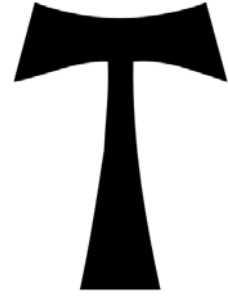




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Dear Parishioners,

For many years, the women of our parish have been asked to serve on various circles. However, when the circle system was begun, the number of women working outside the home was smaller than it is today. Different parishioners asked us to consider our current situation in terms of parish circles.

After discussion with the Parish Pastoral Council, St. Francis Parish will modify the circle system as follows. Each family (instead of each woman) will be assigned to a parish circle. The family can then decide who to send to represent that family on the many activities needed to keep our parish running smoothly. This means that if your family comes up to work a particular activity, either the husband or the wife can represent the family. All other considerations will be the same as they currently are.

I invite, in a very special way, the men of the parish to join the ladies of our parish in working together to serve God by serving our parish family.

In Christ,


Rev. Patrick A. McLaughlin


"He who carries God in his heart bears heaven with him wherever he goes."

— St. Ignatius of Loyola

February 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 *Catholic T-Shirt Day *11 AM-4:30 AM-Catholic Book Fair in Gym Lobby *7 PM-PEACE Corps Introductory Meeting for Committee Members in Parish Hall	2 *8 AM-GS Mass **Presentation of the Lord" Blessing of All Candles in Church @ 8 AM Mass *11 AM-3:30 PM-Catholic Book Fair *5 PM-Benediction	3 *FBLA Paper Drive *JH Dance Camp *10 AM-First Communion Retreat *FFA State Degree Proficiency & Review @ Schuyler *6 PM-GBB w/ Spalding Academy *Senior Parent's Night GBB/Dance
Catholic Schools Week						
4 *Home & Foreign Missions Collection @ Masses *7 PM-"Rosary for Peace" in Church	5 *NHS Super Casual Day *NO PM Bus Service *3:30 PM-JHBB w/ Clarkson/Leigh *6:30 PM-Initial Safe Environment Training in HS Library *7 PM-Faith Formation Committee Meeting in Parish Hall	6 *7:45 AM-Bank of the Valley Deposit Day *4:30 PM-GBB @ Aquinas *7 PM-Knights of Columbus 1st Degree Exemplification & Meeting	7 *NO Bus Service *8 AM-GS Mass *9:30 AM-Mass @ Countryside Home *2:30 PM-JHBB w/ Palmer *7 PM-Holy Grounds in Parish Hall	8 *NO SCHOOL *2 PM-8 PM-Parent/Teacher Conferences	9 *NO SCHOOL *6 PM-GB w/ Elkhorn Valley	10 *ACT Test *Speech @ Humphrey High *4 PM-BB @ Shelby/Rising City
11 *Right to Life Breakfast After Masses *7 PM-"Rosary for Peace" in Church	12 *8 AM-HS Mass *5 PM-CDA Meeting *6:30 PM-8 PM-Book Study with Deacon Tim Howard in Parish Hall	13 *106 KIX Radio Tour *GB Sub-Districts @ Stanton *Parish Circle #4 Cleaning Parish Hall (3-5 PM & 5-7 PM)	14 *Ash Wednesday *7:30 AM-FFA Meeting *8 AM-Ash Wednesday Mass *12 PM-Conference Quiz Bowl @ Elba *6:40 PM-Ash Wednesday Mass	15 *GB Sub-District Finals @ Stanton *HSF Tuition & Cafeteria Payments Due	16 *8 AM-GS Mass *6 PM-BB @ Twin River *6 PM-Lenten Mass Followed by Stations of the Cross	17 *9 AM-JHGBB w/ Howells/Dodge *10 AM-First Reconciliation *Speech @ Aquinas *6:30 PM-Robotics Potluck @ Cafeteria
18 *Junior Class Breakfast *7 PM-"Rosary for Peace" in Church	19 *Adopt-A-Child Day *8 AM-Gr. 7-12 Lenten Prayer Service *6 PM-Lenten Mass *6:30 PM-8 PM-Book Study with Deacon Tim Howard in Parish Hall	20 *7:45 AM-Bank of the Valley Deposit Day *BB Sub-Districts @ Stanton *6 PM-Lenten Mass	21 *8 AM-GS Mass *8 AM-Conference Speech Contest @ Spalding Academy *NO PM Bus Service *6:40 PM-Lenten Mass *6:45 PM-School Board Meeting *8:15 PM-Parish Council Meeting	22 *Mercantile Work Day in Parish Hall *BB Sub-District Finals @ Stanton *5:30 PM-7 PM-Reconciliation	23 *8 AM-GS Mass *6 PM-Lenten Mass Followed by Stations of the Cross	24 *Knights of Columbus Wild Game Feed in Cafeteria
National FFA Week						
25 *PRE Coffee & Rolls After Masses *7 PM-"Rosary for Peace" in Church	26 *8 AM-HS Mass *Start of Spring Sports Practice *6 PM-Lenten Mass *6:30 PM-8 PM-Book Study with Deacon Tim Howard in Parish Hall	27 *8 AM-Gr. 7-12 Lenten Prayer Service *FFA District Career Development Events @ CCC *BB District Finals *6 PM-Lenten Mass	28 *Junior Class Retreat @ Tarnov *8 AM-GS Mass *9:30 AM-Sophomore Class Children's Play *6:40 PM-Lenten Mass *7 PM-Finance Board Meeting			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>February 2018</h1>						<p><u>Mass Intention Abbreviations:</u> +indicates deceased (WA) indicates wedding anniversary (B) indicates birthday (A) indicates anniversary of death</p>
				1 7:30am +Maurice Wieser 8am +Austin Steven Classen (A)	2 7:30am +Mildred Pfeifer 8am +Leonard Fuchs Family	3 5:30pm +Todd Preister
4 8am St. Francis Parishioners 10am +Lavonne Ramaekers (A)	5 7:30am *Maurice Wieser	6 7:30am +Ken & Dorothy Pfeifer Family 8am +Luke & +Arlene Weidner	7 7:30am +Mary Kuchar 8am +Vic Labenz	8 8am *+Louise A. Ternus	9 8am *+Marlene Veik	10 5:30pm St. Francis Parishioners
11 8am L/D CDA Members 10am In Thanksgiving from the Lavonne Ramaekers Family	12 8am *+Don Lubischer	13 7:30am +Tom Brockhaus & +Ervin & +Mary Melcher Family 8am +Maurice Wieser	14 Ash Wednesday 8am +Vic & +Millie Babel 6:40pm +Carolyn Hanke	15 7:30am +Ted & +Sally Heinen 8am *+Mary L. Fischer	16 7:30am +Millie Cimpl 8am +Luke & +Arlene Weidner 6pm L/D +Ed Backes Family & +Dave Backes	17 5:30pm St. Francis Parishioners
18 8am L/D +Walter & +Irene Fuchs Family 10am L/D +Don & Nancy Frauendorfer Family	19 7:30am Tom & Linda Kosch 6pm *Stanley Koziol	20 7:30am Eileen Widhalm 8am +Don & +Darlene Ternus 6pm +Julie Rollman	21 7:30am +Mary Kuchar 8am *Kenny Frisch 6:40pm +Art Preister (A)	22 7:30am Gene Pfeifer Family 8am +Don Lubischer	23 7:30am +Ken & Dorothy Pfeifer Family 8am +Janice Hanna 6pm *+Magdalene Keber	24 5:30pm L/D +Lee & +Alice (A) Stenger Family
25 8am *+Delaney Engel 10am St. Francis Parishioners	26 8am +Andy Jong 6pm +Lavonne Ramaekers	27 7:30am +Ted & +Sally Heinen 8am +Gerard Frisch 6pm +Dave Backes	28 7:30am L/D +Dan Engel Family 8am +Stan (A) & +Flora Mae Zach 6:40pm +Kenny Frisch			

