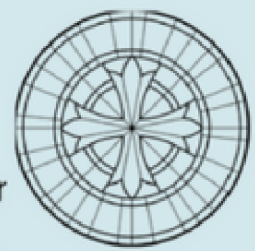


Catholic Parishes in Partnership



St. Bonaventure, Raeville | St. Boniface, Elgin | St. John the Baptist, Deloit
St. John the Baptist, Petersburg | St. Peter de Alcántara, Ewing | St. Theresa, Clearwater
Rev. John Norman | Pastor Rev. Joseph Sund | Associate Pastor

Emergency only: 402-578-0626 | **Staff Listing** CPPnebraska.org/staff

Office address: 207 N 4th Street, Petersburg, NE 68652

Mailing address: PO Box 608 Petersburg, NE 68652

Phone: 402-843-2345 | **Email:** parish@cppnebraska.org

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SJP=Petersburg, SBR=Raeville, SBE=Elgin

Bulletin submissions due Monday by 12pm

submit to: bulletin@cppnebraska.org



Second Sunday of Advent December 10, 2023

Advent

prepares our hearts for Christmas, but it also prepares us for the end of time. Let's be watchful and ready for our Lord when He comes!

One way to do this is to attend Mass more frequently. Join us for a weekday Mass if you are able. See Mass times & locations on back page of bulletin.

Another way to enter more deeply into Advent and prepare for our Lord is by receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Penance Services

Sunday, December 10 2:00 pm

St. Michael's, Albion-(First Reconciliation & Parish Penance Service)

Sunday, December 17

Deloit 12:30 PM

Ewing 4:00 PM

Clearwater 5:30 PM

Neligh 7:00 PM



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve: Dec 24th

4pm - St Bonaventure, Raeville

4pm - St. Peter, Ewing

6pm - St. Theresa, Clearwater

Midnight - St. John's - Deloit

Christmas Day Dec. 25th

8am St. John's - Petersburg

10am St. Boniface - Elgin

10am - St. Theresa, Clearwater



Sign up to receive bulletin *online* at cppnebraska.org.flocknote.com

Regarding Mass Intentions: Please note that in August when daily Mass locations changed, the scheduled Mass intention remained for that day, regardless of location.

Liturgical Scheduling Online: To help us schedule you effectively please log in to the "MassIntention.com" link that you received via email and confirm your availability. If you did not receive a link, you have already updated your information with us at cppnebraska.org/newinfo. Thanks for your patience as we implement this new program. It is a great system that will ultimately help to make scheduling and subbing much easier and more efficient. Your grace during this time is much appreciated.



CCPJ BREAKFAST THIS SUNDAY

Sunday, December 10 9:00am - Noon

St. Boniface Gym in Elgin

Great Food, Hot Coffee & Fellowship!

Serving: Pancakes, French Toast, Eggs, Sausage, Fruit, Rolls, Coffee, Milk, & Juice.

Free Will Offering.

Welcome We Invite You....

If you are attending Mass regularly at any of our parishes, we welcome you and invite you to register into the parish by emailing and asking for forms:

parish@cppnebraska.org

This includes recent college grads who moved back and newly married couples.

St. John's Petersburg

Snow Removal for 2023-2024

Church, Werner Hall,

Cemetery Driveways (when funeral)

by last name:

December R - Z **January** A - P **February** R - Z

March A - P **April** R - Z

*** Please note: Tuesdays are a heavy day at our campus, with Mass in the morning, quilting at Werner Hall and there is staff at the CPP Parish Office every day.

THANK YOU!

Grateful, Thankful and Blessed

Thank You to all our generous parishioners and members of our family of parishes who supported our 99th Thanksgiving Bazaar, in any way.

~ St. Boniface Parish

St. Johns Petersburg Altar Society

Current held positions in Altar Society are:

President- Jane Thieman

Treasurer- Connie Stuhr

Secretary- Jeanne Stokes

Funeral Chair - Teresa Heying

Church Cleaning -Karen Scholl & Jacque Luettel

We need 2 volunteers to help organize social events and someone to replace the treasurer.

Contact Jane Thieman 402-386-5498 for more information.

St. Boniface Men's Circle Schedule

2023-2024 SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL

It takes MANY hands! Please Volunteer!

