



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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Fourth Sunday of Easter, --Year C May 12, 2019

Serving the Church to make Jesus Christ known and loved

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WEDDINGS: Contact the Pastor six months before your wedding date

BAPTISMS: Contact the Pastor to arrange for class time and date

CONFESSIONS: 30 minutes before Sat. and Sun. Masses; 15 minutes before weekday Masses. Confessions also available by appointment.

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!
 Call the Parish Office to register:
 OLMC-Tilden: 402.368.7710
 SFA-Neligh: 402.887.4521

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Tues 14 May	----- 9:00 am	(T)	Edward & Eleanor Starman +
Wed 15 May	----- 8:30 am	(N)	Burgett Peetz +
	9:30 am	(W)	Mark Sehi +
Thur 16 May	----- 9:00 am	(T)	Hannah Lager +
Fri 17 May	----- 8:30 am	(N)	Elaine Glanz +
Sat 18 May	----- 5:00 pm	(T)	Jerome Dittrich +
	7:00 pm	(N)	Paul Reuss +
Sun 19 May	----- 8:00 am	(N)	Helen Burbach + & family
	10:00 am	(T)	Parishioners of OLMC & St. Francis

MASS TIMES SFA-Neligh	Saturday 18 May, 7:00 pm	Sunday 19 May, 8:00 am
EMHC's	Dane & Jennifer Nielsen, Kathy Sauser, Kelsey Blakeman, Simon Beacom	Matt & Angie Belitz, Carla Teel Jim & Kathy Koenig, Alice Kallhoff
LECTOR	Milly Clemens	Sheila Parks
SERVERS	Tyson Blakeman, Sydney Sands, Connor Ramold, Kaylee Ramold	Garret Belitz, Mallory Belitz, Corbin Hoefler, Josselyn Hoefler
GIFT BEARERS	Nick Ramold Family	Tim Knievel Family
USHERS	Randy Kallhoff, Ted Hughes Bill Lyons, Jon Strom	LeRoy Clarkson, Chad Shabram Vince Sauser, Trent Hoefler

Dates & Time OLMC-Tilden	USHERS	EMHCs	Lectors	Servers	Gift Bearers	Money Counters
Saturday May 18 5:00 pm	Phil Chvala Roger Kee	Mike Dusel JoAnn Penne Vernel Zwingman	Mary Rautenberg	Ashton Kuchar Kirsten Dusel Landon Meyer Layton Meyer	Phil & Rebecca Chvala & Family	
Sunday May 19 10:00 am	Sam Johnsen Walt Patras	Stan & Jolene Schapmann Rosemary Patras	Emily Vaughn	Marinee Vaughn Leevi Frey Cassidy Frey	Sam & Danielle Johnsen & Family	Daniella Johnsen Phil Chvala



Pray for all mothers, especially those who daily live out Respect Life in their care of mentally or physically challenged children..

OLMC: FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

First Holy Communion was last Sunday, May 5th at OLMC at the 10:00am Mass. Congratulations to the First Communicants: **Charlie Tegeler, Keaton Kuchar, Mackenzie Rautenberg and Benjamin Kivett.**



My thanks to the teachers **Shannon Tegeler** and **Danielle Johnsen** for giving their time and extending the effort to teach and prepare the class for this important sacrament. The teachers certainly helped in making this a special day for the First Communicants.

My thanks to all the other teachers in the religious education program at OLMC. Without their dedication, all on a volunteer basis, we would not have the program we have at the parish. Thank you! **Corinne Frey (Director and 6th Grade), Christina Kivett (K), Cindy Decker (1st), Mary Hecht (3rd), Nicole Kuchar (4th), Rachel Frey (5th), Kathy**

Osborn (7-9), Deb Navratil (10-12) and Natalie Dittmer (Music).

The first educators of the faith are the parents, but recognizing we live in community and thus we support each other in growing in the faith. The teachers by extending their time and effort help to do just that by assisting the parents to impart the faith. May God bless them for their efforts and generosity!

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel pray for us!

St. Francis of Assisi pray for us!

