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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



Fourth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

January 31, 2016

We give thanks for you Holy
Name, O Lord!

FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM: This Wednesday evening Bishop Hanefeldt will be joining us with several other parishes in the area to discuss various items about parish life and the upcoming Appeal.

Stewardship is a comprehensive response of a missionary disciple to God's enduring love for all of us. This year's Annual Stewardship Appeal is a more comprehensive invitation to practice stewardship in our parishes.

The year's Appeal will be called: *The Diocesan Stewardship Appeal: A Campaign for Your Soul.*

This Wednesday evening the Bishop will be with us for a listening session that includes the people of our parishes talking about the life of the Church from their perspectives. We will meet in the Assumption Arena on Wednesday evening, February 3 at 7 pm. All are invited to attend.

Welcome home, Riley! Riley Stack is our new Newman House Director. He is available to the students of CSC who use the Newman House for many different ministries, meals, prayer and gatherings. Whether it is campus, community or parish, Newman is a vital part of our staff and working with the students! Take the opportunity to stop by Newman and say "hi" and welcome Riley in his ministry to Newman.

Have a great week!!

Liturgical Ministers for February 6-7, 2016

Sat, 5:30 pm:

Servers-C Ryan, T Ryan

Sacristan-B Scheopner

Proclaimer-K Swinney

Leader-C Abegglen

Euch Min-K Drinkwalter, S Maloney, M Baehler, A Baehler, C Kuskie

Greeters-TD Menke, M Menke, R Menke, M Cullan

Music-P Chasek, D Kuskie

Sun, 9:00 am:

Servers-A Smith, J Smith

Sacristan-

Proclaimer-D Smith

Leader-L Uhlir

Euch Min-J Sellman, L Jamison, K Heiting, B Bolek, C Rasmussen

Greeters-G Klein, S Smith, J Sellman, T Heiting

Crestview-J Songco

Hosp/Prairie Pines-G Fickel

Music-P Chasek, E Klein, T Calamari

Cleaning Schedules

Church Cleaning for Main Sanctuary,

Saturday, February 6 (or whenever convenient during the week):

Linda Hollibaugh, Julie Bohnenkamp, Rosemarie Blanco

Church Window Cleaning for the month of February:

We have no one available

Sunday Offering: Contributions needed weekly to meet budget:

\$6,000 (1-24) Reg: \$4,471.55; Online: \$65.00; Bldg: \$0.00;

Children: \$33.00; Lat Am: \$324.00

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Special Offering—Thank you for your generous donations to the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Your support helps ensure that people have adequate catechesis, marriage and family life programs, and strong religious and seminarian formation among other programs. Thank you for taking this opportunity to share your faith.

Thank you—With much gratitude and appreciation, we extend a warm thanks to Bob and Pat Bauerkemper for their generous contribution for the new security door to the Parish Center.

Year-end Financial Statements—You should be receiving your 2015 financial statements in the mail this coming week. If you do not receive yours or if you find an error or have any questions, please call the parish office, 432-2626.

Prayer Line – If you have a prayer request, please call Darlene Yantzi, 432-5432; Mary Baehler, 432-4994.

R.I.P. Please remember in your prayers Tammy Calamari's mom and Sheryl Marchant who passed away recently.

Inspirational

Social Ministry Quote: "Every moment and event of every person's life plants something in the soul. For just as the wind carries thousands of seeds, so each moment brings with it seeds of spiritual vitality that come to rest in the minds and wills of people. Most of these seeds perish because we are not prepared to receive them: for such seeds as these cannot spring up anywhere except in the good soil of freedom, spontaneity and love." ~Thomas Merton

Next Sunday's Readings ~ *5th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 7, 2016* ~ Isaiah 6:1-2,3-8 (Call of Isaiah) 1Corinthians 15:1-11 (Content of Good News) Luke 5:1-11 (Call of Peter)

Pro-Life—January 22 was the 43rd anniversary of U.S. Supreme Court's ruling legalizing abortion during all nine months of pregnancy. The U.S. Bishops have designated this time for recognizing these violations to the dignity of human life. Please offer prayers and penances for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and attend Mass to pray for an end to this atrocity.

