



St. Michael's / St. Mary's

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

14th Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 3, 2022

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

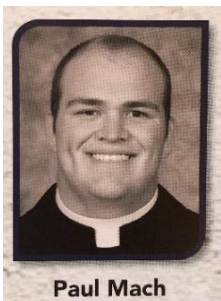
Parish collection data: June 26, 2022			Debt Reduction		Loan Payment	
Adult	\$1,511.00	\$ 560.00	Loan Total as of January 2022		\$34,720.69	
Loose Plate	104.00	5.00	Joy of the Gospel Rebates		\$4,386.07	
Online Giving	57.00		Debt Reduction Envelopes		\$6,752.00	
Cemetery		250.00	Due Dec. 31, 2022		\$17,360.33	
Holy Day Building			AMOUNT TOWARDS DECEMBER 2022 PAYMENT		\$11,138.07	
Debt Reduction			PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION			
Total	\$1,672.00	\$815.00	It takes \$2,039.84 a week to run St. Michael's Parish.			
			Operation Cost per week		\$2,039.84	
			This Week's Collection		\$1,672.00	
			Shortage		\$367.84	

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Jo Nease * Mary Kay Bedlan
Derek Lempka * Jeanette Steele

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

SR. PHILOMENA OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS from Auburn, KS and **SR. MARY ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY** from Park Hills, KY are both Novices with the Sisters of the Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Religious Order.



Paul Mach

PAUL MACH is the son of Keith & Mary Mach of St. Teresa Parish in Lincoln, NE but grew up here at St. Michael's Parish in Fairbury, NE. He is in his 1st Year of Theology at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in Philadelphia.

Mass Intentions for July 4 th - 10 th		
Monday	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	No Mass	No Mass
Wednesday	Noon	Carmen Juarez+
Thursday	9:00am	Larry Hauschel+
Friday	9:00am	Jim Williams+
Saturday	9:00am 5:30pm	Alexandria: Special Intention Joe Hergott+
Sunday	8:00am 10:00am Noon	Babies Born & Unborn People of the Parishes Latin: Special Intention
St. Michael's Minister's Schedule for July 9/10		
	5:30pm	10:00am
Acolyte	Ronn Brackle	Randy Prellwitz
Lector	Ronn Brackle	Randy Prellwitz
Server	Aldo Ramos	
Music	Mary Prellwitz	LeAnne Krause
St. Mary's Church Cleaning for July Volunteer Needed		

ST MICHAEL'S has a chapel. We have daily Mass in this chapel. It is located under the church. It is accessed through doors on the west end of the church.

I SEND OUT MY HOMILIES Daily via email. If you would like to receive them, please email me at frbirk1@hotmail.com

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

The better to combat this Spirit of the world we must read and meditate upon the Gospel maxims and live according to them as perfectly as possible. Then indeed shall we be prepared to yield ourselves to the guidance of the Holy Ghost. -*Father Tanqueray*

ST. MICHAEL'S CSA UPDATE As of June 30, St. Michael's has pledged \$7,868.60 towards their goal of \$6,120.00. Thank you to everyone for their pledges.

FRAUD UPDATE from the Lincoln Diocese. Be aware they have received a few reports of an impersonation of the bishop in which they have been requesting gift cards. If this happens to you hang up and call the Diocese direct if you have questions.

ONLINE GIVING LINK UPDATE: If you are giving online, please use the updated link: <https://www.osvhub.com/stmichaelsfairbury/funds>

THE ELECTRONIC LOCK on the school is not working. It now requires a key to enter.

THE FAMILY OF CARMEN JUAREZ would like to thank all those who assisted Carmen in anyway over the years. We appreciate all the prayers, Mass cards, donations and all the wonderful things you all said about our Aunt. She was truly blessed to have all of you in her life. Memorials were given to the Fairbury Animal Clinic and the Homeless No More Cat Rescue in Fairbury in her name.

- *Sincerely Margo Aguilera, Elizabeth Aguilera, Susan Aguilera-Robles and Family.*

COLLECTION FOR ST. GIANNA'S HOME: The Knights of Columbus will be collecting bath soap, shampoos and moisturizers. These are the small items you get when staying in hotel/motels as you travel throughout the summer. Where possible ask front desk or housekeeping for extra explaining who they are for. A collection box will be placed in the church August 6/7. Thank you for your help.

EUCCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGES TO MEXICO CITY! The US Bishops have called for a Eucharistic Revival over the next 3 years. In this spirit, there will be 3 Eucharistic Pilgrimages to Mexico City this year. We'd love to have you join us as we ask Our Blessed Mother for a truly transformational experience! October 2-7, 2022 with Fr. Ben Holdren, October 8-13, 2022 with Fr. Carson Kain, October 20-25, 2022 with Fr. Jay Buhman. Email olgeucharisticpilgrimage@gmail.com for details. Please email early as limited seating is available.

SPIRIT CATHOLIC RADIO invites you to hear Catholic Answers Senior Apologist, Tim Staples, speak on "The Eucharist in the Fathers of the Church" at Pius X High School (Gymnasium) on Thursday, July 28, at 7pm. Tickets are \$5, or bring your friends and reserve 5 tickets for \$20. Tickets can be purchased at spiritcatholicradio.com

WORLD YOUTH DAY, 2023! The dates for the next World Youth Day in Portugal have been announced, and our diocesan trip is ready to start taking registrations! Our trip will be from July 24 through August 9, 2023, and includes a side trip to Fatima. For more information or to register, please go to <https://www.lincolndiocese.org/pilgrimages/world-youth-day>

FAIRBURY RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE Tuesday, July 12th from 11:30am to 5:30pm at the Fairbury Elks Lodge - 525 G St. For Appt. call 402-729-2592.