

FAMILY OF CHURCHES



ST. PAUL THE APOSTLE, PLAINVIEW
ST. MARY OF THE SEVEN DOLORS,
OSMOND
ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL,
RANDOLPH
ST. MICHAEL, COLERIDGE
HOLY TRINITY, HARTINGTON
ST. PETER, NEWCASTLE
ST. JOSEPH, PONCA

Mass Schedule & Intentions

MONDAY **APRIL 15**

1:30pm Mass - Plainview Nursing Home
† Finton & Bernard Hoelsing

TUESDAY **APRIL 16**

8:05am Mass - Holy Trinity - Hart (C: 7:40am)
L/D Don Bruning Family

8:15am Mass - St Mary - Osmond (C: 7:50am)
Sp. Int. Alex Christensen

WEDNESDAY **APRIL 17**

6:30pm Mass - St Joseph - Ponca
† Mike Jackson

6:30pm Mass - St J Frances - Rand
† Lawrence & Rick Kuchta

THURSDAY **APRIL 18**

8:05am Mass - Holy Trinity - Hart (C: 7:40am)
† Beata Lammers

L/D Leon Schrempf Family
8:15am Mass - St Mary - Osmond (C: 7:50am)
† Joyce Hunke

FRIDAY **APRIL 19**

9:00am Mass - St Peter - Newcastle (C: 8:40am)
Sp. Int. Rachele & Shawn Hanley Family

SATURDAY **APRIL 20**

6:00pm Mass - Holy Trinity - Hart (C: 5:15pm)
L/D Richard & Kathy Huss Family

6:00pm Mass - St Paul - Plainview (C: 5:30pm)
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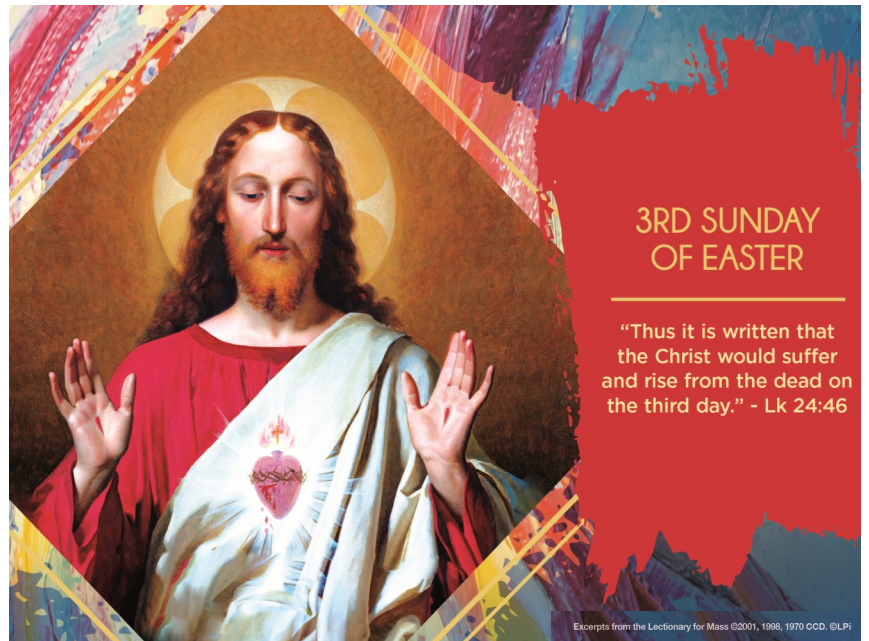
SUNDAY **APRIL 21**

8:00am Mass - St Joseph - Ponca (C: 7:30am)
† Lola Tweet

8:00am Mass - St J Frances - Rand (C: 7:30am)
L/D Roley & Rita Isom Family

10:30am Mass - Holy Trinity - Hart (C: 10:00am)
† David Lammers

10:30am Mass - St Mary - Osmond (C: 10:00am)
† Eugene Schmit
† Hank Schmit



HOLY SPIRIT PARISHES INFORMATION

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Confession Schedule:
Confession times are noted as (C: time)

Sunday April 14, 2024

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK BY FR. OWEN KORTE

GOD NITE: The last of our God Nites is this coming April 17. St. Joseph in Ponca is the host site and St. Jane Frances in Randolph is the host site. Masses at both places begin at 6:30. All children and parents in the CCD program at St. Joseph and St. Peter are expected to attend at Ponca. All children and parents in the CCD program at St. Jane's, St. Mary and St. Paul are expected to attend at Randolph. No excuses, be there, show your kids you live your faith and sacrifice in order to do so.

