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## PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Pre-register, 432-2626

## WEEKEND MASSES:

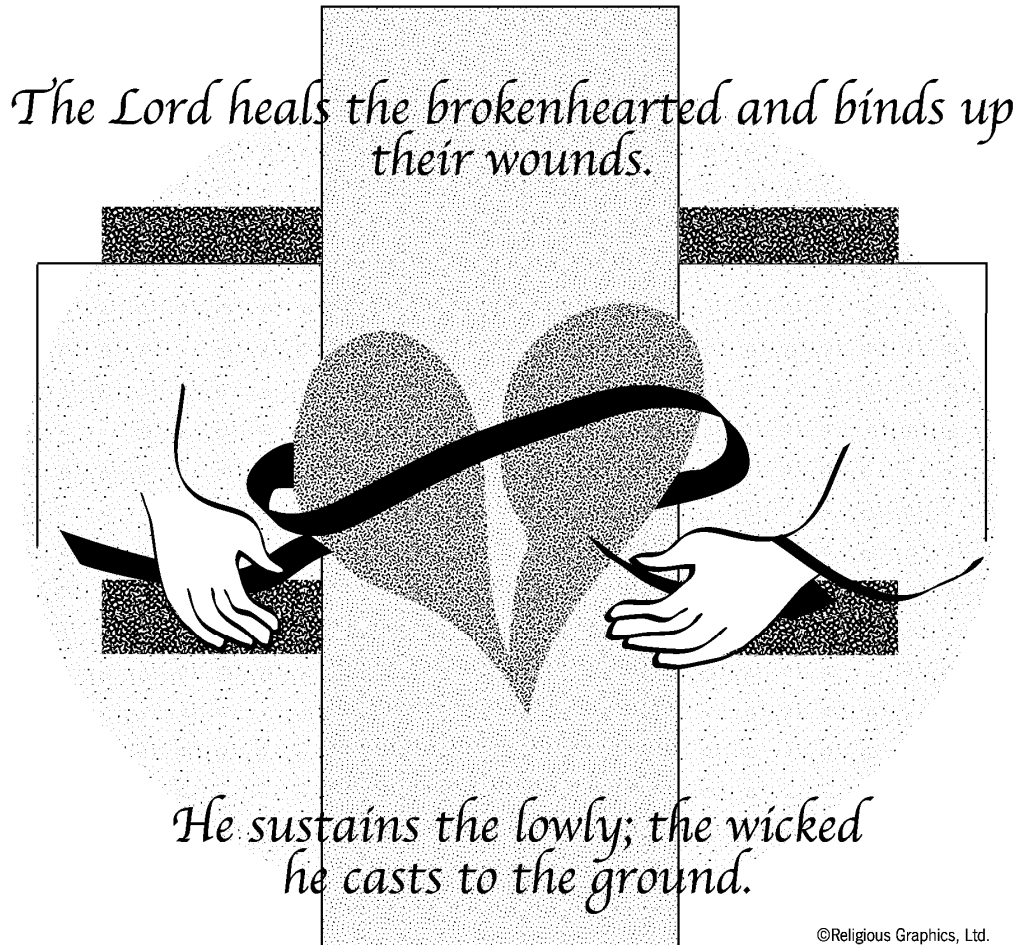
Saturday, 5:30 pm  
Sunday, 9:00 am

## 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](http://www.MassTimes.org)



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Fifth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

February 8, 2015

Let us thank the Lord  
for his mercy!

**FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM:** Mark's "day in the life of Jesus" moves from the synagogue at Capernaum to the home of Simon and Andrew where Simon's mother-in-law is healed. After tea, crowds gather and the healings continue. In the morning, Jesus sets off on his preaching mission, announcing that "this is why I have come."

As Jesus begins his mission in life, we begin ours as well. Where is Jesus calling us to go? What do we need to do to make this journey in faith fruitful?

We are in the midst of a "flu" season. Many people are afflicted with this illness. I ask that we refrain from holding hands during the "Our Father" for the next several weeks so that we do not expose ourselves too readily to this illness. Stay alert and keep yourselves healthy.

