



Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8, 2017

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BULLETIN DEADLINE WEDNESDAY NOON
NEWSLETTER DEADLINE Third Tuesday of Month

Prayer Chain Request

St. Boniface: Call Betty Mackel or Mary Jane Boes
 St. Bonaventure: Call Mary Ann Fangman or Mary Ann Starman

Schools

St. Boniface School (K-6) / Pope John Central (7-12)
 Betty Getzfred, Principal 402/843-5325
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Religious Education

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Friends,

Our St. Boniface Bazaar raffle tickets are now in the back of church, ready to be picked up! Thank you to everyone who donated prizes, as without you, we would not have a raffle! Thanks also to Mary & Jim Baum and the raffle solicitors, the students who stapled tickets, and the ladies who stuffed the envelopes. Give others the "opportunity" to win the 50 inch Samsung TV, the \$500 Mastercard gift card, and 92 other prizes! It's a good way to get some free advertising for our bazaar at the same time! Thank you also to our St. Boniface Quilters for donating a beautiful quilt to also be raffled on Thanksgiving.

I'm so grateful to have our parish Grief Ministry get off the ground this past week. Karen Eischeid and Cheryl Veik spent many hours getting this together and I'm pleased that we have a number of participants who wish to benefit from this five-session program. Thank you to Huffman-Levander Funeral Home, Knights of Columbus #2411 and the Bargain Box for their sponsorship.

Thank you to Brenda Meis who served as chairperson of the Bazaar Sausage Pre-Sales for the past 11 years!! Now that Brenda is the president of the Altar Society, she is handing off the responsibility to Bonnie Hofer. Thank you Bonnie for your "yes"! Sign-up sheets are in the back of both churches now for sausage orders. Orders placed at this time will need to be picked up Saturday, Nov. 18 between 5 and 7pm.

Next Saturday evening at 5:00 there will be a brief presentation on the 100th anniversary of the final apparition of Our Lady of Fatima. A rosary will follow, led by our Knights of Columbus. Also, next weekend the Knights will hold their Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities at the doors of church.

Today is Commitment Sunday for the Archbishop's Annual Appeal, which helps fund numerous services that the Archdiocese provides to all parishes. I encourage you to prayerfully consider supporting the good work done by the ministries supported by the Appeal. Thank you for the great goodness you have shown the past number of years, as we have consistently reached our goals. Thank you to all who have already generously given this year.

Fr. Vogel

Celebration of the Eucharist

St. Boniface Parish

Saturday 5:30 pm
 Sunday 10:00 am

Weekdays

Monday (*Communion Service*) 7:20 am
 Thursday-Friday 7:20 am
 Wednesday & First Fridays 8:15 am

St. Bonaventure Parish

Sunday 8:00 am
 Tuesday 8:30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Boniface Parish Saturday 4:15-5:15 pm
 St. Boniface Parish Wednesday 5:00-5:30 pm
 St. Bonaventure Parish Sunday 7:30-7:50 am

Other times needed? Please call Fr. Vogel at 402/843-2345

St. Boniface Eucharistic Day of Prayer
The Day before First Friday, Each Month

This Week In Our Parish.....

Parish	Day	Date	Time	Event
R/E	Tuesday	October 10	1:30 pm	Rural Central Deanery Meeting at Raeville Hall (Reg. at 1:00)
E/R	Wednesday	October 11	5:00 pm	Family Formation (students only)
E/R	Wednesday	October 11	7:00 pm	Vocations Meeting
E	Friday	October 13	6:30 pm	Wedding Rehearsal at St. Boniface Church
E	Saturday	October 14	5:00 pm	Lady of Fatima Presentation and Rosary at St. Boniface Church
E/R	Sat/Sun	October 14-15	-----	KC Tootsie Roll Sunday at both Churches
E/R	Sat/Sun	October 14-15	-----	Sausage Presale Signup at both Churches

Stewardship for Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 2017

Please keep our Parish Stewardship Needs in your Prayers

St. Boniface

Sunday Collection (63 Env.)	\$8,756.51
Children's Collection	\$14.25
Insurance Collection	\$250.00
P.I.E.	\$2,100.00

Sunday Collection as of Fiscal Week 14

Budgeted Total	\$59,843.14
Actual Total	\$58,586.67
Amount Needed	(\$1,256.47)

St. Bonaventure

Sunday Collection (19 Env.)	\$1,745.51
Children's Collection	\$10.00

Sunday Collection as of Fiscal Week 14

Budgeted Total	\$13,375.60
Actual Total	\$13,993.26
Amount Ahead	\$617.66

Altar Society Worklist

- Clean Church - Circle 4 – October (3rd week)
- Kookie Klatch- Circle 3- The Willows October 21, 2 pm
- Next Funeral - Circle 5 (Cir. 4 had Herman Starman)
- Next Charity - Circle 4
- Next Meeting - Monday, October 16th, 7:00 pm



We welcome

Ethan Philip Starman

son of Andy & Nicole Starman
who was baptized this weekend
at St. Boniface Church

Please remember to save your **Box Tops** for Education for St. Boniface School. You can either give them to any St. Boniface student or drop them in the box in the west entrance of church.



