



St. Michael's / St. Mary's

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

Holy Trinity Sunday

May 30, 2021

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 -Wednesday by 9:00 AM.

ADOPT A PRIEST: Our Deanery is taking part in the "Adopt a Priest" program. St. Michael's has adopted Fr. Leo Seiker; Please pray for him.

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 Higgins, Bethany Hansmire, LeAnn Krause, Mary Prellwitz and John Ragland.

Trustees: Chris Goeking and Randy Prellwitz

St. Michael's PCCW: Mary Prellwitz

St. Mary's PCCW: Deb Vanwesten

Knights of Columbus: Randy Prellwitz

CCD Coordinator: Georgann Friedrichsen

Parish collection data: May 23, 2020			Debt Reduction		Loan Payment	
Adult	\$1,160.00	\$395.00	Loan Total as of January 2021		\$52,081.02	
Loose Plate	52.00	75.00	Joy of the Gospel Rebates		10,050.40	
Online Giving	137.00		Debt Reduction Envelopes		9,571.00	
Building Upkeep			Due Dec. 31, 2021		\$17,360.33	
Cemetery		550.00	2021 Loan payment of \$17,360.33 has been reached!			
Holy Day			AMOUNT TOWARDS DECEMBER 2022 PAYMENT		\$2,261.07	
Building			PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION			
Debt Reduction	100.00		It takes \$2,039.84 a week to run St. Michael's Parish.			
Total	\$1,449.00	\$1,020.00	Operation Cost		\$2,039.84	
			This week's Collection		\$1,349.00	
			Shortage!!		\$690.84	

Please pray for: Eddie Lytle * Jo Nease

Mr & Mrs Wayne Severson * Lee Rine * Tim Cary

Paul Prellwitz * Steve Graff * Duke Williams

Patty McMurphy Barnts * Mikey Bray

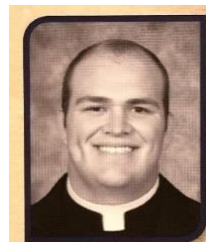
Joshua Black * Jose Bonilla * Mary Kay Bedlan

Alejandra Ramos * Heather Cochran

Isaac Robertson * Wilma Bonilla

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

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



Paul Mach
College 3
St. Gregory the Great



REV. MR.
JOHN
PANKRATZ JR.

SR. MEGAN THERESE of Elkhorn, NE who is a Jr. Sister and **SR. JOY LE** of Lincoln, NE who is a Novice both at Marian Sisters of the Diocese of Lincoln.

Mass Intentions for May 31st - June 6th

Monday	No Mass	NO Mass
Tuesday	5:30pm	Special intention of G.G.
Wednesday	Noon	Special Intention of Matthew Davis
Thursday	8:00am	Special Intention
Friday	5:30pm	Special Intention
Saturday	5:30pm	People of the Parishes
Sunday	8:00am	Special Intention of Gennie Cuba
	10:00am	The United States of America
St. Michael's Minister's Schedule for June 3rd - 4th		
	5:30pm	8:00pm
Acolyte	Ronn Brackle	Randy Prellwitz
Lector	Ronn Brackle	Randy Prellwitz
Server	Aldo Ramos	
Music	Mary Prellwitz	LeAnne Krause

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

Whatever you possess must not possess you; whatever you own must be under the power of your soul; for if your soul is overpowered by the love of this world's goods, it will be totally at the mercy of its possessions.

-St Gregory the Great

FATHER BIRKEL CELEBRATE HIS 25 YEARS as a priest. Give him a card, pray for him, say a rosary, or give him a spiritual bouquet. There will be a basket in the back of church for cards.

KERMES HISPANIC FESTIVAL is on Saturday, June 26th at the Haymarket Park in Lincoln from 10:00am to 10:00pm.

UNVEILED Now offered in-person AND virtually via livestream! Discover how the great mystery of Christ's love can restore passion, purpose and intimacy in your marriage. This retreat is open to singles discerning marriage, dating and engaged couples, and couples who have been married for many years! The Newman Center – St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church is hosting this Unveiled retreat July 15-17, 2021. Learn more and register for this amazing experience at: www.jpilhealingcenter.org.

DIOCESAN CANOE TRIP is open to high school youth and college students. Adults are also invited along as sponsors/drivers. Join us in a couple of lazy days along the Niobrara River, along with

fellowship, Mass and a lot of fun! Hurry, because space is limited: July 11-13, 2021 [20 spots remaining] and July 13-15, 2021 [58 spots remaining] are the two options. To register go to www.lincolndiocese.org/canoe

DAY OF GRACE FOR MOMS IN TRANSITION On June 5th, 2021, from 9-4 at the John XXIII Diocesan Center. This day long retreat is for moms of high school juniors and above and will address the spiritual implications of the changes accompanying your children leaving home. Cost is \$35 or \$10 for virtual. More info at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/transitionmoms>

ARE YOU LONGING FOR AN ENCOUNTER WITH JESUS? Do you need the space to pray and worship the Lord? “Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble of heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light” (Matthew 11:28-30). Jesus is yearning to meet you in your longing for Him. Join us as we pour our hearts to the Lord in adoration and worship during IMF's (International Missionary Foundation) nights of prayer and praise. All are welcome to one or more of the nights at John XXIII Chapel, 3700 Sheridan Boulevard. The dates are June 4, July 2 and August 6 from 8:00-9:30pm.