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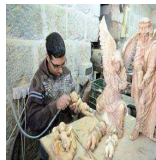
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In home party sales of totes, purses, thermals, and organizational items to help you keep your house neat and tidy!



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THE SACRAMENTS

Confession: Offered 30 minutes before weekend Masses.

Baptism: To arrange to have your child Baptized, please try to contact the rectory before the child is born.

Marriage: Contact the rectory at least six months in advance to begin preparations.

Change in Health Status: If you or a family member are homebound or hospitalized or ill and would like to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick (Extreme Unction), and/or Holy Communion, please contact the rectory.

"Ora et Labora"
 (pray and work)
 ~ St. Benedict

THIRTY-THIRD
SUNDAY OF
ORDINARY TIME
19 NOVEMBER 2017

SCHEDULE OF THE MASSES

INTENTION

Monday	20 Nov.	11:00 AM	Special Intention (KE)
Tuesday	21 Nov.	11:00 AM	Special Intention (Franciscan Sisters)
Wednesday	22 Nov.	11:00 AM	Harold Plumer+
		1:30 PM	(Ambassador) Priest Intention
		5:30 PM	Priest Intention
Thursday	23 Nov.	8:00 AM	For our Nation
Friday	24 Nov.	11:00 AM	Darin Gress+
Saturday	25 Nov.	5:00 PM	Kleineweber Family+
Sunday	26 Nov.	8:15 AM	Liturgy of the Hours (all are invited)
		9:00 AM	Pro Populo
		12:00 PM	(Mass in Spanish) Priest Intention

LAY MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

Acolyte:	Nov. 25 Stan Ohnmacht	Nov. 26 Michael Parde
Lector:	Nov. 25 Sherry Gundlach	Nov. 26 MaryAnn Athen
Servers:	Nov. 25 Volunteers	Nov. 26 Volunteers
Ushers:	Nov. 25 Volunteers	Nov. 26 Volunteers
Offertory Family:	Nov. 25 Volunteers	Nov. 26 Volunteers
Rosary Leader:	Nov. 25 Dotti Easter	Nov. 26 Rosine Lemrick
Church Cleaner:	Week of Nov. 20: Susanne Sorrenson Week of Nov. 27: Kay Stander	

OFFERING FOR 12 NOVEMBER 2017
 Envelope: \$ 1480.00 Loose: \$ 345.03
 Legion of Mary: \$ 55.00 All Saints: \$ 25.00
 Guardian Angel: \$ 42.00 Poor Fund: \$ 100.00
 Franciscan Sisters: \$ 10.00 Cookbooks: \$ 35.00
 Hall rent: \$100.00

ADVENT ANGEL TREE REQUESTS
 To request assistance, write your name, address and phone number as well as the number of children under the age of 15 in your home. Return this in the offertory basket.

ALTAR SOCIETY
 Will meet in the rectory basement following the 5:30 PM Mass on Wed., Nov. 29 from 6-7 PM. All women are invited to attend.

ADVENT ANGEL TREE
 If you would like to participate in St. Benedict Advent Angel tree program—we will be asking for cash donations this year. Families of our parish who have asked for assistance will be given SCRIP Gift cards. (SCRIP is a program that benefits Lourdes, these gift cards provided by SCRIP are available in gift cards to Walmart, Fareway, Valentinos, Bath & Beyond etc. To learn more visit lourdescentralcatholic.com.
SOUTHEAST NEBRASKA ANGEL TREE—if you want to buy gifts for families requesting help from the Southeast Nebraska area, please contact SENCA or Randy at the Lutheran Church at 402-873-5424.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Past, Present & Future Pastors of St. Benedict	
<u>Parish Adopted Priest</u> <i>Msg. Fucinaro</i>	Vocations to the Franciscan Sisters of Sorrowful Mother
Seminarians at St. Gregory the Great, Seward, NE: James O'Neil Joe Allen and Brian Wirth. All from Nebraska City and for Michael Katalenich—who is a brother studying at Province of St. Albert the Great. Prayers for Br Steve Ohnmacht+ and Fr. Robert Schreiter who grew up in our parish.	

MARCH FOR LIFE
 We have students from our parish who are interested in attending the March for Life in DC. Cost is \$450 per student. If anyone would like to donate in return for their services of: cleaning, day-care, raking leaves etc. Please contact Kay DeFreece 4022090321 or Dotti at 4022971211.

HOLD THE DATE
 Confirmation will be Sunday Dec. 10 at 9 AM at St. Benedict. Confirmation practice will be Sat. Dec. 9 at 9 AM. Wear your Confirmation attire and bring your sponsor with you to practice.
Students will meet in the school basement on Dec. 10 at 8 AM. The Bishop will meet with them at 8:15 AM. Please pray for those who will be receiving this sacrament

KNOW YOUR NUMBERS
 A free screening for indiv 19 & older will be offered by SE Nebraska Health Dept held in Gage Hall of the Methodist church (please use the East Parking Lot Door) on Nov. 21, from 7-10 AM. No food or drink 8 hrs before. Questions, call Christine @ 877-777-0424.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
 The Blessed Sacrament will be reposed at 12AM on Thursday morning, Nov. 23. The Blessed Sacrament will be Exposed following the 6 AM Mass on Mon, Nov. 27.

THANKSGIVING DAY DINNER AT THE DEPOT
 The Depot, Kimmel Orchard and Fareway are teaming up to provide a free will offering for a Thanksgiving Day Lunch from 12-3 PM. Please help spread the word!

CONFIRMATION GIFT IDEAS..
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WINTER NEEDS DRIVE
 Catholic Daughters Advent Drive: the Catholic Daughters would like your help collecting slightly used or new sleeping bags and blankets for the Catholic Social Services to distribute to the homeless. Please bring items to the back of church they December 31st. Call Barb Stukenholtz with any questions, 402-209-4976.

THANKSGIVING DAY
 Mass will be at 8 AM. Bring non perishable food items and or personal hygiene products to Mass. These items will be given to the K of C Food Pantry. The financial donations taken at offertory will be given to the cloistered sisters of our diocese.

ST. LEO'S FALL LUNCHEON
Serving from 11 AM—1 PM, Sunday, Nov. 19
 Palmyra, NE 68418
 Menu: Home cooked Turkey and Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Homemade dressing, Green beans, Rolls and Pie, Drinks will be provided. Adults: \$10.00 Kids: 12 and under \$ 5.00. Family rate \$30.00. Take out available.

A BETTER PLAN
 Lourdes Central Catholic School in Nebraska City and our area parishes are hosting A Better Plan, on Monday, November 27th from 6pm-7:30pm at Table Creek Golf Course in Nebraska City. A Better Plan is a FREE workshop presented by The Catholic Foundation of Southern Nebraska. Whether you have a plan or haven't yet begun, A Better Plan, workshop shares valuable information about:

- Using your assets for retirement income
- Using assets instead of cash for charity
 - Moral medical decision making
- Keeping more money for you, your family, and the community

If you're interested in attending A Better Plan workshop, please register by November 20th to Brooke Chaney, brooke-chaney@cdolinc.net or 402-873-6154.

WHITE MASS
 All medical professionals are invited to the White Mass at John the XXIII chapel in Lincoln on Saturday, Dec. 2 at 8 AM. Following Mass, refreshment will be served.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST
 Come join the HS students, which are going to the March for Life in Jan 2018, for a pancake feed on Sun., Nov.19 in St. Mary's Church hall 8:30-11:45 AM.