



St. Joseph Church

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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

07-09-17

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	8:15 AM + Ries Family
Wednesday	8:15 AM + Agnes Schmit & Frank Vinzenz
Thursday	10:00 AM + Simon & Marjorie Timmermans @ Good Sam.
Friday	8:15 AM + Tom Welsh
Saturday	7:00 PM + Stanley R. Rzeszotarski Family
Sunday	8:30 AM + Frank & Rosemary Kilmurry

Sacrament of Reconciliation: One half hour before each weekend Mass or anytime by appointment

We Return To...regular Sunday readings this week. We learn that Jesus is calling each of us to come walk with Him and share our lives with Him as we “take my yoke upon you and learn from me.” As we do this, He tells us “for my yoke is easy and my burden light.” So we are called to walk in His Spirit and as we do this, we will come to know peace. As we live this way, we will be gracious, grateful, merciful and compassionate. As we look around our world we find confusion and discord. Thus, perhaps, we need to slow down and really listen for Jesus’ calling. Responding to His call will indeed bring us peace. So, let us know the peace that He wished for us. **Summer Blessings!**

The Harvest Is Great, Laborers Are Few. Pray for many more vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Taking the vocation crucifix this week—Roger & Pam Frickel. The week of July 16—Randy & Diane Rentschler.

We Pray With Special Love & Concern For All Those Who Are Ill: Janice Ries, Kaitlyn Fritz, Jenny Stracke, Nathan Boyle, Ryan Berg, Michelle Bulau, Emma Lou Gunther, MaryAnn Wichman, Eleanor Jones, John Hurley, Dr. Jarrod Wiegman.

St. Boniface Mass Schedule: Sat., July 15 —5 pm Sun., July 16—10:30 am

The RNW (Rural Northwest Deanery) Spirituality Day...is planned for **Tue., July 11.** Come away with us for a day of rest & peace at Casa de Paz (otherwise known as Fr. Kramper’s retirement home) near Newcastle. Tour begins @ 10 am. If you’d like to be included for the Highway 20 corridor bus transportation, the bus will leave from St. Boniface @ 7 am. Passengers need to be there 15 minutes before departure time. \$25 pays for transportation on bus and lunch. May checks payable to Kim Estes. **You’ll need to call Kim ASAP @ 402-924-3125 or 402-340-2866 to reserve your spot.**



Is planned...for July 24—28 from 9 am—noon @ St. Joseph’s School for grades PreK through 6th. The theme is “Mighty Fortress” (bible heroes). Direct ????? to Heather Slaymaker, 308-530-8827. **HELPERS ARE NEEDED....PLEASE CONTACT HEATHER!**

Annual Marriage Celebration---Archbishop George Lucas invites you to attend the annual Mass honoring marriages and your anniversaries. This event honors couples celebrating 5, 25, 40, 55, 60+ years of marriage on **Sept. 10 in Omaha OR Oct. 8 in Norfolk.** Register online at: Family.ArchOmaha.org/Enriching-Marriage. If registered by **July 28** your name will be included in the program.

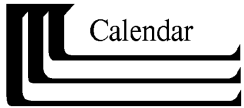
Would You Like To Serve...your parish as a Lector or EMHC? Training dates are as follows: Sun., Aug. 20 @ Norfolk, St. Mary’s, 1:30—4:30. Mandation is scheduled for Wed., Sept. 6 @ 7 pm also at Norfolk, St. Mary’s. Names must be submitted by **July 28....**call the parish office to sign up.

We Need USHERS!!!! The following slots are open:

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Need</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Need</u>
Jan.	1	Feb.	1
Feb. & Aug.	2	Mar & Sept.	1
Apr. & Oct.	2	May & Nov.	1
May & Nov.	2		
July	1		

Please call the parish office if you are willing to share your time & talent in this ministry.

A Warm Thank You... to those who offered their time to help remove the pews from church—Phil Fritz, Kooper Jelinek, Jeff & Zac Laetsch, Tim Laible, Breydon Mlady, Troy Schaaf, Todd Seger, Joe & Chris Skrdla, Jack Wolf, Bernard & Dan Ziska. God bless each of you!



- Tue., July 11—RNW Deanery Spirituality Day near Newcastle
- Thu., July 15—Healing Mass @ Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church in Clarkson, 7 pm
- July 15-17---TEC @ Tintern for juniors and seniors in high school or freshman in college. Forms are available at SJ Parish office or link to online form is available on our website under the Events tab
- Thu., July 20—“Behold Your Mother” at St. Mary’s Church, Norfolk @ 7pm
- July 24-28—Vacation Bible School @ SJ
- August 5/6—Mass time change goes into effect. Saturdays...SJ @ 5 pm; SB @ 7 pm; Sundays...SJ @ 10:30 am; SB @ 8:30 am
- Sun., Aug. 13—Golf Tourney for both parishes...St. Boniface will be hosting this year



Altar Society: Tue., July 11 @ 5:30, KC Hall (note change of time)

Parish Council: Tue., July 11 @ 7:30, north sacristy

Thu., July 20 @ 7 pm at Norfolk, St. Mary’s Church--Behold Your Mother... sponsored by Spirit 88.3-FM with Tim Staples speaking of the many layers of meaning to the powerful words of our Lord from the cross when he said to St. John, in the place of all us, standing at the foot of the cross with the Mother of God. “Behold: your mother!” Tickets are \$7 available at beholdnorfolk.brownpapertickets.com or spiritcatholicradio.com. See flyer in church.

Liturgical Ministers--JULY 15/16

MASS TIMES	SAT. 7:00 PM	SUN. 8:30 AM
EMHCs	KTunender, S&D Osborne	G&S Dvorak, CSholes, JSkrdla, DLiewer
LECTORS	Brian Mlady	Patti Skrdla
GIFT BEARERS	M/M G. Winings	M/M D. Slaymaker
ORGANIST	Jayne Fetherston	Lou Ann Tooker
SERVERS	Kruz Jelinek Lucus Ennen Ian Laetsch	Reghan Kerkman Nate Wallinger Tyler Jelinek
JULY USHERS	Phillip Hamik Mike Laible Volunteer Bryan Rentschler	Dan Ziska George Schmit Todd Seger Roger Frickel

THE LORD’S PORTION

7-2-17

Adult envelopes	(54)	2,461.00
Loose cash		299.00
Loose checks	(3)	145.00
Online Giving	(3)	438.00
Mid-week contribution	(2)	<u>27.00</u>
TOTAL		3,370.00
Peter’s Pence	(3)	12.00
Budget...Sunday:		2,845.10
		+524.90

EMHC

Good Samaritan Home & Prairie Winds

July 16

Phil & Linda Fritz