St. Bonaventure will clean church Monday-Thursday, October 23-26. All parish households are asked to assist in cleaning. Thank you.

College students who wish to EMHC or Lector over their Thanksgiving or Christmas holiday breaks are asked to let us know by October 13 as the November and December liturgical schedule will be created at that time. We are always glad to have you back home. This applies to those who have been mandated in high school and wish to begin again. Thanks!

Young adults who have settled here after graduation, college or marriage are asked to please register as an adult member of the parish. You may do so by stopping off at the parish office to request a form. We are happy to have you back in our parish!



PFC Krause, Alex
VMFA - 251 (310 P/L 251)
Unit 80142
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Alex is the grandson of parishioners
Jim & Joan Childers and is stationed in Japan.

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. And give us peace. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal Campaign Update

St. Boniface (53 donations received)	
Goal:	\$21,555.43
Pledged to date:	\$7,952.00
	36.9% of goal
St. Bonaventure (8 donations received)	
Goal:	\$3,933.59
Pledged to date:	\$1,615.00
	41.1% of goal

Mass Intentions for the Week.....

Location	Day	Date	Time	Intention
E	Monday	October 9	7:20 am	Communion Service
R	Tuesday	October 10	8:30 am	Raymond & Tony Stuhr
E	Tuesday	October 10	11:50 am	Liv. & Dec. PJ Alumni
E	Wednesday	October 11	8:15 am	+Anthony Starman
E	Thursday	October 12	7:20 am	+LaVern Buelt
E	Friday	October 13	8:15 am	+Regina Hoefer Smith
E	Saturday	October 14	2:00 pm	Wedding of Dean Braband and Rhea Voss
E	Saturday	October 14	5:30 pm	+Tina Schrage Moore
R	Sunday	October 15	8:00 am	For the People of St. Bonaventure and St. Boniface
E	Sunday	October 15	10:00 am	+Jerome & Bernice Roth

**by PJ 9th Grade; Cele: Fr. Tomasiewicz
by SB 5th/6th Grade**

Please Remember In Your Prayers: Taylor Rudley, Bob Fritz, Cheri Cavanagh, Bob Spieker, Dodi Bauer, Bob Redler, Travis McKillip, Logann Pelster, Juliann Starman, Paul Ahrendt, Jerry McNally, Rose Gall, Kurt Saner, Trey Meis, Jayia Braden, Eleanor Hemenway, Bernadine Spieker, Pat Hruby, John Hruby, Kirk Papstein, Jim Merrifield, Matt Evans, Joe Dunn (Kansas City), Allen Dozler, Jennifer Howard, Elmer Tharnish, Baby Huxley Schrage, Ruth Kerkman, Paysen Guthard, Harold Klein, Joyce Kallhoff, Vet Stuhr, Pat Uttecht, Agatha Menon, Kim Pilar, George Sprout, Zane Faust, Dave Schindler, Lincoln Schindler, Sandy Leonard, Kaitey Schumacher, Dave Henn, Brady Henn, Unborn Triplets of Wade & Sloan Hoefer, Helen Dvorak, Dennis Miller. **Parishioners:** Helen Neukirch, Margaret Dozler, Christine Studley, Alfreda Pelster, Eve Kallhoff, Don & Shirley Henkenius, Yvonne Heithoff, LaVern Jochum, Mary Beelart, Neil Childers, Charlene Beckman, Leonard Beckman, Betty Vaisvilas, Jerome Starman, Peggy Schmitt, Nancy Selting, Jerry Rotert, Maddie Voborny, Sally Beckman, Margie Baum, Sandy Kallhoff, June Kerkman, Roland Reicks. **[Please let the parish office know if a name can be removed.]**

Please pray for the soul of **Karen Seger** of Atkinson, who passed away this week. Karen is the mother of Sharon (Dave) Gossman, grandmother of Brie Gossman, Jake (Kari) Schindler, and Ross Schindler, all of St. Boniface Parish. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace. Amen.

St. Boniface Altar Society will hold their next meeting on Monday, October 16 at 7:00 pm at the convent meeting room. All ladies of the parish are invited.



The music students at Pope John XXIII Central Catholic High School will be presenting their Fall Concert, "Home in the Heartland" on Monday, October 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Boniface Gym. A variety of songs will be shared, including songs that relate to some

of the places and people nearest to our hearts. The Junior High choir, High School Choir, and Pope John Band (7-9 grade students) will be performing, as well as featured solos by the seniors and a performance by the Pope John Women's Choir.

The fall Rural Central Deanery meeting will be held at St. Bonaventure Catholic Church Parish Hall in Raeville on Tuesday, October 10, 2017. Registration will begin at 1:00. The meeting will begin at 1:30 pm. All parish women are encouraged to attend.

Nebraska Family Helpline is (888) 866-8660. One phone call connects Nebraska families to help for their children's behavioral/mental health problems. Any problem. Any time.



