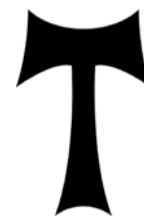




*St. Francis of Assisi Parish
Humphrey, Nebraska*

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Dear Parishioners,

As the weather begins to get colder and the chill is in the air, we prepare to celebrate a month of remembering and a month of thanksgiving. We remember in a special way our loved ones who have gone before us and pray that they may be with our loving Savior in the kingdom of heaven. We do this through having Masses said specifically for them, which is the highest form of prayer; lightening candles and offering our own prayers for them so the prayers continue as the candles burn; or writing their names in the remembrance book which is put out so they may be remembered with all the poor souls at each Mass prayed for during the month.

We are also called to remember and reflect upon the many gifts and graces that God has given to us during the past year and give Him thanks. Many of us get so busy with all the day-to-day things that need to be taken care of that, over time, we forget that everything we have, everything we have been given (our talents, abilities, etc.), even life itself, is a gift, a Grace from God. He loves us so much that He showers His graces upon us each day, leading us and caring for us without our even knowing all that He does for us.

Giving thanks is an essential aspect of our relationship with God and true genuine gratitude transcends all boundaries (cultural, religious or social) because it is rooted in faith. When it comes to our faith, the Eucharist is the central sacrament. Interestingly Eucharist is derived from the Greek word meaning “thanksgiving”. In the Eucharistic celebration, we express gratitude for the sacrifice of Jesus Christ and God’s redemptive love. I would not say there is much love in our community at this point. There is much more division. People wanting this or that and digging their heels in for this thing or that. The Eucharist invites us, if nothing else, on a spiritual level, to acknowledge the transformative work of God in our daily lives, to become more like Christ, to become what we receive. If we open our hearts and souls to this transformative power, then the healing balm of Gilead can begin to heal our woundedness.

That is what I have picked up so far from reading the book called: *The Healing Power of the Eucharist is Real*. So many in today’s world don’t believe in the real presence of the Eucharist. That our Lord Jesus Christ is really present in the consecrated bread and wine. It is such a sad case of affairs. The book I’ve been reading speaks of how precious it is to see Christ in the Eucharist and to spend time in Adoration so that one can draw more closely to our Savior and become more united in our lives with Him. It is in this means of communication with Him that we can be transformed and truly see Him as our all, the one who suffered and died just for me, coming to have that personal relationship with the Son of God that we so often long for in our lives. Our protestant brothers and sisters have this piece right in that we need to accept our Lord Jesus Christ as our personal Lord and Savior.


We as Catholics have an extra piece to it in believing that Jesus is truly and substantially present in the Holy Eucharist, the healing power of Christ can be realized and experienced in our lives; and, through us, in the lives of those around us. As we then go through this coming month, I ask you to remember all the blessings you have received and open yourself to Christ in the Eucharist so we may be healed.

