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WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday, 5:30 pm

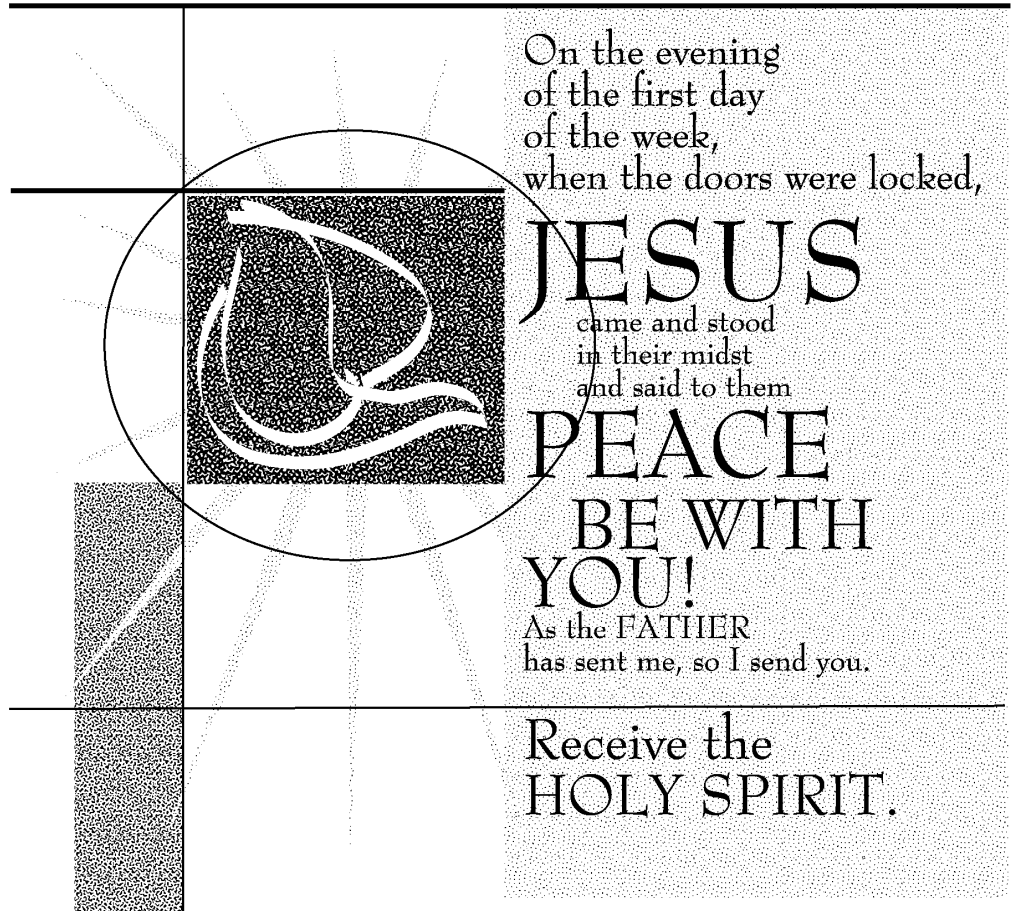
Sunday, 9:00 am

DAILY MASSES: Inside Bulletin

TELEVISED MASS: Thursday, 6:00 pm, Channel 2, Cable TV

SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 4:00 pm or by appointment (For Changes In Regular Schedule, See Inside Bulletin)

WHEN TRAVELING: Find Mass times around the country at: www.MassTimes.org



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Second Sunday
of Easter
Divine mercy

April 12, 2015

Do not be unbelieving,
but believe!

FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM: I hope that you are all having a Blessed Easter.

A couple of things—this weekend we celebrate First Communion with our second graders. Congratulations to them and their families. We will do Divine Mercy Prayer in the church chapel this Sunday, April 12 at 1:30 pm.

Music books are looking somewhat tattered and torn. Please handle these books with care when using them. If you have taken one home, please return it.

Congratulations to the new members of our Catholic faith. They are: Aric Klemke, Trampas Belknap, Shavona Kerkow, Cassandra Kay and Calvin Nixon II.

Have a great week!