During those 43 years 184,178 babies have been killed by abortion in Nebraska alone. Nationally, there have been over 57 million aborted. Thankfully, the number of abortions in Nebraska in 2015 was down by 11%. Know that your efforts are changing hearts and saving lives!

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible! If you would like to have a deeper relationship with God and a better understanding of your faith, then join us for *Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible*. You will not only benefit personally from being part of this study; you will also help to bring about a profound renewal in our parish as we grow closer to Christ. St. Patrick's will begin *Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible* on Wednesday, February 17 at 5:30 pm. For more information or to sign up contact Charla Marchant at the parish office, 432-2626.

Sisters Against Human Trafficking—*Alert.* February 8 is the feast day of St. Josephine Bakhita, a Sudanese girl who was enslaved at the age of 7 and named Bakhita, "Fortunate One", by her captor. She experienced the physical and moral humiliations of slavery. St. Bakhita, canonized in 2000, is considered the patroness of kidnapped and trafficked children. Pray to St. Bakhita to protect children, especially those who are exploited for sex or labor. For resources, visit: sistersagainstrafficking.org. Ending Slavery is everyone's work.

THIS WEEK

Sun	7:30 AM—James Bible Study 9:00 AM—Mass [Benefactors] Registration for Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible Bible Study
Mon	No Mass 8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center
Tue	5:30 PM—Mass [+Jim Wilburn]
Wed	7:30 AM—Mass [Mila Roberts] 5:30 PM—Pre-6th Religious Formation 7:00 PM—7th-10th Religious Formation 7:00 PM—Confirmation class 7:00 PM—Listening session with Bishop Hanefeldt in the Arena
Thu	7:30 AM—Mass [+Bob & +Arlene Miller] Communion calls to shut-ins 6:30 PM—Bible Timeline Bible Study 8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
Fri	10:00 AM—Mass at Prairie Pines [+Chuck Cogdill]
Sat	4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation 5:30 PM—Mass [Parishioners] 8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
Sun	7:30 AM—James Bible Study 9:00 AM—Mass [+Fr. Ed Cortney]

Knights of Columbus News

- Sunday, February 21—Regular meeting at 6 pm
- Sunday, March 13—Regular meeting at 6 pm

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship—The Knights held their local free throw competition this past Sunday. Thank you to the following Knights for assisting with the project: Joel Smith, Lorin Kuhnle, Roger Goffena, John Cortney, John Navaro, Nick Dobesh, Corey Sorenson, Jim Gardner, Bob Zahm and our chairman Bryan Enos. Our local winners will be moving on to District competition in Alliance in February.

Knight of The Year and Family of the Year Awards—The Knight of the Year is Bryan Enos and the Family of the Year honor goes to the Joel and Kathy Smith family. Bryan attends nearly all KC functions and events and is also active with our chartered Scout program. The Smith family has been extremely active in our Church serving in the men's choir, altar servers, greeters and adult religious education programs. Joel joined the Knights of Columbus this past fall. Congratulations to Bryan and the Smiths!

Knights' Pizza Party—A fun time was had by all those who attended the Knights' after-holidays-make-your-own-pizza party. A big thanks to all for your help in preparation and clean up. ~ Tom Yeradi

Fish Fry—During the Lenten Season St. John the Baptist church in Crawford will be having its annual fish fry Feb. 19, 26, March 4, 11, 18 at 5:30 to 7 pm. \$8 for adults, \$5 for children. Please come and enjoy the food.

