

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

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 22, 2021



St. Peter, Ewing
SATURDAY 5:30 PM



St. John the Baptist, Petersburg
SATURDAY 7:00 PM



St. Bonaventure, Raeville
SUNDAY 8:00 AM



St. Boniface, Elgin
SUNDAY 10:00 AM



St. Theresa, Clearwater
SUNDAY 10:00 AM



St. John the Baptist, Deloit
SUNDAY 11:30 AM

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St. John's Petersburg

Financial Stewardship St. John's – Petersburg

Adult \$800.00 Loose \$10.00
Children \$1.00 Assumption \$155.00
Building Maintenance \$200.00

Petersburg Prayer Line Requests for St. John the Baptist: Call Kathy Koch 402-386-5481 or Kelly Starman 402-386-5570.




Friday, September 3, 2021

5:00 PM - Evening Mass
6:00 PM - Social Hour 7:00 PM - Evening Meal
7:30 PM - Video Presentation

The Windsor Loin complete meal, with dessert and 2 drink tickets for \$25. You can register and pay at the parish office, by calling 402-386-5580, or register and pay online at <https://cppnebraska.org/q125>. Last Day to order meal tickets is Wednesday, August 25 for our Parish Q125.

Spread the word, this would be a great time to connect with old friends.

Come celebrate the blessings of our parish!

 **St. John's Petersburg Cemetery Mowing Tuesday, August 24 (Last Names R-Z)** will mow at 6 pm (rain date Thursday). Parishioners are encouraged to mow/trim at your convenience if the time is not compatible with your schedule.



St. John's Petersburg is looking for 2 Endowment/Finance Committee Members, and WorkForce Bar members. If you are interested in volunteering for any of these positions, please call Jerry Faust at 402-843-8200 or Hank Thieman at 402-447-4183.



St. John the Baptist Parish Bazaar
Sunday, September 5
at Werner Hall, 106 North 4th St.
Petersburg, NE
Serving: 11 a.m. to 1 pm
Meal in our air conditioned Werner Hall

Roast Beef & Sausage Dinner with all the fixings will be served from 11am- 1pm and the live auction will begin following the meal. There are several raffles including the Big Raffle, Quilt Raffle, and Gun Raffle. There will also be a social garden, bingo and kiddie train ride for the kids and more! Please come & enjoy a day of Good Food & Fun!

Big Raffle

Once again the top prize is \$1,000 cash! Other top prizes include cash prizes of \$800, \$500, Milwaukee Super Sawzall with Battery & Charger, iRobot Roomba Vacuum, and many wonderful gift certificates from the surrounding areas. Total value of all prizes is \$7,000.

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 \$20/book (12 tickets) for big raffle and \$20/book for quilt raffle. **Extra books are available at the St. John's Petersburg, Raeville & Elgin Church entrances or from committee members. Separate checks are needed for Big Raffle and Quilt Raffle ticket purchases.** Tickets/money should turned in by August 29, 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. Thanks!

DONATIONS NEEDED

Can you help??

Items or cash donations are needed for the St. John's Parish Bazaar Mini Auction coming up on Labor Day weekend!

Please contact Gene and Theresa Knust 402-843-8862 or Dave and Jeanette Henn 402-843-8861 or 402-843-8460 or email jhenn526@gmail.com if you would like to donate something for the auction. They will take donations up to the day of the Auction, but call them early if possible. Thank you!



Your help would be greatly appreciated. Please check the posters at the back of church to sign up to help at St. John's Bazaar & Parish Festival for Sunday, September 5th. Your help is appreciated!

This Week in Our Parishes.....

