

REFLECTION: "The stone the builders rejected has become the corner stone..." - MATTHEW 21:42

Jesus was the corner stone and He was rejected by the religious and political leaders of his day, as well as ordinary citizens. Living a stewardship lifestyle may cause you to be "rejected" by others in today's society. For example, saying grace before a meal in a restaurant may attract some strange looks from some. But to others it is sign that God is alive and well!



ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL 2017-2018:

Saint Rose of Lima parish goal: **\$13,740.56**. If we take this goal and divide it by 385 registered families in the parish it would be around a \$40.00 donation for each Family if everybody donated. Saint Andrew's parish goal: **\$6,305.28**. If we take this goal and divide it by 140 registered families in the parish it would be around a \$50.00 donation for each Family.

2017-2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal updated numbers as of Monday, October 9, 2017. Saint Rose, Crofton **\$5,420.00 - 39.4%** of Parish goal. So far 37 donors have participated. Saint Andrew, Bloomfield **\$2,305.00 - 36.6%** of Parish goal. So far 16 donors have participated. Thank you for your generous spirits.

The Archbishop's Annual Appeal is every Catholic's opportunity within the Archdiocese of Omaha to share in the work of the archdiocese and the mission of the Church. As we discern our donation, please prayerfully consider a contribution to help us reach our goals! We are one through our Baptism into Christ, and therefore, one with the archbishop and his ministry."

Just a reminder to please mail your appeal donations directly to the address listed for the Archdiocese of Omaha Annual Appeal.

SR CONFIRMATION NEWS: Still seeking teachers to help SUB for the Confirmation Program.

Contact Curt Arens or Kristi Steffen. Next Confirmation class is Wednesday, October 11 at 7:30 p.m. in St. Rose Church Hall. Parents: Just a reminder to send your students' green registration forms to class and pay the \$45 materials' fee due. Marianne Merkel will be collecting forms and dues at the parish hall on Wednesday nights.



Weddings Congratulations to Timothy Evans and Alex Dowling who were united as husband and wife through the Sacrament of Marriage at St. Rose of Lima Church, Crofton on October 7, 2017.

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS to paint the St. Rose church entry way and family room. Will be re-painting it the same neutral color. Not a big project. Contact John Van Heek (605) 660-3883 or parish office (402) 388-4814.

PLEASE VISIT THE PRO-LIFE DISPLAY on the St. Rose Parish grounds which includes 120 blue and pink flags. The flag exhibit also includes a banner with the explanation of what each flag represents, "In the last HOUR, 120 babies DIED from ABORTION. Each flag represents a baby who lost their life to abortion during the last hour in the U.S." Sixty pink flags carry the message "Abortion kills babies" and 60 blue flags read "Jesus saves". The flag display is being held in conjunction with National ProLife Month and is a project of the St. Rose Right To Life group and will be displayed through the month of October.

NEW Blake Woockman Memorial Scholarship Fund: A new scholarship fund for St. Rose School has been started in memory of St. Rose alumn, Blake Woockman, who recently passed away. Contributions to this fund, which will offer scholarships to St. Rose students, can be sent to the St. Rose School office.

ST. ROSE - GIFT TO GOD - OCTOBER 1, 2017

Sunday Giving needed weekly - \$5,070.00

Sunday	\$ 2,456.00
Plate	\$ 166.00
Children	\$ 21.00
Cemetery Endow	\$ 175.00



October 22: World Mission Sunday Collection



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS
The sick: Allan Arens, Bernadette Tramp, Heather Hegge, Jeanine Johnson, Christy (Tweedy) Hebeisen, Ray Poppe, Craig Gobel, Ann Johnson, Sue Sandvig, Sr. Janet Guenther, Jeanne Schmidt, Terry Woockman, Paul Arens, Geralda Tramp, Larry Thunker, Bob Cabalka, Irvin Arens, all the troops overseas, and those suffering from natural disasters and incidents of violence.
 "Heavenly Father accept our prayers offered for them."

