



St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time--Year C August 4, 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 6 Aug ----- 9:00 am (T) J. R. Healing
 Wed 7 Aug ----- 8:30 am (N) Pat & Ester Krebs + & Family
 9:30 am (W) Fran McCoy +
 Thur 8 Aug ----- 9:00 am (T) Jerome Dittrich +
 Fri 9 Aug ----- 8:30 am (N) Ray McNally +
 Sat 10 Aug ----- 5:00 pm (N) Dan Knievel +
 7:00 pm (T) John & Mary O'Brien +
 Sun 11 Aug ---- 8:00 am (T) Parishioners of OLMC & St. Francis
 10:00 am (N) Fred Spieker +

MASS TIMES SFA-Neligh	Saturday 10 Aug, 5:00 pm	Sunday 11 Aug, 10:00 am
EMHC's	Jon Strom, Kathy Sauser Dane & Jennifer Nielsen, Alice Kallhoff	Marian Shabram, Dale Kallhoff, Joe & Bev Hartz, Doris Ternus, Michelle Ternus
LECTOR	Anne Hemenway	Sheila Parks
SERVERS	Isaac Hemenway, Sam Hemenway Alayna Finch, Brian Heithoff	Caleb Payne, Kegan Payne Sydney Sands, Sidney Shabram
GIFT BEARERS	Eric Heithoff Family	Gary Gunderson Family
USHERS	LeRoy Clarkson, Trent Hoefler Eric Heithoff, Brian Harrison	Chad Shabram, Ted Hughes Duane Knievel, Gary Gunderson

MASS TIMES OLMC Tilden	USHERS	EMHCs	Lectors	Servers	Gift Bearers	Money Counters
Saturday Aug 10 7:00 pm	Roger Kee Phil Chvala	Joanne Penne Mary Rautenberg Vernel Zwingman	Loretta Nykodym	Nate Decker Evan Decker Kirsten Dusel	Phil & Rebecca Chvala	
Sunday Aug 11 8:00 am	Dave Miller John Frey	Stan & Jolene Schapmann Jim O'Brien	Ruth Miller	Carney Black JJ Black Logan Black	Stan & Jolene Schapmann	Danielle Johnsen Phil Chvala



Pray that we may value the life of the unborn more than material possessions..

Congratulations to the new duly elected members of the St. Francis Parish Council: **Anne Hemenway and Steve Kuester.**

My appreciation for them willing to serve the parish in this way. The parish relies on individuals, like this, that give of their time to help and serve the parish. We had 134 submitted ballots, voting for parish council - thank you to those that voted.

With the newly elected, the council members at the parish are now as follows: **Del Ames** (President), **Amy Baker, Doug Haselhorst, Julie Harrison, Anne Hemenway, Dale Kallhoff, Steve Kuester, Rosemary Legate, and Larry Reuss, and Trustees: Milly Clemens and Bob Eggerling**

My thanks to **Daryl Booth and Nick Storm**, council members completing their second term, for their service on the council. The parish council is serving the parish well, and has been a great resource for me in providing guidance for the parish. Any questions, comments or suggestions about the parish, please feel free to contact me or one of the parish council members or trustees. Your input is important.

A note on the Gospel: The Gospel presents to us the “Rich Fool,” who focuses on “bigger” barns v. matters of God. It is a gospel about possessions, a focus and concern too much on accumulation. As Pope Francis once quipped, I have never seen a moving van following a funeral procession. In other words, the age old wisdom, you can’t take it with you. A good reminder and meditation.

Does “stuff” take up too much of our time and does it distract us from God? This I think is one of the tactics of the enemy, the Evil One. If someone does not outright reject God, for example, then the tactic of the Enemy to distract with undue attention to things, to the things of the world v. the “matters” of God.

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel pray for us!

St. Francis of Assisi pray for us!

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Do you know someone that is not Catholic, but may have interest in becoming Catholic? Maybe a close relative or friend, or maybe your spouse who has been considering it. RCIA classes will be available starting in September. If you would like more information about RCIA and/or would like to begin the classes, please contact me or the parish office. *Fr. Pat*



Religious Education at St.

Francis will start the **4th of Sept.** Registration paper is attached to the Bulletin. Please pick up extra forms at the entrance of Church for friends and family that may not have gotten a bulletin.

We will have a **teachers meeting on 21 of August** at 6:00 pm. We are still in need of several aids for the K - 6th grade, 8th grade teacher and teacher/assistant for the 10th, 11th, 12th grade after Confirmation.

We will have a **mandatory parent meeting** for all parents K - 12 on **28 of August at 7:00 pm** with a Confirmation meeting to follow.

Thank you all for your continued support for the education of our youth and continue prayers please. God Blessings to all.

Amy

CCD Teachers and anyone who may have contact with our youth (i.e., chaperones, drivers, aides) 18 and older **must be Safe Environment** certified before September 4. Training sessions in our area include:

St. Anthony School - Columbus - Sun, Aug. 4th 6:00 pm
St. Anthony Parish - Columbus - Mon, Aug 5th 6:00 pm
Pope John School - Elgin- Tues, Aug 6th 6:00 pm
Sacred Heart Parish - Norfolk - Mon., Aug. 26th 6:00 pm

A listing of all training sessions can be found on the Omaha Archdiocese website: <https://archomaha.org/safe-environment/>

Please contact Natalie Bitney at 402-929-0077 if you have questions about Safe Environment.

