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Annunciation Parish serving

St. John the Baptist, Deloit | St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing | St. Theresa, Clearwater
St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh | Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden

St. Boniface, Elgin | St. Bonaventure, Raeville | St. John the Baptist, Petersburg

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December 8, 2024 Second Sunday of Advent

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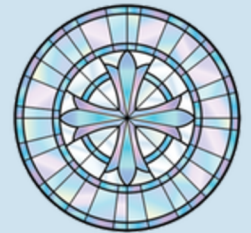
(This will give you an option to connect to a priest in the event of emergency)

MAIN OFFICE Hours

Monday: Closed

Tuesday: 10:30am-Noon & 1 - 4 pm

Wednesday - Friday: 9:30 am - Noon



SATELLITE OFFICES

Neligh: 702 West 11th Street, Neligh, NE 68756

Tuesday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Tilden: PO Box 458, Tilden, NE 68781

No office hours. PO Box checked regularly.

Ewing: 220 W. US Hwy 275, Ewing, NE 68735

No office hours. PO Box checked regularly.

Elgin: PO Box B, Elgin, NE 68636

No office hours. Meeting space available.

Office door and PO Box checked regularly.


Second Sunday of Advent

**ADVENT IS A JOURNEY TOWARDS
BETHLEHEM. MAY WE LET
OURSELVES BE DRAWN BY THE
LIGHT OF GOD MADE MAN.**

Pope Francis



SPE=Ewing, STC=Clearwater, SJD=Deloit, SFN=Neligh,
OLT=Tilden SJP=Petersburg, SBR=Raeville, SBE=Elgin

Date	Time & Event
	Every Monday 7:00 PM SJD Rosary/Meditation
	Every Tuesday 10:00 AM SFN Rosary
	Every Wednesday 5:00 PM SBE Confessions
Sun Dec 8	2nd Sunday of Advent Eucharistic Praise (6:00 PM) everyone welcome followed by Youth Group (7:00) for 7-12 grades at St. Boniface Church, Elgin
Mon Dec 9	The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary SBE Choir Rehearsal 7:30 PM
Wed Dec 11	SBE Choir Rehearsal 7:30 PM
Thurs Dec 12	SPE Christian Mothers Meeting 2:00 PM
Sun Dec 15 & Sun Dec 22	1:30 PM ~ OCIA with Fr. Frank. Church basement at St. Francis in Neligh. Anyone is welcome!
Tues Dec 17	Baptism Class ~ 7:00 PM. Ministry Room in the Elgin Convent. To register, please contact Dave & Gwen Beckman: 402-843-8137. 
Wed Dec 18	Pope John PK-12 Christmas Concert ~ 7:00 PM St. Boniface Auditorium Youth Group in Clearwater ~ Time TBA
Thurs Dec 19	SBE Choir Rehearsal 7:30 PM

How are you preparing your heart this Advent?

Here are some ideas:

- Advent Rosary on Hallow: Pray25 Challenge (free 90-day subscription!)
- 15-30 minutes of Scripture reading every day
- Attend daily Mass when able
- Spend time in Adoration
- Take part in the Sacrament of Reconciliation
- Give someone a compliment each day



Eucharistic Praise Hour
Sunday, December 8 ~ 6:00 PM
St. Boniface Church in Elgin
Everyone is welcome to sit with Jesus, fully present in the Eucharist.

Gifts for the needy in Antelope County

There will not be a tree with tags in the churches, but gifts are still needed. The due date is December 12th. Drop-off places: St. Boniface Church, St. Bonaventure Church, and Pope John School. Gifts are to be *unwrapped*. Any gift is greatly appreciated, there is a great need for older children. Need gift ideas? Winter gear, sweatshirts, sweatpants, socks, throw blankets, jewelry, hair products and accessories, slippers, Belt bag purse, moon lamp, face scrubs, water bottle, lotions, and gift cards. *Thank you for your generosity.*



Thank You

The Pope John students want to thank the owners of our area grocery stores and our generous patrons and donors for supporting our annual Grocery Sales Fundraiser. Once again, you have helped us exceed our goal. May God bless you for your generosity.

Help Wanted: School Lunch Manager & Assistant

Pope John Central Catholic School is seeking a school lunch Manager and Assistant for the 2025-26 school year. Early hire is possible. Part-time, 5-6 hours per day, beginning at 8:00 a.m. No holidays and summers off. Hourly pay is negotiable. Individual(s) will need to attend required training in July. If interested, contact Lisa Schumacher, Principal, at 402-843-5325 or Lschumacher@pjcrusaders.org.