GOD BLESS OUR PARISH SECRETARIES AND BUSINESS MANAGER & BOOKKEEPERS: The data they have is only as good as they can uncover. They try very hard to make contact with various groups and ministries so that the information put in the bulletin is correct. Please be proactive in getting them the information about anything that is coming up whether it's a parish fundraiser, school event, sacrament event, religious ed event, you name it.

FAMILY PASTORAL COUNCIL: Our next meeting is Thursday, April 18 at 6:00 pm. We will meet in Coleridge in St. Michael Church Basement. We will be talking about how we can move forward with our Evangelization Goal for our parishes and a few other important issues so we can best serve our parishes.

OUR FIRST HSCP ENGAGED RETREAT: I am so grateful to the Mentor Couples who have put together a great retreat for our parishes' Engaged Couples. Our Marriage Prep Program is second to none. We have each engaged couple choose a young married couple (hopefully with kids) to accompany them in three sessions run by the Mentor Couple (a more experienced couple from the parish who has gone through some training). All of these couples: Engaged, Accompaniment and Mentor are gathering for a day long retreat on April 20. The goal is to form Disciples for Jesus.

SENIOR MASS: Holy Trinity will have its Senior mass at 10:30a on Sunday April 28. Students from Holy Trinity who attend Cedar and HNPS are invited. Seniors from HNPS who are not technical from Holy Trinity are welcome as well. Just call the office so you are included.

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER



How to Fail Your Way to Heaven

You know what are some of my favorite moments in Scripture? The little “Easter eggs” of Jesus’ humanity, things like Jesus falling asleep, Jesus drawing in the sand, Jesus playing with kids. And how about Jesus rising from the dead, appearing to his disciples and saying, “So, have you got anything to eat?”

It’s right for us to always keep in mind that Jesus is God. But we also have to remember that he was man. He got hungry. He cried when he felt sad and laughed when he felt happy. He got tired. He got bored. Because he was God, none of those feelings ever led him into sin, like they do us. He never spent a car ride trying to pass the hours by seeing how annoyed he could make his older sister. He never smacked Peter over the head for saying something really stupid. But he did unleash some Biblically righteous anger on those traders in the temple, didn’t he? And he wasn’t shy about calling Peter “a Satan” when his friend tempted him to take the easy way out.

It’s the tightrope walk we all try to balance every day, honoring our human emotions while still answering God’s call to be better.

***Being perfect isn’t the domain of the Christian — that’s the domain of Christ only.
Trying and failing, then trying again (and failing again) and again and again?
That’s the domain of the Christian.***



POPE FRANCIS
PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

LORD of the Harvest,
BLESS young people with the gift of courage
to respond to your call. Open their hearts to
great ideals, to great things.

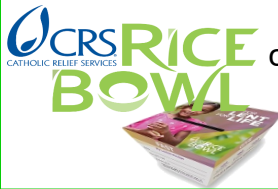
INSPIRE all of your disciples to mutual love
and giving - for vocations blossom in the
good soil of faithful people.

INSTIL those in religious life, parish
ministries, and families with the confidence
and grace to invite others to embrace the
bold and noble path of a life
consecrated to you.

UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and
sacrament, so that we may cooperate
with you in building your reign of mercy
and truth, of justice and peace. AMEN.

Save the Date:

Reverend Mr. Matthew Louis Pohlman
Ordination to Priesthood -10am, June 1, 2024
First Holy Mass of Thanksgiving - 3pm, June 2, 2024



RICE BOWLS: The time has
come to turn in your CRS Rice
Bowls. Bring to church, or
bring to the parish office any
time.

RCIA Rite of Christian
Initiation for Adults

Holy Spirit Catholic Parishes RCIA Program
Monday evenings 6:30pm - 8pm

at the St. Michael's church basement in Coleridge
April 15th - Integrating into Catholic Parish Life

Bringing a Sexual Abuse Complaint

- 1) Call Child Protective services 800-652-1999 and/or
- 2) Call Mary Beth Hanus, Archdiocese Victim Assistance Coordinator: 888-808-9055

Sunday's Readings

- First Reading:** The author of life you put to death, but God raised him from the dead; of this we are witnesses. (Acts 3:15)
Psalm: Lord, let your face shine on us. (Ps 4) Or: Alleluia.
Second Reading: He is expiation for our sins, and not for our sins only but for those of the whole world. (1 Jn 2:2)
Gospel: "Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day." (Lk 24:46)

Readings for the week of April 14, 2024

- Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48
Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29
Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35
Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40
Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51
Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59
Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69
Next Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29 (22)/ Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Observances for the week April 14, 2024

- Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter
Next Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter; World Day of Prayer for Vocations

THE WEEK AHEAD AT A GLANCE...