Christ’s Peace,

November 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 *All Saints Day *Parish Office Closed *NO Bus Service *8:10 AM-All-School Mass *8:45AM-5PM-First Friday Adoration *5 PM-Benediction *5 PM-Confessions *5:30 PM-Mass *FB 2nd Round Playoffs	2 *All Souls Day *9 AM-Mass *6:15 PM-Mass (Winter Mass Schedule)
3 *Daylight Savings Time Ends (Fall Back) *5 PM-"Rosary for Unity & Peace" in Church	4 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *Freshman/Sophomore Service Project *11:30 aM-3:30 PM-2nd Gr. STEM Hands-On Learning	5 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *9 AM-Battle of the Saints Championship	6 *Life Runner T-Shirt Day *8:10 AM-GS Mass *7:45 AM-12 PM-4th, 5th, 6th Gr. INSANE Science Day *1 PM-Dismissal *NO PM Bus Service *6:30 PM-PRE	7 *8:10 AM-HS Mass *8:45 AM-7 PM-Adoration *State VB *7 PM-Benediction	8 *NO SCHOOL *NO MASS *FB Quarterfinal Round Playoffs *State VB	9 *State VB *6:15 PM-Mass
Vocations Awareness Week						
10 *5 PM-"Rosary for Peace & Unity" in Church	11 *Veteran's Day *8:10 AM-GS Mass *9:30 AM-Veteran's Day Program @ HHS	12 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *ACHS One-Act Festival	13 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *6:30 PM-PRE	14 *8:10 AM-HS Mass *8:45 AM-7 PM-Adoration *7 PM-Benediction *7:30 PM-Knights of Columbus Meeting	15 *GS Bank of the Valley Day *10 AM-GS Mass *FB Semifinal Round Playoffs	16 *6:15 PM-Mass *Archdiocese Catholic Charities Collection @ Mass
17 *Archdiocese Catholic Charities Collection @ Mass *5 PM-"Rosary for Peace & Unity" in Church	18 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *9 AM-One-Act Festival @ York College	19 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *7 PM-Parish Council Meeting	20 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *6:30 PM-PRE	21 *8:10 AM-HS Mass *8:45 AM-7 PM-Adoration *7 PM-Benediction *Tuition Payments Due *Submissions Due for December 1 Bulletin	22 *GS Bank of the Valley Day *10 AM-GS Mass	23 *5 PM-Mass *6 PM-Blue & White Night @ Community Center
24 *5 PM-"Rosary for Peace & Unity" in Church *7 PM-One-Act Presentation & Dessert Theater	25 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *FB State Finals	26 *8:10 AM-GS Mass *One-Act Play Production Contest @ Central City	27 *NO SCHOOL *Parish Office Closed *Conference One-Act @ CC	28 *Thanksgiving *9:30 AM-Mass *NO SCHOOL *Parish Office Closed *NO Adoration	29 *NO SCHOOL *Parish Office Closed	30 *6:15 PM-Mass

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>November 2024</h1>						
					1 All Saint's Day 8:10am Souls of the faithfully departed +Dolores Schack +Rick Boesch +Marvin Classen 5:30pm +Mary Jean Gunderson	2 All Souls Day 9am For the Poor Souls of our Parish Family 6:15pm For The People Of Our Parish Family
3 10am +Ron Denkinger	4 8:10am +Kenny & +Georgia Bender	5 8:10am +Leander & +Agnes (A) Eisenmenger & +Leonard Kruse	6 8:10am L/D +Herman & +Heni Krings Family	7 8:10am +Anthony David Hastreiter	8 No Mass	9 6:15pm +Don Lloyd
10 10am L/D +Earl & +Edna Widhalm Family	11 8:10am L/D +Lenny & +Bernie Fuchs Family	12 8:10am Andy & Lisa Krings (WA) Family & +Bill Babel	13 8:10am +Dan Engel L/D Jim & +Jeanne Engel Family	14 8:10am +Mark Brockhaus & Glenn & +Mary Ellen Wiese	15 10am Dale & Diane Zach Family & +Kerry Korth	16 6:15pm L/D +Dale & Nell Schumacher Family & +Rich Wegener
17 10am +Len & +Adele Hassenstab & +Mark & Jeanne Brockhaus Family	18 8:10am +Don Lloyd	19 8:10am +Anthony David Hastreiter	20 8:10am L/D Buresh & Wieser Families & +Leonard Kruse	21 8:10am +Agnes & +Janet Kuta	22 10am Larry & Sharlene Hamling (49 th WA) Family	23 Blue & White Night 5pm +Art & +LaRose Preister
24 10am Gene & Maureen McPhillips Family	25 8:10am L/D +Dale & Nell Schumacher Family & L/D +Alvin & +Shirley Fischer Family	26 8:10am +Tom Hastreiter	27 8:10am L/D +Earl & +Edna Widhalm Family	28 Thanksgiving 9:30am L/D +Joe & +Phyllis McPhillips Family	29 No Mass	30 6:15pm +Mark Brockhaus