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<h1>February 2018</h1> <p>St. Francis of Assisi Parish Birthdays</p>						
				1 Deacon Dennis Anderson Marilyn Eisenmenger Deb Herchenbach Christopher Slama Makenna Wietfeld	2 Dean Krings JoAnn Veik	3 Cindy Boesch Dick Classen Chase Eisenmenger Mary Ann Kosch Brodie Korth Dale Schumacher
4 Kenna Olmer	5 Cole Classen Adam Keller Eli Weidner	6 James Kriz Pat Veik	7 Evan Foltz Rita Keller Isaiah Slama	8 Danielle Bender Nick Maple Gregory Olmer Michael Wegener	9 Clifford Finkral Caitlin Jarosz Karen Wietfeld	10 Leslieann Brandl Dave Fuchs Brayden Henke
11 Dr. Richard Albers Ken Backes Greg Hassenstab Bev Olmer Kristie Stricklin Jackson Wemhoff Thomas Zuerlein	12 Celie Anderson Tom Frauendorfer Dick Kastl Ray Hemmer Viola Wemhoff	13 Jerry Kyncl John Olmer Erna Ternus	14 Grayson Bender Jeff Bender Elizabeth Keller Russ Korth Eugene Pfeifer Spencer Wieser Tyson Wietfeld	15	16 Ella Frauendorfer Gerald Frauendorfer Alexander Mendez	17 Ron Denkinger
18 Tom Kosch Brandon Morfeld Mary Beth Noonan Dale Wemhoff	19 Gunner Classen Anna Mae Hamling Alan Huettner Gene Schueth Brock Wegener	20 Jami Brandl Michelle Cash Jaxton Dunn Elaine Eisenmenger Monica Heesacker Gina Weidner Gary Zimmerer	21 Ashley Krings Kelli Reichumth Taylor Wemhoff	22 Dakota Svitak	23 Tanner Krings Margaret Sander Randy Zach	24 Susan Arlt Sawyer Sunderman Josh Wessel
25 Steve Albracht Jaiden Anderson Bonnie Kosch Ron Krings	26 Brianna Hula Makala Maple Chelsea Werner	27 Karen Lachnit Patrick McDermott Nick Olmer	28 Jeanne Gronenthal Bob Haiar			

