



**YOU SHALL LOVE  
THE LORD, YOUR GOD,  
WITH ALL YOUR HEART . . .  
AND YOUR NEIGHBOR  
AS YOURSELF.**

LUKE 10:27

**FIFTEENTH  
SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY  
TIME  
JULY 10, 2022**

## HOWARD COUNTY CATHOLICS

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### ST. PETER & PAUL

713 Elm Street

St. Paul, NE 68873

Office: 308-754-4002

[office@howardcountycatholics.com](mailto:office@howardcountycatholics.com)

### ST. ANTHONY

103 Kearns Ave

Farwell, NE 68838

\*Mass every 1st Saturday  
of the month at 7:00 p.m.

### ST. JOSEPH

1803 Highway 11

Elba, NE 68835

\*Mass every 3rd Saturday  
of the month at 6:30 p.m.

#### Clergy:

Rev. Vincent L. Parsons, J.C.L., Pastor

[pastor@howardcountycatholics.com](mailto:pastor@howardcountycatholics.com)

Rev. Mr. Neil Baquet, Deacon

[deacon@howardcountycatholics.com](mailto:deacon@howardcountycatholics.com)

#### Mass Times:

All Masses at St. Paul unless noted

**Monday** No Mass

**Tues - Thurs** 8:30 a.m.

**Friday** 9:00 a.m.

**Saturday** 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday** 8:00 and 10:00 a.m.

(10:00 Mass is streamed live on Facebook)

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

#### Adoration:

The 1st Friday of each month  
10:15 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

#### Prayer Chain:

St. Paul - Dianne Rice: 308-571-0039

St. Paul - Ann Rief: 308-380-0619

Farwell - Michelle Woitalewic: 308-336-3241

Farwell - Thereasa Nealon: 308-336-3349

Elba - Betty Poss: 308-750-0512

#### Facebook:

Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church

St. Joseph Catholic Church

St. Anthony Catholic Church of Padua/  
Farwell

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## Sunday July 10, 2022

### 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The heart of the law is LOVE! Consider these challenging words of Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, addressed to the mothers in our world, she said: "... today, the mother forgets her child. Not only forgets it, but destroys it. And for what? The mother is afraid of the child, of that little unborn child...the most beautiful creation of God's love, the gift of God. That little unborn child is our NEIGHBOR, too. Let mothers today be the potential Good Samaritan and let the unborn child live..."

We don't choose our neighbor. A neighbor is not of geography, but of the heart. What makes us neighbors is our generous being with and attending to people in need. The focus given by Jesus to the "love of neighbor" does not restrict the ability to love to the limits of what is close and known to us. Charity begins with those who are in need, whether at home or elsewhere.

In the gospel today, Jesus tells us about a "Good Samaritan" who loves God and neighbor. Samaritans were thought to be heretics. For generations, Jews were told that the Samaritans were definitely not and would never be their neighbors. However, the gospel story brings out the goodness of the Samaritan. He did not think of his own convenience, and what he saw in the road was a man in need and acted immediately to help him. It was love in action. The Samaritan may be a pagan in the eyes of the Jews, but in what he did, we see the love of God in his heart.

The Levite and the priest have used their religious beliefs to evade the man who fell into the hands of the robbers. But to excuse ourselves from our Christian duty to charity in the false guise or religiosity is something inexcusable. To be a Christian, above all, is to imitate Christ who said, "It is mercy I want, not sacrifice."

If you're asked today by Jesus, "Who is a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" and if your answer is, "The one who treated him with mercy," Jesus is telling you right now, "GO AND DO LIKEWISE!" That will be your mission this week... be a good and loving neighbor to everyone!

## WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE JULY 11th - 17th

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7/11</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7/12</b>	<b>8:30 am Mass (SPP)</b> +Pat Zumbrum By David Zumbrum
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7/13</b>	<b>8:30 am Mass (SPP)</b> +Kayleen Lukasiewicz By Family
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7/14</b>	<b>8:30 am Mass (SPP)</b> +Henry & +Rose Koperski By Belinda Hassler
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7/15</b>	<b>9:00 am Mass (Matelyn)</b> +John McIntyre By Jerry & Pat Schmit
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>7/16</b>	<b>5:00 pm Mass (SPP)</b> Harold & Leona Swanson By Pat Geiger <b>6:30 pm Mass (SJ)</b> People of the Parishes
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>7/17</b>	<b>8:00 am Mass (SPP)</b> +John McIntyre By Mel & Linda Schmaderer <b>10:00 am Mass (SPP)</b> +Rae Lee By Phil & Tracey Lukasiewicz

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE JULY 16th / 17th

### LECTORS

Sat - 5pm: Julie Baquet  
Sun - 8am: Becky Knox  
Sun - 10am: Linda Wells

### GREETERS

Sat - 5pm: Alan & Jolene Lewandowski  
Sun - 8am: Leo & Gina Haggerty  
Sun - 10am: Glen & Michelle Killion

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat - 5pm: Sharon Tibbetts / Sandi Mudloff  
Sun - 8am: Jean Thede / Amy Scheer  
Sun - 10am: Todd Peters / Niki Bader

### ALTAR SERVERS

Sat - 5pm: Macie Bockman, Eli Sladek, Annie Stepanek  
Sun - 8am: Kendyl Fowler, Reise Fowler, Conner Douthit  
Sun - 10am: Laya Bowder, Jamie Stepanek

2021/22 Diocesan Appeal	Sts. Peter & Paul	St. Anthony	St. Joseph
Parish Goal	\$26,358	\$3,085	\$2,195
Total Raised	\$26,950	\$3,236	\$535
Total Received	\$24,685	\$3,236	\$535
Donor Goal	95	14	9
Current # of Donors	88	15	5

## Religious Education News....

- July 24<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> Totus Tuus Summer Program

Get REGISTERED NOW with the easy & convenient Quick Response code! Just point your smart phone camera at the square QR code and follow the prompts that come up. If you need assistance getting registered or have any questions, please contact Judi Baker at 308-750-8418.



