St. Peter-Ewing: Lavonne Sisson 402-626-7755

St. Theresa-Clearwater: Teresa Kester, 402-750-0262

St. John the Baptist-Deloit: Jeannie Knievel 402-929-0847

RENTAL REQUESTS

St. Bonaventure, Raeville Rectory or Hall: Call Mary Ann Fangman 402-386-5350.

St. John's Rectory, Petersburg: Call Mary Lu Larson 402-843-8420 or Jacque Luettel 402-843-8974.

St. John's Werner Hall, Petersburg events all need to be scheduled through Jaci Hoefer – including all funerals, events, receptions, and showers by calling 402-386-5580 or email jhoefer@archomaha.org.

St. John's Rural Clearwater: Sue Mlnarik 402-485-2428

St. Theresa's Clearwater: Koryn Koinzan 402-929-0520

St. Peter's Ewing (St. Dominic's) Hall: Helen Larson 402-626-7605

Knights of Columbus Hall, (Elgin): Dave Hoefer 402-843-8921.

SCHEDULE MASS INTENTIONS

St. Boniface/St. Boniface Parish: Linda Moser 402-843-2345

St. John's Parish- Petersburg: Kelly Starman 402-386-5570 or email kelly_starman@yahoo.com.

St. Peter, St. John's- Deloit, St. Theresa's: Helen Larson 402-626-7605.

This Week in Our Parishes.....

| Day | Date | Time | Events |
|-----------|-----------|--------------|---|
| Sunday | August 18 | 1:30-4:30 pm | EMHC/Lector Training at Norfolk (Mandation Mass, Aug 28) |
| Tuesday | August 20 | Noon | Bulletin Deadline |
| Tuesday | August 20 | Noon | September Calendar Deadline for CPP (all parishes in grouping) |
| Tuesday | August 20 | ----- | St John's Petersburg Cemetery Mowing (last names S-Z) Rain- Aug 22 |
| Wednesday | August 21 | 4:15 pm | Meeting for Family Formation Catechists in Church Basement |
| Wednesday | August 21 | 5-5:30 pm | Confessions at St. Boniface Church |
| Wednesday | August 21 | ----- | St. Bonaventure Raeville Mows Parish Grounds |
| Friday | August 23 | ----- | Elgin Parish Office Closed in Afternoon |
| Sunday | August 25 | ----- | Pennies from Heaven Containers at Elgin & Raeville Church Entrances |


St. Boniface Elgin

Financial Stewardship-St. Boniface- Aug. 11

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| Sunday Collection (40 Env.) | \$3,476.00 |
| Children's Collection: | \$23.50 |
| P.I.E. (Partners in Education) | \$1,395.00 |
| JPII Newman Center | \$189.26 |
| Sunday Collection as of Fiscal Week 6 | |
| Budgeted Total | \$26,470.62 |
| Actual Total | \$23,395.18 |
| Amount Behind | (\$3,075.44) |


St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure: Please Remember In Your

Prayers: Matt Evans, Jolene Lichty, Diane Flenniken, Larry Braband, Olivia Trease Anderson, Roger & Jan Sorenson, Kathy Jamieson, Terry Dinslage, Cheri (Schindler) Cavanagh, Laurie Horn, Dave Shrader, Bob Redler, Garrett Scholz, Alfreda Pelster, Neil Childers, Margaret Dozler, Eve Kallhoff, Sally Beckman, Betty Vaisvilas, Marie Cheatum, Leonard Beckman, Shirley Henkenius, Charlotte Hofer, Joe Buelt, Helen Borer, Karlene Moser, Shelby Iburg, Loretta Zegers, Cliff Burger, Mary Jane Henn. [Please let us know if name can be removed.]

 **August Sweet Corn Time! The Food Committee** is again asking for sweet corn for the St. Boniface Thanksgiving Bazaar. They are asking for it to be frozen in one-gallon freezer bags. There is a signup sheet in the back of St. Boniface Church (until August 20) to mark down how many gallons you wish to donate. Thank you for your continued support of the Bazaar! *If you are canning items, please save for the Parish Auction.*

St. Boniface Bazaar Raffle Solicitors if you haven't already turned in your packets to the parish office, please do so by this Monday, August 19th.