St. Francis Athletic Board Minutes
December 6, 2017

The St. Francis athletic board held a meeting on Wednesday, December 6, 2017, in the cafeteria. The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by President Ron Denkinger. Members present were Ron Denkinger, Kevin Bender, Dale Wemhoff, Makala Maple, Mark Pfeifer and Melissa Pfeifer. Eric Kessler, Ann Denkinger, Linda Bender, Kelly Wemhoff and Nick Maple were excused.

Ron Denkinger opened the meeting with a prayer.

The minutes were reviewed. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Dale Wemhoff and seconded by Kevin Bender.

The treasurer's report was reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Melissa Pfeifer and seconded by Mark Pfeifer.

The expenses were reviewed. A motion to approve the expenses was made by Dale Wemhoff and seconded by Kevin Bender.

Father Wayne's hot dog extravaganza is scheduled for the Howells-Dodge game on Friday, January 5, 2018.

The athletic board soup supper will be held during the Lutheran High Northeast game on Saturday, January 27, 2018.

All of the funds for the gym wall padding have been raised. The padding will be ordered.

Anyone with other donations to the St. Francis athletics and activities programs can contact Ron Denkinger at 402-920-0463. These donations are greatly appreciated.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40 PM.

The next meeting is January 10, 2018, at 7 PM.

Makala Maple for Linda Bender, Secretary



Ash Wednesday, February 14, opens Lent, a season of fasting and prayer. Ash Wednesday comes from the ancient Jewish tradition of penance and fasting. The practice includes the wearing of ashes on the forehead. The ashes symbolize the dust from which God made us. *"Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return."* Lenten activities this year will include evening Mass on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Thursday evening will be set aside for Reconciliation.

**Catholic Daughters of America
Meeting Minutes
January 8, 2018**

Catholic Daughters of America, Court Mater Dei #1404, held its monthly meeting on Monday, January 8, 2018, at 5 PM in the parish hall.

The meeting was called to order by Grand Regent Jane Backes with seven members and one guest present.

A rosary was prayed followed by the secretary and treasures report.

State dues are due and will be paid soon.

Jane Sander read, "Think Positive by Looking at Someone Who Smiles."

Members were reminded to bring groceries on Friday, January 12, for our annual grocery raffle held in conjunction with the Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast held on Sunday, January 14.

Happy birthday was sung to Beverly James who has a birthday in January.

Mission money goes to the Right to Life.

Prayers for reception of new members, Beverly James and Nancy Frauendorfer, were prayed by Betty Brockhaus and Jane Backes.

Deloris Herchenbach will be the hostess for the February meeting.

Jane Backes adjourned the meeting and a dessert lunch was served by tonight's hostess, Betty Brockhaus.

Betty Sueper, Recording Secretary



WORLD MARRIAGE DAY – FEBRUARY 11

Prayer for Our Marriage

Heavenly Father, we thank You for Your tremendous gift of the sacrament of marriage. Enable us to grow in our intimacy with You and with each other. Teach us the beauty of forgiveness so we may become more and more one in heart, mind and body. Strengthen our communication with each other and help us become living signs of your love. Help us to be examples of commitment, love and service to our families and children. Make us a sign of the unity which Jesus prayed for at the Last Supper. We open ourselves to the guidance of Your Holy Spirit, who empowers us to love in Jesus' name and walk in His footsteps. Amen

St. Francis of Assisi School Board Minutes
January 10, 2018

The St. Francis school board met on Wednesday, January 10, 2018, in the St. Francis rectory. Members present were Fr. Pat McLaughlin, Mrs. Jennifer Dunn, Amy Classen, Brandon Morfeld, Lisa Geilenkirchen, Doug Eisenmenger and Lindsey Kosch. Ethan Bruland was excused.

The opening prayer was led by Doug Eisenmenger.