~SUNDAYS *ALL CIRCLES* on MASS DAY~

Mondays: CIRCLE 1 (Arehart-Buelt)

Tuesdays: CIRCLE 2 (Busteed-Getzfred)

Wednesdays: CIRCLE 3 (Gossman-Kinney)

Thursdays: CIRCLE 4 (Kluthe-Payne)

Fridays: CIRCLE 5 (Pelster-Schrage)

Saturdays: CIRCLE 6 (Schueths-Zwingman)

Parish Grouping Office Hours



MAIN OFFICE

Petersburg

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

(open/In-Person Hours)

Elgin

301 S. 2ND STREET, ELGIN, NE 68636

Wed & Thurs mornings 9:00am-Noon

(Still checking office door slot & PO Box B mail daily)

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

This is for the walkways/steps/ramps/parking areas and every entrance of the Church, Rectory, Convent, Sister's Home and Gym

THANK YOU!



to those who give aluminum cans to St. Boniface School.

The last load brought us \$403.57 and is appreciated!

Thank You to Dennis Wiehn, Joe Seier and Randy Mitchell for hauling them. **HOLIDAYS usually include ALUMINUM CANS!! Thank you for keeping in mind St. Boniface School when recycling cans! The cart is on the southwest end of the south school parking lot.

Rev. John Norman
PO Box 608
Petersburg NE 68652

Rev. Joseph Sund
PO Box 608
Petersburg NE 68652

Deacon Dennis & Rose Wiehn
PO Box 217
Elgin NE 68636-0217

Deacon John & Kelly Starman
PO Box 38
Petersburg, NE 68652



Rev. Patrick Nields
PO Box 259
Neligh NE 68756

Deacon Bill & Phyllis Camp
302 North St.
Elgin NE 68636

Sister Patricia Hoffman
P.O. Box 219
Elgin NE 68636

Deacon Zach Eischeid
Kenrick-Glennon Seminary
5200 Glennon Drive
St. Louis, MO 63119
[or PO Box 243, Elgin NE 68636]

PRAYER LINE

Please Remember in Your Prayers....

St. John's Petersburg:

Teresa Heying, Jim Henn

(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

(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, and Gary Funk

(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

Paul Bell, Neil Childers, Loretta Zegers,

Gloria Lordemann, Chris Baum, George

Childers, Ann Beckman, Bernadine

Hoefer, Gene Heithoff, Infant Fallon Sue

Heying, Harry Cunningham, Marin

Schindler, Jack Conger, Judy Johnson,

Denise Jamison, Bruce Baum, Alice

Kallhoff, Jackie Wolinski, Travis Pieper,

Phil Stuhr, Judy Zegers,

and Mike Dwyer.

(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.)

Parish Stewardship for the Weekend of December 2 & 3, 2023

SBR (Raeville)

Sunday \$1013.5

God's Portion \$100

Building Fund \$75

Religious Retirement \$10

Immaculate Conception \$20

Christmas \$700

Christmas Flowers \$320

SJP (Petersburg)

Sunday \$2640

Christmas Flowers \$335

Immaculate Conception \$50

SJD (Deloit)

Sunday \$1,201

Christmas Flowers \$120

Building Fund \$125

SPE (Ewing)

Sunday \$1054

Liturgy, Art & Env \$215

STC (Clearwater)

Sunday \$787

Christmas Flowers \$155

SBE (Elgin)

Sunday \$10,702.91

Catholic Charities \$25

Insurance \$325

Christmas \$300

Christmas Flowers \$228

Easter \$200

God's Portion \$5177.93

Holy Day \$200

There is a special envelope from your packet for the

Retirement Fund for Religious.

Women and men religious have spent their lives serving others in prayer, ministry, education and care for those in need - usually for little or no pay.

Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. As they age, they require essential care and medications. *Please support them* by giving to the Retirement Fund for Religious. Your donation makes a difference for nearly 25,000 senior men and women religious. Thank You for your generosity.

(CEC) Christian's Encounter Christ

Men - Jan. 26-28 Women - Feb. 17-18

To learn more about what CEC Weekends at Immaculata in Norfolk entail,

please call the parish office,

402-843-2345 & ask for Becky or Clarissa,

or visit <https://norfolkcec.com/>



The RNW Deanery is again offering a \$500 scholarship to a senior Catholic girl. The winner of the Deanery Scholarship will be sent on to compete for the \$750 scholarship offered by the OACCW. Application forms have been sent to the guidance counselors of the high schools within the RNW Deanery. Please encourage your senior girls to apply for this scholarship. Applications are due January 15, and can be sent to:



Karen Funk

RNW Deanery President

85627 508 Avenue

Ewing, NE 68735



The St. Boniface/Pope John *lunchroom* is looking to hire someone for Tuesdays and Thursdays and some Mondays. Hours are 8:00 - 1:30.