Retreat—A Lenten Retreat at Benedictine Peace Center—In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, our call is to be *Building a Church of Mercy; Being a People of Compassion*. This Lenten retreat will be held at the Benedictine Peace Center of Sacred Heart Monastery, Yankton, on Saturday, February 13, from 9 am to noon. Drawing from Scriptural parables of mercy, conferences will highlight Pope Francis' call to be a people marked by mercy and compassion. The suggested offering is \$15. For more information, go to www.yanktonbenedictines.org/lenten-retreat. To register, email benedictinepeacectr@mtmc.edu or call 605-668-6292. Registration requested by February 10.

Magnificat Brunch—Saturday, February 27, 9 am—noon, Holy Rosary Lyceum, 916 Cheyenne Ave, Alliance (on 9th St.) Lorene Agnes (Van Anne) Berry, featured speaker, known as Reenie, was born and raised in a large Catholic family on a farm near Dalton, Nebraska. She was baptized, confirmed and married at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Dalton, attended University of Northern Colorado and taught Elementary Special Education for 41 years in Gering. She and her husband Nolan have two children, Stephanie Gifford and David Berry, who have blessed them with grandchildren, ages five to eleven. For over 40 years, she has been an active member of Christ the King Catholic Church and a member of the Ladies Guild. She served on the Parish Council and taught CCD for 26 years until she became ill in 2003. She helped a Marian Prayer Group, a Friday morning Rosary and Holy Hour, she shared the story of Medjugorje throughout the panhandle, including Going Bananas. Retired in 2013, she now organizes and plans Camp Scott, a five-week summer program for handicapped children.

"Ask and it will be given to you; search and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you." Matthew 7:7

Reservations required. For reservations contact either Teresa or Candis: Teresa Nelson, 1044 Yellowstone Ave, Alliance, NE 69301, 308-762-1368, cell 308-760-3070, turts@charter.net; Candis Jones, 1039 Mississippi Ave, Alliance, NE 69301, 308-762-5103, cljones@bbc.net. Send check or money order for \$10. Reservation deadline is February 19, 2016.

Marriage Encounter—For Valentine's Day, consider giving your spouse a gift that will last all year long—attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Register now to attend the upcoming WWME Weekend February 12-14 in Lincoln. This is a great way to increase communication and build better marriages. We need to change the world and keep marriages strong as God had intended. For more information or to register visit www.wwme.org or contact Gerald and Jolene Felber at 402-669-6927 or email wwwme.nereg@yahoo.com.

11 Days "Jubilee Pilgrimage to Italy." Come along November 8-18, 2016, to celebrate the "Jubilee Year" of the Catholic Church and our "Year of Mercy." We'll visit several historical and sacred sites, including Venice, Padua, Florence, Assisi, Siena, Rome and more. While in Rome, we will attend a Papal Audience. We'll have Mass in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$3,399 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, PO Box 658, Cherokee, IA 51012 or call 712-225-4606 or email frdanguenther@gmail.com.

Luncheon Meeting—The Chadron Christian Connection luncheon meeting will be February 9 at 11:30 am at the Country Kitchen restaurant. Our speaker is Deb Smith from Hay Springs. She taught elementary and special education in Payallup, Washington. In 2013 she and her two daughters moved back to Hot Springs, SD. She married her Christian cowboy Paul Smith who is pastor of the Hay Springs, Rushville United Methodist Churches. Together Deb and Paul have five daughters and five grandchildren. Special music will be Terry Cunningham of Chadron. Special Feature will be Dr. Erich Landen, chiropractor and acupuncture clinic of Chadron. For reservations please contact Darlene at 432-5432 or by email at yantzi@gpcom.net no later than 5 pm Saturday, February 6. Complimentary nursery is available by reservation and first time guests are free.

Foster Parent Training—We have a wonderful opportunity to help the children in crisis in our community. The Nebraska Foster and Adoptive Parent Association (NFAPA) has agreed to have a Foster Parent Pre-Service Training in Chadron starting February 15, 2016. The Pre-Service Training lasts 10 weeks. To enroll in these classes please contact NFAPA at 1-800-7-PARENT.