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>November 2024</h1>						
<h2>St. Francis of Assisi Parish Birthdays</h2>						
					1	2 Jackie (Casey) Wegener
3 Jeanne Esparza Nick Frauendorfer	4 Zane Abner	5 Dave Gilsdorf Dale Zach	6 Al German Shawn Killham Nell Schumacher Kim Sjuts Molly Wegener	7 Janet Eisenmenger Joelle Foltz Mack Ramaekers	8 Bill Abts Gary (Kim) Bender Jim Bender Camryn Goetsch John Keller Ferd Zach	9 Sheridan Eisenmenger Dave Lubischer Morgan Lambrecht Breck Zach
10 Ralph Adams Caden Brandl Jacob Classen	11 Ken Classen Janie Classen Ty Hassenstab Nick Hemmer Zachary Preister	12 Riley Eller Harvey Glisdorf Jacob Keller Ella McPhillips Radell Tasa Lauren Veik Mandi Wieser Tim Zach	13 Korbyn Westring	14 Bill Albracht Steele Sunderman	15 Myles Ott	16 Karen Gronenthal Stephanie Jarecki Noah Harding Evelyn Hemmer Carol Wemhoff
17 Randy Bender Harlee Brandl Patricia Brandl Brenleigh Podliska Blayke Wegener	18	19 Scott Weidner	20	21 Jamie Sunderman	22 Karen Wieser	23 Marge Albracht Dave Classen Peyton Foltz Kent Korth Zackery Lindsley Marcia Schrant Mayson Veik Cara Wegener
24 Paul Krings Nathan Preister	25 Josie Fischer Sage Fischer Ainsley Huettner Sarah Huettner Nichole Korth	26 Jenny Baumgart Joan Dohmen Tiffani Wiehn Rylan Wieseler	27 Gary Braun Matthew Brockhaus Justin Foltz Camille Keller Shane McPhillips	28 Susan Braun Brenda Eller Jennifer Noonan Joe Ott Pam Pfeifer Jackie (Ted) Wegener	29 Marilyn Albers Blaise Braun Ruby Krings Camden Mundil	30 Ty Foltz Jerry Sander

St. Francis Grade School Board Minutes
September 3, 2024

The St. Francis grade school board met on Tuesday, September 3, 2024. Members present were Fr. Stan Schmit, Mrs. Jennifer Dunn, Jared Wiehn, Brent Reichmuth, Ann Olmer, Katie McPhillips and Diane Noonan.

Fr. Stan opened the meeting with a prayer.

The September agenda was approved.

School board minutes now need to be approved by the school board prior to them being put in the Tau for publication.

May and August minutes were approved.

MONTHLY REPORTS:

Administrator's Report:

Still working out the bugs for the Educate and TADS system, but overall it is going well; no equivalent to PAN. Some teachers have been utilizing Google chat for messaging. Parents can always email teachers directly.

Continuing with the Google calendar for parents and staff moving forward working with Educate/TADS staff to make a better version of the calendar for future use.

A new family joined our school, Koal and Jackie Weidner. First grader and third grader transferred from the public school.

FINANCES:

Fr. Stan stated not anything noted that is overly concerning. Will continue to watch finances overall.

Need to discuss further to potentially hire an elementary school principal for the next school year or increase secretary's role(s). Overall need more help as the class sizes have grown and need to be able to meet the demands of the grade school as well as the high school.

PRESIDENT COMMENTS:

Confirmation has been set for March 23, 2025, at 2 PM for all five parishes with Archbishop George Lucas present. Fr. Stan is discussing with Fr. Dan to have students interview prior to Confirmation.

First Communion is either the last Sunday of April or the first Sunday of May. Still discussing with Fr. Dan.

First Reconciliation: Continued conversations for what date(s) work for teachers. Either sometime in December or first part of January.

Fr. Stan has continued to see students in the grade school classrooms.