See what's happening in our Catholic parishes
SEE FRONT PAGE FOR MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER	APRIL 14 TH
SJFR/SMO KC - 1 Rose/1 Life Campaign Collection 9:00am - SJFR Rolls/Coffee after mass/Retirement Party 11am-1pm - Mission Trip Fundraiser at Osmond Fire Hall 2:00pm - SPN/SJP 1st Holy Communion 2:00pm - SMO/SPP 1st Holy Communion		
MONDAY	APRIL 15 TH	
6:30-8pm - RCIA class at SMC		
TUESDAY	APRIL 16 TH	
WEDNESDAY	APRIL 17 TH	
5:00-8pm - SPP Eucharistic Adoration 6:30pm - SJP & SPN God Nite at St. Joseph in Ponca 6:30pm - SMO, SPP & SJFR God Nite at St Jane Frances in Randolph		
THURSDAY	APRIL 18 TH	
5:45pm - HTH Ladies Guild Mtg at Parish Conf Room 6:00pm - Family Pastoral Council Mtg at SMC 7:30pm - CCHS School Board Mtg		
FRIDAY (DAY OF FASTING)	APRIL 19 TH	
12:00pm - Parish Office Closes		
SATURDAY	APRIL 20 TH	
6:30-8pm - HSCP Engaged Retreat in Menominee		
SUNDAY	4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER	APRIL 21 ST
8:45-10am - HTH Confirmation Drop off 9:00am - SJP coffee/donuts for Steubenville Fundraiser 11:30am - SMO & HTH Christian Mothers pray after mass		

Holy Trinity-Hartington

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$29,879.88!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 7,786.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$11,695.67	
Average Sun. Env & ACH - week 40 of fiscal year \$10,980.99	
Tuition, Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>33,657.65</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 41,443.65
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$1,203,353.47
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>1,157,812.10</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 45,541.37

St. Peter-Newcastle

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$885.00!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 1,011.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$773.00	
Average Sun. Env & ACH - week 40 of fiscal year \$982.80	
Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>790.00</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 1,801.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 57,749.90
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>42,017.78</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 15,732.12

St. Mary-Osmond

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$11,026.92!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 3,807.00
School Sunday Env.....	\$ 38,820.00
Tuition, Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>7,776.00</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 50,403.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 496,553.29
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>481,757.64</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 14,795.65
Average Weekly Income.....	\$ 12,413.83

St. Paul-Plainview

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$1,958.65!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 1,470.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$1,038.46	
Average Sun. Env & ACH - week 40 of fiscal year \$1,239.30	
Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>2,070.00</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 3,540.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 90,809.47
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>65,084.77</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 25,724.70

St. Michael-Coleridge

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$1,454.98!

Sunday Env & ACH	\$ 750.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$775.85	
Average Sun. Env & ACH week 40 of fiscal year \$674.27	
Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>1,940.00</u>
Total Weekly Income....	\$ 2,690.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 61,862.87
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>49,013.96</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 12,848.89

St Joseph-Ponca

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

Average Weekly Need: \$1,658.00!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 365.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$1,639.00	
Average Sun. Env & ACH - week 40 of fiscal year \$1,646.78	
Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>2,544.38</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 2,909.38
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 129,848.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>128,409.93</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 1,438.07

St. Jane Frances-Randolph

Financial Update – March 31, 2024

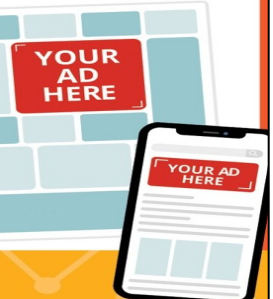
Average Weekly Need: \$4,638.21!

Sunday Env & ACH.....	\$ 520.00
Average Sunday Env & ACH needed \$3,057.69	
Average Sun. Env & ACH - week 40 of fiscal year \$3,261.63	
Misc, Easter.....	\$ <u>18,927.00</u>
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 19,447.00
Fiscal Year-to-Date Income:	\$ 244,179.94
Fiscal Year-to-Date Exp.:	\$ <u>210,876.46</u>
Fiscal YTD Excess/(Deficit):	\$ 33,303.48

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School email: sevendolorsoffice@gmail.com
School Website: stmaryofthesevendolors.com

Coffee/rolls after mass on April 14.
Retirement Celebration honoring George
Bradley & Joan Thies.



