30th Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 25, 2015

Sts. Peter and Paul Parish
713 Elm St., St. Paul, NE

St. Anthony St. Joseph
Farwell, NE Elba, NE

Pastor: Fr. Rayappa Konka 308-754-4649
1405 Custer St., St. Paul, NE 68873

MASS TIMES
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Mass and Baptism
Preparation – Fr. Konka
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Cynthia Paczosa DRE / St. Joseph Elba 308-863-2134

Advisory Council Members/ St. Paul: Fr. Konka
Rick Harrahill, Bob Dvorak, Neil Baquet, Monte Brouillette,
Bill Gregoski & Matt Rief

Instead of remaining in Spiritual Blindness
Let us Pray to the Holy Spirit
For Spiritual Sight

Pastor Appreciation Breakfast
Please join us for Coffee & Rolls after the 8:00 a.m. Mass this Sunday, October 25th to recognize our Pastor, Father Konka during Pastor Appreciation Month. Marilyn Schmaljohn & Pat Geiger and Elizabeth Circle Ladies will be hosting.

NOTE OF THANKS FROM FATHER KONKA
My Sincere Thanks to everyone who wished and gave me a gift (Parish Council and Catholic Daughters) on Pastor Appreciation Week. Fr. Konka

“Technology Corner”
Stay up to date on all that’s happening in our Parish Communities by regularly checking out our website and Facebook page!
Website: stspeterandpaulcatholiccommunity.org
“Like Us” on Facebook, search for “Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church”

Set Your Clocks Back
Daylight Savings Time Ends.....
Next Sunday, November 1st
Ministers for the Weekend of October 31-Nov. 1
10/31 Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Intro: Alan Lewandowski
Greeters: Jim & Mary Hedrick
         Pat Geiger & Marian Potts
Lector: Betty Czarnek
EMHC: Deanna Bauer, Virginia Schenck
      Mikhail Happ
Servers: Justin Rathman
        Rebekah & Jonah Paulsen
Music: Alan & Jolene Lewandowski Family
Rosary: Volunteer

11/1 Sunday 8:00 a.m. Mass
Intro: Jean Thede
Greeters: Betty Roebuck
         Rick & Misty Fowler Family
Lector: Mike Thede
EMHC: Jean Thede, Barb Sack
       JoAnn Urbanski
Servers: Asia & Kaylee Ambrose
Music: Volunteer
Rosary: Marty Costello

Events This Week
Monday 10/26 10 a.m. Mass @ Matelyn
Monday 10/26 1:00 p.m. Bible Study @ Matelyn
Tuesday 10/27 1:00 p.m. Quilting
Wednesday 10/28 7:00 p.m. Religious Ed. Class
Friday 10/30 9:45 a.m. Mass at Brookfield

RELIGIOUS ED TIME:
Gr. 5-11 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
Pre-school – 4th Gr.
    Sunday 8:50 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

Prayer Chain Leaders
St. Paul
    Vange Obermiller 750-6469
    Rosemarie Olsufka 754-9170
Farwell
    Michelle Woitalewicz 336-3241
    Theresa Nealon 336-3349
    thereasanealon@yahoo.com
Elba
    Betty Poss 968-3459

Mass Intentions for the Week of Oct. 26 – Nov. 1

Monday 10/26 10:00 a.m. Mass @ Matelyn
    Betty Schmidt
    +by Family

Tuesday 10/27 8:00 a.m. Mass
    Steven Jorgensen, Ray & Eleanor Buettner
    +by Eugene & Carolyn Jorgensen

Wednesday 10/28 7:00 A.M. Mass
    Cashmeier Piechota
    +by Fr. Augustyn

Thursday 10/29 8:00 A.M. Mass
    Brenda Kolar
    +by Daniel Hurt

Friday 10/30 9:45 A.M. Mass at Brookfield
    Margaret Hinze
    +by Family

Saturday 10/31 5:00 P.M. / Mass
    Georgine Shoemaker & Nick Bradley
    +by Martha Havlik

Sunday 11/1 8:00 A.M. / Mass
    People of the Parishes

Sunday 11/1 10:00 A.M. / Mass
    Joe & Victoria Radke
    +by Jerry & Shirley Hanisch

Sunday 11/1 5:00 p.m. Mass @ Farwell
    Paul Gorecki
    +by Don & Kathy Gorecki

Stewardship ...A Way of Life
Our Gift to God 10/18/15
Sts. Peter and Paul
General Fund $6424.00
Appeal 100.00
Rel. Ed 50.00
Plate 352.92
WNR 25.00

Parish Pledge received this week:
Total Pledges Received To Date: $34,292.00
Outstanding Pledges: $78,647.39
Maintenance $141.00 Parish Center Envelopes $665.00
Parish Life Center Fund $995,110.75
St. Anthony 10/18 General Fund $523.00
          Bazaar 50.00
St. Joseph 10/18 General Fund $137.00
“THANK YOU”
We would like to say “THANK YOU” to all who helped with our Annual Fall Bazaar in any way! The entire Parish Community came together to make this a day of Food, Fellowship and Fun! God Blessed us with wonderful weather, awesome workers, and delicious food! It’s amazing how everything just seems to “click” once the week-end arrives!