Day	Date	Time	Events
Sunday	August 22	11:00 am	St. Theresa's Coffee & Rolls (following 10 am Mass)
Monday	August 23	8:00 pm	St. John's Rosary & Meditation
Tuesday	August 24	Noon	Bulletin Deadline for the August 29 Bulletin
Tuesday	August 24	6:00 pm	St. John's Petersburg Mow Cemetery (Last Names R-Z) Raindate: Thursday
Wednesday	August 25	5-5:30 pm	Confessions at St. Boniface Church
Friday	August 27	-----	Wedding Rehearsal at St. Bonaventure Raeville
Sat/Sun	August 28-29	-----	Pennies from Heaven Containers at All Church Entrances
Sunday	August 29	1:00 pm	Silver Rose Devotion at St. Boniface Church
Sunday	August 29	2:00 pm	Archdiocese Marriage Celebration at St. Mary's Norfolk

St. Boniface Elgin

Financial Stewardship- St. Boniface- Elgin

Sunday (43 Env)	\$7,170.15
Children's Collection	\$16.90
Assumption Holy Day	\$2,085.00
P.I.E. (Partners in Education)	\$4,640.00
Sunday Collection as of Fiscal Week 7	
Budgeted Total	\$30,882.39
Actual Total	\$27,673.65
Amount Behind	(\$3,208.74)

St. Boniface, St. Bonaventure: Please Remember In Your Prayers:

Jolene Lichty, Terry Dinslage, Laurie Horn, Dave Shrader, Garrett Scholz, Denise Jamieson, Chris Stargel, Gary Preister, Adam Kester, Matt Golden, Pat Fredrickson, John Jamieson, John King, Janet Sorenson, Barb Ziegler, Judy Stiemle, Leo Seger, Vicky Kolferman, Cheri Schwager, Ken Kasselder, Jim Funk, Jackie Dwyer, Mrs. Kirby Hoefer and unborn child, Dominic Cullenward, Charlotte Cullenward, Stephanie (Bode) Hanzel, Edith Finkral, Mike Kinney, Anonymous. **Parishioners:** Neil Childers, Sally Beckman, Marie Cheatum, Loretta Zegers, Pat Evans, Donna Mackel, Gene Heithoff, Kyle Warren, Karlene Moser, Doris Kluthe, Reola Pelster, Gloria Lordemann, Anonymous, Gary Arehart, Juan Hoefer, Mel Heithoff, Pat Starman, Kurt Dinslage. **[Please let us know if name can be removed by calling 843-2345.]**

ELGIN PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

St. Boniface: Call Mary Jane Boes 402-843-2379 or JoAnn Beckman 402-843-6287

St. Boniface 97th Thanksgiving Bazaar November 25, 2021

Plans were laid out at the Bazaar Committee meeting on August 11 for what the Thanksgiving Bazaar will look like this year.

After much discussion, it was decided that the St. Boniface Thanksgiving Bazaar will operate the same as last year.....

Carry-out Only!

Information will be mailed to you and placed in the bulletin in September with your chance to order meals between Oct. 1-Nov. 15 and to order sausage in October. Our big ticket and quilt raffles will continue. More information in upcoming bulletins!

Bill & Phyllis Camp 60th Anniversary

Open House

Saturday, September 4

3:00 - 5:30 pm

Elgin Community Center

Pope John/St. Boniface Lunch Program

Although school meals will be provided at no cost, completion of the applications for free and reduced meals are important for other benefits for the school. Forms are in the school packets. Please mail these to Attn: Debbie Baum, PJSB Lunch Program, PO Box 179, Elgin, NE 68636

St. Boniface School Calendar Lottery Winners:

08-16-21	Owen Ciancioli	\$60.00
08-17-21	Grace Henn	\$60.00
08-18-21	Bryce Haselhorst	\$60.00
08-19-21	Charlotte Sehi	\$60.00
08-20-21	Steve & Jeanne Stokes	\$60.00
08-21-21	Jerry Niewohner	\$60.00
08-22-21	Lee & Jennifer Bartak	\$75.00

Your favorite St. Boniface School student is selling the 2022 Lottery Calendars at this time! If they don't contact you, offer to buy one from them. They are \$60 each.

St. Bonaventure Raeville

Financial Stewardship St. Bonaventure Raeville

Sunday Collection (15 Env.)	\$1,086.00
Children's Collection	\$14.00
Assumption Holy Day	\$55.00
Sunday Collection as of Fiscal Week 7	
Budgeted Total	\$7,000.00
Actual Total	\$7,987.00
Amount Ahead	\$987.00

PRAYER LINE REQUESTS St. Bonaventure: Call Mary Ann Fangman 402-843-6129 or Diane Scholl 402-386-5256

Mass Intentions for the week.....