Liturgical Ministers for Apr 18-19, 2015

Sat, 5:30 pm:

Sacristan-B Reading

Servers-L Kahl, M Pelton

Proclaimer-R Bauer

Leader-C Abegglen

Euch Min-R Keene, W Keen, L Kallhoff, C Baehler, M Baehler

Greeters-J Gardner, A Gardner, D Eitemiller, J Abegglen

Music-P Chasek, Fr. Tim, Volunteers

Sun, 9:00 am:

Sacristan-D Paris

Servers-M Rischling, L Tiensvold

Proclaimer-A Curd

Leader-C Janssen

Euch Min-J Calamari, T Calamari, L Mathis, G Klein, N Dobesh

Greeters-B Tiensvold, L Tiensvold, L Tiensvold, S Katen

Crestview-J Songco

Hosp/Prairie Pines-C Schrack

Music-P Chasek, E Klein, T Calamari

Gluten-Free Hosts—If you have celiac disease and are required to be on a gluten-free diet, please see Fr. Tim before Mass so a gluten-free host may be consecrated for you at Communion.

The Welcoming Committee will be serving refreshments after Masses on the weekend of April 18-19. Mike & Kathy Hinman, Dave & Dena Paris will be hosting. Please plan to stay and visit. After the 5:30 Mass, we will also serve cake in appreciation and recognition of Bill Cebula. We would like to thank him for his positive influence in the community of Chadron, St. Patrick's and Pine Ridge. He will be greatly missed!

Cleaning Schedules

We'll be having spring cleaning of the church Saturday, April 18, 8:00 am. Please come and help!

Church Window Cleaning for the month of April:

Kris Vahrenkamp

Sunday Offering: Contributions *needed* weekly to meet

budget: \$6,000 (4-05) Easter: \$8,674.86; Online: \$1,260.00; Bldg: \$320.00; Children: \$78.75; Dioc Appl: \$1,465.00; Holy Land: \$780.00; Rice B: \$477.65

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Baptisms—Emily Ann Cullan, daughter of Shane and Melissa Cullan and Harper AnnMarie Plooster, daughter of Tony and Haley Plooster were baptized recently at St. Patrick's. Congratulations to all!!

Inspirational

Social Ministry Quote: "Jesus is risen; there is hope for you; you are no longer in the power of sin, of evil! Love has triumphed, mercy has been victorious! The mercy of God always triumphs!" Pope Francis

Next Sunday's Readings ~ 3rd Sunday of Easter, April 19, 2015
~ Acts 3:13-15,17-19 (Culpable Ignorance) 1John 2:1-5 (Fruitful Knowledge) Luke 24:35-48 (Understanding the Scriptures)

Adult Bible Study—St. Patrick's will be running a study program for all adults called **A Biblical Walk Through the Mass**. If you've ever wondered why we say what we say and do what we do during the Liturgy, this is the study for you! You will go deep into the Scriptural roots of the Mass, and see the beauty and riches unfold before your eyes like never before. This 4 session study is based on the new translation of the Mass. We will meet April 19 through May 10 (Sundays 7:30 am—8:45 am) in the media room. We are placing an order for the study kits April 8 (text and workbook). If you are interested in the class and would like to order your kit, please call Cathy Smith, 430-4749 or St. Patrick's, 432-2626. If you would like to research the study, check out: <http://guidetothemass.com/information/new-translation/3/study-program-bible-biblical-faith>.

Divine Mercy Sunday—Join us at St. Patrick's April 12, in the Holy Family Chapel, to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday at 1:30 pm. On February 22, 1931, Jesus appeared to Sr. Faustina with rays radiating from His heart and said, "Paint an image according to the pattern you see, with the signature: Jesus I trust in You." During the course of Jesus' revelations to Saint Faustina on the Divine Mercy He asked on numerous occasions that a feast day be dedicated to the Divine Mercy and that this feast be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. "I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy." **The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.** Please search the site below, to learn more about "The Divine Mercy." This site also includes The Divine Mercy Novena, which begins Good Friday and ends Divine Mercy Sunday. There are also instructions on how to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. <https://www.ewtn.com/devotionals/mercy/index.htm>.

Mass at Our Lady of the Sioux—All those interested in attending Our Lady of the Sioux Mass next Sunday, April 19 in Oglala, please meet in St. Patrick's parking lot at 7:45 am.