Our renovation in the Arena kitchen is going well. We have Ducks Unlimited Banquet on Saturday, February 21 in the Arena. We should have the kitchen completed by then.

Remember, next weekend we make our commitments to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Pray about what you can contribute to your obligation to the Appeal.

As we honor our Scouts this weekend, tell them how proud you are of them. It is a great way to learn what it is to be a worthy leader in our community and parish.

Have a great week!

### **Liturgical Ministers for Feb 14-15, 2015**

**Sat, 5:30 pm:**

**Sacristan**-B Reading

**Servers**-T Ryan, C Ryan

**Proclaimer**-M Lane

**Leader**-

**Euch Min**-B Scheopner, R Keene, W Keene, S Maloney, A Lane

**Greeters**-R Koza, K Koza, S Schiaffo, J Ramm

**Music**-P Chasek, S White

**Sun, 9:00 am:**

**Sacristan**-D Paris

**Servers**-M Pelton, L Kahl

**Proclaimer**-C Kuskie

**Leader**-A Curd

**Euch Min**-K Swinney, C Baehler, J Calamari, T Calamari, N Dobesh

**Greeters**-B Tiensvold, L Tiensvold, L Tiensvold, M Morse

**Crestview**-J Cortney

**Hosp/Prairie Pines**-C Stacy

**Music**-P Chasek, D Kuskie

**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.

### **Cleaning Schedules**

#### **Church Cleaning for Main Sanctuary,**

Saturday, February 14 (or whenever convenient during the week): K of C—Russ Bohnenkamp, Don Huls, Bryan Enos

#### **Church Window Cleaning for the month of February:**

Kris Vahrenkamp

#### **Sunday Offering: Contributions needed weekly to meet**

**budget: \$6,000** (2-1) Reg: \$4,693.28; Online: \$915.00;

Bldg: \$190.00; Children: \$17.50

**Thank You for Your Generosity!**

**Donations needed**—If you would like to contribute to the renovation of the Arena kitchen for items such as a garbage disposal, refrigerator, faucets for the sink, please drop your donation in the offering basket and designate it as going to the Arena kitchen.

Thank you!

**Baptisms**—Rylie Griffis Woodward and Baylor Elizabeth Woodward, daughters of Steven and Daci Woodward, were baptized recently at St. Patrick's. Congratulations to all!

### **Inspirational**

**Social Ministry Quote:** "God is present in moments of rest and can give us in a single instant exactly what we need. Then the rest of the day can take its course, under the same effort and strain, perhaps, but in peace." St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)

### **Next Sunday's Readings ~ 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time,**

*February 15, 2015 ~* Leviticus 13:1-2,44-46 (Law of Leprosy) 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1 (All for God's Glory) Mark 1:40-45 (Gratitude)

### **Right to Life**

"Even if the forces of darkness appear to prevail, those who believe in God know that evil and death do not have the final say." —Pope Saint John Paul II, General Audience, September 12, 2001 © 2001 Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission.

**Sister Parish**—Please be sure to check out the latest newsletter and pictures sent to us by our sister parish, Our Lady of the Sioux in Oglala, SD. They are on the bulletin board just outside the Sacristy door in the church.

**Flu Season**—With the flu season upon us, we request everyone use common sense health measures to minimize the spread of germs. When attending Mass, you may wish to reduce the possibility of sickness by choosing not to shake hands during the Sign of Peace or drink from the Communion cup. While our customary Sign of Peace is a handshake, a smile and nod of the head can convey the same sentiment. Receiving the Precious Body during Mass places a person in full communion, whether or not you choose to drink the Precious Blood. Exercising good judgment and respecting personal choices will go a long way towards maintaining the health of every parishioner.