Are you adjusting to a life without a loved one who has passed? "Grieving with Great Hope" is a DVD series offered by the Archdiocese of Omaha.

 This workshop/support group is for adults who have experienced the death of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, grandchild, friend or miscarriage. This five-day grief workshop will take place at St. Boniface Convent Ministry Room, 7:00-8:30 pm, Thursdays, October 3rd-Oct 24th, with a concluding mass for All Souls Day. Come as you are, you will find a safe place, a place where you can feel and experience whatever feelings you have and find acceptance, care, and support! With prayerful reflection, practical learning and personal fellowship, the Sacraments are gently entwined into the messages. For information or to register contact Karen Eischeid 402-843-5987 or Cheryl Veik 402-843-8023.

St. Boniface Altar Society meeting is Monday, August 19 at 7:00 pm at the convent meeting room. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend!



The St. Boniface-St. Bonaventure Vocation Committee will be updating the Eucharistic Adoration list for November and beyond. We are inviting our sister parishes to join us in a Holy Hour of your choice on the first Thursday of each month ending in the celebration of the Holy Eucharist during First Friday mass in Elgin. We also invite other parishioners from Elgin and Raeville to sign up for an hour. For more information or to sign up please contact Karen Eischeid at 402-843-5987 or Cheryl Veik at 402-843-8023. *A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament-St. Padre Pio.* Come join us and start a love affair with the Father!

Please pray for our local seminarians during your hour of prayer; Luke Schmitz from Albion, Brent Podliska from Madison and Zach Eischeid from Elgin.

Now that school is in session, please remind your teen drivers to be careful and slow down when driving on the streets surrounding our schools and our parish. We want it to be a safe school year for all!



The next Baptism Class for St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure Parishes is scheduled for Wednesday, September 11th at 7:00 pm in the new Ministry Room in the convent. In order to have your child baptized, it is necessary for you to attend this class if you are a first-time parent, a parishioner recently registered in either parish, or if it has been over three years since you last attended the class. No need to pre-register. The next class will not be held for several months, so please keep this in mind. Instructors are Dave & Gwen Beckman.



**We welcome
Jaime Rose Eischeid
Daughter of Jake & Briley Eischeid
who was baptized this weekend
at St. Boniface Church**

Mass Intentions For the Week.....

| Location | Day | Date | Time | Cele. | Intentions |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-------|---|
| (SBE)Elgin | Monday | August 19 | ----- | | No Service |
| (SJD) Deloit | Monday | August 19 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SPE)Ewing | Tuesday | August 20 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SBR) Raeville | Tuesday | August 20 | 8:30 am | | + Fred & Fern Fangman |
| (SBE)Elgin | Tuesday | August 20 | 11:50 am | | Liv & Dec. PJ Alumni by PJ 12th Grade, Cele: Fr. Nields |
| (SBE) Elgin | Wednesday | August 21 | 8:15 am | | +Velda Schindler by SB 6th Grade |
| (STC) Clearw. | Wednesday | August 21 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SJP) Peters. | Wednesday | August 21 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SBE)Elgin | Thursday | August 22 | 7:20 am | | +Rudy & Theresa Heithoff |
| (SPE)Ewing | Thursday | August 22 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SBE)Elgin | Friday | August 23 | 7:20 am | | +Sam Simmons |
| (SJD) Deloit | Friday | August 23 | ----- | | No Mass |
| (SPE) Ewing | Saturday | August 24 | 5:30 pm | GO | +Al Thoendel |
| (SJP) Peters. | Saturday | August 24 | 7:00 pm | KV | +Larry Henn [GO = Fr. Gary Ostrander] |
| (SBR) Raeville | Sunday | August 25 | 8:00 am | KV | +Phillip & Mildred Pelster |
| (SBE) Elgin | Sunday | August 25 | 10:00 am | KV | +Al & Josephine Schrad / Doris Ping |
| (STC) Clearw. | Sunday | August 25 | 10:00 am | GO | +Dec. Mem. of Joe & Elizabeth Starman Family |
| (SJD) Deloit | Sunday | August 25 | 11:30 am | GO | Living Members of Our Parishes |