St Jane Prayer Requests for the prayer line
may be directed to Jean Lange at 402-640-4437.

St Jane Frances Prep: April 17th: God Nite in Randolph
Mass at 6:30pm, meal & activity to follow
April 21st: Sunday School after Mass (Last Class)



-- St. Jane Frances' PCCW Women's
Organization is planning a "Spring Fling" for April 25,
2024 in the Parish Hall. The event will start with an
informal meal at 5:30 pm with entertainment by
George, Nick, and Erin Bradley starting around 6:00
pm. Following our entertainment will be an inspira-
tional program by Diane Gubbels of Coleridge about
the quilts she has designed and constructed. You are
welcome to join us for the entertainment and
program if you're unable to make it for the meal.

CYO Cemetery cleanup: April 28, 2024 2:00 P.M.
Bring rakes, gloves, rags and buckets

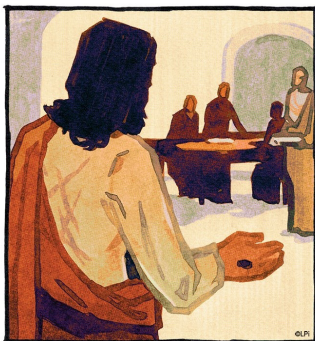
COMMUNION TO HOMEBOUND:
April 21: Vicki Bermel (402-360-0502)
April 28: Barb Rohde (402-360-2289)

ROSARY LEADERS:
April 21: Larry/Barb Korth
April 28: Shawn Kai



SACRISTANS:
April 21: Gary Scheiffer
April 28: Vicki Alderson
VOCATION BOX:
April 14: Joe/Janet Groen
Apr 21: Mark/Marcia Gubbels

To know Jesus is to love Jesus. The key is you
actually have to know him. Knowing him is
listening to his words and keeping his
commands. Just like in all relationships, we
will fall short at times. However,
because we know the
expectations,
we can then
make amends
and continue to
grow together.
So if I asked
you to tell me
about this friend
of yours named
Jesus, what would you say?



--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Join St. Mary's Guild for a celebration honoring the
newest in our parish family to receive First Holy
Communion! A cookies, coffee, and lemonade
reception will be hosted in the parish center on April
14th at 3 p.m. (Immediately following the First
Communion mass). We invite you to come enjoy some
refreshments and help celebrate this special day with
our youngsters!

Those receiving Holy Eucharist for the first time are:
Bo Aschoff, Daxtyn Buol, Caleb Bruckner, MaKenzie
Dick, Remi Schieffer, Liam Stech, and Kinsley Wilson.

St Mary's Religious Ed: April 17th: God Nite in Randolph
Mass at 6:30pm, meal & activity to follow
April 21st: PREP fundraiser - Pancake Feed at City Hall

St. Mary's Christian Mothers: We will meet to pray right
after mass on Sunday April 21st.

The KofC of Randolph, Council #5143,
is having a 2nd collection for the
One Rose One Life Campaign
at Randolph and Osmond on April 14th.



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Prayer Cards will be handed out too!

**Mission Trip Fundraiser
Drive-Thru Meal
~FREE WILL DONATION~**

**Sunday April 14, 2024
Osmond Fire Hall
11:00am - 1:00 pm**

A drive-thru meal consisting of a pulled pork sandwich,
cheesy potatoes, green beans
and dessert will be served on
Sunday April 14th, from 11am-1pm.

Caydence Kriener & Anna Kahny are raising money to
go on a mission trip to Uganda in June.

Any money raised that is above and beyond
what they need will either be donated to the group in
Uganda or back to their church
youth groups in Osmond

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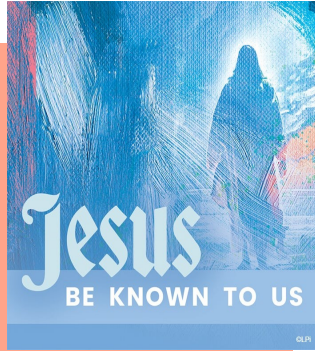
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GOSPEL MEDITATION

When I was a kid, a friend at my home parish told me, "If you get to Mass by the Gospel reading, it counts!" As a lifelong late-arriver, it's something I have told myself many times, especially in my earlier years as a Catholic. If the "it counts" is justifiable on a pathetically minimal scale of liturgical legalism, then the Gospel reading today shows how insanely wrong-headed it is, and how helpful it is to re-think the Mass in its light.