President Doug Eisenmenger called the meeting to order.

The January agenda and November minutes were motioned and approved.

MONTHLY REPORTS:

Administrator's Report:

Mrs. Dunn congratulated the St. Francis One Act team and coaches on their District D1-2 championship and earning a performance at State.

The second quarter ended on December 22.

St. Francis will again be utilizing the state Textbook Loan Program. This program allows St. Francis School to loan books from Humphrey Public instead of buying them, totaling around \$2,000 worth of books for the 2018-2019 school year. The program only loans student textbooks not instructional books.

Mrs. Dunn also talked about LB 295 tax-credit scholarships. She explained that this is not a voucher program but a donation program from individuals and businesses to nonpublic schools. The scholarships awarded would go to K-12 poor and working-class students wishing to attend private schools. Mrs. Dunn expressed as a private institution, we support LB 295.

Catholic Schools Week will kick off on Sunday, January 28, 2018. New this year will be church tours given by the junior class on Tuesday. Also a talent show in the gym will be held on Friday. Every year there is a parent luncheon held on Wednesday. In the past, the increase of last minute guests has caused the cafeteria to run short on food. New this year, all parents must prepay and will receive a ticket to the lunch. This will allow the cafeteria staff to plan accordingly.

Finances:

Our parish giving is up overall (Sunday and holy day contributions), as is the interest from both the parish and school endowment. Our school support is down from previous years, but is showing improvement.

President's Comments:

Fr. Pat commented that the website is finalized and we are now working on the launch. The website is nice and usable. A benefit to the side is the calendars from both the parish and school are meshed.

Our school will be starting the vocation cross program. One family from the parish will be taking home the vocation cross each week. The family will be asked to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

We are also looking at making the scriptures more accessible to all of our students, and we are in the process of acquiring a set of bibles for the K thru 2 grades to keep in the classrooms. All other grades have access to a classroom set of bibles.

Sr. Bernice Preister has passed away. Fr. Pat will have a memorial Mass for the repose of her soul on Thursday, January 18, 2018. Before passing, Sr. Bernice asked for all memorials to be donated to St. Francis School.

Fr. Pat was excited to report more leaders of our school are stepping up. Several couples from our parish and school are signed up for the upcoming CEC weekend in Norfolk.

January Business:

The school board discussed various topics from the parent surveys for the AdvanceEd accreditation and are looking at ways to address some of these areas while communicating with families how other areas are already being addressed.

The dress code surveys were compiled and changes will be made. It is important that we choose uniforms that are nice and modest. A different uniform company is being considered while adding more color options.

The school board reviewed and clarified the handbook policy about lice/flu.

A closing prayer was led by Lindsey Kosch.

Lindsey Kosch, Secretary

St. Francis of Assisi Parish Pastoral Council Minutes **January 10, 2018**

The meeting of the parish pastoral council was called to order at 8:16 PM on Wednesday, January 10, 2018. Fr. Pat led the opening prayer. Members present were Fr. Pat McLaughlin, Dave Krings, Duane Kosch, Ken Classen, Janet Eisenmenger, Bryan Reichmuth, Brandon Morfeld, Jeanne Brockhaus and DeAnna Heinen. Dan Fehringer was excused.

The minutes of the November meeting were approved as written.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

School Board:

The One Act team placed first at the district meet and third at the state meet.

Discussed LB 295; this is a tax credit scholarship that is in committee right now. This scholarship benefits private schools and would allow tax credits for businesses that donate to the fund.

Catholic Schools Week will be held January 28 thru February 2.

It was noted that school finances are down.

Several parent concerns have been addressed.

The dress code survey was discussed and is still being looked into.

Finance Board:

No report.

Development:

The new capital campaign will be starting soon.

NEW BUSINESS:

Our parish may be looking into purchasing ministry scheduling software. We will look into different alternatives that will work in our parish and the associated costs.

The parish circle list will now include families being involved with all of the parish duties instead of just the women of the parish.

OLD BUSINESS:

Everything has been submitted for the new parish/school website and we are waiting for the final review.

The new sound system was approved with the funds coming from donations and the building and restoration fund.

PASTOR'S REPORT:

The vocation cross and videos will be circulated among parishioners to encourage greater awareness to the religious life and priest vocations.

Grades 3 thru 12 are being given more opportunity for bible access.

There are many parishioners and parishioner relatives attending the upcoming CEC weekend.

Fr. Pat discussed the parish mission that will be held during Lent this year. This mission will investigate the Seven Deadly Sins and which practices led the saints to overcome these sins.

Parish evangelization was discussed; many good suggestions were made. An example is; by reaching out and being more welcoming. This could be done by inviting and challenging friends and family and the neighboring communities to attend parish missions, such as Pints with the Priest, Holy Grounds or speakers we may bring in.