Please contact Deb Baum at 402-843-8249 if you would like to apply or for more information.

Date	Time	Location	Cel.	Intention	Notes
MON DEC 11	8:15 AM	Elgin	DW		Communion Service
TUES DEC 12	8:30 AM	Petersburg	JN JS	+Viola Pelster +Don Pelster	Rosary Prior to Mass
WED DEC 13	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	· † LaVern & LuVerna Jochum & Linda Dinslage	Rosary Following Mass
WED DEC 13	8:30 AM	Clearwater	JN	† Omer & Joan Hoffman	
WED DEC 13	5:00 PM	Elgin	JN	----	Confessions
THUR DEC 14	8:15 PM	Elgin	PN	· † Ray & Leora Dinslage	Fr. Pat Nields SB 6th Grade Plans Mass
THUR DEC 14	8:30 AM	Ewing	JN	† Eddie Kaczor	
FRI DEC 15	8:15 AM	Elgin	JS	† Bev Dozler	
FRI DEC 15	8:30 AM	Deloit	JN	· † LaVern & Vera Dell Stuhr & Philip Thiele	
SAT DEC 16	5:30 PM	Ewing	JN	† Dr. Dwaine Peetz	
SAT DEC 16	7:00 PM	Petersburg	JS	† Harold & Stella Stokes	
SUN DEC 17	8:00 AM	Raeville	JS	· † Ray & Sally Schrage	
SUN DEC 17	10:00 AM	Elgin	JS	† Rollie Reicks	
SUN DEC 17	10:00 AM	Clearwater	JN	† Sam & Joan Stearns	
SUN DEC 17	11:30 AM	Deloit	JN	· For the People of Our Parishes	

*****Mass Cancellation Policy***** For the Safety of YOU, our parishioners: If the School District in which your parish is located, has late start or cancels school due to inclement weather, that day's Mass is cancelled at that church.

The intention of those Masses will still be celebrated privately by the priest that day.

School cancellations found on the school's Facebook page, local radio or NCN News.

Ministry Schedule for December 16 & 17 Third Sunday of Advent

Saturday 12/16/2023

5:30 pm

St. Peter (Ewing)

Altar Servers: Michael Koenig

EMHC: Helen Larson

Giftbearers: Denis Bergstrom

Lector: Pat Ruther

Ushers: Ed Nordby, Bruce Hoffman

7:00 pm

St. John the Baptist (Petersburg)

(Contact Deacon John Starman to schedule Communion to sick or homebound 402-843-8393)

Altar Servers: Natalie Pelster, Christian Preister

Homebound: Kay Preister

Lector: Anita Krohn

Money: Rick Pelster, Gene Knust

Music: Guitar Group .

Ushers: Alan Faust, Larry Zegers

Sunday 12/17/2023

8:00 am

St. Bonaventure (Raeville)

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

Altar Servers: Samantha Stuhr, Raaf Klein

EMHC: Jeanette Bode

Giftbearers: Jaci Hoefer

Lector: Tami Schrage

Music: Joyce Reestman

Rosary Leaders: Carole Tharnish

Ushers: Spencer Heying, Tyler Reestman

10:00 am

St. Boniface (Elgin)

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

Altar Servers: Reid Kielty, Miles Veik

Giftbearers: Michelle Reicks

Greeters: Dave Eischeid, Janice Eischeid, Dave

Kerkman, Eric Meis

Homebound: Linda Kerkman, Connie Seier

Lector: Betty Kallhoff

Music: Mark Dwyer, Julie Dwyer

Ushers: Paul Schrage, Gary Hoefer, Mark Schrage,

Bob Schiltmeyer

10:00 am

St. Theresa (Clearwater)

Altar Servers: Isabella Kester, Grace Ahlers

EMHC: Dianna Kester

Giftbearers: Ron Thiele

Lector: Deb Schlecht

Ushers: Steve Thiele, John Kester

11:30 am

St. John the Baptist (Deloit)

Altar Servers: Molly Mlnarik, Tyler Parks

EMHC: Diane Dicke

Giftbearers: Phyllis Harpster

Lector: Cathy Palmer

Ushers: Curtis Lemburg, Paul Bartak