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

- Aug 1** Jim Bright, Kathy Sauser, Dave Jacobsen
- Aug 8** Pattie Behnk, Roy Snodgrass, Brian Christiansen
- Aug 17** Dewey Teel, Randy Kallhoff, Marian Shabram
- Aug 22** Tom Farber, Doug Jessen, Shantell Boggs,
- Aug 29** Kenny Parks, Matt Parks, Chad Shabram

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

Rosary Sodality committee for August, Patty Payne, Sally Clarkson, Dana Sheriden, Terra Kimes, Tracey Sehi, Sheila Parks, Merri Strong, Rosemary Legate, Denise Gunderson, Patti Good, Shelly Sands, Lauren Simonsen, Alice Lyons, Sue Seier.

There **will not be rolls & coffee** in Aug due to the pancake feed at the County fair.

Fall Festival News Monthly chairwomen will be contacting Rosary Sodality members for raffle prize donations this month. If you would like to donate a prize and do not receive a call, you may contact Sheila Parks @ 402-887-4001 or Martha Eilers @ 402-368-5884.

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. Mary Frasch is hosting the Vocation Cross currently. 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.

There will be a **special Salad Bar meeting of OLMC Catholic Women** meeting on **Wed 7 Aug.** 6:00 pm gathering and serving at 6:30 pm. All ladies of the parish are invited to come and socialize together.

To help support the missionary work of Ann Wagner, a direct link to Ann's support page can be found on the left side of the OLMC website (www.olmctilden.org). Once you have reached Ann's page, click the *Support Ann* button and follow the steps provided. You have the option of paying with a credit card or withdrawal from a bank account.

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
July 28, 2019*

SFA-Neligh	OLMC-Tilden
*Weekly offering Needed: \$2,675.42	*Weekly offering Needed: \$884.62
Regular Coll. \$2,245.41	Regular Coll. \$802.00
Pope John: \$50.00	Hall Rental: \$125.00

God Bless you for your generosity!

*This amount reflects weekly giving over 52 weeks. It anticipates other amounts collected, for example, for Christmas, Easter, Holy Days, and other parish donations will be at certain or close to budgeted amounts in addition to this weekly giving amount.

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: Aug. 8, 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/Finance Council: Aug 13, 7:00 pm



Please call June Andersen (887-4937) Milly Clemens (887-5069) 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, Robin Boschult, Annette Anderson, Roman Hupp, Marty Wagner, Lyla Mechaley, Barb Roland, Ashley Bartlett, Joe Evans, Keith Palmer, Becky Baker, Grandson of Julie Werkmeister.

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, Shirley Burkhardt, Fred Sandquist, Robert Petersen

Announcements

The **Holy Family Parish**, Lindsay, NE **annual Bazaar** will be held August 18, serving a Roast beef and sausage dinner from 12:00 – 4 pm in the air conditioned gym. There will be a Farmers Market, concession stands for all ages and inflatable Kids Bouncing Rooms for the children. Please join us.

Omaha Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women, August Meeting

The Omaha Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women will hold its next Executive and Council Meetings on Tues , **Aug 13, 2019** at Holy Trinity Parish in Hartington, NE at 406 S. Broadway. Registration for Executive meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. with meeting to begin at 9:30 a.m. Registration for Council meeting will begin at 11:00 a.m. Mass will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m. followed by lunch. Come enjoy our new meeting style as we discuss agenda items: Circles of Council, Water for Life Video, How to Mentor, Christ Child Society and the Executive Board report.

Mark your calendars and Please plan to attend, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, **Parish Bazaar, Sun 1 Sept.** Werner Hall, 106 North 4th Street, Petersburg. 10 a.m. Mass

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Meal in our air conditioned Werner Hall ~ Meal cost Adults \$12 ~ Children \$6 (ages 4-12)

Serving: Roast beef, sausage, mashed potatoes & gravy, Cole slaw, homegrown sweetcorn, cucumber salad, and desserts. Meal to be followed by Parish Auction, Parish Raffle, Collector Gun Raffle, & Quilt Raffle. Kids' Activities, BINGO, & Social Garden (Ongoing). Hope to See you There!!

FOLLOW is a new event led by the seminarians and occurring in two locations:

St. Thomas More in Omaha on August 3rd & St. Mary's in Norfolk on August 10th, from 7:00-10:00 p.m. Our vision is to gather high school men together (incoming freshmen to recent graduates) for a night of prayer, testimony, and community, as we all seek to take the next step in our journey of faith and discernment. Priests, youth ministers, and teachers are encouraged to share the event with the high school guys at their parishes.

See 2019 # FOLLOW for event information and registration, and contact Will Targy at wstargy@archomaha.org with any questions.

Special Collection on August 10/11 for the JPPI Newman Center

About the JPPI Newman Center:

“In the Archdiocese of Omaha, we have a parish that is unlike any other parish.

“The St. John Paul II Newman Center near the UNO campus is a parish like ours, except its parishioners happen to be college students.

“Many of these students are venturing out on their own for the first time, away from the watchful eye of their parents, parish priests and teachers. Because of their vulnerability to the demands and deceptions of the secular world, there is an urgent need to keep students rooted in their faith. Catholic students need a place to call their own – a place for faith formation, prayer, friendship with Jesus, recreation and entertainment.

“While having beautiful common spaces for study, reflection and community, and a church to worship and pray, the JPPI Newman Center is unique because there is modern apartment-style housing for college students near the UNO campus.

“The JPPI Newman Center is changing the lives of college students. That's why parishes across the archdiocese are holding a special collection. Your financial support will provide the opportunity for students with common values to continue their faith journey through their college years and will encourage students to be leaders in their future parishes and communities.

“Please prayerfully consider giving to JPPI Newman Center special collection.”

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.olmetilden.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