The PEACE Corp letters have been sent out to the leaders of the committee.

There will be a parish Mass for Sr. Bernice Preister on Thursday, January 18, 2018. She passed away on January 8, 2018.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35 PM.

Fr. Pat led a closing prayer.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 21, 2018.

DeAnna Heinen, Secretary



- February 2 – The Presentation of the Lord @ the 8 AM Mass
- February 3 – First Communion Retreat @ 10 AM in the parish hall
- February 7 – Holy Grounds @ 7 PM in the parish hall (can bring snack to share)
- February 11 – Right to Life Breakfast after Mass in the parish hall
- February 14 – Ash Wednesday Masses @ 8 AM & 6:40 PM
- February 17 – First Reconciliation @ 10 AM in Church
- February 18 – Junior Class Breakfast in the parish hall
- February 24 – KC Wild Game Feed in the School Cafeteria/Gym
- February 25 – PRE Coffee and Rolls in the parish hall

St. Francis Athletic Board Minutes
January 10, 2018

The St. Francis athletic board held a meeting on Wednesday, January 10, 2018, in the cafeteria. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by President Ron Denkinger. Members present were Ron Denkinger, Ann Denkinger, Eric Kessler, Kevin Bender, Linda Bender, Dale Wemhoff, Kelly Wemhoff, Nick Maple, Makala Maple, Mark Pfeifer and Melissa Pfeifer.

Ron Denkinger opened the meeting with a prayer.

The minutes were reviewed. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Dale Wemhoff and seconded by Eric Kessler.

The treasurer's report was reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Melissa Pfeifer and seconded by Nick Maple.

The expenses were reviewed. A motion to approve the expenses was made by Eric Kessler and seconded by Kevin Bender.

The Goldenrod Conference tournament is January 15 thru 20. St. Francis will host girls' games on Monday, January 15, with games at 6:00 PM and 7:30 PM. St. Francis boys will travel to Fullerton to play the 6:00 PM game. All subsequent games will be held at St. Paul, Nebraska.

Melissa Pfeifer will create a parent work list and distribute it for the January 27 athletic soup supper.

The St. Francis dance camp will perform on January 27, 2018.

The athletic board will be selling flyer tumblers as well as a new selection of flyer apparel.

The new wall padding for the gym will be in sometime this week. Thank you to all who donated toward this.

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 PM.

The next meeting is February 7, 2018, at 7:00 PM.

Linda Bender, Secretary



The Presentation of the Lord, February 2

The feast of Candlemas, exactly 40 days after Christmas, commemorates Mary's obedience to the Mosaic law by submitting herself to the Temple for the ritual purification, as commanded in Leviticus. The Feast of the Purification is called Candlemas for the traditional blessing and distribution of candles on that day.

"The mystery of today's ceremony has frequently been explained by liturgists, dating from the 7th century. According to Ivo of Chartres, the wax, which is formed from the juice of flowers by the bee, always considered as the emblem of virginity, signifies the virginal flesh of the Divine

Infant, who diminished not either by His conception or His birth, the spotless purity of His Blessed Mother. In the flame of our candle, a symbol of Jesus who came to enlighten our darkness. St. Anselm, Archbishop of Canterbury, speaking on the same mystery, bids us consider three things in the blessed candle: the wax, the wick, and the flame. The wax, he says, which is the production of the virginal bee, is the flesh of our Lord; the wick, which is within, is His Soul; the flame, which burns on top, is His divinity."

Liturgical Ministers for February 2018 - March 2018

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We ask that you mark your calendars, and if you cannot be present to fulfill your obligation, that you trade with someone on the list or find a replacement.