Help Wanted: JH/HS Math Teacher


Pope John Central Catholic School is seeking a Math Teacher for the 2025-26 school year. If interested, send resume & credentials to Lisa Schumacher, Principal, at Lschumacher@pjcrusaders.org or call 402-843-5325 for more information.

Apply Now

Youth Group Opportunities for grades 7-12!




 **Youth Movie Night ~ Wed, Dec 11, 7:00-9:30 PM**
St. Theresa's Hall in Clearwater
We will be watching the movie "Unplanned"
Feel free to bring a drink, snacks & something comfortable to sit on!

 **Eucharistic Adoration & Youth Group**
St. Boniface Church in Elgin starting with Eucharistic Praise at 6:00 pm followed by Youth Group at 7:00. ~*Supper Provided!*

- December 8th
- January 5th
- February 2nd
- March 2nd
- March 30th
- April 2nd

 **Youth Group in Clearwater**
Wednesday, December 18
Time TBA

 **Youth Group in Tilden**
Every Wednesday
7:00-8:00 PM

All 7-12 graders are welcome to attend any & all youth groups! Students ~ please go to whichever youth groups work for you. We just want you to join us & grow in FAITH!

Date & Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
SUN DEC 8, 5:30 PM	Ewing	JN	· † Jeff Orender	Immaculate Conception BVM
SUN DEC 8, 5:30 PM	Tilden	FB	· † The Wilson Family	Immaculate Conception BVM
MON DEC 9, 6:30 AM	Deloit	JN	· † Alice Palmer	Immaculate Conception BVM
MON DEC 9, 8:15 AM	Elgin	FB	· † Rich Kavelage	Immaculate Conception BVM. School Mass
MON DEC 9, 6:00 PM	Neligh	JN	· † Patti VanErt	Immaculate Conception BVM
MON DEC 9, 6:00 PM	Petersburg	FB	· † Joe & Delores Pelster	Immaculate Conception BVM
TUES DEC 10, 8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN FB	· † Dorothy Cubrich-Shell & Ron Lorenz · † Emily Reestman	
WED DEC 11, 8:15 AM	Elgin	FB	· † Diane Kerkman	
WED DEC 11, 10:30 AM	Neligh	JN	Funeral Mass for John (Jack) Sehi	
WED DEC 11, 6:00 PM	Neligh	FB	· † Roman Hupp	*Note time. Family Formation Mass
WED DEC 11, 5:00 PM	Elgin	JN		Confessions
THURS DEC 12, 8:15 AM	Elgin	FB	· † Mary Eischeid	Mass followed by School Penance Service
THURS DEC 12, 8:30 AM	Neligh	JN	· † Dolly Baker	
FRI DEC 13, 8:15 AM	Elgin	FB	† Sylvester & Jerome Starman	
FRI DEC 13, 8:30 AM	Neligh	JN	· † Duane Dowd	
SAT DEC 14, 5:30 PM	Tilden	JN	Sam & Rose Schaecher & Family	
SAT DEC 14, 5:30 PM	Deloit	FB	· † Barb Stuhr	
SUN DEC 15, 8:00 AM	Raeville	JN	· † Emily Reestman	
SUN DEC 15, 8:00 AM	Clearwater	FB	· † Louis & Jeannette Thiele	
SUN DEC 15, 10:00 AM	Elgin	JN	· For the People of Our Parishes	
SUN DEC 15, 10:00 AM	Neligh	FB	· † Rosella Voborny	

Ministry Schedule for December 8th & 9th: The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary

Immaculate Conception is a Holy Day. Archbishop Lucas has dispensed the obligation.