The famous "Road to Emmaus" story recounts, on that first Sunday of the Resurrection, the basic two-fold structure of the Mass: *Word*, followed by *Eucharist*. Jesus spends a significant period of time with two dismayed disciples, as he connects a wide swath of the Hebrew scriptures with his own suffering, death, and resurrection. They would later report that this Liturgy of the Word touched their hearts with an inexplicable fire. This Word-induced flame alone is what leads the two disciples to discover Jesus' presence in the "breaking of the bread."



With this in mind, how can we possibly think that the Liturgy of the Word is unnecessary or incidental? The two disciples needed the Scriptures explained to them in order to experience Jesus alive in the Eucharistic breaking of bread. Sure, we say, but they had the Risen Jesus. But that's precisely the point: Jesus is risen and accompanies us in both parts of the Mass. Imagine how much our experience of Jesus in the Eucharist would deepen if we (preachers and listeners) took even more seriously that Jesus himself sets our hearts ablaze with his Word so that we know him in the Eucharist.

That Word-induced fire counts, too!
 — Father John Muir

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Thurs-Sun May 2-5, 2024
Sun-Wed July 14-17, 2024

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Tune into Faith in Action at 9 a.m. Monday, April 15. Mary Stevens, Cleo Harder, and Betty Pratt discuss the St. Serra Club of Siouxland and its efforts to increase vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This program replays at 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 20. Faith in Action is brought to you by Mary's Choice, a Sioux City Pregnancy Resource Center. Previous Faith in Action programs can be found at siouxlandcatholicradio.com, on YouTube, and on a number of other podcasting platforms.

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PRAYERS FOR PRIESTS

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Why say prayers for priests? Because, as St. John Vianney, the patron saint of parish priests, once said “After God, the priest is everything.” (He also once referred to the priest “the steward of the good God, the distributor of His wealth.”)

In administering the sacraments (which only they can do) and serving us, priests act, as we say, in persona Christi (that is to say, in the person of Christ), with our Lord working through their presence.

As Father John Hardon, S.J., once said, “praying and offering God sacrifices for the priesthood are indispensably important,” because “there is no Catholic Church without the priesthood.”

After reading the lurid headlines of priests’ scandals over the past few years it is easy to become disillusioned in our faith because of the grave sins of a few and spiritual tepidity of others in the clergy. Yet that is the last thing we should do!

Remember if you have some difficulty with a parish priest that, although he may act in the person of Christ, he’s still a human being with all the faults and foibles we all have. So next time Father So-And-So is acting like a so-and-so, remember to pray for Him.

This first of our prayers for priests touches on this:

O Almighty and Eternal God, look upon the Face of Thy Christ, and for love of Him Who is the eternal High-priest, have pity on Thy priests. Remember, O most compassionate God, that they are but weak and frail human beings. Stir up in them the grace of their vocation which is in them by the imposition of the Bishop's hands. Keep them close to Thee, lest the enemy prevail against them, so that they may never do anything in the slightest degree unworthy of their sublime vocation.

O Jesus, I pray Thee for Thy faithful and fervent priests; for Thy unfaithful and tepid priests; for Thy priests laboring at home or abroad in distant mission fields; for Thy tempted priests; for Thy lonely and desolate priests; for Thy young priests; for Thy aged priests; for Thy sick priests; for Thy dying priests; for the souls of Thy priests in Purgatory.

But above all I commend to Thee the priests dearest to me: the priest who baptized me; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Thy Body and Blood in Holy Communion; the priests who taught and instructed or helped me and encouraged me; all the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way, particularly (your priest’s name here). O Jesus, keep them all close to Thy heart, and bless them abundantly in time and in eternity. Amen. Mary, Queen of the clergy, pray for us; obtain for us many and holy priests. Amen.



Sometimes when God appears in our path, we do not recognize him. In these moments, Jesus invites us to reach out and touch him. Remember that Christ is real, Christ is alive, and Christ stands before each one of us — so reach out. Touch him



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Hartington, NE 68739

Office Staff: Cheri Twohig, *Bookkeeper*

First Holy Communion will be on April 14th @ 2:00pm at St. Peter's.