Date	Lectors	Servers	E. M. H. C.	Greeters	Offertory
<u>Saturday</u> February 3, 2018 5:30 PM	Larry Korth	Cael Classen Easton Baumgart Mollie Groteluschen	Deacon Dennis Anderson Linda Ternus	Dorothy Brandt Betty Brockhaus	Pat & Millie Veik
<u>Sunday</u> February 4, 2018 8 AM	Jordan Bender	Spencer Babel Carter Classen Eli McPhillips	Deacon Kent Sachau Sally Classen Stan & Sandy Wemhoff Lynn Teply Michelle Meyer	Jerry & Jane Sander	Terry & Michelle Wemhoff
<u>Sunday</u> February 4, 2018 10 AM	Danie Brandl	Tristen Classen Ty Classen Olivia Keller	Deacon Tim Howard Chelsea Werner	Ryan & Karla Zach	Dan & Sheri Wessel
<u>Saturday</u> February 10, 2018 5:30 PM	Chris Braun	Madison Howard Andrew Kosch Leah Kosch	Deacon Tim Howard Kennedy Howard	Chris & Amy Slama	Ted & Jackie Wegener
<u>Sunday</u> February 11, 2018 8 AM	Rita Keller	Ava Hastreiter Jalyssa Hastreiter Sam McPhillips	Deacon Dennis & Celie Anderson Paul & Bonnie Ramaekers Deb Herchenbach Bob Haiar	Mary Anne Haschke Laurie Eisenmenger	Dale & Diane Zach
<u>Sunday</u> February 11, 2018 10 AM	Ethan Bruland	Schuyler Heesacker Jack Lubischer Lexi Morfeld	Deacon Kent Sachau Sarah Huettner	Debbie Huettner Gina Eisenmenger	Tim & Beverly Zach
<u>Ash Wednesday</u> February 14, 2018 6:40 PM	Ron Denkinger	Easton Baumgart Jenaya Wemhoff Abilyn Schneider	Deacon Dennis Anderson Glenn Heinen	Dean & Ann Preister	Ferd & Helen Weidner
<u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u> February 16, 2018 6 PM	Jodie Eisenmenger	Tyrel Wegener Colten Wietfeld Makenna Wietfeld	6 PM Mass Karen Wietfeld Jarod Podliska	_____	_____

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<u>Saturday</u> February 17, 2018 5:30 PM	Gina Eisenmenger	Kade Magsamen Brooklyn McKay Sydney McKay	P-Deacon Dennis Anderson Morgan Bender	Milo & Rita Herink	Tim & Sheila Hassenstab
<u>Sunday</u> February 18, 2018 8 AM	Ginny Fehringer	Jason Sjuts Jacob Sjuts Spencer Engel	P-Deacon Kent Sachau Elaine Gilsdorf Steve & Karen Wieser Dean Korus Missy Braun	Stan & Sandy Wemhoff	Bob & Jody Preister
<u>Sunday</u> February 18, 2018 10 AM	Betty Sueper	Tyler Preister Keith Ternus MarryRita Wegener	P-Deacon Tim Howard Nathan Weidner	Bob & Shari Haiar	Vern & Georgia Hunsley
<u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u> February 23, 2018 6 PM	Dave Krings	Jocelyn Dunn Mason Geilenkirchen Tori Jarosz	6 PM Mass Russ & Terri Wilshusen	_____	_____
<u>Saturday</u> February 24, 2018 5:30 PM	Paul Eisenmenger	Alissa Kosch Jaden Kosch Emerson Krings	Deacon Kent Sachau Doug Eisenmenger	Francis & Connie Jaixen	Jim & Jeanie Engel
<u>Sunday</u> February 25, 2018 8 AM	Mary Helen Fuchs	Eli Weidner Owen Weidner Delaney Olmer	Deacon Tim Howard Sally Classen Dan & Ginny Fehringer Melvin & Karen Sueper	Steve & Karen Wieser	Nell Schumacher Elaine Eisenmenger
<u>Sunday</u> February 25, 2018 10 AM	Dave Noonan	Noah Wieseler Allison Weidner Kylee Wessel	Deacon Dennis Anderson Andy Krings	Lynn Teply Erika Pohlen Sarah Pohlen	John & Beth Keller
<u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u> March 2, 2018 6 PM	Gene McPhillips	Isaac Classen Kolbe Classen Jenaya Wemhoff	6 PM Mass Mark & Jeanne Brockhaus	_____	_____

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<u>Saturday</u> March 3, 2018 5:30 PM	Corrine Haiar	Madison Swerczek Addison Kriz Garret Zach	Deacon Dennis Anderson Denis Torczon	Jim & Marcia Schrant	Dick & Sally Classen
<u>Sunday</u> March 4, 2018 8 AM	Sharlene Hamling	Emma Baumgart Devon Baumgart Hannah Baumgart	Deacon Kent Sachau Jordan Bender Rich & Phyllis Heinen Alan & Jayne Ternus	Dan & Ginny Fehringer	Harry & Joan Wemhoff
<u>Sunday</u> March 4, 2018 10 AM	Kim Jarosz	Abilyn Schneider Addison Schneider Olivia Keller	Deacon Tim Howard Sheila Goetsch	Anna Mae Hamling Elaine Eisenmenger	Dave & Julie Krings
<u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u> March 9, 2018 6 PM	Sandy Wemhoff	Ethan Keller Phillip Keller Easton Baumgart	6 PM Mass Alan & Jayne Ternus	_____	_____
<u>Saturday</u> March 10, 2018 5:30 PM	Terri Wilshusen	Anna Stricklin Kaylee Stricklin Cael Classen	Deacon Tim Howard Lugene Torczon	JoJo & Jennifer Dunn	Dave & Ronda Lubischer
<u>Sunday</u> March 11, 2018 8 AM	Bob Haiar	Sam McPhillips Carter Classen Eli McPhillips	Deacon Dennis & Celie Anderson Stan & Sandy Wemhoff Sally Classen Lynn Teply	Mary Helen Fuchs Marge Albracht	Steve & Karen Wieser
<u>Sunday</u> March 11, 2018 10 AM	Dave Krings	Kayla Brandl Tristen Classen Ty Classen	Deacon Kent Sachau Doug Eisenmenger	Tim & Anita Brandl	Duane & Lindsey Kosch