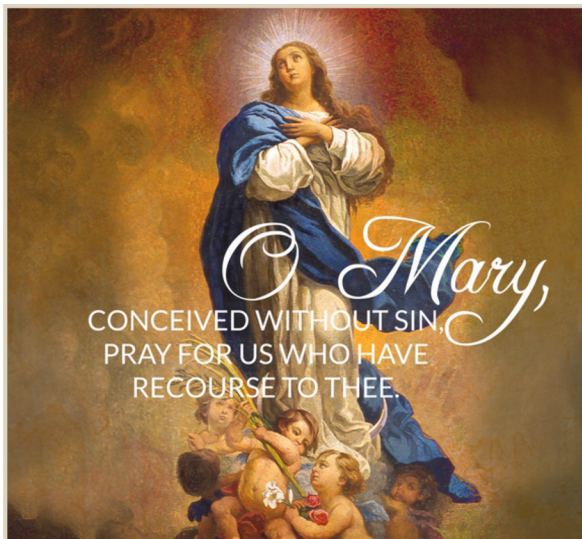
Sunday 12/8/2024

5:30 pm Mass – St. Peter, Ewing

Altar Servers: Charlee W., Patrick W.
EMHC: Kathy Arens
Gift bearers: Kevin & Lisa Schrunk
Lector: Kevin Koenig
Ushers: Bruce Hoffman, Ed Nordby

5:30 pm Mass – Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Tilden

Ministers please volunteer.



Monday 12/9/2024

6:30 AM Mass – St. John the Baptist, Deloit

Altar Servers: Alec S., Cohen S.
EMHC: Jeanne Knievel
Gift bearers: Terry & Phyllis Harpster
Lector: Angela Tagel
Ushers: Chris Tagel, Jason Schindler

8:15 AM Mass – St. Boniface, Elgin

All School Mass (10th grade plans)

6:00 PM Mass – St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh

Ministers please volunteer.

6:00 PM Mass – St. John the Baptist, Petersburg

Altar Servers: Kenzie W., Kaci W.
Lector: Anita Krohn
Money: Peter Starman, Lynnette Seier
Music: Guitar Group
Ushers: Dale Salber, Wally Scholl

*Private confessions 30 minutes prior to each weekend Mass

Ministry Schedule for December 14th & 15th: 3rd Sunday of Advent

Saturday 12/14/2024

5:30 pm Mass - St. John the Baptist, Deloit

Altar Servers: Corbin S., Caden S.

EMHC: Diane Dicke

Lector: Kelsi Schueth

Gifts: Jake & Carolyn Schindler

Ushers: Steven Bartak, Allen Schueth

5:30 pm Mass - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Tilden

**(Contact Jolene Schapmann to schedule
Communion to sick or homebound 402-649-0829)**

Altar Servers: Landon M., Charlie T., Paisley T.

EMHC: Brianne O'Brien

Lector: Emily Vaughn

Ushers: Billy O'Brien, Joe O'Brien

Sunday 12/15/2024

8:00 am Mass - St. Theresa, Clearwater

Altar Servers: Lilly K., Gabriel K.

EMHC: Francis Hanzlik | Lector: Tina Thiele-Blecher

Gifts: Paul & Crystal Kester Family

Ushers: Ron Thiele, Joe Thiele

Sunday 12/15/2024

8:00 am Mass - St. Bonaventure, Raeville

**(Contact Joan Stuhr to schedule Communion to sick or
homebound 402-843-0485)**

Altar Servers: Thomas S., Reese S.

EMHC: Brenda Kuhlman | Gifts: Bob & Rose Bode

Lector: Tami Schrage | Music: Paul Kuhlman

Rosary Leaders: Mark & Carole Tharnish

Ushers: Jerry Schrage, Tyler Reestman

Petersburg Homebound: Teresa Heying

10:00 am Mass - St. Boniface, Elgin

**(Contact Deacon Dennis Wiehn to schedule
Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-0182)**

Altar Servers: James M., Lillian M.

Gifts: Tom & Patty Stoltz

Greeters: Gayle & Judy Zegers, Gene Heithoff, Dave Kerkman

Homebound: Briley Eischeid, Linda Kerkman

Lector: Jodine Meis | Music: Mark & Julie Dwyer

Ushers: Randy Mitchell, Gary Dinslage,

Kevin Dinslage, Marvin Meis

10:00 am Mass - St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh

**(Contact Milly Clemens to schedule Communion to sick or
homebound 402-649-3194)**

Altar Servers: Andrew H., Owen S.

EMHC: Dale Kallhoff, Bill Kuester

Lector: Michelle Ternus

Ushers: **Troy Shabram **Daryl Booth,

Duane Knievel, Gary Gunderson

In this Season of Preparation ~ please take advantage of the upcoming Penance Services:

Sunday, December 8, 2:00 PM St. Michaels Church in Albion

Sunday, December 15, 3:00 PM St. Francis Church in Neligh

5:00 PM St. Boniface Church in Elgin

Sunday, December 22, 3:00 PM St. Therasas Church in Clearwater



*Prepare
the Way
of the Lord!*

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF
CATHOLIC  WOMEN®

August 2024

Campaign for the Mary's Garden

NCCW in 1998 established a campaign to create Mary's Garden on the property of the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. This campaign made it possible for a beautiful statue of Mary to be erected in a space where there would be a living garden with a water fountain where visitors to the shrine could pause, rest, reflect and pray during their visit. Over the last 25 years, hundreds of thousands of visitors and pilgrims have benefited from this holy space at the shrine.