Congratulations to our Raffle Prize Winners:
¼ Beef - Jerry Sack
Kindle Fire - Emily Gregoski
43” Vizio Smart TV – Matt Koehn Fairbanks
$100 Gift Visa Gift Card – Ashton Thompson
$100 Cash - Betty Greenwalt
State Farm Wagon - Ted Rother
John Deer Trike - Adam Bauer
Painting – Frances Mrkwicka
Youth Dora Quilt - Rick Davison
King Size Quilt - Tina Smith
Afghan - Alan Brennan

Thank You! The Bazaar Committee,
Dee Mlinar, Rita Borzych, Beth Svoboda
Sandi Mudloff, Chris Dethlefs, Annie Kowalski

Note of Thanks
A special thank you to the” Sunday Morning Turkey Carving Crew.” You all really pitched in and made the job so easy. Blessing to all of you.
Jim & Betty Horky, Chairman

New Members of Knights of Columbus
The following NEW MEMBERS of the Knights of Columbus participated in the ceremony for the admission degree, formation degree, and knighthood degree which was held in Loup City on Sunday, October 11.
Michael Pittman, Paul Dzingle, Don Knox, Marcus A. Paczosa, Matthew Rief and Jordan Meyer all of Sts. Peter and Paul Council 1918.
Knights will meet on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Sts. Peter and Paul Church in St. Paul.

Sts. Peter and Paul Advisory Council Meeting
Advisory Council Members will meet on Sunday, October 25th at 11 a.m. in the NW classroom of the school.

All Souls Day Mass – Nov. 2nd
Mass will be Celebrated at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, November 2nd at Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed.
There will also be a 10 a.m. Mass at Matelyn Retirement Center on Monday, Nov. 2nd.

THE CHOICE WINE: 7 STEPS TO A SUPERABUNDANT MARRIAGE
Will meet on Sundays from 6 – 8 p.m.; Child care provided. This week session 3: Use money for others, challenges couples to see their financial resources as a tool entrusted to them for the good of others.

FAITH IN ACTION MEETING
Each of us is the result of a thought of God.
Each of us is willed, each of us is loved,
Each of us is necessary. Pope Benedict XVI

Faith in Action Meeting, Sunday October 25 at 4 p.m. in church. Come and dialogue about faith ideas for our parish communities. Everyone Welcome!

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING
Altar Server training will be held on Wednesday, October 28th at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.
This training is for new servers, as well as those servers who would like a refresher course. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.
Father Konka and Bill Gregoski will be the Instructors.
If you have questions please call 754-4321 or 308-850-3148.

HONEY SUNDAY – NOV. 7 – 8
St. Anthony’s Religious Ed. students will be selling Honey on the weekend of November 7 – 8 after all three Masses at Sts. Peter and Paul Church.
A $5.00 Donation is suggested for a Honey Bear Bottle.
Committed to helping children and adults with disabilities secure the opportunity to choose and realize their goals of where and how they learn, live, work and play.

Looking ahead….
Thanksgiving Mass at St. Paul
A Mass of Thanksgiving will be held at Sts. Peter and Paul Church on Tuesday, November 24th at 6:30 p.m.
Religious Ed News

Calling all parishioners...

We are in NEED of classroom HELPERS on Wednesday evening. Also, we would like to apologize for classes going long on Wednesday, Oct. 21st. We tried to do too much in one week! It was time very well spent as all students grades 5 – 11 recited the Rosary together! They did a beautiful job, and we hope to do it again during Advent. Consider joining us then…it is very inspiring!
Co-DRE’s - Judi Baker and Becky Knox

St. Anthony CCW Meeting

St. Anthony CCW Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 28th at 7:00 p.m. in the Church Basement.

Mass at St. Anthony’s Nov. 1

Mass will be Celebrated at St. Anthony’s in Farwell on Sunday, November 1st at 5:00 p.m. A Potluck dinner will follow in the Church Basement. Please bring your favorite dish to share. Everyone Welcome!

ETERNAL LIFE

We pray for Eternal Life for Elaine Foster, sister of Marian Potts, of Sts. Peter and Paul Parish.
Mass of Christian Burial was held at Sts. Peter and Paul on Saturday.

Eternal Life

We pray for Eternal Life for Nila Rasmussen of St. Joseph’s/Elba. Mass of Christian Burial was held on Saturday at St. Joseph’s in Elba.

May Eternal Light shine upon them and all the Faithful Departed.

Book of Names – All Souls Day

All Souls Day is Celebrated on November 2nd
There will be a Book in the Gathering area of the Church to write names of your Deceased Loved Ones.
Your Loved Ones will be remembered at Masses during the month of November.

For all those who are dealing with health issues.
For a safe and successful Harvest
For World Peace

Operation Christmas Child

We will be collecting items to send to needy Children in other parts of the world. Toys, personal hygiene items such as tooth brushes, bars of soap, etc. school supplies. No Liquid items please. Items can be dropped off at the back of Church where there will be a designated box for Operation Christmas Child. If you have questions please call Julie Dush at 308-968-3421.

Honey Sunday November 7 – 8

After all three Masses. Donation of $5 per Honey Bear Bottle.

Thanksgiving Mass at St. Anthony’s

The Annual Wine and Cheese reception will be held after the Thanksgiving Mass at St. Anthony’s on Wednesday, November 25th at 6:30 p.m.