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Pastor: Reverend Mark Beran
Deacons: Gary French & Pat Gross
Religious Education: Laura Hochstein, DRE, 375-2000
Parish Secretary: Patty Wurdeman
College Newman Minister: Fr. Mark Beran
Assistant Newman Ministers: Jilliane Allemann & Amy Woerdemann - 375-1155
Hispanic Parish Coordinator: Cecilia Modrell
St. Mary's School & Little Lambs Preschool, 375-2337
Head Teacher: Mark Evetovich

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: As members of St. Mary's Parish located in Wayne, Nebraska we affirm our belief that together with all whom accept Jesus Christ as the Risen Lord; we are a pilgrim people seeking salvation. We have made the commitment to worship God, to educate by passing on the faith, to witness the Gospel by living a Christian life, and to love and serve each other and our neighbors. We will contribute the time, talent and treasure necessary to further these spiritual purposes. With God's help, and through the intercession of Mary, the Mother of God and our patroness, we will make our parish community one which is seen by all as Catholic Christian.

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday - 6:00 PM; Sunday - 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM; and Spanish Mass in Emerson NE (402-695-2342).

WEEKDAY & HOLIDAY MASSES: See Bulletin.

NEW PARISHIONERS: You are invited to register at the rectory or see the pastor following Mass.

RECONCILIATION: 5:30 PM on Saturdays & 1/2 Hr. before Masses on Sundays or by appointment.

BAPTISMS: Contact the Parish Office. Parents are to attend pre-baptismal catechesis prior to the baptism.

MARRIAGES: The Archdiocese of Omaha requires a minimal six months waiting period for proper preparation for marriage. Please contact the parish a year in advance. The RC adult and/or the parents should be registered members of St. Mary's Parish.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: Celebrated individually upon request. If someone is seriously ill, please call the rectory.

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May 13, 2012

6th Sunday of Easter – Intentions for May 14 – May 20

Monday	May	14	NO MASS	
Tuesday	May	15	8:00 AM	Farmers
Wednesday	May	16	8:00 AM	† Hazel Leonard
Wednesday	May	16	7:00 PM	† Courtland Smith
Thursday	May	17	12:10 PM	† Gus Murphy
Thursday	May	17	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Friday	May	18	8:00 AM	† Lyle Samuelson
Saturday	May	19	NO 8:00 AM MASS	
Saturday	May	19	6:00 PM	† Ray Loberg
Sunday	May	20	8:00 AM	† Red & Carol Carson
Sunday	May	20	10:00 AM	People of the Parish



No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends.

May 16/17 Ascension of the Lord
HOSPITALITY
USHERS
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SERVERS
*EMHCS
MUSIC MINISTRY

WED 7:00 PM
Volunteers
Volunteers
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THURS 12:10 PM
Volunteers
Volunteers
Volunteers
Volunteers
Volunteers
Volunteers

THURS 5:00 PM
Volunteers
Volunteers
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Volunteers

May 19/20 7th Sunday of Easter
HOSPITALITY
USHERS
READER
SERVERS
*EMHCS

SAT 6:00 PM
B & S Grone
M Brugger / J Davis
C Osten
K Grone / T Grone
T Hypse / J Reinert
A Sty / (Deacon)
Volunteer / P Heinemann
R & MA Lutt / T Kay

SUN 8:00 AM
D Hochstein / K Roberts
R Ruhl / J Sperry
I Fletcher
H Belt / J Belt
A Witkowski / R McLean
T Reinke

SUN 10:00 AM
P & J Melena
D Fehringer / N Fendrick
R Rethwisch
A Loberg / E Loberg
K Kwapnioski /
*M & J Klein / (Deacon)
K Kwapnioski / J Loberg

MUSIC MINISTRY
COUNTERS

May 26/27 Pentecost Sunday
HOSPITALITY
USHERS
READER
SERVERS
*EMHCS

SAT 6:00 PM
L & E Haase
B Grone / S Hasemann
Sr. J Gilligan
A Claussen / E Claussen
A Osten / C Osten
E Osten / (Deacon)
Volunteer / K White
B Meyer / S Eaton / S Frevert / J Nelsen

SUN 8:00 AM
K & B Hochstein
D Sty / M Wieseler
J Lutt
M Fehringer / M Fehringer
R & S Ruhl / T Reinke

SUN 10:00 AM
S & D Mostek
T Garvin / Rod Hunke
M Ahmann
B O'Reilly / E O'Reilly
G Kuhlmeier / J Ahmann
*M Schlichter / (Deacon)
Volunteer / Volunteer

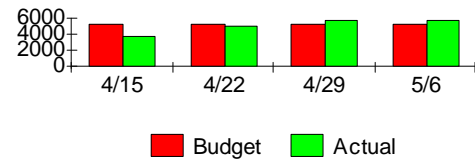
Everyone: PLEASE arrange for a substitute if you cannot come on your assigned date!

Thank You!

May 5 & 6, 2012 - STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE		
Plate	\$	424.25
Adult envelopes	\$	5,220.00
Children	\$	31.00
Total	\$	5,675.25

Total Sundays, Holy Days, & Children

	Actual	Budget
Fiscal year to date	\$231,581.20	\$233,190
Average per week	\$ 5,146.25	\$ 5,182



Stewardship – May 13 *“This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends” - JOHN 15:12-13.* Do you love Jesus? Do you consider Him your friend? Jesus says that if we love Him we should be willing to offer whatever we have to Him, not because we want praise and glory, but because we love Him.