In May of this year, NCCW received a call letting us know that the statue and garden had been vandalized. After reviewing the statue, the insurance company determined that the statue needed to be replaced, not repaired. Not only did the statue get damaged but so did the garden. We are grateful that the statue will be replaced through insurance. However, the garden, fountain and stone pavement are not covered.

The Executive Committee has agreed to reach out to our membership and friends of NCCW to raise funds to complete the repairs needed for Mary's Garden. This Campaign of Mary's Garden will help to continue to be a source of prayer and solitude for the hundreds of thousands of visitors and pilgrims who enjoy this garden.

As we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Mary's Garden, we invite you to consider giving a donation to assist with the rebuilding of this significant NCCW project. Many of us have enjoyed the presence of the garden during visits to the shrine while attending the Board of Directors meetings, during the March for Life and many other opportunities we have had to visit the shrine.

After the 2024 convention is completed, the campaign will begin on September 8, 2024 (the Birth of Mary) and will conclude on May 31st (Feast of the Visitation). During this time, you will be able to send in your donation, call in your donation or make a donation through the NCCW website. We need to raise \$80,000.00 to continue to support this significant NCCW project that has been with us for 25 years.

Once the renovation has been complete in late spring, we will have a rededication of Mary's Garden at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC.

As the current NCCW President, I ask that you share this news with family, friends, spiritual advisors, parishioners and co-workers. May Our Lady of Good Counsel watch over this campaign and inspire those who hear about it to support this important project.

Thank you for your attention concerning this Campaign. Beth Mahoney – NCCW President

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary


serving St. John the Baptist, Deloit | St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing
St. Theresa of Avila , Clearwater | St. Francis of Assisi, Neligh | Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden

Stewardship for Nov 30-Dec 1, 2024


(Children's Collection is included in the
Sunday offertory amount)

**A breakdown of each campus will be
available at Finance Council meetings**

Sunday Offertory	\$8,656.41
Christmas Flowers	\$110
OLT Building Fund	\$130
SFN Building Fund	\$100

**Tilden Library Angel Tree gifts due
December 10th.** Thank you for being
an *Angel* to someone in need. 

St. Peter's Christian Mothers

Meeting ~ Thurs., Dec. 12 ~ 2:00 pm, with
a Cookie Exchange. Please bring 1 dozen
of your favorite cookies to trade. No Gift
Exchange this year. 

Please come and join us!

Thank you for your support of the 2024-2025
Archbishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not given
a gift to the Annual Appeal, and you would like to,
you are always welcome to! Envelopes can be
found in the back of church.

God Bless you for your generosity!

Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Overall Goal: \$35,195.11

Current Gift Total: \$10,875



The St. Francis Leadership Council, formerly known as the
St. Francis Parish Council, is looking to add 2-3 new members to
join the group. We meet at a minimum monthly, or as needed.
Meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm in the
St. Francis basement in Neligh. If you are interested, please
contact Andy Elder 402-416-0802 or Del Ames 402-276-0184.

We pray for the souls of

Rosella Voborny and John (Jack) Sehi.

Please keep the Voborny & Sehi families,
loved ones, and friends in your prayers. The funeral for
Rosella was Monday, December 2 at St. Francis Church in
Neligh. The funeral for Jack will be 10:30 am,
Wednesday, December 11 at St. Francis Church in Neligh.
*Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual
light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all
the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.*
Amen.