**Luncheon Meeting**—The Chadron Christian Connection luncheon meeting will be February 10 at 11:30 am at the Country Kitchen restaurant. Guest speaker will be Pastor Paul Smith from Hay Springs. The title of his talk is "Keepin' It Real." He is a United Methodist pastor at Hay Springs. He and his wife Deb have five daughters and four grandchildren. Paul is a cowboy's cowboy, he is an auctioneer, plays guitar, sings and has written cowboy poetry. Special music will be John Barnum, from Chadron. Special feature will be Adele Huls, dietician from Chadron, featuring "A Healthy Heart". For reservations please contact Darlene at 432-5432 or by email at yantzi@gpcom.net no later than 5 pm Saturday, February 7. Complimentary nursery is available by reservation and first time guests are free.

## THIS WEEK

**Sun** 7:30 AM—Great Adventure Bible Timeline Bible Study  
9:00 AM—Mass [Parishioners] Scout Sunday  
10:30 AM—Confirmation meeting  
6:00 PM—Knights of Columbus meet

**Mon** No Mass  
8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center

**Tue** 5:30 PM—Mass [+Jim Wilburn]  
6:30 PM—Religious Ed Board meeting

**Wed** 7:30 AM—Mass [Cogdill Family]  
5:30 PM—Great Adventure Bible Timeline Bible Study  
5:30 PM—Pre-6th Religious Formation classes  
6:00 PM—Liturgy Committee meeting  
7:00 PM—7th-11th Religious Formation classes

**Thu** 7:30 AM—Mass [Deb Mann]  
7:00 PM— RCIA  
8:00 PM – AA (open), in the parish center

**Fri** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Fr. Jake Bauer]

**Sat** 4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation  
5:30 PM—Mass [Zeimens Family]  
8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center

## Religious Formation News

Registration for Going Bananas for Jesus is due by February 15. Please contact Kaci or go online and print out registration forms. Thank you.

Altar server shirts have arrived! They may be purchased on the Faith Formation Website or after Masses. Cost is \$15. Sizes include YM, YL and AS. If larger sizes are needed, they can be ordered.

Any volunteers interested in contributing their time and talent to a youth fundraising committee is encouraged to contact Kaci at the office or sign up on the Faith Formation webpage. Registration and payment deadlines are quickly approaching. HELP PLEASE!!

Volunteers are needed to help out in the Religious Education classrooms!! Your presence shows the youth how important faith is to all of us. You do not have to lead lessons, sing or dance. Just being present in the same space makes an impact. If you are willing to be present, please come forward.

Service hours are required for 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th grade confirmation students. If you have any projects that are in need of helping hands, don't wait any longer. Contact Kaci.

If your child is going to be absent from class, please call the office. If there is no answer, please leave a message. Parents are contacted if students are not accounted for. This is not done to drive you crazy. We do not want to assume that your child is safe with you, and you to think they are at class if, in fact, they are somewhere else. We want to ensure the safety of all youth. Thank you for your support in this matter.

We need more people to volunteer to be on the Confirmation team. Confirmation classes are held Sunday afternoons. I can get you a schedule or check online at the Faith Formation webpage.

Ash Wednesday is February 18. Mass times are 7:15 am and 6 pm. Please discuss the season of Lent with your children. We will have Rice Bowls in classrooms for kids to contribute to. Thank you for your support.


Just a reminder that there is not class on Wednesday, Feb. 18 due to Ash Wednesday. Please attend Mass with your child at 6 pm.

There has also been a class schedule change for March. There is NO class on March 4, as there is a communal penance service in the church at 7 pm. There will be class on March 11.

**Box Tops for Education**—Please place Box Tops for Education in the offering basket. We will distribute them to the schools. Thank you!

**Medjugorge**—Pilgrimage to Medjugorge, accompanied by Fr. Gerald Harr, September 17-26. Informational meeting will be at Christ the King church basement in Gering, Tuesday, February 12, 7 pm. Unable to attend, call group leader, Nives Jelich, 308-765-0705, organizers, Nancy Newton, 308-631-7335, or Reenie Berry, 308-436-7304 or 308-641-9358. Other meetings scheduled: Alliance Holy Rosary, Feb. 15, 9 am; Sidney St. Patrick's, March 22, 10:15 am; Chadron St. Patrick's, March 1, 10 am. Please come to a meeting closest to your town.

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NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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         Interested in learning more:             The Catholic Faith             Annulment Process             Baptism             Marriage

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