St. Francis Parish Hall Restroom Remodel:

Through consultation with the parish council, the women's and men's restrooms in the parish hall will be remodeled so as to be wheelchair accessible and more handicap friendly. Parishioner Don Zegers will be doing the work. The cost will be approximately \$8,000. There will be a second collection the weekend of May 24/25 to help fund this project. If you would like to support this effort, please do so by the second collection or by the regular collection noting for the restroom remodel. Any difference not collected through the second collection or by other donations, will be covered by the parish Building Fund, the parish account supported by the Building Fund envelopes. Thank you for your consideration and your support of the parish Building Fund as well.



It's time to receive joy in a way that will refresh, energize, and inspire. Join your brothers and sisters from across the Archdiocese of Omaha, and experience a celebration of community and faith at *ArchOmaha Unite, June 8, 2019.* For more information, visit unite.archomaha.org

St. Francis of Assisi families responsible for cleaning the church in May

- May 18** Mary Ann Herrera, John Anderson, Carol Anderson
- May 25** Danny Payne, Aaron Wilson, John Horstman

If you are unable to fulfill your assigned time, please find a substitute.

Rosary Sodality meeting Tues 14 May, 7 pm.

Volunteers needed: Would you please sign up (Sheet in vestibule of church) to bring a Casserole meal for Father? Any Wednesday night you wish. Thank you!

St. Francis parish library has some inspirational reading and videos for all ages. Check it out if you haven't done so. It is located in the northwest corner of the basement at the bottom of the stairwell. There is a drop box for returns in the entryway.

Praying for vocations: Our **Travelling Vocation Cross** has started its journey thru our parish families again as we continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood. Nick & Beth Ramold are now hosting the **Vocation Cross**. Please contact Kathy Sauser for hosting arrangement. Vocation prayer cards for your use may be found at the back of church and in the vocation cross box.

A small **library is available** in the landing of OLMC church basement for the purpose of sharing faith based books. No check-out is necessary, just borrow and return.

**Sun /Holy Day & Other Collections
May 5, 2019**

SFA-Neligh
Weekly offering needed
\$2,859.
Regular Coll.
\$2372.00

OLMC-Tilden
Regular Collection:
\$1,245.75
Easter Flowers
\$20.00

God bless you for your generosity

Please pray for all those who have died, and especially for:

† Fran McCoy
mother of Beverly, Linda and Richard,



May they rest in peace.
May the souls of all the faithful departed receive the mercy of God. Amen!

The month of May is special for fostering devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. We are encouraged to pray the holy Rosary daily. Intimacy with Mother Mary draws us deeper into friendship with Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us.



SFA-Neligh

Rosary every Tue, 10 am in Church, Everyone welcome.

The Willows: Rosary, Sat at 10 am;

Knights of Columbus: 1st Tue, 8 pm

Rosary Sodality: 2nd Tue, 7:00 pm

Parish Council: May 23, 7:00 pm

Fin. Council: TBA

OLMC-Tilden

Knights of Columbus (see Neligh)

Catholic Women meet : 1st Tue 9:30 am every 3 months, Mar, June, Sept, Dec.

Parish Council: May 29 7 pm

Fin. Council: TBA

ASK FOR A PRAYER



Please call June Andersen (887-4937) Germaine Berry (887-4293) or the parish office (887-4521) to add names to the prayer list. Names will be listed for three weeks or as long as necessary. Thank you for praying for those most in need

Please remember to pray for: St. Francis-Neligh

Matt Evans, Dr. Dwaine Peetz, Larry Braband, Larry Neyens, Robin Boschult, Annette Anderson, Debbie Trease, Roman Hupp, Leland Hupp, Marty Wagner, Germaine Berry, Lyla Mechaley, Karen Ruterbories, Barb Roland

Please remember to pray for: OLMC-Tilden

Nate Thiele, Nancy Hecht, Matt Evans, Betty Schiltmeyer, Joel Rivera, Larry Chroetlin, Gary Inlow, Allery Klabenes, Jenny White, Sena Lowery, Rick Stahno

Announcements

World Day of Prayer will be observed on Sun, 12 May, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday". The purpose of this day is to publically fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest." (Mt 9:38, LK10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes. You can find many resources to promote a culture of vocations on the USCCCB Vocations webpage.