St. Francis, Neligh November Church Cleaning

Dec 12 Ed Hemenway, Mack Alspaugh, Terry Heithoff

Dec 19 Donna Vice, Tim Kallhoff, Pat Borer

Dec 23 Mike (Bev) Seier, Leon Strong, Jennnifer Breurer

SAVE THE DATE

➤➤➤ **Right to Life fundraiser ~ Potato Bar!**

**Sat, Jan 18, following 5:30 pm Mass at St. John's, Deloit
Fr. Kramper will be visiting & celebrating Mass!**

➤➤➤ **St. John's, Deloit Christian Mothers Meeting
Tues, Jan 21 at 1:00 pm**

Annunciation Parish Prayer Line

Adam Kester, Roger Allen, Regina Krebs, Matt Belitz, Angela Hardisty, Betty Latham, Peg Kuester, Jon Veik, Lyn Sheridan, George Ternus, Glen Grahleer, Lainey Henn, Fellar Baker, Jan Jurgens, Kyle & Jackie Nelson, Karen Allemang, James McUrley, Alice Johnston, Bob Stoffel, Gary Inlow, Lynda Swanson, David Rutjens, Boyd Batenhorst, Julie Krueger, Todd DeGroot, Nate Thiele, Brett Kielty, Kyle Netzel, Jackie Netzel, Jase Hemminger, Phyllis Dusel, Leo Starman, Nicki Dougherty, Kathi Retwisch, Sister Joseph, Yvonne Duggan, Marie Vandersnick, Anna Murdy, Alice Kallhoff, Joe Knust, Steve Herrington, Charlotte Lahman, Kathy Schultz, Rick Johnson, Craig Allemang

To add to prayer line call for St. Francis call Susie Ames 402-929-0038, Milly Clemens 402-649-3194, or the Neligh Office 402-887-4521. Our Lady of Mount Carmel call Jeanne Dahl 402-640-6466. St. Therasas call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262. St. Johns call Jeanne Knievel 402-929-0847. St. Peters call Lavonne Sisson 402-626-7755

Stewardship for Nov 30-Dec 1, 2024

(Children's Collection is included in the Sunday offertory amount)

St. Johns, Petersburg

Sunday Offertory	\$1,500
Christmas Flowers	\$110

St. Bonaventure, Raeville

Sunday Offertory	\$1,090.51
Building Fund	\$700
God's Portion	\$1,000
Christmas Flowers	\$115

St. Boniface, Elgin

Sunday Offertory	\$2,049.70
God's Portion	\$300
Immaculate Conception	\$25
Insurance	\$25
Christmas Flowers	\$35
Christmas	\$100

Thanksgiving Bazaar Drawing winners!

Jeremy & Jessie Hoefler, Elgin	\$2,500
Rae Thompson, Omaha	\$2,000
Dave Pelster, Yankton	\$1,500
Kristina Sehi, Elgin	\$500
JoAnn Mattner, Raeville	Quilt Winner
Jay Evans, Elgin	Gun Winner

Grace McDonald Moser with Pure Nebraska did a beautiful coverage piece on the St. Boniface Thanksgiving Bazaar!

Watch it here:

<https://www.1011now.com/2024/12/03/st-boniface-parishioners-celebrate-100th-thanksgiving-bazaar-elgin/>

St. Boniface, Elgin Choir Rehearsals for 10:00 a.m. Christmas Mass:

Mon, Dec 9 ~ Wed, Dec 11 ~ Thurs, Dec 19

Rehearsals at 7:30 p.m. at the church. *

Anyone is welcome to join us in preparing for this liturgy!



thank you

Thank you to everyone who helped clean St. John's church in Petersburg last week. Many hands make light work. Your help is greatly appreciated.



St. Bonaventure, Raeville

We will set up Christmas trees, lights, & manger following Mass on December 15th. All help is appreciated. Thank you.

THANKFUL St. Boniface 100th Thanksgiving Bazaar

John F. Kennedy said "As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words, but to live by them.

This year's theme was "Gratitude in Action"- our parish lived out the theme this past week. A heartfelt thank you to everyone who made our bazaar a resounding success! Your support, contributions, and enthusiasm made the event special. Thank you to everyone who helped with the preparations, committee members, and those who stepped up to help wherever there was a need. We couldn't have done it without you!

1,067 MEALS SERVED! 597 DINE-IN. 470 CARRY-OUT

The following parishioners donated \$125 or more to the St. Boniface Thanksgiving Sausage Fund this year for the Bazaar.

Thank you for your generosity!

Gary & Jayne Arehart, Jim & Mary Baum, Ron & JoAnn Beckman, Steve & Kathy Beckman, Doris Childers, Gary & Bonnie Dinslage, Lonnie Dinslage, Mike & Mary Alice Dwyer, Betty Getzfred, Gary Hoefler, Linda Kerkman, Mike & Judy Kerkman, Steve & Becky Kerkman, Phil Kluthe, Jim & Anne Meis, Bob & Linda Moser, Corey & Kara Schindler, Jake & Kari Schindler, Dean & Kim Schrage, Vince & Patricia Spieker, Phil & Kris Starman, Chris & Laurie Waterbury, Dennis & Rose Wiehn.

