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Pre-register, 432-2626

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday, 5:30 pm

Sunday, 9:00 am

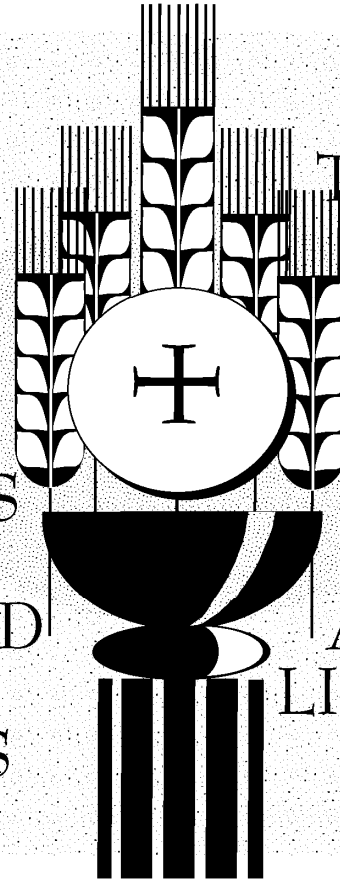
DAILY MASSES: Inside Bulletin

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

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Eighteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time

August 2, 2015

Lord, come and do not delay!

FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM: *You are Unique but Not Alone!* “You, boys and girls, ... our children, each one of you is the unique fruit of love, you come from love and you grow in love. You are unique but not alone! And the fact of having brothers and sisters is good for you: the sons and daughters of a large family are more capable of fraternal communion even from early childhood. In a world often marked by selfishness, a large family is a school of solidarity and sharing; and this attitude is to the benefit of society as a whole.” *Pope Francis’ address to the Italian Association of Large Families. December 28, 2014.* We are all God’s children, one large family.

The Dawes County Fair is coming soon. For those of you preparing for fair, be safe and good luck this year. Those of you in FFA and 4-H, be mindful of what you stand for in these organizations—Blessing to you all!!

Have a great week!

Liturgical Ministers for August 8-9, 2015

Sat, 5:30 pm:

Sacristan—N Gallegos

Proclaimer—C Kuskie

Leader—B Reading

Euch Min—J Stack, R Stack, G Fickel, S Maloney, L Kallhoff

Greeters—TD Menke, M Menke, S Cleveland, M Morse

Music—M Allberry-Horn, D Kuskie

Sun, 9:00 am:

Sacristan—A Lane

Proclaimer—L Detwiler

Leader—T Detwiler

Euch Min—K Swinney, L Jamison, T Calamari, J Calamari, C Rasmussen

Greeters—M Cullan, B Borges, A Kennedy, K Vahrenkamp

Crestview—J Songco

Hosp/Prairie Pines—K Enos

Music—P Chasek, E Klein, T Calamari

Cleaning Schedules

Church Cleaning for Main Sanctuary,

Saturday, August 8 (or whenever convenient during the week):

Kaci Swinney, Anne Hinman & Emily Hinman

Church Window Cleaning for the month of August:

Kris Vahrenkamp

Sunday Offering: Contributions needed weekly to meet

budget: \$6,000 (7-26) Reg: \$6,195.19; Online: \$75.00;

Bldg: \$450.00; Children: \$27.00; Dioc Appl: \$125.00

Thank You for Your Generosity!

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.

Wedding—Austen & Ashley (Riesen) Stephens were recently married at St. Patrick’s. Congratulations!

Anniversary—Gene & Betty Sanchez are celebrating 50 years of marriage! Best wishes!