<u>Location</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Cele</u>	<u>Intentions</u>
(SBE) Elgin	Monday	August 23	7:20 am		Communion Service
(SBR) Raeville	Tuesday	August 24	8:30 am		+Liv. & Dec. Mem. of Blecha/Greitens Families
(SPE) Ewing	Tuesday	August 24	8:30 am		+Mary Edwards
(SBE) Elgin	Wednesday	August 25	8:15 am		+Shirley Andrews by SB 4th Grade
(STC) Clearw.	Wednesday	August 25	8:30 am		+Omer Hoffman
(SJP) Petersb.	Wednesday	August 25	10:30 am		+Jerome & Betty Temme
(SBE) Elgin	Thursday	August 26	8:15 am	KV	+Nancy, Mel & Cheri Mueller by PJ 11th Grade (Rosary follows)
(SPE) Ewing	Thursday	August 26	8:30 am		+Dr. Dwaine Peetz
(SBE) Elgin	Friday	August 27	7:20 am		+Bob & Marie Schrage
(SJD) Deloit	Friday	August 27	8:30 am		+Floyd Henn & Cindy Bohaboj
(SBR) Raeville	Saturday	August 28	2:00 pm		Wedding of Morgan Jones/Justin Beierman
(SPE) Ewing	Saturday	August 28	5:30 pm	GO	+Alex & Joyce Thramer
(SJP) Petersb.	Saturday	August 28	7:00 pm	ME	+Marv Koch GO [Fr. Gary Ostrander]
(SBR) Raeville	Sunday	August 29	8:00 am	ME	+Viola Pelster ME [Fr. Matthew Eickhoff]
(SBE) Elgin	Sunday	August 29	10:00 am	ME	+Ed & Eleanor Starman
(STC) Clearw.	Sunday	August 29	10:00 am	GO	For the People of Our Parishes
(SJD) Deloit	Sunday	August 29	11:30 am	GO	+Keith, Jackie, Mike & Steve Bartak

***Rosary on Thursdays for Vocations and for Fr. John and Fr. Vogel**

Liturgical Schedule for Sunday, August 28-29, 2021

Weekend	Servers	Ushers	Greeters-Elg. Rosary Ldrs-Rae. Money Counters-Pet.	Gift Bearers	Lectors	Music	E.M.H.C. No Precious Blood *To the Homebound
Saturday AUGUST 28 5:30 pm St. Peter's EWING	Emma Funk Jenna Funk	Mike Thramer Greg Napier	-----	Mike & Cheryl Thramer	Tammy Summers	Follow Schedule	Mike Summers
Saturday AUGUST 28 7:00 pm St. John's PETERSBURG	Caden & Cali Stokes	Duane Kuhlman Kevin Schumacher	<u>Money Counters</u> Hank Thieman Bob Heying	-----	Rod Stuhr	Guitar Group	Deacon John Starman
Sunday AUGUST 29 8:00 am St. Bonaventure RAEVILLE	Kaiden Bode Aiden Klein	Mark Grundmayer Jerry Schrage	<u>Rosary Leaders</u> Ken & Joan Stuhr	Jerry & Tami Schrage	Ken Stuhr	Joyce Reestman	Lexi Bode
Sunday AUGUST 29 10:00 am St. Boniface ELGIN	Jayda Chessmore Kellan Hoefler	Steve Heithoff Brian Henn Dave Hoefler Duane Hoefler	Mike & Kristin Zegers- W Dave & Gwen Beckman- N & S	Steve & Rita Heithoff	Ashley Niewohner	Mark & Julie Dwyer	Pastor, Deacon Dennis To the Homebound: *Jerry Heithoff *Andrew Childers
Sunday AUGUST 29 10:00 am St. Theresa's CLEARWATER	Logan Kester Keaton Thiele	Fred Thiele Gary Thiele	-----	Steven & Linda Hankla	Ed Moser	Follow Schedule	Duane Kester
Sunday AUGUST 29 11:30 am St. John's DELOIT	Sharon Bartak	Ron Funk Gregg Bartak	-----	Fred & Marlene Knievel	Cathy Palmer	Follow Schedule	Diane Dicke