Preschool: Mrs. Dunn reached out for clarification on rules for getting preschool under the St. Francis wing. Mrs. Dunn is continuing to work on this further.

Recruiting for one more school board member. We are waiting for more applicants to proceed with a vote.

The next St. Francis grade school meeting is scheduled for October 8, 2024, at 7 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Katie McPhillips

St. Francis of Assisi Parish Pastoral Council Minutes
September 16, 2024

The meeting of the parish pastoral council was called to order by the president, Spencer Eisenmenger, at 7:07 PM on Monday, September 16, 2024. Fr. Stan led the opening prayer. Members present were Fr. Stan Schmit, Spencer Eisenmenger, Dan Fehringer, Sarah Kessler, Ann Olmer, Bryan Reichmuth, Steve Wieser and Kari Wieseler. Brad Stallbaumer and Erik Baumgart were excused. Several members of the finance board and Mrs. Dunn were also in attendance to discuss the topic surrounding the motor coach bus.

A big thank you to Dan Hastreiter who has donated a lot of time and materials to repair and keep the motor coach running since it was gifted to St. Francis. Prior to the start of this school year, the bus was taken to Navigator for repairs and a decision was needed on the amount of funding it will take to complete these repairs. Parts needed to complete a full repair are close to \$20,000, not including labor, so looking at close to \$45,000 to complete all repairs after a very thorough inspection. Lots of discussion was held regarding what could be done to ensure it could safely be released back onto the road, and which repairs could be completed later and put into a future budget. Mark Kuchar has agreed to go back to ask Navigator to prioritize the repairs on the current quote and he also offered to volunteer his own time to help with some of the labor to help keep cost down. Spencer Eisenmenger made a motion to proceed with the repairs if the total does not exceed the amount in our repair budget and the commitments received from several generous community members at the time of the meeting. The motion was seconded by Bryan Reichmuth, and nine members of those in attendance were in favor of this as well.

The minutes from the August 12, 2024, meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

School Board:

Everything is going well with the Educate and TADS systems. Teachers are still working out a few bugs. There is no Pass-A-Note option for messaging teachers, so parents now need to email teachers directly.

We are welcoming two new students, a 1st and 3rd grader, into our elementary. Koal and Jackie Weidner have transferred from Madison Public School.

Fr. Stan brought up the idea of potentially hiring an elementary school principal for next year. We are blessed with a growing elementary which is requiring more support. Discussion was held on whether the increased workload on Mrs. Dunn is due to the transition year or if this will continue going forward. No decision has been made at this time.

At the time of the September 3 school board meeting, there was still only one applicant for the open school board position, so there are not enough members to proceed with a vote.

Mrs. Dunn has reached out for clarification on the rules for getting the St. Francis preschool under the K-6 school system. School board continues to discuss this.

Finance Board:

Fr. Stan decided to move to quarterly meetings for the finance board. The next meeting is planned for October.

Development:

The Catholic Order of Foresters is planning this year's Big Red Bash for October 26. Blue and White Night invitations are planning to be sent out the first part of October with the event being planned for November 23. Both fundraisers are important for our schools.

OLD BUSINESS:

There were no updates at the time of the meeting regarding the Parish Cluster Parish Pictorial or church carpet.

There was a request by a community member for permission to pull weeds and clean up Fr. Wayne's sanctuary area. The council agreed that there would be no issue with this. Spencer Eisenmenger will reach out to the interested party to gain details about the potential ideas surrounding the clean up. If needed, there were other potential ideas for service projects, etc. surrounding this area of the high school.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Archdiocesan Annual Appeal is coming up in September though the end of the fiscal year. The 2024 goal for St. Francis parish is 33% participation and a monetary goal of \$31,320. The total goal for our parish family is \$67,500.

