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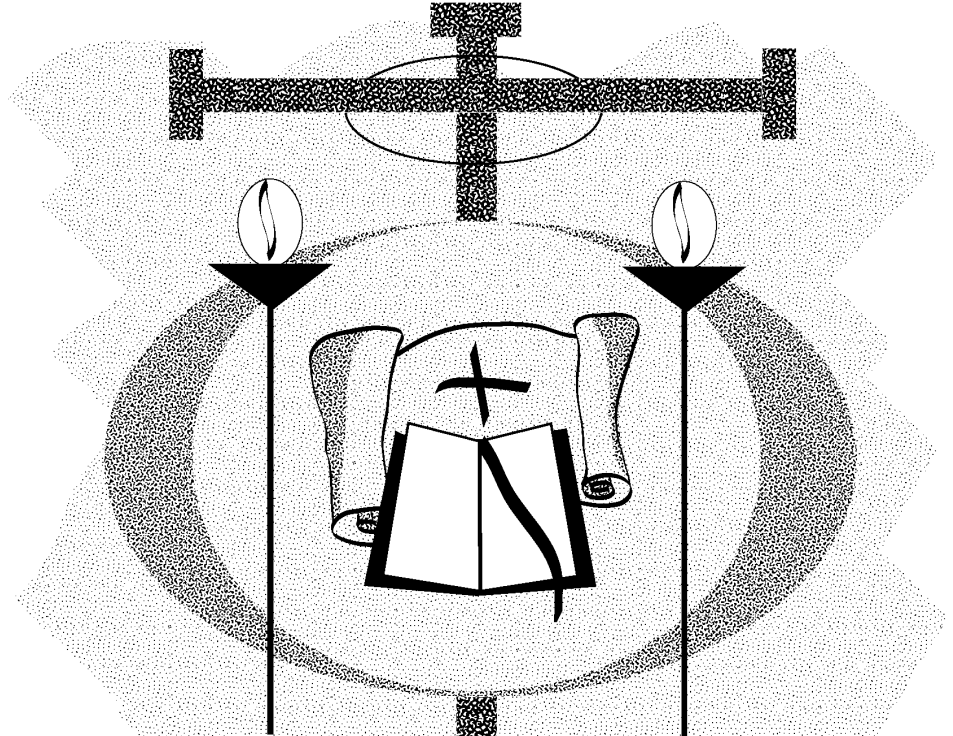
Saturday, 5:30 pm
Sunday, 9:00 am

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



*LORD, you have the words
of everlasting life.
they are more precious than gold.*

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Third Sunday
of Lent

March 8, 2015

My eyes are always on the Lord!

FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM: This past Wednesday evening we celebrated our Communal Penance Service. Thank you to all who participated in the celebration. For those of you who could not make it, confessions are scheduled on Saturdays from 4 until 4:30 pm and on Holy Week confessions are: Monday, March 30, 5:15 to 6:15 pm; Tuesday, March 31, 6 to 7 pm; Wednesday, April 1, 6 to 7 pm. **NO CONFESIONS** on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, or Holy Saturday.

The Assumption Arena kitchen is 99% done! There are a lot of people to thank for making this happen. But for now I just want to thank all of you who participated and worked so hard. Many positive and happy remarks have been made by parishioners and the community. We'll put a formal thank you in the bulletin later.

Remember to pray for our Catechumens as they continue their journey to the Easter Vigil where they will become members of the Catholic Faith. Pray for our Confirmation candidates and our 2nd graders who will make the First Communion this spring.

Have a great week!

Liturgical Ministers for Mar 14-15, 2015

Sat, 5:30 pm:

Sacristan-N Gallegos

Servers-T White, L Kahl

Proclaimer-B Reading

Leader-C Ambrose

Euch Min-B Enos, C Marchant, M Baehler, K Drinkwalter, L Drinkwalter

Greeters-A Gardner, J Gardner, S Cleveland, J Ramm

Music-P Chasek, Fr. Tim, Volunteers

Sun, 9:00 am:

Sacristan-K Swinney

Servers-L Tiensvold, M Rischling

Proclaimer-H Kent

Leader-C Kuskie

Euch Min-L Rischling, K Pope, N Dobesh, L Mathis, R Horse

Greeters-L Tiensvold, B Tiensvold, L Tiensvold, S Rischling

Crestview-C Baehler

Hosp/Prairie Pines-G Fickel

Music-P Chasek, D Chasek

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, March 14 (or whenever convenient during the week): K of C—Randy Bauer, Bob Zahm, Steve Cleveland

