

JUNE 23, 2024

Even the wind and the waves **OBEY** *Flim.*

Mark 4:41

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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SATURDAY MASS 5:00PM
SUNDAY MASS 8:00AM & 10:00AM

† ST. ANTHONY

103 KEARNS AVE
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MASS 1ST SATURDAY OF
EACH MONTH 7:00PM

† ST. JOSEPH

1803 HIGHWAY 11
ELBA, NE 68835
MASS 3RD SATURDAY OF
EACH MONTH 6:30PM

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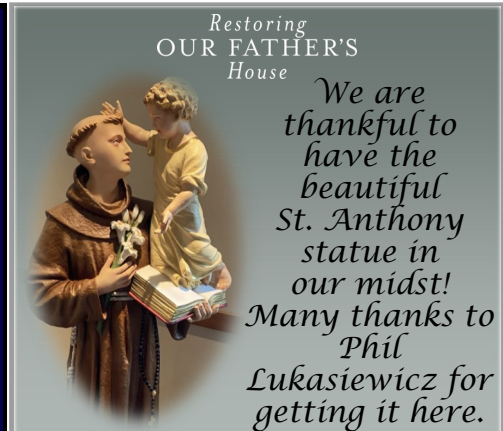
REGISTER TODAY!

Link: <https://form.jotform.com/232975630554159>

7-12th Grade Students (as of 4/1/24)
(Recent Graduates Welcome)
July 28-Aug 1, 6:00-8:15pm
Evening meal provided

K-6th Grade Students (as of 4/1/24)
July 29-Aug 2, 9:00am-3:00pm
Bring sack lunch

FREE T-shirt if register by July 7th



NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B
June 23, 2024

EXPRESSING REVERENCE IN OUR CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

PARTICIPATION

Our reverence is also expressed in the way we participate in the ritual actions of the Mass. We want to give God our total selves during the Mass. To participate with all our senses and to give our full attention reveals our respect and devotion. When we respond enthusiastically to the prayers, when we listen attentively to the readings and the sermon, when we sing with a full heart (which is "praying twice", St. Augustine said) --- regardless whether we think we can't sing well --- we tell God how much His love means to us and how much we really love Him. Do we fully participate during the Mass or do we simply sit --- uninvolved or even bored? Some have said: "I don't get anything out of Mass?" Is that what Mass has become ... another consumer product for us? Investing our hearts and souls into the Mass should be our central concern.

ENTRANCE RITUALS

As we enter the Church, there are certain actions which we can perform to remind us of the significance of what we are doing. One of these is to sign ourselves with Holy Water from the holy water fonts, located near the church doors, making the sign of the Cross. This water reminds us of our Baptism and the commitment to a lived faith which this involves. Likewise, when we reach our pew or chair, we can bow to the Cross or genuflect towards the Blessed Sacrament. Again, these signs remind us of what we are about to do. Then, we can take our place and dedicate a short period of time to silent prayer so that we can prepare our hearts and minds for the Mass we are about to enter into.

Jr. Vincent L. Parsons

MATTHEW 6:13

*For thine is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory,
for ever*

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	6/24	No Daily Mass
Tuesday	6/25	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † Matthew Parsons By Calvert Family
Wednesday	6/26	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † John McIntyre By Ed & Kathy Reiman
Thursday	6/27	8:30 am Mass (SPP) † Dorothy Bonczynski By James & Dianne Rice
Friday	6/28	9:00am Mass (Brookfield) † Berniece Adams By Dorothy Koperski
Saturday	6/29	4:30 pm Reconciliation (SPP) 5:00 pm Mass (SPP) † Jackie Synowski By Kim Wolinski
Sunday	6/30	8:00 am Mass (SPP) † Ben Syring Jr. By Ben & Mary Syring III 10:00 am Mass (SPP) People of the Parishes

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

The ministry schedule has been assigned for June - 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.

Thank you for helping with Mass!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE JUNE 24TH - 30TH

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

SATURDAY 5:00PM MASS

SACRISTAN: Michael Happ / Kevin & Cindy Sestak / Julie Baquet
GREETERS: Bob & Patty Krzycki / Kathy & Denny Hahn
LECTOR: Betty Czarnek
EM: Kathy Hanh / Jerry Solko
SERVERS: Volunteers

SUNDAY 8:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: Ken Vincik
GREETERS: Glen & Michele Killion / Joe & Paulette Hansen
LECTOR: Dianne Rice
EM: Tim & Amy Scheer / Kelsey Scheer
SERVERS: Volunteers

SUNDAY 10:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: Russ Kosmicki / Neil Baquet
GREETERS: Don & Becky Knox / Kevin & Laura Pedersen
LECTOR: Jordan Meyer
EM: Becky Knox / Laura Pedersen / Larry Dugan / Todd Peters / Tina Headrick
SERVERS: Volunteers

TRI-PARISH YOUTH Religious Education

Please get your First Communion Pictures
 We still have a few on the table just outside of the Parish Office. The door to the Parish Hall by the office is open 7am to 7pm.