There was discussion held regarding the Nebraska Opportunity Scholarship. This option surrounds tax bill 753 and allows entities to offset their tax liability by 50% by designating the funds to a particular school. It looks as though the fund distribution needs to be decided by October, but Bryan Reichmuth and Spencer Eisenmenger are looking into more details surrounding this option and what it would take to educate our community in taking advantage of utilizing this opportunity.

PASTOR'S REPORT:

Classroom visits have begun this fall.

Fr. Stan will pass along annual appeal information as he receives it.

The Unity Mass went very well and the individuals from the parish cluster did a phenomenal job with planning and organizing the event. There was a great turnout and the weather was great for this celebration Mass.

Our Advancement director, Ashley Krings, will be assuming more of an over arching role for the entire parish family in regards to development of our parishes and schools. Fr. Stan and Ashley are in the process of forming an advisory board to assist with what and how we work through future developmental planning.

With some recent active shooter situations, the question was asked on whether there is something in place for the schools and Fr. Stan confirmed that there is an active shooter plan in place.

Mass times will change to the winter Mass schedule beginning in November.

The air conditioning has been installed in the gymnasium and is working very well. There was some concern about having the controls locked and only enabling certain individuals to have access. It was proposed that Fr. Stan, Mrs. Dunn and the athletic director/assistant athletic director have access to changing this.

Discussion was held on the frequency and attendance of the parish council.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at 7 PM.

The meeting adjourned at 9:11 PM with a prayer led by Fr. Stan.

Respectfully submitted,

Kari Wieseler, Sub Secretary

The Faithful Departed

November 1, 2023 to October 31, 2024

**“May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, Rest in peace.”**

In remembrance of those buried from our parish or in our parish cemeteries
in the last year, please pray for them and their families.

Names are listed in order of their entrance into eternal rest.

Mark Joseph Brockhaus
†December 8, 2023

Daniel Carrol Mausbach
†February 21, 2024

Clara Marie Wilkins
†June 3, 2008

Kenneth Edward Brandl
†December 17, 2023

Jamie Jewell Frey
†February 22, 2024

Virginia Claire Hittner
†August 29, 2024

Robert Joseph Mausbach
†January 13, 2024

Eleanor Susan Jaworski
†April 2, 2024

James “Jim” Max Babel
†September 2, 2024

Vernon John Haiar
†January 15, 2024

Vira James Heesacker
†April 23, 2024

Ronald Eugene Denkinger
†September 9, 2024

Fr. Vernon Olmer
†January 21, 2024

Shirley Ann Fischer
†May 10, 2024

Edeltraut M. Vyhlidal
†September 11, 2024

Catherine Evangeline Goering
†February 5, 2024

Georgia Ann Bender
†May 30, 2024

Marvin Joseph Classen
+October 24, 2024

In Remembrance

BOOK OF THE DEAD:

During November, we remember the faithful departed throughout our Christian tradition, the time of harvest is linked with God’s harvest; the gathering-in of the faithful. As is our custom, the Book of the Dead will be displayed in back of Church during November. We encourage you to enter into the book the names of loved ones who have *died this year*. We will display the book during the entire month of November and remember those listed through our prayers.

Lord, we thank You for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation. We thank You for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities.

We thank You for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes. We thank You, Lord: accept our Thanksgiving on this day. We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen [Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers](#)

At every Mass, we gather for “Thanksgiving,” which is the meaning of the word “Eucharist.” So, what better way is there to celebrate our national day of thanks than to come together as a parish family to celebrate the Eucharist? Our Thanksgiving Day liturgy will be celebrated at 9:30 AM. Put your turkey in the oven, and join your parish family at Mass!

Mass times are: **Thursday, November 28, Thanksgiving:**

8:00 AM—Holy Family, Lindsay

9:00 AM—St. Mary, Leigh

9:30 AM—St. Francis, Humphrey



Veteran's Day

Dear Lord,

Today we honor our Veterans, worthy men and women who gave their best when they were called upon to serve and protect their country. We pray that you will bless them, Lord, for their unselfish service in the continual struggle to preserve our freedoms, our safety, and our country's heritage for all of us. Bless them abundantly for the hardships they faced, for the sacrifices they made for their many different contributions to America's victories over tyranny and oppression. We respect them, we thank them, we honor them, we are proud of them, and we pray that you will watch over these special people and bless them and their families with peace and happiness.