Church Window Cleaning for the month of March:

Stachia Reuwsaat

Sunday Offering: Contributions needed weekly to meet

budget: \$6,000 (3-01) Reg: \$7,839.05; Online: \$1,100.00;

Bldg: \$875.00; Children: \$19.50; Dioc Appl: \$4,515.00

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Special Offering—Next week, our parish will take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection. This collection supports six Catholic agencies that touch more than 100 million lives around the world. The funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and Christ's love and respect to all people. Next week, please give generously to the Catholic Relief Services Collection and *help Jesus in disguise*.

Prayer Requests

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

Practical ways to observe Lent—Fast from the Internet or social media one day each week.

Inspirational

Social Ministry Quote: “True peace is born of doing the will of God and bearing with patience the sufferings of this life. It does not come from following one’s own whim or selfish desire.” **St. John XXIII**

Next Sunday’s Readings ~ 4th Sunday of Lent, March 15, 2015 ~ 2Chronicles (Punishment for Infidelity) Ephesians 2:4-10 (God’s Gift: Salvation) John 3:14-21 (Salvation in Christ)

“Old Fashioned” movie—Please call the Eagle Theater, 432-2342, and request the movie, “Old Fashioned”, a film that offers chivalry and chastity—the antithesis of “Shades of Grey!!” [watch the trailer at www.OldFashionedMovie.com] God Bless You & Thanks.

Divine Mercy Chaplet—The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed after morning Mass in the Chapel. All are welcome to participate.

Right to Life

How ... do we best respond to couples struggling with infertility? First, we must acknowledge their pain and accompany them in their suffering.

—“Children as Commodities?” 2014 Respect Life

Program USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

You are invited. . . The Benedictine Sisters of Sacred Heart Monastery in Yankton invite you to an open house expressing our gratitude during this time designated by Pope Francis as the Year of Consecrated Life. It will be held Sunday, March 15, from 2 to 4 pm at the monastery. There will be tours of Bishop Marty Chapel, the Sisters Dining Room, and Bishop Marty’s house, as well as time to visit with the sisters over home baked cookies in their Chapter room. You are also invited to join the Sisters for Sunday Vespers at 4 pm in Bishop Marty Chapel. No RSVP is needed, but if you have questions or want directions, call 605-668-6000. Our website is www.yanktonbenedictines.org.

Luncheon Meeting—The Chadron Christian Connection luncheon meeting will be March 10 at 11:30 am at the Country Kitchen restaurant. Guest speaker will be Nancy Lusk from Alliance. Nancy was raised on a ranch in Eastern Wyoming. She is a graduate of Chadron State College and a retired Special Education teacher. She and her husband, Rick, have three grown daughters. Special music will be by Bill Huntington from Hay Springs. Special feature will be the TLC Methodist Ladies, presenting the “Ten Commandment Skit.” For reservations please contact Darlene at 432-5432 or by email at yantzi@gpcom.net no later than 5 pm Saturday, March 7. Complimentary nursery is available by reservation and first time guests are free.

Fish Fry—on all Fridays during the Lenten Season in St. John the Baptist church in Crawford at 5:30 pm to 7 pm. Please come and enjoy the food. \$8, adults, \$4, children.

THIS WEEK

- Sun** 7:30 AM—Great Adventure Timeline Bible Study
9:00 AM—Mass [Zeimens Family]
6:00 PM—Knights of Columbus, regular meeting
- Mon** No Mass
8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center
- Tue** 5:30 PM—Mass [+Joe Kanarick]
- Wed** 7:15 AM—Mass [+Sr. Kathleen Zaner]
5:30 PM—Great Adventure Timeline Bible Study
5:30 PM—Pre-6th Religious Formation classes
7:00 PM—7th-11th Religious Formation classes
7:15 PM—Stations of the Cross, 7th & 8th
- Thu** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Sheldon & +Betty Snelson]
7:00 PM— RCIA
8:00 PM – AA (open), in the parish center
- Fri** 7:15 AM—Mass [+Catherine Ash]
8:00 AM—Adoration in the church
7:00 PM—Adult Stations
- Sat** 4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation
5:30 PM—Mass [Parishioners] Special offering is for Catholic Relief Services
8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
- Sun** 7:30 AM—Great Adventure Bible Timeline Bible Study
9:00 AM—Mass [Gary Abegglen Family] Special offering is for Catholic Relief Services