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
 REGISTER 3 WEEKS PRIOR TO GET A FREE T-SHIRT!

COMPLETED GRADES KINDERGARTEN TO SIXTH
 DAYTIME PROGRAM - 9:00AM TO 3:00PM BRING SACK LUNCH,
 PLEASE LET US KNOW IF CAN HELP PROVIDE SNACKS OR TEAM LUNCH

COMPLETED GRADES SEVENTH TO TWELFTH
 EVENING PROGRAM - 6:00PM TO 8:15PM MEAL PROVIDED

Totus Tuus Volunteers

Please consider helping with Totus Tuus in July! With the same QR Code/Link on our website you can choose Volunteer Options from providing snacks or lunch for the missionaries, to helping out any day of the week, or housing 2 of the missionaries. Call the office with questions. Thank you for supporting this great Catholic program!

Please have Bulletin info. in by Tuesday noon this week & next week.

Lunch Bunch - Free Lunches for Kids

June 4 to July 30 (excluding July 4) Tuesdays & Thursdays
 11:30am to 12:30pm at SPP Parish Life Center, north entrance
 Coordinated by Howard Greeley Food Pantry,

Women's Holy Hour

MONDAYS AT 7PM ALL ARE WELCOME
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Bake Sale CCW Ladies, the GCA Days Bake Sale will be Saturday, July 13, 9am-2pm

Please plan to bring baked goods and help out for an hour shift if you can. Thank you!

PARISH FOOD STAND
JULY 13TH - 17TH

Please mark your Calendars, pies & stand volunteers will be needed!
EVERYONE'S HELP IS APPRECIATED!



Catholic Daughters 2024-25

Newly Elected: Chris Kosmicki - Treasurer & Laurie Krejci - Secretary (pictured)

Continuing to serve: Regent - Sandi Mudloff, Vice Regent - Denise Rathman, & Financial Secretary - Carol Vincik



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 1918 Meeting: **NO July MEETING**
Next Meeting: Tuesday, August 13, 7pm
 OUR MISSION: Together, we're empowering Catholic men to live their faith at home, in their parish, at work, & in their community.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
Family Fun Night
 29 JUNE, 2024 START AT 6PM
 —Sts. Peter & Paul—
 PARISH LIFE CENTER 713 ELM STREET ST. PAUL
HAMBURGERS, HOT DOGS, & CHIPS
EAT & PLAY GAMES
 * FREE WILL DONATION

Memorial Donation

In gratitude to the family of Jan Derner, thank you for the Memorial donations towards the Restoring Our Father's House Project.

Cemetery Clean Up & Repair at St. Joseph's

Catholic Cemetery in Elba will be taking place in the next couple of weeks. A tornado passed through the cemetery in recent weeks! We will also be removing old concrete borders that are broken and sinking in the old section of the cemetery. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Fr. Vine at the parish office. We really appreciate the work of all the cemetery association members and volunteers who generously give of their time to keeping the cemeteries at Warsaw, Elba and Farwell. May God bless you in your generosity. FVP



Thank you to all the preschoolers, parents, staff and supporters who made Blessed Sacrament Preschool great. We appreciate all of you. Blessed Sacrament Catholic Preschool is now becoming Central Catholic Preschool & part of the Central Catholic Elementary School. Blessings to all of you.

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DEFEAT THE PRO-ABORTION BALLOT INITIATIVE

Abortion is not an easy topic to talk about, and we know the big question becomes: **"What do I say?"** Nebraska Catholic Conference has an all-in-one webpage with **NEW** resources for you including multiple **short videos, podcasts, one-pagers, and sample conversations.** We hope you'll find them helpful and share them with as many people as possible. (Visit: necatholic.org/resources/)

NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival RESURRECTION EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL July 20-21



In support of the National Eucharistic Congress Resurrection Catholic Church - Grand, Island, NE For more information visit website: giresurrection.com

Eternal Life

We pray for the repose of the soul of Margaret Marie "Marge" Wozniak, of St. Paul, who passed on June 12, 2024. Mass of Christian Burial was held on June 17, 2024 at Sts. Peter & Paul Church. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.

Peters

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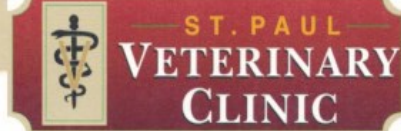
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Parish Life Center - \$100 | Maint. - \$50

Restoring Our Father's House - \$310.00

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General Fund - \$454.00

St. Joseph

General Fund - \$370.00

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

Farwell-Michelle Woitalewicz

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Elba - Betty Poss: 308-750-0512

Pray without ceasing 1 Thessalonian 5:17