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<i><u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u></i> March 16, 2018 6 PM	Ken Classen	Lexi Morfeld Jack Lubischer Schuyler Heesacker	6 PM Mass Dan & Ginny Fehringer	_____	_____
<u>500 Club-Saturday</u> March 17, 2018 5:00 PM	Larry Korth	Mollie Groteluschen Madison Howard Kade Magsamen	Deacon Dennis Anderson Reagan Howard	Mike & Carmen Foltz	Rich & Phyllis Heinen
<u>Sunday</u> March 18, 2018 8 AM	Celie Anderson	Ava Hastreiter Jalyssa Hastreiter Spencer Babel	Deacon Dennis Anderson Deb Herchenbach Bob Haiar Elaine Gilsdorf Dan & Ginny Fehringer	Tim & Beverly Zach	Paul & Bonnie Ramaekers
<u>Sunday</u> March 18, 2018 10 AM	Bridget McPhillips	MarryRita Wegener Noah Wieseler Madison Swerczek	Deacon Dennis Anderson Dustin Ternus	James & Molly Kriz	Dave & Diane Noonan
<i><u>Friday-Mass followed by Stations of the Cross</u></i> March 23, 2018 6 PM	Betty Sueper	Tyler Preister Keith Ternus Allison Weidner	6 PM Mass Roger & Rita Baumgart	_____	_____
<u>Saturday</u> March 24, 2018 5:30 PM	Bruce Pfeifer	Leah Kosch Andrew Kosch Tyrel Wegener	Deacon Kent Sachau Betty Sueper	Jim & Lisa Classen	Jim & Bev Olmer
<u>Palm Sunday</u> March 25, 2018 8 AM	Ginny Fehringer	Spencer Engel Delaney Olmer Addison Kriz	Deacon Tim Howard Dean Korus Steve & Karen Wieser Paul & Bonnie Ramaekers	Ken & Jane Backes	Allen & Cheryl German

Liturgical Ministers for February 2018 - March 2018

Thank you for your ministry to your parish!! It is truly stewardship in action when we have all of the ministries filled at all the Masses!
We ask that you mark your calendars, and if you cannot be present to fulfill your obligation, that you trade with someone on the list or find a replacement.

Date	Lectors	Servers	E. M. H. C.	Greeters	Offertory
<u>Palm Sunday</u> March 25, 2018 10 AM	Ethan Bruland	Kayla Brandl Jocelyn Dunn Mason Geilenkirchen	Deacon Dennis Anderson Roger Baumgart	Glenn & Joyce Ternus	Bryan & Lori Reichmuth
<u>Holy Thursday</u> March 29, 2018 7 PM	Bob Haiar	Brooklyn McKay Sydney McKay Colten Wietfeld Makenna Wietfeld Garret Zach	Deacon Dennis Anderson Deacon Tim Howard Deacon Kent Sachau Celie Anderson Melvin & Karen Sueper	Bill & Karen Werner	Larry & Sharlene Hamling
<u>Good Friday - Stations of the Cross</u> March 30, 2018 3 PM	_____	Devon Baumgart Hannah Baumgart Emma Baumgart	_____	_____	_____
<u>Good Friday - Lord's Passion</u> March 30, 2018 7 PM	Paul Eisenmenger Jodie Eisenmenger Larry Korth	Isaac Classen Kolbe Classen Ethan Keller Phillip Keller Jenaya Wemhoff	Deacon Dennis Anderson Deacon Tim Howard Deacon Kent Sachau	Tim & Connie Foltz	Leon & Barb Bender
<u>Saturday Easter Vigil</u> March 31, 2018 TBA	(Need 8 Volunteers) Contact Karen at parish office	(Need 7 Volunteers) Contact Karen at parish office	(Need 5 Volunteers) Deacons Contact Karen at parish office	(Need 2 Volunteers)	James & Emily Droscher



January 2018 - 500 Club Winners:

1/07/2018	#432	Spencer Wieser
1/14/2018	#448	Kent & Tina Sachau
1/21/2018	#86	Ron & Peg Wemhoff
1/28/2018	#26	Greg & Karen Weidner

Congratulations and thank you for your support!



