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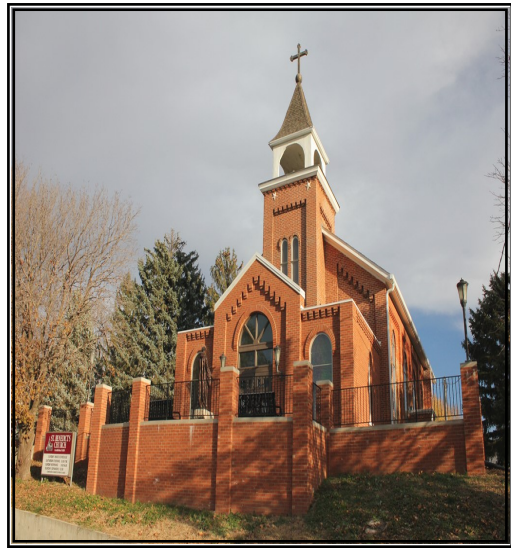
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IN AN EMERGENCY, PLEASE TRY CALLING SAINT MARY'S CHURCH (873-3024) OR LOURDES SCHOOL (873-6154).

PASTOR: Father Ryan Kaup

Visit our website at: www.stbens.org
 Email: stbenedicts1856@gmail.com



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), please call the rectory.

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

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8 SEPTEMBER 2019

<u>SCHEDULE OF THE MASSES</u>			<u>INTENTION</u>
Monday	9 Sept	11:00 AM	Ryan & Lauren Durr
Tuesday	10 Sept	11:00 AM	Fred Gress+
Wednesday	11 Sept	11:00 AM	Paul Allen+
Thursday	12 Sept	11:00 AM	Lola Milton+
Friday	13 Sept	11:00 AM	Special Intention
		1:30 PM	(at the Ambassador) Priest Intention
Saturday	14 Sept	5:00 PM	Don Lynell Schomaker
Sunday	15 Sept	8:15 AM	Liturgy of the Hours (all are invited)
		9:00 AM	Pro Populo
		12:00 PM	(Mass in Spanish) Priest Intention

PRAYER REQUESTS

Send prayer requests to prayerchainstm@gmail.com

Past, Present & Future Pastors of St. Benedict

Parish Adopted Priest <i>Msg. Fucinaro</i>	Vocations to the Franciscan Sisters of Sorrowful Mother
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Seminarians at St. Gregory the Great, Seward, NE: James O'Neil Joe Allen and Deacan Brian Wirth & Robert Johnson for Br Steve Ohnmacht+ and Fr. Robert Schreiter who grew up in our parish.

Please pray for please pray for Vocations to religious life and the intentions of our Franciscan Sisters. Please also pray for our Bishop for fortitude and for our beloved priests. May God's mercy and love hold all of them close.

UPCOMING EVENTS

~ Servant Workshop, given by Matt Simmons, Director of Evangelization & Spiritual Formation, will be offered Sept 9, Oct. 7 and Nov 4 in Lincoln. For more info visit the diocese website.

~32nd Annual Marian Mass and Rosary & Candlelight Procession on Sept 11 at 7 PM.

~Healing Hearts Support Sessions - will be offered for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one. Sessions will meet on Tues. 7-9 PM beginning Sept. 24. ? call 402-473-0620.

TAMALES FOR SALE

The Franciscan Sisters will be selling Tamales again this year during AppleJack Parade in front of S-Systems.

PLATTSMOUTH DEANERY COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

Will meet at St. Joseph's, Paul, NE on Thurs., Sept. 12 at 6:30 PM. All women are invited to attend. For more info call Cheryl Wirth 402-873-4901.

ULBRICK DINNER—HOLD THE DATE

Will be Sunday Oct. 20. Dine in from 4-6 PM. Take out will be 1:30-3PM.

RCIA

7 PM each Thursday at Lourdes High School. Questions, call 402-873-3024 for details

CCD

~ 1st thru 6th grade will meet in St. Benedict school from 5:30-6:45 PM each Wednesday. ~6th-8th grade group 7PM-8:30PM at St Benedict each Wednesday led by Fr Ventre & Fr Schultes ~9th-12th grade group 7PM-8:30PM at St Benedict each Wednesday led by Fr Danek & Fr Kaup

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION UPDATE

We currently have a need for an adorer each **Tues. 3-4 AM & 9-10 PM & Thur. 1-2AM & 7-8PM.** If interested, call Kathy 402-209-1341 or Pam 402-969-0556.