Knights of Columbus News

- Sunday, March 8, Regular meeting, 6 pm
- Sunday, March 22, After Holidays Party, 5 pm
- Sunday, April 12, 4th Degree Knights for First Eucharist, 11 am Mass
- Sunday, April 12, Regular meeting, 6 pm
- Saturday, April 25, 4th Degree Knights for Confirmation, 5:30 pm Mass

Attention: Knights, wives, significant others and widows, the After Holidays Make-your-own Pizza Party will be Sunday, March 22, 5 pm in the Knights Room. Please RSVP to Tom Yeradi, 432-3569 by March 20.

Diocesan Appeal—See insert

Parish Health Notes—Influenza symptoms: Influenza (also know as the flu) is a contagious respiratory illness caused by flu viruses. It can cause mild to severe illness, and at times can lead to death. The flu is different from a cold. The flu usually comes on suddenly. People who have the flu often feel some or all of these symptoms: Fever or feeling feverish/chills, cough, sore throat, runny nose, muscle or body aches, headaches and fatigue. *Flu complications:* Most people who get influenza will recover in a few days to less than two weeks, but some may develop complications (such as pneumonia) as a result of the flu, some of which can be life-threatening and could result in death. Pneumonia, bronchitis, sinus and ear infections are examples of complications from flu. *Flu severity:* Flu is unpredictable and how severe it is can vary widely from one season to the next depending on many things, including: what flu viruses are spreading, how much flu vaccine is available, when vaccine is available, how many people get vaccinated and how well the flu vaccine matched to flu viruses that are causing illness. If you have symptoms of flu and are in a high risk group *adults over 65, pregnant women, children under 5 or those with chronic medical conditions such as asthma, heart disease or diabetes* or are very sick or worried about your illness, contact your health care provider.

Religious Formation News

Pre- 6th Grade Faith Formation Information
March 11, 18, 25—class
April 1—no class, Holy Week
April 8—class, 1st Communion practice, 5:30 pm, in church
April 12—1st Communion Mass, 11 am. Everyone is welcome to attend!
If anyone is interested in helping at the 1st Communion reception, please contact Christine at 432-2626

7th—10th Grade Faith Formation Information

A total of 16 youth from our parish have registered for Going Bananas for Jesus XVIII that will be held in Kearney March 27-29. A commissioning of the participants will be held during the 5:30 pm Mass on March 21. Students attending are asked to gather at the Parish Center on March 13 to help make the group's Going Bananas Parish Banner. We will begin at 6 pm in the media room of the Parish Center.

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 to others is a way for the youth to show others the light of Christ and to help build up their own sense of service to others and an appreciation of the service that others provide to them. 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. Students must have hours completed by April 15. They are eager to serve. Contact Kaci!


If you are interested in donating funds for the youth to attend diocesan events, please visit the Faith Formation web page at www.stpatsfaith.weebly.com or you can place them in an envelope marked "youth ministry." Students will also be participating in fundraisers including the "Sponsor a Student" fundraiser. More information is available in the gathering area.

A big event that attracts over 25,000 Catholic youth will be held in November of 2015. It is called the National Catholic Youth Conference. It is offered every two years. There are currently 12 youth interested in attending this event. I am very hopeful that the funds will be raised so that all may attend. Please pray for the youth as they continue to grow in faith. Showing support not only by encouraging them to attend these incredible faith-filled events but also building relationships that are meaningful and rooted in Christian love. Keep your eyes and ears open as there will be an onslaught of fundraising occurring in the near future. May God bless this church family and help us to grow closer to one another during this Lenten season.

Stations of the Cross will be presented during Lent. Students will present on Wednesday evenings beginning at 7:15. This will allow students that are leading the Stations that evening to prepare. Booklets will be available in the gathering area. ALL parishioners, families and those who are seeking to follow the Way of the Cross will benefit greatly from this experience. The schedule will be as follows:

- March 11-(WED) 7th & 8th grade students, 7:15 pm
- March 13 (FRI) Volunteer, 7 pm
- March 18-(WED) 9th grade students, 7:15 pm
- March 20-(FRI) Volunteer, 7 pm
- March 25-(WED) 10th grade students, 7:15 pm
- March 27-(FRI) Volunteer, 7 pm

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ADDRESS _____

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

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