**Live without pretending, Love without depending,
Listen without defending, Speak without offending**

Financial Stewardship

St. Peter's Ewing

August 15: \$611.00 Mission: \$245.00
Assumption: \$110.00

St. John's Deloit

August 15: \$523.00 Mission: \$35.00
Assumption: \$347.00
Pennies from Heaven: \$20.13

St. Theresa's

August 15: \$857.00 Mission: \$70.00
Assumption: \$178.00

FOR ALL HAVING SPECIAL NEEDS

St. Peter's: Bob Walnofer, Nicki Dougherty, Donna Knapp, Anslee Ostergard, Kathi Retwisch, Steve Koenig, Butch Sojka, Sister Joseph, Jeanette Tomjack, Sharon Ward, Yvonne Duggan, Marie Vandersnick and Myra (Rotherham) Schwebel. (To start prayerline, call Lavonne Sisson 402-626-7755)

St. John's: Paula Anderson, Jim Funk, Pat McLain, Jason Ratzloff, Keith Palmer, Darlene Schueth and Carl Ernesti. (To start prayerline, call Jeanne Knievel 402-929-0847.)

St. Theresa's: Olivia Anderson, Leo Starman, Nate Thiele and Adam Kester. (To start prayerline, call Teresa Kester 402-750-0262)

General News



Please pray for the soul of **Msgr. Melvern "Mel" Wiese** who passed away last week. He was ordained in 1957 and had been living in West Point for some years at the time of his death. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



The Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (OACCW) Convention will be held at Divots Conference Center, 4200 West Norfolk Ave. in Norfolk on Monday, September 27th.

Pre-registration ONLY of \$25.00 payable to RNW Deanery **due September 20th, 2021**, mail to Ann Kurpgeweit, 50444 852 Rd. Ewing, NE 68735. The theme: "St. Joseph, Teach Us to Trust" with guest speaker Sharon Doran. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. with 8:00 a.m. Rosary followed by Convention at 9:00 a.m. **Registration forms are available in the back of all our churches or at the Elgin Parish Office.** For more information call Karen Funk 402-626-7611.

Health Standard Meeting in Elgin

The public is invited to attend a program later this month in Elgin by former Marine and US Senate candidate Matt Innis. **It will be held Tuesday, August 24th at 7:00 pm at the KC Hall in Elgin.** Innis will share his views of proposed health standards by the Nebraska Department of Education that exposes the truth about Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) and Critical Race Theory (CRT). Due to mature content of this presentation, only those over 18 are encouraged to attend. More information about these topics can be found at www.protectnebraskachildren.org.

Confirmation Preparation

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** for our parishes is scheduled to take place the fall of 2022. If you are in our southern tier parishes of St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure and have a child currently in 9th, 10th or 11th grade, or you are in our northern tier parishes and have a child currently in 8th, 9th, 10th or 11th grade, you will be receiving a letter from our priests soon, as our Confirmation Classes will begin Sunday, September 12 in the northern end and Sunday, September 19 in the southern end. [St. John the Baptist Petersburg 10th and 11th graders who receive faith formation through St. Michael's, Albion will start their classes September 8 when PRE begins.]

Family Faith Formation

Family Formation (Grades K-6) begins Wednesday, September 1 on the southern end and Wednesday, September 15 on the northern end. On those evenings Mass celebrated at 6:30 pm and the class for the students (and Father's talk for parents) to follow from 7:00-8:00 pm. If you wish to send your child/children and are not already registered, please contact our Religious Education Coordinator, Becky Kerkman at 402-843-6043 or bkerkman@cppnebraska as soon as possible so materials can be ordered.

Faith Formation for 7-12th graders in the northern tier to be announced.