SPIRITUAL RESOURCES

Fr. Kaup has talked about a few spiritual resources in his homilies over the past few weeks.

Here is a list!

Books:

- The Parish as the School of Prayer by Fr. Scott Traynor
- Making Missionary Disciples by Curtis Martin
- The Surrender Novena

by Fr. Rolindo Ruotolo (available online) or in the back of church

ULBRICK DINNER

Each family of St. Benedict will be asked to donate 2 pies for this event and to help in preparing or serving of food. Sign-up sheet is located in the back of church.

OCTOBER IS THE LDCCW DIAPER DRIVE

Will be held in October. Donations of diapers are much appreciated. Specifically in need of size 4,5 & 6. Cash donations are also appreciated. Diapers can be bought in bulk with cash donations. Make checks payable to LDCCW & send to Kay Wessel 3600 Wittstruck Rd, Martell, NE 68404.

RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES

Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly NE announces its new schedule of 2019-2020 retreats. To see the full schedule of upcoming retreats and themes, or visit www.goodcounselretreat.com.

OUR COMMUNITY IS BLESSED WITH EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

We have had Exposed Eucharistic Adoration at the Hospital Chapel for over 15 years. If you would like to become a part of our community prayer please contact Kathy Wigington or Pam Gress for details.

INTRODUCTION TO DELIVERENCE

Have you ever wondered...exactly what IS deliverance and how does it fit into our Catholic Faith? The Diocesan Office of Evangelization/ Unbound Ministry will be hosting an evening consisting of four 20 minute talks. This is open to ALL: laity, religious, clergy, members of the Christian community & anyone who would like a better understanding of the meaning of deliverance and how each person can benefit from it. Join us at St Leo Church Hall, 340 W. 8th Street, Palmyra on Sept 11 at 7PM.

? Call Annette at annette-wemhoff@cdolinc.net or call 402-473-0615.

HOLD THE DATE

A 2-day Unbound conference at St Leo's will be held on October 18-19, 2019.

BIBLE STUDY: GENESIS TO JESUS

Discover Your Place in the Story of Salvation This is more than just an ordinary Bible study, it's Biblical catechesis. Classes will be offered three times weekly at 1503 4th Corso, Nebraska City (FRANCISCAN SISTERS' CONVENT) beginning Wed, Sept. 4 (6:30-8:00 P.M.); Thurs, Sept. 5 (9:00-10:30 A.M.); Sun, Sept. 8 (6:30-8:00 P.M.) Select the day that best fits your schedule. "A Father Who Keeps His Promises" by Dr. Scott Hahn is required reading for the class. Call the Franciscan Sisters to purchase a new copy for \$10.00 or to register for the class (402-873-3052).

THANK YOU

Jerry & Kris Barrett are so thankful to all who have prayed for Jerry's healing, sent cards, calls and the many text messages. Jerry is home and recovering....God is good!

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

31 of 156 parish families contributed to the adult env. collection this week!!! If each family donated \$22.00/week we would make our budget!

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Adult env. \$ 2,302.50 we need \$3200.00/wk from env. To make our budget) Loose: \$ 477.27 Legion of Mary: \$ 78.04 Food Sales: \$ 80.00 Guardian Angel: \$ 22.00 Stole Fees: \$ 530.00 Solutio Reimb: \$ 41.00 Franciscan Sisters \$ 5 Franciscan Sisters Fundraiser: \$ 262.00 Immaculate Conception: \$ 10.00

LAY MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

Acolyte:	Sept 14 Stan Ohnmacht	Sept 15 Patrick Gress
Lector:	Sept 14 Sherry Gundlach	Sept 15 Volunteer needed
Rosary Leader:	Sept 14 Traci Anthens	Sept 15 Janene Bennett
Volunteers needed:	Servers, Ushers and Offertory Family's for each weekend Mass and Holy Day	
Church Cleaners:	Week of Sept. 8: Michelle Baxa Week of Sept. 15: Dotti Easter Cleaning for the week assures the church is clean for funerals, Baptisms, etc. If you are unable to clean, contact a substitiue: Michelle Baxa 402-874-0338 or Dotti Easter 402-297-1211. Please place \$20 donation for cleaning in offertory basket. Money will be used per pastor discretion.	
Refreshments at the Ambassador	on Oct. 4 : Tammy Bando & Anna Sasse Group 1 (Leaders Michelle Baxa & Angelica Flores) will be responsible for breakfast after 9 AM Mass on Oct. 6.	