ACTIVITIES IN OCTOBER - ST ROSE & ST ANDREW

- Eucharistic Adoration (Wednesdays) 9 AM until 10 PM - St. Rose Church**
- Communion Services (Thursdays) 7 AM - St. Rose Church**
- That Man is You—Men's Group meets (Tuesdays) 6:00-7:15 AM**
- Oct 8 Marriage Celebration with Archbishop Lucas, St. Mary's, Norfolk
- Oct 7/8 SR Ladies Guild Bake Sale after weekend Masses, (St. Rose Church)
- Oct 11 SR Choir of Fire Practice, 6:30 PM, (St. Rose Church)
- SR CCD / FFY / Confirmation Classes, 7:30 PM, (St. Rose Campus)
- SR Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:30 PM, (St. Rose Education Ctr)
- Oct 13 **St. Rose Mass, 8:15 AM, in honor of Our Lady of Fatima (100th)**
- Oct 14 **St. Andrew's Mass, 9:00 AM, in honor of Our Lady of Fatima (100th)**
- Patriotic Rosary, 11:00 AM, (Crofton South Park)
- Oct 15 SR Choir to Fire to sing at 8:30 AM Mass, (St. Rose Church)
- SA CCD / Confirmation Class, 9-10:15 AM, (St. Andrew's)
- Grades 11 & 12 plan Mass and are Greeters
- Oct 18 SR CCD / Confirmation Class, 7:30 PM, (St. Rose Campus)
- SR FFY Movie Night, 7:30 PM, (St. Rose Education Center)
- Oct 21 **Wedding of Preston Mueller & Cassie Tramp, (St. Rose Church)**
- Oct 22 **Annual World Mission Sunday Collection**
- Knights Exemption, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Degrees in Hartington

OUR CONDOLENCES are extended to the family of Chris Kuehler, son of Steve and Betty, and the family of Cathleen Zimmerman, sister of Mary (Mrs. Dale) Burbach. May Our Heavenly Father welcome them home and comfort those they leave behind.



ST. ROSE SCHOOL NEWS

October 11: St. Rose School (only) early dismissal at 12 noon. No buses. No afternoon preschool. Teachers to attend School of Faith Program.

St. Rose School families raised \$1,225.74 for the Blake Woockman Family in the month of September. Students were asked to bring in loose change to see which class could collect the most. We thank all our families for their generosity for this special cause. We pray for Blake's family during this time of loss, may God Bless you all and keep you in his tender care. Mrs. Fiscus

100 CLUB WINNERS: September 24: \$50 - Charlie Guenther
 October 1: \$50 - Card # 1162

LADIES GUILD

Division 4 will serve next funeral - Karen Poppe and Heidi Marsh
Division 10 cleans church in October - Carleen Dendinger and Irma Arens
Division 12 Fall Rectory Cleaning - Tracie Wiebelhaus and Arlene Steffen

Thanks to all the ladies who donated to the bake sale on October 7 & 8. Without all of you it would not be a success.

READINGS FOR OCTOBER 15, 2017

1st Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10 Psalm: 23:1-6
 2nd Reading: Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

		MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK			
Tue	Oct 10	8:00 am	(SA)	Larry, Lawrence, Dulcis and Tommy Schaefer	
Wed	Oct 11	8:15 am	(SR)	Lorene Ausdemore	
Thu	Oct 12	7:00 am	(SR)	Communion Service (note time)	
		8:00 am	(SA)	Deceased of Bratetic Family	
Fri	Oct 13	8:15 am	(SR)	Our Lady of Fatima	
Sat	Oct 14	9:00 am	(SA)	Our Lady of Fatima	
		5:30 pm	(SR)	Vicki & Tracy Arens Rick & Beverly Maly	
Sun	Oct 15	8:30 am	(SR)	Tom Hanson and Potts Family	
		10:30 am	(SA)	SA / SR Parishioners	
				SA - Saint Andrew's	SR - Saint Rose

Liturgical Roles

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14 @ 5:30 PM - ST. ROSE
 SET UP: Curt Steffen
 LECTOR: Vern Wuebben
 SERVERS: Tom Maibaum, Zac Poppe, Megan Tramp, Rebecca Leader
 EMHC: Deacon Frank, Faye H., Nancy S., Dawn M., and Larry Heine - Visit shut-ins
 USHERS: Dan Guenther, Roger Janssen, Chuck Arens, Clair Arens
 GIFTS: Gary & Karen Leader

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15 @ 8:30 AM - ST. ROSE
 SET UP: Barb Lange
 LECTOR: Peg Schieffer
 SERVERS: Jack Drotzmann, Luke Haberer
 Ashley Tramp, Elizabeth Wortmann
 USHERS: Tony Arens, Dave Arens, Travis Arens, Ken Wortmann
 EMHC: Deacon Frank, Deb K., Charlotte A., Ed & Arlene S., and Rosanne Hoebelheinrich - Visit shut-ins
 GIFTS: Rob & Linda Jackson
 MONEY: Dave Arens, Karen Leader

