



# St. Michael's & St. Mary's

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28<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 8/9, 2016

***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 729-2058.*

**St. Mary's Parish Council:** Duane Bartek, Ritchie Burkhart, Peggy Niederklein, Rhonda Burkhart and Donna Rut Trustees: Bob VanWesten and Bob Bachle

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

**St. Michael's Parish Council:** Mary Mach, Eddie Lytle, Devin Lovgren, Doug Kapke, LeAnn Krause, Dave Panko, Deb Jones, Megan Grant Trustees: Keith Mach and Randy Prellwitz

**St. Michael's PCCW:** Linda McMurphy

Knights of Columbus: Dan Arner

**CCD Coordinator:**

**Confession schedule:** Saturday 4:45 PM to 5:15 PM Sunday 7:45 AM

## Ministers' Schedules for October 15/16, 2016

|  | 5:30 PM                  | 8:00 AM             | 10:00 AM              |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Acolyte</b>                                     | Ronn Brackle             | Bob VanWesten       | James Huber           |
| <b>Lector</b>                                      | Randy Prellwitz          | Rhonda Burkhardt    | Lorraine Borch        |
| <b>Server</b>                                      | Brock Beed               |                     | Paul Mach             |
| <b>Server</b>                                      | Connor Gerths            |                     | Devin Wanamaker       |
| <b>Music</b>                                       | Mary Banahan             | Lorrie Hofstetter   | Janice Bell           |
| <b>Gifts/Greeters</b>                              | Annette Barber           | Gary & Carol Peppie | Ron & Shana Rickstrew |
| <b>Collection</b>                                  | Doug Kapke/Devin Lovgren |                     |                       |
| <b>Church Cleaning for October - Deb VanWesten</b> |                          |                     |                       |

## Mass intentions for the week of Oct 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>

|                  |          |               |                              |
|------------------|----------|---------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Monday</b>    |          | St. Michael's | <b>NO MASS</b>               |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 12:10 PM | St. Michael's | Gregory Oswald+              |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 12:10 PM | St. Michael's | Rosalie Hamm+                |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 5:30 PM  | St. Michael's | Fr. Jerome Murray+           |
| <b>Friday</b>    | 12:10 PM | St. Michael's | Speci<br>al Intention of KSP |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | 5:30 PM  | St. Michael's | William Kozell+              |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | 8:00 AM  | St. Mary's    | People of the Parish's       |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | 10:00 AM | St. Michael's | Jim Cortney+                 |

*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  
Mary Ann Muller

Frank Kosmacek  
Denny Kofler

Eddie Lytle  
Tom Huber

- **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:

|  | <u>10/2/16</u>      | <u>St. Michael's</u> | <u>St. Mary's</u> |
|--|---------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Loan Payment to be made December - \$17,360.33 | Adult               | \$2,320.00           | \$430.00          |
| St Michael's Debt                              | Plate               | 50.00                | 31.00             |
| Reduction current total                        | Children            | 3.00                 |                   |
| \$9,443.27                                     | Rita Stone memorial | 2,525.00             |                   |
|  | Debt Reduction      | 290.00               |                   |
|  | <b>Total</b>        | \$5,188.00           | \$461.00          |

**Amount needed to make December loan Payment - \$7,917.06**

**Thought of the Week:** Be careful, therefore, to take part only in the one Eucharist; for there is only one flesh of Our Lord Jesus Christ and one cup to unite us with His blood, one altar and one bishop with the presbyters and deacons, who are His fellow servants. Then, whatever you do, you will do according to God.

*– St. Ignatius of Antioch*

**Rosary for the month** of October, to honor Our Blessed Mother, Mary. Please sign-up to lead a Rosary before Mass.

**Intellectual Disabilities Weekend:** The Knights of Columbus will be accepting donations to support this state wide fund to benefit children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Knights will be collecting donations before Mass this weekend Oct 8 & 9. The following organizations received \$10,000.00 each last year: Special Olympics of Nebraska, Madonna School, Villa Marie, S.M.I.L.E. Inc, and Mosaic. 50% of the funds will be returned to this Council, and be forwarded to Villa Marie. In appreciation of your support, a Tootsie Roll is given.

**PCCW annual Soup Luncheon** will be held on October 23<sup>rd</sup> in the school gym after Mass.

**Pancakes after Mass:** The Knights of Columbus will be serving pancakes, sausage, juice & coffee after Mass this weekend Oct 9.

**Knights of Columbus Meeting:** The Knights of Columbus will meet at 7:00 on Oct 11 at 7:00 pm in the parish center. Rosary

in the chapel at 6:30. If you are interested in learning about the Knights and want to attend, contact one of the officers.

**Keep Christ in Christmas:** the Knights of Columbus will begin sales of Religious Christmas Cards to raise funds for Seminarian Support the weekend of October 15-16, 2016 and continue for approximately six (6) weeks. A selection of approximately twelve (12) different designs and messages will be available at the inception of sales and while each design lasts. Be certain to make your selection early! Color brochures will be available on the Bulletin Table. Car magnets will also be on sale along with the Cards. Ronn Brackle will be the Chairman for this drive this year. If you wish to contact Ronn directly, call him at either 402-729-2228 (Office) or 402-729-2585 (Home). He would be happy to arrange for private/direct sales. Ronn plans to be available before and after Masses for two (2) weeks beginning on October 15, 2016 and will also make the cards available at Oct/Nov pancake feeds and parish brunch's, and the PCCW soup luncheon.

**Our Christmas bazaar** is in planning mode. If anyone would have an item to be used as a raffle item, please notify Janice Bell or Donna Winslow. Gift certificates, cash or homemade items are welcome. Our lists and tickets will be printed by mid-October. Thank you, Janice.

**The annual Christmas Bazaar** is expanding this year! This year we are opening up our doors to vendors and crafters which will be in addition to the traditional cookie walk, coffee, and rolls. This will allow our parishioners and community members an opportunity to gather, mingle, and shop for holiday gifts, crafts, and food at St. Michael's while supporting the PCCW. If interested in receiving more information about reserving a booth or if you just have questions, please contact Raven Gerths @ 402-380-4691 or Beth Hansmire @ 402-300-0868.

**PCCW Meeting** October 17, 2016 in the center. Rosary 6:30pm and meeting at 7:00pm

**Fairbury Red Cross Bloodmobile** on Tuesday, October 11, 2016 from 11:30am- 5:30pm at the Fairbury Elks Lodge located at 525 G Street. Call Verna at 402-729-2550 for appt.

**October is Pro-Life month** Bring in (to the grocery cart in the vestibule) Diapers and support Nebraska Pro-Life Organizations and Catholic Social Services.

**Leadership Training sponsored by LDCCW:** Saturday, Nov 5, 2016 at St. Ann's Parish Hall, 202 N. 5th, Doniphan, NE. Click on the Leadership Training tab on the LDCCW web page [tiny.cc/LDCCW](http://tiny.cc/LDCCW) to register or contact Ann Jansky at [arjansky@gmail.com](mailto:arjansky@gmail.com) or 402-826-0219 (cell) with questions. Cost is \$30 for the day.