Thank you for your support of the 2024-2025 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not given a gift to the Annual Appeal, and you would like to, you are always welcome to! Envelopes can be found in the back of church. God Bless you for your generosity!

St. Boniface, Elgin

Overall Goal: \$25,527.74 Current Gift Total: \$11,340

St. John the Baptist, Petersburg

Overall Goal: \$5,038.96 Current Gift Total: \$2,363.80

St. Bonaventure, Raeville

Overall Goal: \$4,370.91 Current Gift Total: \$2,050

St. Johns, Petersburg, St. Boniface, Elgin & St. Bonaventure, Raeville Prayer Line

Carolyn Beckman, Laura Ferando, Brandon Henn, Adam Kester, Larry DeMuth, Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers, Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George Childers, Ann Beckman, Gene Heithoff, 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, Nora Henn, Barb Ziegler, Tom Kimes, Ashleigh Henn, Marlene Henn McClinton, Lee Sullivan, Jerry Stamp, Fayden Evens, Savannah Ramsey, Bob Redler, Karen Allemang, Vince Spieker, Judy Pelster Lindholm, Rose Wiehn, Linda Buel, Rodger Riley, Pauline Pelster

To add to prayer line for St. Johns call Kelly Starman, 402-386-5570 or Kathy Koch, 402-386-5481.

St. Boniface call JoAnn Beckman 402-843-6287 or Darlene Heithoff 402-843-5482.

St. Bonaventure call Mary Ann Fangman 402-843-6129 or Diane Scholl 402-386-5256

The Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women

OACCW College Scholarship

The Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (OACCW) will offer an annual scholarship to a female high school senior in the Archdiocese of Omaha in the amount of \$750.00. This scholarship serves to enlighten, inform, and inspire young Catholic women regarding the OACCW as the major organization of Catholic Women in the Omaha Archdiocese. The scholarship will be awarded to a deserving high school senior woman who resides in or is affiliated with a parish within the Archdiocese of Omaha.

1. To apply for this scholarship, the high school senior needs to be a Catholic female. **She must submit the completed application form, with transcripts attached, and a priest, school/parish staff, or faculty evaluation. The essay that accompanies the application is essential, and will be used as a primary source for consideration of the scholarship award.** All documentation should be submitted to her Deanery Council of Catholic Women President or scholarship chairperson, and be postmarked or received by **January 15**. Late applications will not be considered. The name and address of the Deanery President or Chairperson may be obtained through her school Counselor.

In the event that there is not an active deanery for her parish, or her deanery does not offer a deanery scholarship, she will send her application to the Scholarship Chairperson of the Omaha Archdiocese, Kim Estes, 87671 467th Ave Stuart, NE 68780. This will insure she will be considered as an applicant in the archdiocesan contest.

2. The local Deanery Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) will select from these applications, one that they think has met the qualifications of this scholarship, and an alternate winner. ***The winner at this level in the local CCW Deanery will receive a scholarship in an amount determined by the local Deanery.*** The Deanery CCW will then forward the worthy application to the OACCW by February 15.
3. The OACCW will select one recipient and an alternate by March 15.
4. The OACCW recipient will be notified and awarded a scholarship certificate presented to her personally by the OACCW President at a Mass in her home parish in April or May, if possible.
5. A check for \$750.00 will be given to the recipient upon proof of her college enrollment.
6. The OACCW President or Chairperson of the Scholarship Committee will send a letter of thanks to the finalists for applying. Information about OACCW may be included.

Send all scholarship applications to the local CCW Deanery President/Chairperson:

Omaha Urban CCW: Cathy Vak 3255 S. 77th St. Omaha, NE 68124

Rural Central: Nancy Schaecher PO Box 118 Battle Creek, NE 68715

Rural North Central: Melissa Lordemann 88091 HWY 15, Hartington NE 68739

Rural North East and Rural South East: Kim Estes 87671 467th Ave Stuart, NE 68780

Rural North West: Ann Kurpgeweit, 50444 852 Rd., Ewing NE 68735

Rural South West: Deanna Reardon 50143 Central Hwy., Genoa NE 68640

**Get applications
from your
School Counselor
or Parish Office.**