Amen



With our celebration of the Solemnity of All Saints November 1, we begin our month-long remembrance of those who have died in the peace of Christ.

Mass times for this holy day of obligation are:

Thursday, October 31, All Saints Eve:

6:00 PM—St. Michael's, Tarnov

7:00 PM—Holy Family, Lindsay

Friday, November 1, All Saints:

8:10 AM & 5:30 PM—St. Francis, Humphrey

8:15 AM—Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Clarkson

10:00 AM—Holy Family, Lindsay

7:00 PM—St. Mary's, Leigh

Saturday, November 2, All Souls Day:

9:00 AM—St. Francis, Humphrey

9:00 AM—St. Mary's, Leigh

Everyone is invited to come join in prayer!



500 CLUB WINNERS For NOVEMBER 2024

Gary & Janet Zimmerer

Dave Veik

Tony & Lynn Teply

Loran & Carolyn Wemhoff



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Liturgical Ministers for November 2024 - December 2024

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.

Weekend	Lectors	Servers	E.M.H.C.	Hospitality/Greeters	Offertory
<u>Friday-All Saints Day</u> November 1, 2024 5:30 PM	Sharlene Hamling	Need three volunteers (Adult or children)	Deacon Kent Sachau Kevin Small	Francis & Connie Jaixen	Terry & Brenda Foltz
<u>Saturday-All Souls Day</u> November 2, 2024 9 AM	Gene McPhillips	Need three volunteers (Adult or children)	Need volunteer	_____	Need volunteer
<u>Saturday</u> November 2, 2024 6:15 PM	Bob Haiar	Kayden Frauendorfer Olivia Braun Grace Braun	Deacon Kent Sachau Sally Classen	Tim & Anita Brandl	Larry & Sharlene Hamling
<u>Sunday</u> November 3, 2024 10 AM	Ginny Fehringer	Brenna Wieseler Gavin Geilenkirchen Mason Geilenkirchen	Deacon Tim Howard Jennifer Dunn	Betty Brockhaus Laurie Eisenmenger	Ken & Sarah Classen
<u>Saturday</u> November 9, 2024 6:15 PM	Makenna Wietfeld	Kelsey Kosch Jordi Jo Reichmuth Olivia Braun	Dean Korus Alan Ternus	Joe & Lori Classen	Barry & Radell Tasa
<u>Sunday</u> November 10, 2024 10 AM	Kim Jarosz	Bennett Brandl Wyatt Brandl Knox Bruland	Deacon Kent Sachau Jackson Schnitzler	Lynn Teply Mary Helen Fuchs	Ryan & Sheila Goetsch
<u>Saturday</u> November 16, 2024 6:15 PM	Rita Keller	Camden Mundil Kenna Olmer Max Wegener	Deacon Dennis Anderson Jayne Ternus	Dean & Ann Preister	Dick & Evelyn Hemmer
<u>Sunday</u> November 17, 2024 10 AM	Jonathan Krings	Jacob Classen Jameson Dunn Jett Dunn	Halee Schnitzler Taylor Werner	Mike & Natalie Ramaekers	Scott & Tanya Babel
<u>Saturday</u> November 23, 2024 5 PM	Dave Krings	Emerie Small Jameson Small Alivia Wiehn	Deacon Dennis Anderson Missy Braun	Jerry & Jane Sander	Ted & Jackie Wegener

