



# St. Michael's St. Mary's

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**FEAST OF THE ARCHANGELS**

Sept. 30/Oct. 1, 2017

**St. Michael's and St. Mary's Parishes** would like to extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting us or are new to the area. If you are not currently registered at St. Michael's or St. Mary's and consider this your Parish, please call the Rectory at (402) 729-2058.

**St. Mary's Parish Council:** Duane Bartek & Ritchie Burkhart

*Trustees:* Bob VanWesten and Bob Bachle

**St. Mary's PCCW:** Deb Vanwesten

**St. Michael's Parish Council:** Mary Prellwitz, John Ragland, Deb Jones, Megan Grant, Mary Mach, Eddie Lytle.

*Trustees:* Keith Mach and Randy Prellwitz

**St. Michael's PCCW:** Beth Hansmire

**Knights of Columbus:** Randy Prellwitz

**CCD Coordinator:** Beth Hansmire

**Confession schedule:** Saturday 4:45 PM to 5:15 PM

## Ministers' Schedules for October 8/9, 2017

	5:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
<b>Acolyte</b>	Joe Busing	Bob VanWesten	Randy Prellwitz
<b>Lector</b>	Randy Prellwitz	Rhonda Burkhardt	Ronn Brackle
<b>Server</b>	Adlo Ramos	.	CJ Goeking
<b>Server</b>			Devin Wanamaker
<b>Music</b>	Mary Banahan	Lorrie Hofstetter	Janice Bell
<b>Gifts/Greeters</b>	Dianna Armstrong	John & Dona Rut	Barb Arner
<b>Collection</b>	Father Birkel		
<b>Church Cleaning for October – Deb VanWesten</b>			

## Mass intentions for the week of Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>

<b>Monday</b>	NO MASS	NO MASS	<b><u>NO MASS</u></b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b><u>8:00 AM</u></b>	<b><u>St. Michael's</u></b>	<b><u>Lauren Hubka</u></b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	Noon	St. Michael's	Special Intention
<b>Thursday</b>	5:30 pm	St. Michael's	Special Intention
<b>Friday</b>	Noon	St. Michael's	Special Intention
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00 AM 5:30PM	St. Michael's	The Seven Sisters Special Intention
<b>Sunday</b>	8:00 AM	St. Mary's	People of the Parishes
<b>Sunday</b>	10:00 AM	St. Michael's	Charlie Barringer+

*If you or someone you know would like our parish family to join you in prayer for their special needs, please contact the parish office.*

### **Please pray for:**

Randy Wilhelm  
Vonia Scheer  
Evelyn Birkel

Frank Kosmacek  
Steve Graff  
Bob Gibson

Eddie Lytle  
Tom Huber  
Rozella Prellwitz

- **BULLETIN:** If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 729-2058 or email [st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com](mailto:st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com). Deadline for additions - Thursday by 10:00 AM.
- **ADOPT A PRIEST:** Our Deanery is taking part in the "Adopt a Priest" program. St. Michael's has adopted **Fr. Leo Seiker**; please keep him in your prayers.

# Parish News & Upcoming Events

## Parish collection data:

9-24-17	<u>St. Michael's</u>	<u>St. Mary's</u>
Adult	\$806.00	\$260.00
Plate	38.00	99.50
Children	14.00	
Hurricane Relief	320.00	
Debt Reduction	500.00	
<b>Total</b>	\$1,678.00	\$359.50

<b>Debt Reduction Current Totals:</b>	<b>Loan Pmt - 12/17</b>
	<b>\$17,360.33</b>
Joy of the Gospel Rebates	4,327.38
Debt Reduction Envelopes	7,005.00
<b>Balance Needed to Pay loan</b>	<b>\$6,027.95</b>

### ***THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:***

The love which the Apostle Paul celebrates in the first letter to the Corinthians--- the love which is "patient" and "kind" and "endures all things"--- is certainly a demanding love. But this is precisely the source of its beauty: by the very fact that it is demanding it builds up the true good of man and allows it to radiate to others.

Pope Saint John Paul II

**The Bishop's Appeal for Vacations** has been made an assessment to the parishes. For St Michael's the assessment is \$3,800.00 & for St Mary's the assessment is \$880.00. What that means is, if we do not raise the full amount, then the parishes will have to pay the

full amount out of our checking accounts. Since they are assessments, any money that comes in for these collections will NOT be assessed as our general income is. So, you actually save the parish 10% by making your donation to the BAV.

**PCCW MEETING** October 16. The committee is Janet Beranek and Mary Prellwitz. Rosary at 6:30pm and meeting at 7:00pm.

**ST. MICHAEL'S** will host Father Sean Kilcawley who will give a talk on the Theology of the Body, Tuesday October 17<sup>th</sup>; 7:00-8:30. We plan to meet in the Parish Center. This talk is for adults & teens.

**LDCCW OCTOBER PRO-LIFE DIAPER DRIVE** The LDCCW is sponsoring the 8th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive, collecting diapers throughout the month of October in each of the Lincoln Diocese parishes. The assistance of everyone in the Lincoln Diocese is requested. Donations will be shared with the Pregnancy Centers approved by the Bishop's Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities and Catholic Social Services across the Diocese and St. Gianna Women's Homes. Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.

**UNBOUND 2-DAY CONFERENCE:**

Participants will learn about Unbound through live presentations & videos and how it teaches 5 simple "keys" to break the chains of emotional, spiritual and mental bondage and unlock the doors to freedom. Join us at St. Vincent de Paul's Parish-Seward, NE Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>- 6-9pm & Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> - 8-5pm. The event is free & registration is required. Please register at: [www.lincolndiocese.org/unbound](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/unbound)

**MOTHER-DAUGHTER** Chastity program Nov 12th 2-4:30 @ John XXIII. The program

explores God's special gift of human fertility and becoming a woman. Cost is \$20/child or \$30/family (non-refundable). Reservations are required by November 5th. Space is limited. Please contact Jennifer Davis @ 402-261-6375 or [jmdavis17@gmail.com](mailto:jmdavis17@gmail.com) to register.

**12 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY AND THE VATICAN**

roundtrip from Lincoln June 4-15, 2018. Priest escort Fr. Rand Langhorst. See Rome, Vatican, Assisi, Eucharistic Miracle Sites, San Giovanni Rotondo (Padre Pio), and Cascia. \$3795.00 per person double occupancy. Includes flights, lodgings, breakfast and dinner daily. Please make contact to be sent an electronic brochure (or one by postal mail) [fr.randlanghorst@gmail.com](mailto:fr.randlanghorst@gmail.com). To register [ww.tektonministries.org](http://ww.tektonministries.org)

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