THIS WEEK

- Sun** 9:00 AM— Mass [Zeimens Family]
11:00 AM—First Communion Mass [First Communicants]
1:30 PM—Divine Mercy Prayer Service in the chapel
6:00 PM—Knights of Columbus meet
- Mon** No Mass
8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center
- Tue** 5:30 PM—Communion Service
- Wed** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Sheldon & +Betty Snelson]
5:30 PM—Pre-6th Religious Formation classes
7:00 PM—7th-11th Religious Formation classes
- Thu** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Grace Chase]
8:00 PM – AA (open), in the parish center
- Fri** 10:00AM—Mass at Prairie Pines [+Jerry Malone]
- Sat** 8:00 AM—Spring cleaning of the church. Help is needed!
4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation
5:30 PM—Mass [Parishioners]
8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
- Sun** 9:00 AM—Mass [+Bill & +Don Tyree]
10:15 AM—Parish Council meets
10:30 AM—Confirmation practice

Knights of Columbus News

- Saturday, April 25, 4th Degree Knights for Confirmation, 5:30 pm Mass

Parish Health Notes—Colorectal cancer is the fourth most common cancer in the United States and the second leading cause of death from cancer. Colorectal cancer affects all racial and ethnic groups and is most often found in people ages 50 and older. You may also be at higher risk if you smoke, or have a family history of colorectal cancer. The best way to prevent colorectal cancer is to get screened regularly starting at age 50. There are often no signs or symptoms of colorectal cancer—that’s why it’s so important to get screened. If everyone age 50 and older were screened regularly, 6 out of 10 deaths from colorectal cancer could be prevented. www.healthfinder.gov.

Luncheon Meeting—The Chadron Christian Connection luncheon meeting will be April 14 at 11:30 am at the Country Kitchen restaurant. Guest speaker will be Deb Riggs from Whitney. The title of her talk is, “Seeds of Love.” She moved to Whitney 21 years ago with a brown thumb and considers herself “still green.” Deb and her husband Myron farm near Whitney. Special music will be by Terry Cunningham from Chadron. Special feature will be The Little Ladybug “Fairy Garden”, by Karen Runkle from Hay Springs. For reservations please contact Darlene at 432-5432 or by email at yantzi@gpcom.net no later than 5 pm Saturday, April 11. Complimentary nursery is available by reservation and first time

Birthright—Starting today, April 12, Birthright of Chadron will begin their annual Baby Bottle Campaign. Birthright will provide baby bottles for parishioners to take home. All you do is fill the bottle with your donation of coins or any other monetary donation and return the bottle by Sunday, May 3. The money will be used in this community to provide practical assistance and emotional support of those facing an unexpected pregnancy. Your spare change could make the difference in a little one’s future!

Pro Life—“We call for the repeal of the death penalty in our state.” From a March 2015 statement by Archbishop George J. Lucas, Bishop James D. Conley, Bishop William J. Dendinger. To get involved in efforts to repeal the death penalty, contact www.nadp.net.

Religious Formation News

Pre—6th Grade Faith Formation Information

Congratulations to our 7 students who will complete their First Communion this weekend. Caden Buskirk, Brady Daniels, Rylie Griffis, Trey Hendrickson, Braydon Landreth, Creighton Ryan and Joshua Smith.

May your First Communion be an open door to a lifetime of love with Jesus. God’s blessing on your special day.
“...this do in remembrance of me.” Luke 22:19

April 15—class
April 22—last class
April 29—picnic, 6 pm

7th—10th Grade Faith Formation Information

We are upon the final stretch of Faith Formation classes for the year. The final two classes will be held on April 15 and 22. The end of the year picnic will be held on the 29th at 6 pm. All grade levels will be invited to attend. We will wrap up around 8. Food items are assigned by grade level. Check the website and you may also look in the gathering area for more details.

A parent meeting will be held for the parents of all current 10th grade students on the 15th of April. We will be going over expectations for the confirmation program. Please attend with your child.

A parent, sponsor and candidate meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 22 at 7 pm in the church. We will practice for Confirmation and the candidates will have their final interviews with Fr. Tim.

Water is welcome in all Faith Formation classrooms. Pop, coffee and any other colored beverages are strongly discouraged. Food items are not allowed in the classrooms either. Thank you for your cooperation in the matter. Questions or comments can be addressed by Kaci.


Check out the Religious Education bulletin board in the gathering area for updates and important information. REMIND 101 Numbers are posted here!!!

Fund raising efforts have begun for all students who are interested in attending The National Catholic Youth Conference in November and a Higher Ground retreat this summer. Contact Kaci for more details. I am also in need of parents to help organize fund raisers.

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ADDRESS _____

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