Prayer Requests

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

R.I.P. John Howard and Dan Wild’s mother died recently. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

Inspirational

Social Ministry Quote: “We can never arrive at the contemplative life if we do not first exercise ourselves laboriously in the active life.” ~St. Phillip Neri

Next Sunday’s Readings ~ *19th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 9* ~ 1Kings 19:4-8 (Supernatural Food) Ephesians 4:30-5:2 (Imitating God’s Goodness) John 6:41-51 (Jesus, Living Bread)

Pope Francis & Religious Freedom—“When, in the name of an ideology, there is an attempt to remove God from society, it ends up adoring idols, and very soon men and women lose their way, their dignity is trampled and their rights violated.” - Sept 23, 2014

Financial Help— Interested in help with finances, getting out of debt or ways to save for the future? St. Patrick’s will be hosting a Dave Ramsey Financial Peace University class starting September 8 at 6:30 pm at the Parish Center. The course is a 9 week course and the cost is \$99 per household for the kit. Scholarship may be available. For more information, contact Charla at the office.

Marriage

Marriage Saving—Two Weeks to Sign up for Retrouvaille—

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about, or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on August 21-23, call 1-888-317-5654 or www.retrouvailleorg on the web.

St. Pat’s Part-time Maintenance Person Needed—Seeking an individual to work 20-25 hrs a week helping with maintenance of the church grounds and buildings. Responsibilities include: Summer maintenance: mowing, work on trees, bushes, etc, and maintain grounds; winter: snow removal—on Sunday must be done by 8:30 am, by 4:30 pm on Saturday; all year the Arena must be kept clean and ready for activities. This includes the Pine Room, kitchen, bathrooms and gym area; schedule and coordinate all events in the Arena and Parish Center, including paperwork for all events, such as rental papers and insurance forms; odd jobs come up often: Repairs, painting, cleaning, light bulbs, etc. The Arena scheduling and the maintenance of the grounds could possibly be divided into two separate positions if need be. If interested, please contact the parish office, 432-2626.

Appreciation received—Dear Members of St. Patrick’s,

Thank you so much for donating through the baby bottle campaign to Birthright.

We appreciate your generosity and support in our efforts to reach and help mothers and their babies.

THIS WEEK

Sun	9:00 AM—Mass [Parishioners]
Mon	No Mass 8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center
Tue	5:30 PM—Mass [+George Janssen]
Wed	7:30 AM—Mass [+Chris Metzger]
Thu	7:30 AM—Mass [+Fr. Miguel Guevara] Communion calls to shut-ins 8:00 PM – AA (open), in the parish center
Fri	10:00 AM—Mass at Prairie Pines [Cogdill Family]
Sat	4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation 5:30 PM—Mass [Parishioners] 8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
Sun	9:00 AM—Mass [+John Cisneros] 5:00 PM—KC First Degree Initiation. 6:00 PM—Knights of Columbus meet

Knights of Columbus News

- Sunday, August 9—1st Degree Initiation at 5 pm. Regular meeting to follow at 6 pm
- Sunday, September 13—Officer Installation & Dinner (?) at 5 pm or regular meeting at 6 pm
- Sunday, September 20—Officer Installation & Dinner (?) at 5 pm
- Sunday, October 11—Regular meeting at 6 pm

Ogallala—Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt of Grand Island will be the featured speaker at the Magnificat Brunch hosted by the Ogallala Chapter, *Our Lady of the Harvest*, on Saturday, August 8 at Ogallala, NE at 9 am (MT). The Brunch will be served at the Quality Inn, off the I-80 exit, by Denny's.

Bishop Hanefeldt is one of four children who grew up in Center, NE, just north of Creighton. He was ordained to the priesthood at St. Ludger in Creighton on July 14, 1984, named a monsignor in 2010, and became the eighth bishop of the Diocese of Grand Island on March 19, 2015. Over the years, Bishop Hanefeldt has also served as spiritual director at Christians Encounter Christ retreats, Teens Encounter Christ retreats and for the summer program for seminarians for the Institute for Priestly Formation. He served two terms for the priest personnel board, on the priests committee for the Ignite the Faith Campaign and as a member of the Knights of Columbus, 4th degree. He enjoys photography, travel, cooking and visiting friends.

Registrations are required. Please send check for \$15.00 to Julie Sestak, Box 142, Madrid, NE 69150. Julie's phone number is 308-326-4314 or contact her by email at jsestak1971@yahoo.com. The registration deadline is Monday, August 3.