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<u>Sunday</u> November 24, 2024 10 AM	Gene McPhillips	Trevor Czarnick Tucker Czarnick Jadyn Olmer	Deacon Louie Dohmen Alison Reigle	Jim & Lisa Classen	Schuyler Wegener Jim & Michele Wegener
<u>Thursday-Thanksgiving</u> November 28, 2024 9:30 AM	Larry Korth	Carter Howard Harrison Howard Jaiden Anderson	Deacon Tim Howard Chelsea Werner	JoJo & Jennifer Dunn	Roger & Rita Baumgart
<u>Saturday</u> November 30, 2024 6:15 PM	Bruce Pfeifer	Cade Wietfeld Tate Wietfeld Tyson Wietfeld	Haley Schrage Russ Wilshusen	Mike & Carmen Foltz	Harold & Joan Wemhoff
<u>Sunday</u> December 1, 2024 10 AM	Todd Preister	Dominick Preister Jacob Preister Nathan Preister	Deacon Kent Sachau Jonathan Krings	Jeanne Brockhaus Mary Anne Haschke	John & Beth Keller
<u>Saturday</u> December 7, 2024 6:15 PM	Taylor Werner	Peyton Foltz Gavin Geilenkirchen Mason Geilenkirchen	Deacon Tim Howard Ella Foltz	Jim & Marcia Schrant	Lynn Teply Mary Ann Babel
<u>Sunday</u> December 8, 2024 10 AM	Alison Reigle	Milo Ramaekers Brisa Reigle Tate Schumacher	Ryan Goetsch Steve Wieser	Deb Huettner Jackson & Halee Schnitzler	Pat & Doris Wemhoff
<u>Sunday-Immaculate Conception</u> December 8, 2024 TBA (PM)	Ken Classen	Jameson Small Emerie Small Kenna Olmer	Deacon Kent Sachau Paul Eisenmenger	Lynn Teply Mary Helen Fuchs	Joan Duesman Corrine Haiar
<u>Saturday</u> December 14, 2024 6:15 PM	Matthew Brockhaus	Grant Keller Jacob Keller Kelsey Kosch	Deacon Kent Sachau Jeanne Brockhaus	Karen Werner Mary Korus	Tim & Anita Brandl
<u>Sunday</u> December 15, 2024 10 AM	Dustin Ternus	Claire Wegener Brenna Wieseler Kayden Frauendorfer	Deacon Tim Howard Sheila Goetsch	Ross & Sue Wegener	Randy & Katie Zach

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<u>Saturday</u> December 21, 2024 6:15 PM	Chris Braun	Jordi Jo Reichmuth Olivia Braun Grace Braun	Jett Dunn Michelle Meyer	Pat & Melissa Duesman	Elaine Eisenmenger Mary Classen
<u>Sunday</u> December 22, 2024 10 AM	Jordan Bender	Jaiden Anderson Bennett Brandl Wyatt Brandl	Sharon Wegener Karen Wieser	Dan & Ginny Fehringer	Alan & Jessica Anderson
<u>Tuesday-Christmas Eve</u> <u>Vigil Mass</u> December 24, 2024 5:30 PM	Need <u>One</u> Volunteer See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Four</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Five</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet Deacon Tim Howard	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers <u>See sign-up sheet</u> NEED TWO USHERS for Mass not to block elevator or exits from chairs.
<u>Wednesday-Christmas</u> December 25, 2024 Midnight Mass	Need <u>One</u> Volunteer See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Five</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Four</u> Volunteers Deacon Dennis & Celie Anderson	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet
<u>Wednesday-Christmas</u> December 25, 2024 10 AM	Need <u>One</u> Volunteer See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Four</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Six</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet	Need <u>Two</u> Volunteers See sign-up sheet
<u>Saturday</u> December 28, 2024 6:15 PM	Gage Braun	Olivia Braun Carter Howard Harrison Howard	Deacon Tim Howard Ava Hastreiter	Tim & Connie Foltz	Alan & Cheryl German
<u>Sunday</u> December 29, 2024 10 AM	Ethan Bruland	Knox Bruland Trevor Czarnick Tucker Czarnick	Deacon Dennis Anderson Glenn Heinen	Glenn & Joyce Ternus	Russ & Patty Korth
<u>Tuesday</u> <u>Solemnity of Mary</u> December 31, 2024 TBA	Ken Classen	Jocelyn Classen Kinley Classen Camden Mundil	Deacon Dennis Anderson Dustin Ternus	Milo & Rita Herink	Dave & Elaine Gilsdorf

Congratulations to the October 2024 Prize-A-Day Calendar Winners!