Abbreviations:

SPE – St. Peter de Alcantara in Ewing

SBE – St. Boniface in Elgin

SJD – St. John the Baptist Church of Deloit

SJP – St. John the Baptist in Petersburg

STC – St. Theresa of Avila in Clearwater

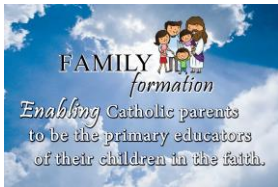
SBR – St. Bonaventure in Raeville

Mass Schedule Change: August 31st Saturday Mass will be held in Elgin at 7:00 pm
and Sunday, September 1st Mass will be held in Petersburg at 10:00 am.
Please note this if you have Liturgical Jobs.

Liturgical Schedule for Saturday- Sunday, August 24-25, 2019

| Weekend | Servers | Ushers | Greeters-Elgin Rosary Ldrs- Raeville Money Counters- Petersb. | Gift Bearers | Lectors | Music | E.M.H.C. * to the sick (Elgin) |
|--|---|--|---|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Saturday August 24 5:30 pm St. Peter's Ewing | Allison Schrunk Jenna Funk | Todd Bollwitt Aaron Hoke | ----- | Gene & LaVonne Sisson | Tim Larson | Follow Schedule | Helen Larson |
| Saturday August 24 7:00 pm St. John's Petersburg | Katelyn Krohn Marissa Preister | Kevin Schumacher 1 Volunteer | <u>Money Counters</u> Randy Ketteler Larry Pelster | ----- | Lisa Schumacher | Jan, Jeff, Rod | Teresa Knust Jordan Temme <u>Homebound:</u> Kelly Starman |
| Sunday August 25 8:00 a.m. St. Bonaventure Raeville | Harlie Bode Lexi Bode | Ralph Bode Bryan Bode | Mark & Chris Grundmayer | Martin & Amy Klein Family | Brian Stuhr | Paul Kuhlman | Clarissa Stuhr |
| Sunday August 25 10:00 a.m. St. Boniface Elgin | Karson Kallhoff Landyn Veik | Steve Heithoff Brian Henn Dave Hoefer Duane Hoefer | Dan & Deb Polk- W Rick & Jan Starman- N & S | Tom & Patty Stoltz | Mary Jane Bauer | Deb Baum & Becky Kerkman | <u>No Precious Blood-</u> Pastor, Deacon, *Jessica Niewohner, *Marin Schindler, *Kyle & *Deb Warren |
| Sunday August 25 10:00 am St. Theresa's Clearwater | Logan Kester Ethan Kester | Jeff Schlecht Dean Thiele | ----- | John & Barb Mlnarik | Connie Cronin | Follow Schedule | Jennifer Kester |
| Sunday August 25 11:30 a.m. St. John's Deloit | Sharon Bartak Emily Mlnarik | Paul Dicke Gary Bartak | ----- | Paul & Diane Dicke | Jamie Schmidt | Follow Schedule | Sonja Bartak |

Formation of our Youth



St. Boniface Family Formation (Grades K-6)

begins Wednesday, September 4 with Mass celebrated at 6:30 pm and the class to follow from 7:00-8:00 pm. If you wish to send your child/children and are

not already registered, please call coordinator as soon as possible, Cheryl Veik at 402-843-8023. To find out more information about what Family Formation is you can go to stbonparishes.com and look under the Faith Formation tab.

Family Formation is looking for a 5th/6th grade catechist/teacher for the 2019-20 year. The commitment is two class periods per month on Wednesdays September through May. Substitutes are available if you cannot be there on a particular night. Please contact Cheryl Veik 402-843-8023 for more information.



