



St. Michael's / St. Mary's

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

Palm Sunday

April 14, 2019

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. Michael's Parish Council: Chris Goeking, LeAnn Krause, Mary Prellwitz, John Ragland, Deb Jones, and Megan Grant

Trustees: Keith Mach and Randy Prellwitz

St. Mary's PCCW: Deb Vanwesten

BULLETIN: If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 402 729-2058 or email 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

Knights of Columbus: Randy Prellwitz

St. Michael's PCCW: Carmen Ragland

CCD Coordinator: Beth Hansmire

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SUNDAY

Monday of Holy Week No Mass

Tuesday of Holy Week Noon – Mass for Special Intention

Wednesday of Holy Week Noon- Mass for Al & Phyllis Boerner+

**SACRED TRIDUUM OF THE LORD'S LAST SUPPER, PASSION
DEATH & RESURRECTION**

Holy Thursday

7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper, adoration till midnight.

Good Friday 12:00 Noon Stations of the Cross Fairbury

5:30pm Alexandria Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

7:00pm Fairbury Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday, The Great Vigil of Easter 8:30PM Fairbury

Mass for the People of the Parishes

Easter Sunday Morning 8:00am Alexandria

Mass for a Special Intention

10:00am Fairbury

Mass for Pat Stolzer

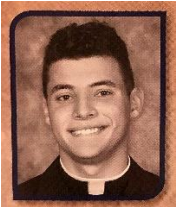
Parish collection data:			Debt Reduction	Loan Payment
April 7, 2019	St. Michael's	St. Mary's	Loan Total	86,801.68
Adult	\$1,320.00	\$250.00	Current Totals: Due Dec. 2019	\$17,360.33
Loose Plate	159.46	18.00	Joy of the Gospel Rebates	5,174.53
Children			Debt Reduction Envelopes	6,590.59
Online Giving	50.00		Amount needed for 2019 Payment	\$5,595.21
Cemetery			PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION	
Easter Flowers	25.00		It takes \$2,089.36 a week to run St. Michael's Parish.	
Debt Reduction	385.00		Operation Cost	\$2,089.36
Total	\$1,889.46	\$268.00	This week's Collection	\$1,504.46
			SHORTAGE!!	\$584.90

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: "Tell the daughter of Zion, Your king comes to you without display astride an ass, astride a colt, the fowl of a beast of burden." – Matthew 21:5

Please pray for:

Frank Kosmacek * Eddie Lytle * Vonja Scheer * Steve Graff * Megan Vales
 Tom Huber * Evelyn Birkel * Bob Gibson * Paul Prellwitz * Tim Cary * Jonie Bachle
 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 VOCATIONS



ANDREW THOMAS OJEDA
 son of Tony & Cindy Ojeda
 from St. Mary Parish in
 Denton, NE is in his 3rd year
 of College at Gregory the
 Great Seminary.

Easter Sunday Ministry Assignments

	St. Mary's	St. Michael's
Acolyte	Bob VanWesten	See sign-up sheets
Lector	Scott DeWald	
Music	Lorrie Hofstetter	
Gifts/Greet	Doris DeWald Brent Bachle	
Collection	Megan Grant & Deb Jones	

THANK YOU TO GINA GIFFORD who painted the chapel!

OUR MONSTRANCE needs to be re-plated. It will cost about \$2,000. If anyone would like to do that, please let me know.

HOLY WEEK Sign-up sheets in the back of church.

APRIL PCCW MEETING will be Monday, April 15th. Hostesses are Cathy Barringer and Janice Bell. Join us for an evening of fellowship.

PENANCE SERVICES

Fairbury Palm Sunday 1:00-1:30pm
 Beatrice Palm Sunday 3:00-5:00pm
 Hebron Tuesday of Holy Week 7:00-8:00pm

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be having a pancake feed on Palm Sunday, following Mass. There will be pancakes, eggs, biscuits and gravy, sausage, and juice. This is a free will donation.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES OF SOUTHERN NEBRASKA is now accepting monetary donations to assist those affected by the horrific and ongoing flood/storm damage in Nebraska. Checks may be mailed to us at our administrative offices (2241 O St. Lincoln NE 68510) OR you may donate via our website link below. If donating by check, be sure to list "flood relief" in your check memo. If donating online, designate "flood relief" in the "specific designation for your gift" field. God bless you for your support and continued prayers! https://www.cssisus.org/what_you_can_do/donate.html

FREE SHOWING OF THE PASSION OF THE CHRIST and **WON'T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR** *The Passion of Christ* -Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00pm, at the Hebron Majestic in Hebron, NE.
Won't You be my Neighbor - at the Bonham Theatre on Wednesday, April 17th at 7:00pm. Both free movies sponsored by Johnson Family Vision Care.

ST. ANNE'S ALTAR SOCIETY of Hebron is having their annual Chicken Pie Dinner on Sunday, April 28th from 11:00am-1:00pm at the Sacred Heart fellowship hall at 4th and Eads Ave.