Cal. Date	Event	Amount	Calendar #	Winner	City	State
10/01	Weekday	\$50	245	Lori Wallin	Madison	NE
10/02	Weekday	\$50	770	Todd & Maria Preister Children	Humphrey	NE
10/03	Weekday	\$50	571	Bill & Amy Classen	Humphrey	NE
10/04	Feast of St. Francis of Assisi	\$1,000	514	Sue Wegener (Ross)	Humphrey	NE
10/05	Weekday	\$50	695	Loran & Carol Wemhoff	Humphrey	NE
10/06	Sunday	\$75	304	Marge Olmer	Humphrey	NE
10/07	Weekday	\$50	58	Don & Lori Maguire	Norfolk	NE
10/08	Weekday	\$50	693	Loran & Carol Wemhoff	Humphrey	NE
10/09	Weekday	\$50	109	Deacon Dennis & Celie Anderson	Humphrey	NE
10/10	Weekday	\$50	127	Cory Hassenstab	Humphrey	NE
10/11	Weekday	\$50	883	Mike & Sara Jaixen	Wayne	NE
10/12	Weekday	\$50	207	Eldon Engel	Columbus	NE
10/13	Sunday	\$75	725	Taylor Czarnick	Humphrey	NE
10/14	Weekday	\$50	131	Bruce & Patricia Reichmuth	Garden City	KS
10/15	Weekday	\$50	962	Ron & Jeannette Sjuts	Humphrey	NE
10/16	Weekday	\$50	746	John & Denise Klassen	Humphrey	NE
10/17	Weekday	\$50	83	Elaine & Dave Gilsdorf	Humphrey	NE
10/18	Weekday	\$50	313	Dave & Diane Noonan	Humphrey	NE
10/19	Weekday	\$50	717	Troy & Melissa Holgerson	Hutchinso	KS
10/20	Sunday	\$75	336	Larry & Sharlene Hamling	Creston	NE
10/21	Weekday	\$50	897	Kinley Merchant	Kearney	NE
10/22	Weekday	\$50	418	Mike & Sandy Classen	Humphrey	NE
10/23	Weekday	\$50	905	Carter Dalton	Coconut Creek	FL
10/24	Weekday	\$50	343	Janet & Doug Krueger	Stanton	NE
10/25	Weekday	\$50	335	Larry & Sharlene Hamling	Creston	NE
10/26	Weekday	\$50	537	Phyllis Shanle	Lindsay	NE
10/27	Sunday	\$75	645	Faye & Otto Preister	Gretna	NE
10/28	Weekday	\$50	824	Carter, Tanner & Jacob Classen	Humphrey	NE
10/29	Weekday	\$50	944	Baylor Ramaekers	Humphrey	NE
10/30	Weekday	\$50	566	Chad & Julie Sybrant	Kearney	NE
10/31	Weekday	\$50	214	Tyler & Marie Larson	Humphrey	NE

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OUR SANCTUARY LAMP in the
EUCCHARISTIC CHAPEL

burns in the month of
November 2024

by the request of and for the intentions of
Dave & Elaine Gilsdorf

in thanksgiving for a special intention

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
November 2024

by the request of and for the intentions of
Ann Denkinger

***in memory of +Gary Krings, +Tom Oberhauser
& +Ron 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
November 2024

by the request of and for the intentions of
Ron & Judi Brandl

in memory of +Vic Brandl Family

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
November 2024

by the request of and for the intentions of
Kent & Carolyn Korth

in memory of +Andrew "Cliff" Korth

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

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