The Pope John Choir will be performing at the St. Boniface Cabaret Show on Sunday, September 15. Watch for more details and ticket information soon. This is a Friends of St. Boniface fundraiser!

Pope John--All 7th, 8th and 9th grade students, dance team, cheerleaders, anyone in a PE class and all athletes are required to have a physical before their first scheduled practice. Be sure to sign all the required pages and turn the physical into the school office (not the coaches). Forms were given to the students last spring but if you need a copy please stop at the school office.



St. Boniface School is now saving UPC's from any and all

"Best Choice" products and Box Tops for Education labels

You can either give them to any St. Boniface student or drop them in the box in the west entrance of St. Boniface Church.

Remember to save your aluminum cans for St. Boniface School! The cart is located to the east end of the school parking lot, to be easier accessed and noticed. **Pop and Beer Cans only! NO tin cans, pie tins or aluminum foil.**

St. Boniface School Calendar Lottery

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| 08-12-19 | Larry Kirkpatrick | \$60.00 |
| 08-13-19 | Fr. Mark Tomaszewicz | \$60.00 |
| 08-14-19 | Jhett & Jaxton Pudwill | \$60.00 |
| 08-15-19 | Judith Orlowski | \$75.00 |
| 08-16-19 | Mel & Pat Selting | \$60.00 |
| 08-17-19 | Joan & Paul Fritz | \$60.00 |
| 08-18-19 | Janice Bolling | \$75.00 |

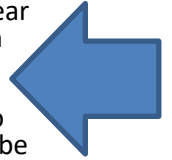
**GOD BLESS
THE SCHOOL YEAR!!**

*Friendly
Reminders*

St. Boniface and Pope John School Parents: **Free and Reduced application forms should be mailed to Attn: Deb Baum, PO Box 179, Elgin, NE 68636. Deadline for forms is Monday, August 19th for new parents and September 22nd for all others.**

****NOTE CHANGE**** You may mail payment Attn: **Sandi Henn, PJ/SB Lunch Program, PO Box 179, Elgin, NE 68636.**

One feature that will be new this year is that you will be able to make an electronic payment. Please go to <http://lunch.pjcrusaders.org> and follow the directions. You can use the memo field to specify which family is to be credited. The electronic payment service is powered by Tithely and is secure. You will be able to set up reoccurring payments if you wish, for this and St. Boniface Tuition.



Sunday Youth Group for St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure 7-12th graders will begin on Sunday, September 22. Louise Schindler will once again serve as our coordinator. Sessions begin with Mass at 10:00am and go until 12:30 pm. Call Louise Schindler, 843-5375, to register, or for questions.



"Partners in Education" is an effort to supplement the portion of St. Boniface Elementary School tuition that some families are unable to provide for a variety of reasons. All donations and recipients are strictly anonymous. If you would like to give something for this worthwhile cause, please mail to St. Boniface School PIE Fund, PO Box B, Elgin Nebraska. No amount too small! You make a difference!

January 21-26, 2020 2020 March for Life Pilgrimage

Registration for the 2020 March for Life Pilgrimage is open 8/1 - 10/15. For more information and to register, go to RespectLifeOmaha.com. Contact: Whitney Bradley 402.557.5516 or wabradley@archomaha.org.

Pope John Jr. Right to Life are having a fundraiser to help raise money for them at attend the March for Life Pilgrimage. They are selling clear stadium bags (three different options) for \$20.00 each. The deadline is September 15 and you should make checks to "PJ Junior Right to Life". Questions: Contact Tammy Bode at 402-649-9879.

If you don't wish to purchase a bag, but would like to help offset fees for a student to attend the March for Life Pilgrimage, you can send your donation to Pope John Jr. Right to Life, % Sister Pat Hoffman, PO Box 179, Elgin NE 68636.

More information, including photos, is inserted in this bulletin about the bags for sale.

