

JULY 21, 2024



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SUNDAY MASS 8:00AM & 10:00AM

† ST. ANTHONY

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MASS 1ST SATURDAY OF
EACH MONTH 7:00PM

† ST. JOSEPH

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MASS 3RD SATURDAY OF
EACH MONTH 6:30PM

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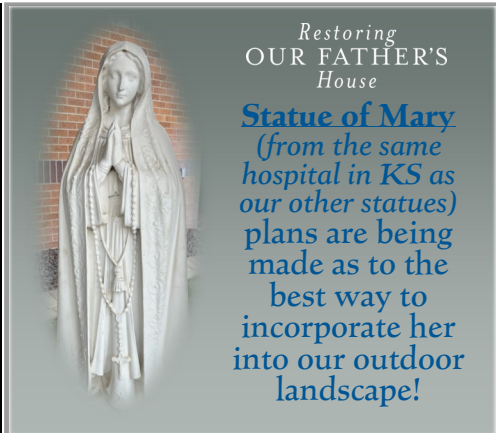
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Jesus is calling us back to our first love for a new Pentecost.
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Restoring
OUR FATHER'S
House
Statue of Mary
(from the same
hospital in KS as
our other statues)
plans are being
made as to the
best way to
incorporate her
into our outdoor
landscape!

NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B
July 21, 2024

Eucharistic Revival

We are each on a journey – a journey back to the Father. Our personal journeys will each be different; they are meant to be prayerful encounters with the Lord God to prepare us for our life hereafter. We have been given an awesome, magnificent, wondrous spiritual food for our Journey, the Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

In 2022, the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) initiated a three-year nationwide movement, National Eucharistic Revival. The USCCB has issued an invitation to each one of us as individuals to prayerfully investigate what we can do as well as what we can do as a parish to enhance our worship experience.

The invitation addresses four distinct areas.

- 1) Reinvigorate our worship
- 2) Our personal encounter with Jesus Christ
- 3) Robust faith formation
- 4) Missionary sending.

This week the National Eucharistic Conference happened in Indianapolis, Indiana. People from all over the United States came together to celebrate the great gift of eucharist. The question for us to consider this weekend, is how do you encounter the Lord through the Eucharist? Are you engaging in the Lord through these four distinct areas?

A word of thanks to all who helped at this year's County Fair, especially the Sts. Peter and Paul Kitchen! We appreciate all your efforts and the efforts of Sandi Mudloff and so many others who gave of their time to this worthy endeavor. May God bless you all!

Jr. Vincent L. Parsons

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7/22	No Daily Mass
Tuesday	7/23	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † Linda Simmons By Lou & Carol Tjernagel
Wednesday	7/24	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † Ed & † Martha Jarecke By Tom & Zola Jarecke
Thursday	7/25	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † Ben Syring Jr. By Ben & Mary Syring III
Friday	7/26	9:00am Mass (Brookfield) † Alice Boysen By Tom & Pat Knutson
Saturday	7/27	4:30 pm Reconciliation (SPP) 5:00 pm Mass (SPP) Bev & Don Sack By Family
Sunday	7/28	8:00 am Mass (SPP) † Anna Dedic By Catholic Daughters 10:00 am Mass (SPP) People of the Parishes

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

The ministry schedule has been assigned through August. Please watch the bulletin or see the lists on the table in the Gathering Area. If there is a date/Mass that doesn't work for you, it would be greatly appreciated if you could please find a replacement or trade someone.

Altar Servers please volunteer at the Sacristy prior to each Mass if you are able to serve.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE JULY 27TH - 28TH

May God Bless you & strengthen your faith through this ministry. Amen

SATURDAY 5:00PM MASS

SACRISTAN: Michael Happ / Kevin & Cindy Sestak / Julie Baquet
GREETERS: Liana Wroblewski / Leona Leth / Cindy Wilson
LECTOR: Kathy Hahn
EM: Kathy Hahn / Christi Stepanek
SERVERS: Volunteers

SUNDAY 8:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: Ken Vincik
GREETERS: Leo & Gina Haggerty Family
LECTOR: Amy Scheer
EM: Kelsey Scheer / Tim Scheer / Zachary Hirschman
SERVERS: Volunteers

SUNDAY 10:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: Russ Kosmicki / Neil Baquet
GREETERS: Dan & Carrie Vech Family
LECTOR: Neal Hahn
EM: Neal Hahn / Carrie Vech / Joe Hansen / Paulette Hansen / Marty Mrkvicka
SERVERS: Volunteers



TRI-PARISH YOUTH Religious Education

Middle & High School Students who enjoy helping with smaller children & learning even more about the Catholic Faith, can help with Totus Tuus daytime! Log your time and get credit for volunteer hours for school too.



TOTUS TUUS CATECHETICAL PROGRAM
HERE AT STS. PETER & PAUL THIS SUMMER
JULY 28TH – AUGUST 2ND
TIME TO GET REGISTERED!



REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE OR SCAN QR CODE →
TUITION: \$35/STUDENT, CAP \$100/FAMILY
COMPLETED GRADES KINDERGARTEN TO SIXTH
DAYTIME PROGRAM MON. THRU FRIDAY, 9AM-3PM BRING SACK LUNCH,
COMPLETED GRADES SEVENTH TO TWELFTH
EVENING PROGRAM SUNDAY THRU THUR., 6PM TO 8:15PM MEAL PROVIDED
PLEASE consider volunteering to help during the day, bring snacks, or provide lunch for the Missionaries. Register as a volunteer on the link or contact a DRE. Thank You!
DREs ~ Becky Knox 308-571-0430 & Judi Baker 308-750-8418

Many Thanks for Totus Tuus Donations

Thank you again for supporting this great Catholic program with your generous donations. You are much appreciated!
Sincerely, Directors of Religious Ed. ~ Becky Knox & Judi Baker

Safe Environment Coordinator Needed

We are seeking a volunteer to help organize & facilitate the on-line Safe Environment training that our Diocese requires for Religious Ed. Teachers, Helpers, as well a few others. An understanding of online technology & an ability to keep records would be necessary, not much in person time needed. Please contact the Parish office if you might be able to help us out. Thank you!

Women's Holy Hour

MONDAYS AT 7PM ALL ARE WELCOME
ST. PETER & PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

SPP Council of Catholic Women -
SWEET Thank you all for your delicious baked goods for the GCA Days Bake Sale!

\$702.40 was raised to be applied to projects in the near future!



Catholic Daughters

Tuesday, July 30 at Parish Hall 6pm ->
Providing meal for Totus Tuus students & missionaries.
NO Summer Meetings, will resume in September.

KNIGHTS Council 1918 Meeting: Tuesday, August 13, 7pm
OF COLUMBUS' Sts. Peter & Paul PLC - Northwest Classroom
Providing meal for Totus Tuus students & Missionaries on Wednesday, July 31 at Parish Hall, 6:00pm.



PARISH FAIR STAND FUNDRAISER

SPECIAL THANKS TO chairwomen

SANDI MUDLOFF, AMY CHRISTENSEN, & CHARLENE POTTER
Thank you all that helped out by working a shift, baking a pie, cooking taco meat, or coming to eat. Your help was much appreciated & makes this fundraiser possible.

NO FRIDAY Adoration

ON AUGUST 2, DUE TO TOTUS TUUS
NEXT DATE: SEPTEMBER 6TH
PLEASE HELP FILL ALL THE TIMES
SIGN UP IS IN THE CHURCH GATHERING AREA

Lunch Bunch - Free Lunches for Kids

June 9 to July 30 Tuesdays & Thursdays
11:30am to 12:30pm at SPP Parish Life Center, north entrance
Coordinated by Howard Greeley Food Pantry,
Food provided by local businesses/organizations.



* Kid's Games / Bouncing House, * Live Bands & Entertainment, * Food & Craft Vendors, * Info. Booths
This family fun event is open to the public.

On the Road... &... The Rest of the Story

Fr. Kenneth Borowiak, pastor of St. Joseph in Friend, NE is working with Spirit Catholic Radio to create new programs. If you know of an interesting aspect of your parish, a historical figure, Bishop, Priest, etc. that either of these shows could pursue, please submit ideas to frborowiak@cdolinc.net

Grand Island Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

August 9 & 10 – Broken Bow, NE Hotel 308-767-2060
Registration due **August 1, 2024** (no later) visit: gidccw.org

DANGEROUS, DECEPTIVE, AND DEMEANING

The proposed **Pro-Abortion Ballot Initiative** must be **OPPOSED**, it could amendment amend the Nebraska Constitution, help others know how it is **DECEPTIVE**:

- > It uses purposefully vague and abstract terms to drastically expand abortion in Nebraska, putting healthy 2nd & 3rd trimester babies at risk of being killed by abortion;
- > Even babies who require basic neonatal health care could be categorized by an abortionist as not viable, & be aborted;
- > Nebraska law already allows 1st trimester abortion & provides exceptions for rape, incest, & the life of the mother, which is supported by over 6% Nebraskans.

(Source: necatholic.org/resources/defeat-the-pro-abortion-ballot-proposal.html)

Peters Pence Special Offering Envelope

"The Peter's Pence collection is a gesture of solidarity through which every member of the faithful can participate in the activity of the Pope as Pastor of the universal Church." (www.USCCB.org)

Memorial Donations

In gratitude to the family of Marge Wozniak, thank you for your generous Memorial donation towards the Restoring Our Father's House project.

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LORD'S PORTION

Sts. Peter and Paul (includes online) July GF Budget: \$20,000.00		St. Anthony
General Fund - \$2,815.80	Surplus (Deficit)= \$12,194.40	General Fund - \$397.00
Parish Life Center - \$207.00	Surplus / (Deficit) amount is the balance of this month's budgeted expenses after weely offerings.	St. Joseph
Maint.- \$50.00 Other- \$15.00		General Fund - \$120.00
Restoring OFH - \$260.00		

Prayer Chain

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St. Paul - Ann Rief: 308-380-0619
Farwell-Michelle Woitalewicz
Farwell - Thereasa Nealon: 308-336-3349
Elba - Betty Poss: 308-750-0512

Pray without ceasing 1 Thessalonian 5:17