Parish Health Notes— *Walking Toward a Healthier You*

There are countless physical activities out there, but walking has the lowest dropout rate of them all! It's the simplest positive change you can make to effectively improve your health. Research indicates that walking and moderate physical activity for at least 30 minutes a day can help: *Reduce the risk of coronary heart disease *Improve blood pressure and blood sugar levels *Improve blood lipid profile *Lower the risk of obesity *Enhance mental well-being *Reduce the risk of osteoporosis *Reduce the risk of breast and colon cancer *Reduce the risk of non-insulin dependent (type 2) diabetes The benefits for such a simple activity are only a step away! www.startingwalkingnow.org.

Foster Grandparents needed—Are you 55 or over and wanting to make a difference in the life of a child? We have the perfect opportunity for you!! As a Foster Grandparent, you're a role model, mentor and friend. You help children read, provide one-on-one tutoring, and guide children at a critical time in their lives. If you qualify, you can earn a tax-free hourly stipend. You will also receive paid training, paid holidays and personal time off! To become a Foster Grandparent, please contact Senior Volunteer Services at 308-432-3393.

Religious Formation News

If you are teaching this year and if you are interested in teaching religious education classes next year, please call the office and leave your name. Thank you for your support and the sharing of your gifts.

Position Opening—The position for Faith Formation Coordinator is open for the 2015/2016 Faith Formation term.

The Coordinator for Faith Formation and Youth Ministry shall be a Catholic possessing an active faith, who is able to translate this faith into action for others by promoting Gospel values and growth in holiness. The Coordinator of Faith Formation shall be committed to serve the people of the parish in a collaborative relationship with pastor, parish staff and parents. The Coordinator of Faith Formation is responsible for overseeing, directing, developing and implementing the parish Faith Formation for our young children, pre-school through 11th grade, the sacramental programs.

This job can be a full-time position or a part-time position. If interested please contact the parish offices at 432-2626.

Adult Enrichment

RCIA: Are you interested in learning more about Catholicism? Do you have friends, family members, acquaintances, interested in joining the Catholic Faith, or have fallen away from the faith and wanting to learn more about the Church?

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), is a program designed to help non-Catholics and non-practicing Catholics learn more about Catholicism through a series of classes, discussions, prayer times and ceremonies. There is no obligation to join the church, but the opportunity to do so is there.

This program is open to anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. If you are not yet sure whether you want to become Catholic, you are still welcome to participate as you make your decision.


RCIA is a mix of praying, learning facts, discussing how these apply to our lives, participating in prayerful rites, and most importantly, using all these experiences to build and grow in a relationship with God.

Classes will begin in September. If interested, call the parish office, 432-2626.

You're Invited—Outward Bound and Higher Ground Retreats Reunion and 50th Anniversary Celebration! Sunday, August 9, 3:30-9:30CST, St Patrick's Parish, 415 N Chestnut, North Platte, Cost: \$7. For more information: youth@gidiocese.org, 308-532-2702, youthgidiocese.weebly.com. Please join us!

Luncheon Meeting—The Chadron Christian Connection luncheon meeting will be August 11 at 11:30 am at the Country Kitchen restaurant. Guest speaker will be Marge McPeak from Gordon. She was raised going to Sunday School and singing, "Jesus Loves Me." Many years later one hot summer day, watching her toddlers in the backyard, her life was changed forever. God is in the business of making that which is dead come back to life and taking the ashes of life and turning them to beauty. Come, taste and see that the Lord is good and He can do the impossible in your life too! Special music will be by music teacher, Beth Jungck, from Hay Springs. A Special Feature, Becky Miller from Chadron presenting Thirty One Gifts. For reservations please contact Darlene at 432-5432 or by email at yantzi@gpcom.net no later than 5 pm Saturday, August 8. Complimentary nursery is available by reservation and first time guests are free.

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NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

 New Parishioner Student New Address New Phone Moving, please remove from list
 Interested in learning more: The Catholic Faith Annulment Process Baptism Marriage

Offering Envelopes? Yes No Other Needs _____