Tuition for the week is \$25 per student, with a \$75 per family maximum. Free t-shirt for all students registered today.

Also, any high school or college students that can help out during the day with Totus Tuus, we would love to have you! We are also looking for host families.

**CCW...**Province of Omaha 50th Anniversary Celebration on Monday July 18th at the 2022 Annual Province Meeting held at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Grand Island, NE. Pre-registration of \$20, due July 10th (Today). There are forms in the back of church. Please send registration form and fee to Phyllis Camp 302 N St. Elgin, NE 68636.

### Diocesan Vocation Summit...

Aug 5th • 9:00am- 3:30pm • Kearney, NE

Bishop Hanefeldt has challenged our diocese to “Re-ignite a Culture of Vocations.” In response, we’ve created a comprehensive plan and will kickoff new efforts at a Vocation Summit. All in the diocese are invited, especially parish leaders and educators. Speakers include Fr. Michael Pratt of the Diocese of Tulsa and Sam Alzheimer from Vianney Vocations. They will focus on how to help young people see the beauty of Christian marriage, priesthood, and religious life. Participants will gain new enthusiasm, and receive new tools & resources for fostering vocations in your school and parish. Event is free and lunch is provided. Info and registration at [gidiocese.org](http://gidiocese.org)

**Come join us...**At Blessed Sacrament Catholic Pre-school!!

We have openings in our:

- 3 year old M/W program 8:15-11:00.
- 4/5 year old, T/W/TH p.m. program 12:15-3:00
- 4/5 year old, M/T/W/TH a.m. program 8:15-11:00

Please contact (308)384-2086 or stop by the preschool office

**Lunch Bunch...**Every Tuesday and Thursday throughout the summer (June 2nd - July 28th) for all pre-school through eleventh grade children. Lunch will be served from 11:30-12:30pm and can be picked up from the north door of Sts. Peter and Paul Parish Life Center. The free meal is a sack lunch.

**Special Thank You...**To Mitch & Patty Sok for painting and repairing the fair stand and removing some trees. Also thank you to Phil Thede and his son Jack for cleaning up trees at the Wenceslaus cemetery.

**Our Lady of Mount Carmel...**On Sunday, July 17, 2022, a 10:30 a.m. Mass celebrating Our Lady of Mount Carmel will be held at the Paplin Church. A potluck dinner will follow at 11:30 a.m. A silent auction will also be held from 11:30 to 1 p.m. and a live auction will begin at 1 p.m. If you would like to donate an item for the silent or live auction, bring it with you that day or contact Rose Kowalski at (308)750-2807, Diane Chelewski at (308)750-0676 or any Friends of Paplin board member. Everyone is welcome to attend!

**Fair Stand...**July 16th - 20th at the Howard County Fairgrounds. Volunteers are needed. Signup in the back of church. Call Sandi Mudloff with questions at 308-750-6439. More information in the coming weeks

**Food Pantry...**This month is Sts. Peter and Paul’s month for donations to the food pantry. Please leave all donations in the back of church. Monetary donations can be left in the office or dropped into the collection basket. Please remember to note the donation is for the food pantry.

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'GO AND DO LIKEWISE.'  
LUKE 10:37

Totus Tuus  
St Patrick's - Sidney

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SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | JULY 10 | LUKE 10:37

This was Jesus’ command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. Did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other? The moral of the story is to love our neighbor. That means loving someone you may not know, or someone that looks different than you, or someone that has different beliefs than you, or someone that you don’t like. All without expecting anything in return.





Contact Chad in the church office  
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## LORD'S PORTION

### SUNDAY 7/10

Mass 8am (SPP)

Mass 10am (SPP)

Baptism Class 11am (SPP)

### MONDAY 7/11

No Mass

### TUESDAY 7/12

Daily Mass 8:30am (SPP)

### WEDNESDAY 7/13

Daily Mass 8:30am (SPP)

### THURSDAY 7/14

Daily Mass 8:30am (SPP)

### FRIDAY 7/15

Matelyn Mass 9am

### SATURDAY 7/16

Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:30pm (SPP)

Mass 5pm (SPP)

Mass 6:30pm (SJ)

### Sts. Peter and Paul

General Fund - \$2,317.00

Plate - \$321.00

Parish Center - \$260.00

Maintenance- \$30.00

### St. Anthony

General Fund - \$820.00

**Next Mass: Aug 6th at 7pm**

### St. Joseph

General Fund - \$115.00

**Next Mass: July 16th at 6:30pm**