Youth Ministry

Sunday Youth Group for 7-12th graders for St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure or anyone wishing to attend will begin on Sunday, September 26. Louise Schindler will once again serve as our coordinator. Sessions begin with Mass at 10:00am and go until 12:30 pm in the St. Boniface Convent. Call Louise Schindler, 843-5375, to register, or for questions. If you are attending Confirmation sessions this year, it is up to you if you wish to attend Sunday Youth Group as well.

Parish Religious Education (PRE) at St. Michael's Albion for St. Michael's and St. John's Petersburg begins September 8 with K-8th Grade from 6-7pm and High School from 7:15-8:15pm.

***Special note, parents of 2nd Graders, there will be a First Reconciliation Meeting for Parents and Students at 6:00 pm on September 15, location TBA.



THANK YOU TO ALL OUR CATECHISTS who give of their time to partner with parents on educating in the Faith!

Saint Isidore Prayer

Almighty God and Father of all,
 You give to man the opportunity to harvest
 The good things of Your creation and to build up
 Your Kingdom.
 By the prayers and holy example of Saint Isidore, inspire us
 to be diligent as our laboring and to have trustful hearts
 That rely locally on Your loving providence.
 Help us to care for creation and use it
 For it's highest good;
 to bring true charity to those around us.
 Through the intercession of Your faithful servant
 St. Isidore, help all who sow and reap
 To abound in rich harvests.
 May all who work the land be treated fairly and be allowed
 to share in the fruits of their labor
 We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
 Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit
 one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The 44th Annual Archbishop's Dinner for Education will be held Thursday, September 23, 2021 at CHI Health Center. This event provides an opportunity for us to gather and recognize the dedication of our Catholic school educators, to thank those who support our schools and to raise funds to provide needs-based scholarships to help students attend a Catholic school of their choice. **We have an increased goal this year, as we have added a high school tuition assistance initiative.** More than 40% of our elementary students receiving aid are unable to go on and attend a Catholic High School due to the financial barriers associated with the cost of a high school education. We are committed to supporting these students as they go into high school. We hope you will join us at the Archbishop's Dinner for Education on September 23rd to celebrate our Catholic schools and recognize the commitment and achievement of our Catholic school educators and administrators. For information on how to get involved and to view the live event visit <http://archomaha.org/dinnerforeducation>.

This year's honorees include:
Administrators of the Year

Maureen Hoy, Mary Our Queen School, Omaha
Dan Koenig, Archbishop Bergan Catholic School, Fremont

Educators of the Year – Elementary

Tammy Mateljan, St. Cecilia School, Omaha
Joyce Ortmeier, Guardian Angels Central Catholic School,
 West Point

Educators of the Year – Secondary

John Roshone, Mt. Michael Benedictine School, Elkhorn
Joan Lahm, Scotus Central Catholic High School, Columbus

**Educators of the Year – Special Education and Under-Served
 Funded by the Maginn Family Foundation**

Mary Davis, Ss. Peter and Paul School, Omaha
Darian Stout, Madonna School, Omaha

THE SILVER ROSE DEVOTION

**SUNDAY, AUG. 29 1 PM
 ST. BONIFACE CHURCH**

The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady. Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to **pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.** Knights of Columbus Council 2411 well be holding the Silver Rose Devotion on Sunday, August 29th at 1:00 PM at St. Boniface Church in Elgin. **Everyone from our six parishes are invited to come pray with us.**



"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!



Two recycle bins are placed on the north side of the garage next to the St. Boniface Gym. Papers/acceptable recyclables can be put in the bins whenever it is convenient for you. **Acceptable items are: Newspapers, office paper, phone books, paperback books, paper bags, cereal boxes, Kleenex boxes, pop & beer boxes, magazines, and mailings.** The bins are emptied on Wednesdays. If they are full when you come, please place your recyclables in the garage. **The list of unacceptable items includes: plastic bags, string, metal, wire, aluminum cans, glass, styrofoam, trash, feed sacks, used pizza boxes and other boxes that contained prepared food.** A full list of acceptable and unacceptable items is attached to the bins. Thanks to all who recycle. **Questions, Call Sister Pat (402.843.5461).**