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15 @ 10:30 AM - ST. ANDREW
 LECTOR: Lyndsy Jenness
 SERVERS: Trey McQuay, Madison Abbenhaus, Katie Kuhlman
 EMHC: Dan Kleinschmit, Delores Strom, Wendell Strom-shut-ins
 GREETERS, GIFTS, **VOCATION CROSS:
 CCD Grades 11 and 12 and **Ron & Sally Gubbels

MASSES - OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Friday	October 13	8:15 a.m.	Mass at St. Rose of Lima
Saturday	October 14	9:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Andrew's
Saturday	October 28	9:00 a.m.	Mass at St. Rose of Lima



PLEASE JOIN US for the PATRIOTIC ROSARY, Saturday, October 14 in Crofton South City Park, 11am. As human efforts fail to solve America's key problems, we turn to God, through His Holy Mother, asking for urgent help. In case of inclement weather, rosary will be held at St. Rose of Lima Church, Crofton NE. Refreshments served afterwards.
 Sponsored by St. Rose Right To Life...Public Invited.

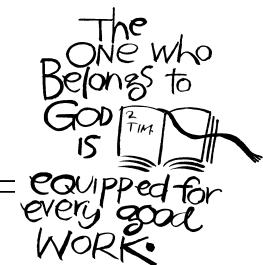


BULK SAUSAGE FOR SALE: Please contact Mary Thoene at the business office (402) 388-4814 to pick up.

ST. ANDREW'S - GIFT TO GOD - OCTOBER 1, 2017

Sunday Giving needed weekly - \$1,340.00

Sunday	\$ 529.01
Plate	\$ 204.05
Children	\$ 30.25



October 22: World Mission Sunday Collection

ST. ANDREW'S NEWS

MOWING SCHEDULE:

October 1 - October 7: Duane Mlady, Mike Nissen
 October 8 - October 14: Troy Pinkelman, Gary Eckmann
 October 15 - October 21: Perry Trenhaile, Michael Wagner
 Just a reminder to please also mow the grotto area.

CCD NEWS: Class on Sunday, October 15, 9:00 - 10:15 AM. CCD Grades 11 and 12 plan Mass and are Greeters

FALL DINNER: Thank you to St. Andrew's parish for working hard on a successful Fall Dinner this year. It's nice to see everyone working together as a family. Also, thanks to any St. Rose parishioners for attending our dinner. It's great to see the parishes supporting each other. God's Blessings to all !!

SPECIAL EVENT: Everyone is invited to celebrate Mass with Father Tim Podraza at St. Andrew's on Saturday morning, October 14, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. in honor of the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima.

AREA EVENTS

October 8: Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience. Presented by North American Lourdes volunteers. This guided Lourdes experience immerses you in the Gospel Message of Lourdes as given by Our Lady to St. Bernadette. The next best thing to visiting Lourdes itself is a virtual pilgrimage journey, without the travel! *October 8th at St. Mary's Church, Norfolk beginning at 7:00 PM.*

Sunday, October 8:
 --Annual Mass with Archbishop George Lucas honoring marriage at St. Mary's, Norfolk.

--St. Agnes Catholic Church, Sigel annual Soup Kitchen. Serving taverns, hot dogs, soups and desserts from 11 AM until 3:30 PM. Raffle, bake walk, and Country Store.

--St. Peter's Church, Newcastle Parish Breakfast. Free will donation. Serving ring sausage, pancakes, eggs, juice and coffee from 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM.

Sunday, October 15: Holy Trinity Parish, Hartington, **Fall Dinner and Bazaar** at the Activity Center. Serving broasted chicken & sausage and all the trimmings from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Come join us for dinner and much more!

Tuesday, October 17: RNC Deanery meeting in Holy Family Parish (Wynot site). 1 PM registration, 1:30 meeting. *Ladies please have a representative present.*

Thursday, October 19: Healing Mass at Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church, Clarkson, NE. Confessions (6 PM), Stations (6:25 PM), and Mass (7 PM).

October 21 - 22: You are Enough! A Retreat for Women at Saint Benedict Center, Schuyler, with Mary Guynan, Tonya LeGrande and Vicki Pribil. As women, we tend to hold ourselves to impossible standards and judge ourselves based on all we are not, yet think we should be. Let God breathe new life into you and know that you are enough. This retreat is for women of all ages.

Sunday, October 22: St. John the Baptist Parish in Fordyce, NE will have their annual **Polka Mass and Meal**. Mass at 10:30 a.m., Serving brats, ham, kraut, cheesy potatoes, salad, corn, roll, dessert and beverage, 11 AM-1 PM Adults - \$10, children - \$5, 5 and under - Free. Please join us!