Those receiving Holy Eucharist for the first time are:

Briah Bennett, Emberlynn Dutcher-Bessmer, Noah Jackson, Lennon Leader, Julia Prokop, Braxton Rush, Jedric Thoene, Presley Walsh, and Piper Wortmann.

St Joseph's CCD: April 17th: God Night in Ponca. Mass at 6:30pm, meal & activity to follow

On Sunday, April 21st the St. Joseph's High School Youth group will be serving coffee and donuts after Mass. There will be a free will donation to help them pay for their upcoming Steubenville retreat this June in Denver, Colorado. This year we have 9 of our students attending. Thank you for the ongoing support of our youth!



South Creek Calvary Cemetery: This year the parishioners are only responsible for string trimming at the South Creek Calvary Cemetery. The maintenance/finance committees have decided to hire out the mowing for the church and rectory through Zane Webb. To help fund it being hired out we are asking that each family contribute \$50-100 a year to help add this service into the budget. If we are unable to raise the funds to hire it out we will have to revert to scheduling parishioners next summer.

South Creek Calvary Cemetery Trimming Crew by April 26th

David Hassler (chair)	Dave Nelson
Bob Hayes	Travis Olander
Jeff Knerl	Justin Mackling
Kelly Knerl	

REMINDER to turn in your rice bowls/donations! April 15th will be the deadline.



ST PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

Physical Address: 403 Annie St
Newcastle, NE 68757

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 278
Hartington, NE 68739



ST PAUL THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Physical Address: 203 E Park Ave.
Plainview, NE 68769

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 278
Hartington, NE 68739

Eucharistic Adoration - Wed, April 17th from 5 - 8 pm. Sign up sheet is in the back of church

St. Paul's 2024 high school graduating seniors and First Communion students will be celebrated after the 6:00 Mass on **April 20**. Everyone is invited!

Those receiving Holy Eucharist for the first time are:

Xaivy Anderson, Aubrey Dougherty, Alan Enriquez, Avilene Peter, and Sam Zuhlke.

Graduates are Madelynn Dougherty, Ashten Hader, Abbie Kromarek, Katie Mauer, Brendan Weber and Anthony Ziegenbein.

Job Opportunity: St Paul's is seeking a Director of Religious Education for the 2024-25 year beginning in August. This is a paid position and if interested please contact Kelly Lingenfelter with questions or let either Fr. Korte or Fr. Vogel know if you are interested.

St. Paul, the Apostle to the Gentiles, was the most prolific Christian missionary of all time. Due to a miraculous experience that he had on the road to Damascus, he went from persecuting early Christians to traveling all over the region preaching the Gospel of Jesus.



ST MICHAEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Physical Address: 315 S Madison St.
Coleridge, NE 68727

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 278
Hartington, NE 68739

April 100 Club Winners: Sheila's Country Gardens - Alan & Amy Kleinschmit & Hefner Oil - Steve & Nancy Dirks.


Orphan Grain Train Clothing and Shoe Collection:

Immanuel Lutheran Church will be doing a clothing and shoe only drive from April 7-April 21. There will be a trailer sitting by Immanuel Lutheran for anyone to drop items off.

First Holy Communion will be April 14th @ 2:00pm.

Those receiving Holy Eucharist for the first time are:

Rhett Fuelberth, Harper Gregg, Lainey Heikes, Lane Lewon, and Oakley Sorenson.



HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Physical Address: 402 S Broadway
 Hartington, NE 68739
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 278
 Hartington, NE 68739

Holy Trinity Elementary School Office: 402-254-6496
Principal: Stacy Uttecht **Email:** suttecht@holyltrinityhartington.com
School Website: holyltrinityhartington.com


Christian Mothers will pray after 10:30am Mass next Sunday, April 21st.

Holy Trinity CCD: April 17: 7-8th grade - Class 6:30-8pm
 April 24: 1-6th grade - Class 4-5:15pm at HT School
 7-8th grade - Class 6:30-8pm

Guild Notes: Next Meeting - April 18, 2024 @ 5:45pm.
 Group 4, Doris Feilmeier, will do April church cleaning.
 Group 13, Susan Nieman, hosts April 28th Holy Donuts.
 Group 14, Carmen Jueden, provides salads & bars for next funeral. Group B (Pam) serves.