St. John's Petersburg

St. John the Baptist Petersburg Parish Bazaar

Sunday, September 1st
at Werner Hall, 106 North 4th St.,
10 a.m. Mass in Petersburg
Serving: 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Meal in our air conditioned Werner Hall
~ Cost: Adults \$12 ~ Children \$6 (ages 4-12)



Serving: Roast beef, sausage,
mashed potatoes & gravy, cole
slaw, homegrown sweetcorn,
cucumber salad, and desserts.

Meal to be followed by Parish Auction, Parish
Raffle, Collector Gun Raffle, & Quilt Raffle
Kids' Activities, BINGO, & Social Garden
(Ongoing). Hope to See you There!

St. John Petersburg Parishioner packets for the big
raffle & quilt raffle are located in the back of
church. "Please sell to friends & family". Cost is
\$10/book for big raffle and \$5/book for quilt
raffle. Extra books are available at the Church
entrance or from committee members. Separate
checks are needed for Big Raffle and Quilt Raffle
ticket purchases. Tickets/money should be turned in by
August 25 by placing them in the collection basket or
giving them to committee members or brought to the
Raffle Table on the day of the Bazaar. Unsold tickets
can be returned to the back of church at any time.

**SIGN UP POSTERS ARE IN THE BACK OF CHURCH for
you to volunteer to help with the Bazaar and
Donate. Thank you for your stewardship!**

Deadline Near:

St. John's Bazaar Auction: Items and money donations
are needed for the bazaar auction. Also we are looking for
Husker football or volleyball tickets. Please contact us so
we can have a complete list of items the day of the
auction. Call or text Dave and Jeanette Henn at 402-843-
8460 or jhenn526@gmail.com or Gene and Theresa
Knust at 403-843-8862 (cell) or home 402-386-5426 or
tark8862@icloud.com. The auction committee would like
to thank you for your generous donations in the past to
help us have a successful auction.

St. John's (Petersburg) – Parishioners: *Please think about
our Parish Bazaar as you are freezing corn. We are still in
need of garden fresh Cucumbers and Homegrown
Sweetcorn (not Tomatoes)*

Cemetery Fence

St. John's, Petersburg

It was decided at the last St. John's Petersburg Parish
Council Meeting that we will be putting a continuous
fence around the cemetery. We are asking for donations
to put towards this cost. **If you are willing to donate,**
please call Keith Schumacher (843-0407 or Larry Pelster
(843-6663).



St. John's (Petersburg) Cemetery Mowing

Tuesday, August 20 at 6:00 PM— Last names S-Z (raindate:
August 22). Parishioners are encouraged to mow/trim at
your convenience if the time is not compatible with your
schedule.

Financial Stewardship- August 11

St. John's – Petersburg:

Adult: \$1,325.00
Loose: \$373.00
Child: \$10.50
Fuel: \$200.00

PRE (Parish Religious Education) Classes for Petersburg
start September 4. Grades K-8 go from 6-7 p.m. Grades 9-
12 go from 7:15-8:15 p.m. The kids should meet in their
St. Michael's School classrooms. The Opening Mass is on
September 11 at 6:30 p.m. even though the first class is
on September 4. **Note: PRE teachers are needed.** Please
contact Lisa Wagner at 308-750-0423 to volunteer.

St. Bonaventure Raeville

Financial Stewardship- August 11

St. Bonaventure- Raeville

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| Sunday Collection (17 Env.) | \$1,551.00 |
| Children's Collection | \$13.00 |
| JPII Newman Center | 181.00 |
| Sunday Collection | |
| As of Fiscal Week 6 | |
| Budgeted Total | \$6,000.00 |
| Actual Total | \$5,967.00 |
| Amount Behind | (\$33.00) |



**...with connections to our parishes:
Rest in Peace**

John Werner of Minnesota, brother of St.
Bonaventure Parishioner Lois (Jim) Bode.