Pope John's Isadore House are collecting "Treats for the Troops" for soldiers abroad. You can drop off treats anytime until October 12 in Mrs. Payne's room or there will be a collection area at the home volleyball game on October 10. Isadore House members will visit Elgin neighborhoods to collect donations Wednesday evening, October 11. Thank you for your participation in making sure soldiers have a Happy Halloween!

The Vocation Committee is wanting to update the names and times for the **Eucharistic Adoration List**. We are grateful for the number of individuals and families who are currently blessed by taking an hour to spend with the Lord, praising, thanking, petitioning and simply being present to receive His love. Everyone is invited. If you are currently an adorer, thank you for your commitment. If work or health issues have prevented you from coming and you would like to be removed or to change times, or if you would like to become an adorer, please call Linda Kerkman by October 25. Phone: 402-843-8524 or 402-843-5946.

"In order to convert America and save the World what we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer."

St. Mother Teresa

Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, October 14-15, 2017

Mass	Servers	Ushers	Greeters/ Rosary Leaders	Gift Bearers	Lectors	Music	EMHC *To the sick
SATURDAY October 14 5:30 pm ELGIN	Ashlynn Charf Taylynne Charf	Dan Baum Chris Baum Jim Baum Ted Baum	Karen Eischeid-W Ron & Linda Eischeid- N & S	Ray & Pam Braband	Larry Shavlik	Deb Baum Becky Kerkman	Pastor, Paige Meis
SUNDAY October 15 8:00 am RAEVILLE	Maddie Schrage Emma Lordemann	Tyler Reestman Matt Sands	Rudy & Mary Ann Starman	Brian & Clarissa Stuhr Family	Ken Stuhr	Rachel Becker & PJ Choir	Brian Stuhr
SUNDAY October 15 10:00 am ELGIN	Skyler Meis Ally Selting	Steve Beckman David Benson Merle Borer Jack Borer	Jeff & Tracey Schindler- W Mark & Brenda Schrage- N & S	Joe & Lori Beckman	Marie Meis	Rachel Becker & PJ Choir	<u>Precious Blood-</u> Pastor, Deacon, *Terry Reicks, *Dave & *Gwen Beckman, *Scott Becker

\$\$\$ Calendar Lottery Winners \$\$\$

10-2-17	Patty & John Thiele	\$60.00
10-3-17	Chris Lewis	\$60.00
10-4-17	Denis & Jan F. Henn	\$60.00
10-5-17	Susan Vanis Eucharistic Day	\$80.00
10-6-17	Connie Kinney	\$60.00
10-7-17	Father Bernard Lorenz	\$60.00
10-8-17	Dale & Kathy Buelt	\$75.00



See your favorite St. Boniface School Student to purchase your 2018 Lottery Calendar!

365 drawings and \$25,000 to be given away in 2018!!

St. Anthony Church Bazaar and Dinner will be held on Sunday, October 22, at the Agricultural Park in Columbus. A Polish sausage, turkey and dressing dinner with all the trimmings will be served from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Adults \$10.00; children (5-10) \$5.00, children 4 & under no charge. There will be games for all ages, music and an auction.

Two "Come and See" weekends are planned at the Missionary Benedictine Sisters in Norfolk on Nov. 3-5 and Dec. 8-10. These opportunities are open to young women ages 18-35 (college freshman and older). Any questions can be directed to Sr. Inviolata Mukhaabi at imukhaabi@yahoo.com.

Please come and enjoy the Elgin United Methodist Church Fall Dinner on October 8, 2017 from 4:30-7:30 PM. We have turkey, ham, all of the fixings, and PIE!! Cost is \$10 for adults, children 6-12 \$5, children under 6 are free. There will be silent auction. 110 N. 4th St., Elgin, NE

The Lighthouse Catholic CD's provides ongoing growth in our faith. And after you have listened, you have the opportunity to evangelize by sharing it with another. Ask the Holy Spirit to prompt you and He will inspire you to know who to share it with. We currently have 26 different titles and 91 CD's to choose from at the west entrance of St. Boniface Church. We ask \$3.00 each to cover the cost and reorders. Envelopes are available for your donation which can be simply dropped in the collection on Sundays. Step up your game a bit. *Allow Jesus to help you grow.* New CD information is below:

Heroes of the Catholic Reformation Dr. Tim Gray

Dr. Tim Gray, renowned Scripture scholar and president of the Augustine Institute, provides fascinating insights about the Protestant Reformation and the ensuing Catholic Counter Reformation. He discusses how holy men and women worked from within the Church, as they do in every age, to bring forth much-needed reform. Hear how necessary changes were brought about by holy heroes such as Giles of Viterbo, St. Ignatius of Loyola, St. Teresa of Ávila, St. Charles Borromeo, and others.

St. John the Baptist Parish of Petersburg invites you to their Potato Bake on Sunday, October 15 from 5:00-7:00pm at Werner Hall. Serving: Baked Potato Bar with several toppings to choose from, and Homemade Desserts. Free Will Offering.