Cedar Catholic 300 Drawing Winners for April 2024 are:
 \$300 - Nancy Hartnett & \$300 - Jason & Marie Haahr

Holy Trinity Prayer Shawl Ministry has many beautiful prayer shawls on hand. A lot of people are needing them for peace, comfort, sympathy, depression, or hurting in some way. The ministry also needs yarn and if you can crochet or knit we would be happy to have you help. Call Joyce Gentrup @ 402-254-3271 or Laurie Kathol @ 402-254-3307

<p>SACRISTANS: Apr 15-19: Alice Pommer Apr 22-26: Aleacia Herbolsheimer</p>		<p>VOCATION CRUCIFIX: Apr 14-20: Ben & Sierra Beckman Family Apr 21-27: Bill & Connie Christensen</p>
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Sunday, April 14
8:30am 1:00pm
 Sausage, Eggs, Hash Browns, Fruit, Juice or Coffee & choice of Waffles or French Toast

Suggested price
 Adults: \$7.00 for those over 60
 \$8.00 those under 60
 Kids: \$5.00 ages 6-11
 5 and under free
 Take-out Meals are \$1 more.

You're Invited!

HOLY TRINITY & EAST/WEST
FATHER Daughter DANCE


Friday, April 19, 2024 | 6:30p.m.-8:30 p.m.
 Holy Trinity Gym, Hartington

All Holy Trinity and East/West girls in Kindergarten-6th Grade are invited.

*Grandpas, Uncles, Father Figures are ALL Welcome!

Tickets are \$5 each or \$8 at the door.

Refreshments, Dancing, and Photo Booth



2024 HTSM
Confirmation Class
 A friendly reminder:

All Confirmation homework is due on Sunday, April 21st

Drop it off at the HT Parish Meeting Room anytime 8:45 am - 10:00 am

The homework due is listed on page 2 of the Confirmation folder.

Interview dates will be assigned to those who turn in completed homework.

Available Holy Hours of Eucharistic Adoration:

Sunday - 11am
Monday - 3am
Wednesday - 2am, 12pm
Thursday - 2am, 3am
Saturday - 12am, 1am, 3am, 11am, 2pm, 5pm, 6pm

Contact Aleacia Herbolsheimer at 402-841-7343 or the Parish Office at 402-254-6559 to sign up



All are invited to
Holy DOUGHNUT Sundays

JOIN US FOR Coffee, Donuts, & Burchbach Milk!

LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH APRIL - SEPT.

SUNDAY APRIL 28	SUNDAY MAY 26	SUNDAY JUNE 30	SUNDAY JULY 28	SUNDAY AUG. 25	SUNDAY SEPT. 29
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Freewill "DOUGH" NATION

Outside of Holy Trinity Church, Hartington (Weather Permitting)

HOLY TRINITY ELEMENTARY

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

SIGN UP NOW!

APRIL 18, 2024
 MORNING AND AFTERNOON SESSIONS AVAILABLE

To Sign up:
 • Scan the QR code




• Or call the school office at: 402-254-6496




LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: APRIL 20 - APRIL 21, 2024

**If you cannot take the assigned time, please exchange with someone or find a substitute.

	Saturday 6:00pm Holy Trinity Hartington	Saturday 6:00pm St Paul Plainview	Sunday 8:00am St. Joseph Ponca	Sunday 8:00am St Jane Randolph	Sunday 10:30am Holy Trinity Hartington	Sunday 10:30am St. Mary Osmond
Lectors	Audrey Freeman April Heimes	R Wolken	Mary Kay Mahler	Jeanne Keifer Jo Kilburn	Monica Kathol Karl Koch	Pat Blunck
Greeters & Gift Bearers	Doug/Carla Schmit Alice Pommer Jean Wiebelhaus	S Pojar	Ryan & Stacey Jackson Family	Jim/Janet Kuchta Julie Loberg Verlene Synovec	Bill & Darla Heimes Family	Dennis & Mary Ann Pavlik, Jim & Beth Peschel
Servers	Abram Steffen Anna Steffen Joachim Steffen Jacob Steffen	K Kromarek Z Kromarek	Elsie Keller Caleb Ketelsen	Brandon Backer Justin Backer Aideen Gubbels	Kellen Sudbeck Trev Thoene Mason Thoene Ty M Thoene	Easton Steinkraus Hudson Steinkraus Michael Vinson
EMHCs	Wendy Wortmann Jan Arens Julie Becker	D Steinkraus	Connie Peterson Darrell Wieseler	Kathy Eledge Bryson Eledge Eva Bermel Mary Hoelsing	Kim Emanuel Louis Guy John Kleinschmit	Nancy Stech Robert Aschoff (homes)
Musicians	Julie/Larry Weigum Lana Jueden	J Sauser	Michael Gibbs & Choir	LaRee Gubbels	JoAnne/Rose Sm Group 3	Sue/Jlm
Hmbd, N.H., Rosary, Ushers, Video	Video: Rick Kuehn NH (4/17) Marlene Domina NH (4/20) Marti Nordby	Ushers: B Harrison R Wolken	Ushers: Adam Poulosky Phil Lowe	Ushers: Mike Schmit Greg Thies Jeff Thies Steven Winkelbauer NH: Kathy Eledge	Hmbd: Kochs Ushers: Kevin Kathol Matt Kathol Randy Kathol Rosary: Ron Lammers	Rosary: Jason Berg