**St. Bonaventure, Raeville
will mow their grounds
on Wednesday, August 21.**

**Please submit all September calendar events for the
combined Catholic Parishes in Partnership calendar**
to mreicks@stbonparishes.com and
Imoser@stbonparishes.com.

Financial Stewardship**St. Peter's- Ewing**

August 11- \$624.00

St. Theresa's- Clearwater

August 11- \$1,673.00

St. John's- Deloit

August 11- \$734.00

**St. Peter's Bible Study**Starting August 21st (details below)**St. John's- Deloit Gun Show**

Sat.- Sun. September 7-8

St. Theresa's Clearwater BreakfastSunday, September 15th**Bible Study at St. Peter de Alcantara's, Ewing, NE (Register this Week!)**

We'll be starting Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at 10:00 am at St. Dominic's Hall, Ewing, NE. This year we will be studying ***Seeking Truth*** by Sharon Doran, "The Acts & Letters." There are 23 lessons. Everyone is welcome. Call Elaine Thoendel @ 402-626-7905 or email elaine@tlc-ne.com to inquire. Please, let me know if you're interested or if the time doesn't work for you, and we can try to come up with a second class.



Congratulations to **Abbey Kester and Jacob Morrill**
married August 10, 2019 at St. Theresa's Church, Clearwater

St. John's Gun Show will be held Saturday- Sunday, September 7-8 at St. John's Catholic Church Hall (Rural Clearwater) 209 Ave & 848th Rd. Hours are Saturday: September 7 from 9am- 5pm and Sunday, September 8 from 9am- 3pm. Admission \$5.00 and children under 12 are free with an adult. There will be a gun raffle for a Bolt Action Savage Mark II 17 Caliber Gun. New vendors/more tables. Lunch available. For more information contact Gregg Bartak 402-340-3579 or Jim Funk 402-340-6352. Sponsored by St. John's Men's Club.



St. Theresa's Breakfast/Bake Sale/Raffle will be held Sunday, September 15 from 8:30 am-1:15 pm. Raffle will be held at 1:15 pm. Serving: Pancakes, French Toast, Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Coffee and Juice. Everyone is welcome to attend!

PRAY FOR ALL HAVING SPECIAL NEEDS

St. Peter's: Elaine Thoendel, Butch Sojka, Sister Joseph, Mary Edwards, Jessica Hobbs, Jeanette Tomjack, Sharon Ward, Leo Hawk, Duaine Bollwitt, Yvonne Duggan, Marie Vandersnick, Myra (Rotherham) Schwebel, Al James.

St Theresa's: John Hynes, Deb Trease, Leo Starman, Nate Thiele, Regina Krebs, Mary Ann Thiele, Jeanne Hoffman, Don Ahlers.

St. John's: Keith Palmer, Jackie Bartak, Darlene Schueth, Carl Ernesti, Georgine Funk.

For Everyone

Reminder: If your son or daughter signed up to be an EMHC or Lector, the training will be held this Sunday, August 18 at St. Mary's Church in Norfolk from 1:30-4:30 pm and the Mandation Mass will be Wednesday, August 28 at St. Mary's at 7:00 pm. Both must be attended.



Several members of the St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure parishes are part of Maria Regina Cleri – a Catholic group whose mission is to encourage support of priests, particularly Fr. John and Fr. Vogel, through the power of prayer. Maria Regina Cleri (Mary, Queen of the Clergy) was founded under the guidance of Monsignor Peter Dunne in 2009 and began its mission in Omaha parishes. At Archbishop Lucas's recommendation, this ministry is being expanded into rural areas. **An invitation is being extended to members of the other Catholic Parishes in Partnership to join in this prayer initiative.** Please contact Julie Dwyer at (402)843-0151 or email her at mjdwyer73@gmail.com to join Maria Regina Cleri or for more information. Even if you are not interested in becoming a formal member of this group, please remember Fr. John and Fr. Vogel in your daily prayers. **The priest is a gift from the Heart of Christ: a gift for the Church and for the world.** ~ Pope Benedict XVI



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