Congratulations to the January 2018 Prize-A-Day Calendar Winners!



Cal Date	Event	Amount	Cal#	Winner	City	State
1/01/18	New Year's Day	\$500	769	Randy & Katie Zach	Humphrey	NE
1/01/18	Weekday	\$50	1197	Scott & Gina Weidner	Creston	NE
1/02/18	Weekday	\$50	751	Missy & Chris Braun	Humphrey	NE
1/03/18	Weekday	\$50	1203	Jerome & Rose Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/04/18	Weekday	\$50	131	Mya Hassenstab	Humphrey	NE
1/05/18	First Friday	\$75	735	Debbie Brandl	Lincoln	NE
1/05/18	Weekday	\$50	447	Ray & Mary Hemmer	Humphrey	NE
1/06/18	Weekday	\$50	452	Kristen Hemmer	Humphrey	NE
1/07/18	Sunday	\$75	855	Tim & Connie Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/08/18	Weekday	\$50	863	Tim & Connie Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/09/18	Weekday	\$50	395	Terry & Brenda Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/10/18	Weekday	\$50	440	Ray & Mary Hemmer	Humphrey	NE
1/11/18	Weekday	\$50	394	Terry & Brenda Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/12/18	Weekday	\$50	393	Terry & Brenda Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/13/18	Weekday	\$50	58	Clarice Preister	Humphrey	NE
1/14/18	Sunday	\$75	167	Mr. & Mrs. Tom Kosch	Humphrey	NE
1/15/18	Weekday	\$50	293	Karen Sueper	Humphrey	NE
1/16/18	Weekday	\$50	422	James & Darlene Christopher	Humphrey	NE
1/17/18	Weekday	\$50	851	Nick German	Littleton	CO
1/18/18	Weekday	\$50	800	Jeff Brandl	Humphrey	NE
1/19/18	Weekday	\$50	591	Kelli Fuxa	Omaha	NE
1/20/18	Weekday	\$50	1094	Scott & Keely Preister	Lincoln	NE
1/21/18	Sunday	\$75	1177	Steve & Karen Wieser	Humphrey	NE
1/22/18	Weekday	\$50	208	Jerome & Rose Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/23/18	Weekday	\$50	231	Jerome & Rose Foltz	Humphrey	NE
1/24/18	Weekday	\$50	618	Tim & Jill Werner	Humphrey	NE
1/25/18	Weekday	\$50	469	Kevin & Paula Kosch	Humphrey	NE
1/26/18	Weekday	\$50	614	Loran Wemhoff Family	Humphrey	NE
1/27/18	Weekday	\$50	3	Beverly James	Humphrey	NE
1/28/18	Sunday	\$75	771	Tim & Beverly Zach	Humphrey	NE
1/29/18	Weekday	\$50	54	Jessica Galaska	Omaha	NE
1/30/18	Weekday	\$50	924	Marie Rundell	Black Hawk	SD
1/31/18	Weekday	\$50	13	Chris Braun Children	Humphrey	NE

Thank you for your support!



OUR SANCTUARY LAMP in the
EUCCHARISTIC CHAPEL

burns in the month of
February 2018

by the request of and for the intentions of
Ivan & Mary Anne Haschke

in grateful recognition of Our Lord's Sacramental Presence
in the tabernacle of our prayer chapel.



OUR SANCTUARY LAMP by the statue of
ST. PEREGRINE

burns in the month of
February 2018

by the request of and for the intentions of
Ron & Ann Denkinger

in memory of +Anton & +Anna Denkinger
in gratitude for the intercession of St. Peregrine,
and asking God to give his healing grace
to all those who suffer from cancer.



OUR SANCTUARY LAMP in the
CHURCH SANCTUARY

burns in the month of
February 2018

by the request of and for the intentions of
Jim & Jeanie Engel

in grateful recognition of Our Lord's Sacramental Presence
in the tabernacle of our Church.



OUR SANCTUARY LAMP in the
HIGH SCHOOL CHAPEL

burns in the month of
February 2018

by the request of and for the intentions of
Sanctuary Lamp is unsponsored

in grateful recognition of Our Lord's Sacramental Presence
in the tabernacle of the Chapel where our student pray.

This February Issue of The Tau is unsponsored.

The Children's Bulletin in the month of February is unsponsored.

The deadline for putting anything in the Tau is the 20th of the month.

★ If you are interested in sponsoring the Children's Bulletin, the Tau, or any of the Sanctuary Candles,
please stop by and see Karen in the parish office. These items are all located in our Wish List Book.

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