**Upcoming Special Collection Envelope
April 28th** (Canary Env) - 4 in 1 Collection
May 9th (Canary Env) - Ascension




Indicate which special collection on check notation line.



“Peace be with you.”
His peace will be fully felt when you are living the vocation that he has called you to. If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest or in consecrated life, talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 402-558-3100 or email: ajroza@archomaha.org

“JESUS HIMSELF STOOD AMONG THEM AND SAID TO THEM, ‘PEACE BE WITH YOU.’ BUT THEY WERE STARTLED AND FRIGHTENED...” LUKE 24: 36-37
 THROUGHOUT THE DAY WE HAVE MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO “SEE THE FACE OF JESUS” IN OTHERS AND TO “BE THE FACE OF JESUS” TO OTHERS. DO WE TAKE THAT OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE “PEACE” TO THOSE WE ENCOUNTER OR ARE WE AFRAID OF WHAT OTHERS WILL THINK OF US AND DO NOTHING? PRAY FOR THE STRENGTH AND COURAGE TO LIVE A “GOD-CENTERED” LIFE AND NOT A “SELF-CENTERED” LIFE.

 **HSCP PRAYER LINE**

Call/text Teresa Arens 402-337-9668 or Jolene Kathol 402-841-5895 with any requests.
 If you want to join the group just contact Teresa or Jolene with your cell phone #.
 Prayer chain is simple - sign up, receive text, pray. It's that simple.
 We welcome any and all members of our family of parishes to join us as well.

Please pray for our parishioners engaged to wed in Holy Matrimony in the next 4 months!

- Sheila Wiebelhaus, daughter of Jean and Todd Wiebelhaus, is engaged to wed Josh Anderson, son of Jim and Tami Anderson, April 27, 2024 at Holy Trinity, Hartington
- Maizie Christensen, daughter of Cody & Lori Christensen, is engaged to wed Quinn Paulsen, May 25, 2024 at Holy Trinity, Hartington
- Jacob Keiser, son of Judd & Daisy Keiser, is engaged to wed Shaelee Planer, June 1, 2024 at Immaculate Conception, St. Helena
- Brayden Kathol, son of Matt & Susan Kathol, is engaged to wed Kara Antrobus, June 8, 2024 at St Boniface, Menominee
- Jayda Bernecker, daughter of Jay & Miranda Bernecker, is engaged to wed Dillon Klug, June 15, 2024 at Immaculate Conception, St. Helena
- Jesse Schmit, son of Michael & Jeri Schmit, is engaged to wed Jaiden Taylor, June 15, 2024 at St. Jane Frances, Randolph
- Jonathan Jonas is engaged to wed Emma Beach, June 22, 2024 at St. Peter, Newcastle
- Austin Becker, son of Stan & Julie Becker, is engaged to wed Brianna Samuelson, June 29, 2024 at Holy Trinity, Hartington
- Logan Nordhues, son of Darrin & Tina Nordhues, is engaged to wed Jaci Brahmer, July 20, 2024 at St. Jane Frances, Randolph
- Brianna Miller, daughter of Chris & Rhonda Miller is engaged to wed Justin Hines, July 20, 2024 at Holy Trinity, Hartington
- Ryan Becker, son of Gayle & Rhonda Becker is engaged to wed Brooklyn Lammers, July 27, 2024 at Sts Peter/Paul, Bow Valley, NE



→ **PLEASE NOTE: This list is for ALL of our parishes in the Holy Spirit Catholic Parishes Family!** ←
If you would like to add your son or daughter, or yourself, to this list please let the parish office know.