MAY 14, 2019 NEXT OACCW MEETING AT ST. BONAVENTURE CHURCH, 2305 SR Rd., RAEVILLE, NE Executive Officers Board meeting at 9:30 AM. Registration for General OACCW Member Board meeting 9:30 a.m with meeting starting promptly at 10:00 a.m. Agenda will include Holy Mass; OACCW Convention in Crofton on Sept 16, 2019; Province Director (report) from OACCW; OACCW Scholarship Winner. Please come, bring a guest and grow your faith with us. Questions call Linda Kerkman, 402-843-8524 or Lauren Bopp at 402-553 -7163

St. Boniface School News.

~Ahoj! Prepare yourself for a rollicking good time at the St. Boniface **Spring Concert**, "Songs of the Sea," to be held on **Wednesday, May 15**. The concert will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Boniface Auditorium. The 5th and 6th grade band students will perform, followed by the lower elementary students, singing their songs of sailors, sea creatures, and fishing. The 3rd-6th graders will present "Pirates! The Musical" by John Jacobson and Roger Emerson. Don your eye patch and bring your parrot for an enjoyable night at sea with the St. Boniface students!

~Faith Regional Health Services cordially invites those who know the loss of a baby or child to attend this year's **Butterfly Release Memorial Service**. The gathering will begin at 11:00 a.m. on **Sat 1 June** in the Bradford Spirituality Garden on West Campus. If you are interested in participating or if you have any questions, please call Jim Wonnacott at 402-992-2468. RSVP by May 20th.

~Yes, Honey, I Was Listening: Marriage and Prayerful Hope, June 22 – 23, retreat for married couples at *Saint Benedict Center*, Schuyler, with *Deacon James Keating, Ph.D.* This retreat will assist couples in securing a realistic vision of how intimacy occurs through communication both with one's spouse and with God in prayer. There will be conferences on the theme, spiritual direction, silence and prayer, time for couple conversation and Mass. We encourage especially younger couples to attend. Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to Sunday after lunch. Register now at www.StBenedictCenter.com or call (402) 352-8819

~The St. Boniface and St. Bonaventure Vocation committee **invites you to , A Marian Retreat for Young Girls**. When: July 9th & 10th, 2019. Where: Tintern Retreat Center, Oakdale, NE . Who: Incoming 4-6th Grade Girls,. This year, we will be focusing on the Miraculous Medal! Girls will learn how to be "full of Grace" with model, Mother Mary. Activities include confession and adoration, Mary crowning, bible study, crafts, skits, and a campfire with s'mores! Embrace your femininity while meeting new friend and growing closer in relationship to Mary and Jesus! For Questions or Application, please contact: Chelsea Preister, acpreister@gmail.com, 402-270-7250, Cheryl Veik, momveik@gmail.com, 402-843-8023, Karen Eischeid, karensuzyq@hotmail.com , 402-843-5987. Applications due May 31, 2019.

GET ON THE BUS!

Why drive when you can ride in style to Unite with our parish family? We've reserved a charter bus to travel to ArchOMaha Unite! Skip the fuss and cost of parking and get a seat on the bus today!

For more details or to register,

St. Francis, contact **Susie Ames** at 402-929-0038, or at susieannames@gmail.com

OLMC, contact **Jolene Schapmann** at 402-368-5906 or at jschapmann57@hotmail.com

Interested in being a Lector or Eucharistic Minister? Contact Fr. Pat. See below for important dates:

TRAINING RURAL

Sunday August 18, 2019 St. Mary Norfolk 1:30 – 4:30 P.M.

Sunday, August 25, 2019, St. Mary West Point 1:30 to 4:30 pm

MANDATION – RURAL – Wednesday, August 28, 2019 St. Mary's Norfolk – 7:00 P.M.

Names must be submitted for training by July 19, 2019.

With the combined parish bulletin, we request that all announcements be submitted to the office (sfa or olmc) by Thursday noon of each week. Announcements not received by Thur. may not be published. Thank You.

Visit parish website: www.olmctilden.org or www.stfranciscc.org for weekly bulletins, Mass times, liturgical ministers' and religious education schedules, Parish & Finance Council news, parish women's organizations, Knights of Columbus events , web links, events & announcements, and more. For SFA parish hall rentals and events call the parish office. For OLMC call Mary Rautenberg at 402-368-2231 & Loretta Nykodym 402-368-2182.

For OLMC maintenance call Stan Schapmann 402-368-5906. SFA call Del Ames 402-276-0184