St. Mary’s Prayer List

Please pray for those suffering from illness and their families that they may find relief from their burdens, and feel the comforting presence of the Lord.

Parishioners: Jean Coan, Larry Haase, Felix Marks, Nick Hochstein, Elizabeth Dickes, Clif Ginn, Betty Robins, Clete Sharer, Betty Meyer, and Derek & Ashley Meyer.

Family/Friends: Felix Tomasiewicz (father of Fr. Mark Tomasiewicz), Kristen Ewing (daughter of Donna Ewing), Janet Hummel (friend of Miron & Louise Jenness), Deb Neiffer (friend of Miron & Louise Jenness), Doak Wegner (friend of Dan & Connie Sukup), Danita Beadle (sister-in-law of Ray Nelson), Elizabeth Brumm (former parishioner), Deena Creamer (daughter of Clete & Vona Sharer Mary Seiler Page (former parishioner), Mary Carroll (daughter-in-law of Ed & Dee Carroll), Larry Bowers (friend of Mark & Jane Ahmann), Kaden Schmale (grandson of Darrell & Dorothy French), Jaime Knehans (friend of Kathy Luhr), Bill Harper (former parishioner), Jan Brumm (former parishioner), Paula Dartman (daughter of MaryEllen Maxey), Alex Ankeny (son of Josh & Heidi Ankeny), Marie Pearson (mother of Shelly Anderson), Steven Morse (son of Marilyn Morse), Karen Arndt (sister of Helen Heikes), Linda Hochstein (daughter-in-law of Sally Hochstein).

Tend Thy sick ones, O Lord Jesus. Rest Thy weary ones. Bless Thy dying ones. Soothe Thy suffering ones. Pity Thy afflicted ones. Shield Thy joyous ones. All for Thy love’s sake. St. Augustine

We do not always know the current condition of those on our Prayer list. If a person is doing better and his/her name should be removed from the list let the Parish Office know. Thanks.

Congratulations to Madison Jenkins for 1st place in the Knights of Columbus State Substance Abuse poster contest. Thanks to everyone who participated in the program for promoting awareness of the negative effects that alcohol and drug abuse may have on society.

Congratulations to Emily Longe for 1st place in the Knights of Columbus State Pro-life poster contest. Emily will receive a \$200 government savings bond and her poster will be put on “One Rose, One Life” cards. The parish will receive \$500 to use for pro-life events.

ST. MARY’S CALENDAR May 13th – May 20th

†**The Rosary** is prayed ½ hour before the weekend Masses. The 7:30 AM Rosary on Sunday will be prayed for the unborn.
 †**Hispanic Prayer Group & Rosary** – Monday, May 14th at 5 PM at the Church.
 †**Health Ministry Meeting** – Tuesday, May 15th at 4 PM at the Rectory.
 †**Pastoral Council Meeting** – Tuesday, May 15th at 6 PM at the Rectory.
 †**Devotions at CareAge** – Wednesday, May 16th at 2:30 PM.
 †**Devotions at The Oaks** – Wednesday, May 16th at 3:30 PM.
 †**Ascension of the Lord Vigil Mass** – Wednesday, May 16th at 7 PM.
 †**Ascension of the Lord I Mass** – Thursday, May 17th at 12:10 PM and 5 PM. (Holy Day of Obligation).
 †**Parish Office Closed** – Thursday, May 17th.
 †**Ecumenical Prayer Group** – Friday, May 18th from Noon to 12:30 PM at St. Mary’s. It’s open to all religions and ages.
 †**Catholic Communications Campaign Collection** – Saturday, May 19th & Sunday, May 20th at all Masses.

From the Pastor’s Desk

There are prayers we say so often that we fail to realize what these prayers really mean. In this month dedicated to Mary, the Hail Mary is one of these prayers. Let us reflect a little more on what this prayer is all about.

The first half of the Hail Mary expresses the joy of heaven and earth at the incarnation of Jesus. “Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee” (Lk 1:28) is the greeting of the archangel Gabriel when he announces that Mary will be the mother of Jesus. “Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus” (Lk 1:42) is the greeting of Elizabeth when Mary, pregnant with Jesus, visits her. So in this first half of the Hail Mary we are joining in the praise of heaven (represented by the archangel Gabriel) and earth (represented by Elizabeth). When you say those words, do you realize that you are sharing in the praise of heaven and earth to God for the fact that Jesus has become man?

Notice how the name of Jesus is the center of the Hail Mary. Yes, the prayer is directed to Mary but Jesus is at the heart of it, just as Jesus is at the center of Mary’s heart. If someone asks you why you pray to Mary, tell him or her that you are asking Mary to pray for you and that turning to Mary always means having Mary direct us towards Jesus.

The rest of the Hail Mary is basically asking Mary, the Mother of God, to pray for us. In the time of Jesus, the queen of a kingdom was not the wife of the king because the king normally had many wives. The queen was the king’s mother and the role of the Queen Mother was to intercede for the people to the king. Mary is our Queen Mother who intercedes for us in a special way with her Son. If you ever wonder how powerful Mary’s intercession is, see the story of the Wedding Feast of Cana (Jn 2:1-12).

So the next time you say the Hail Mary, take the time to think about the words you are praying. It is a powerful prayer and Mary is a powerful intercessor.

Mary, Mother of God and our patroness, pray for us.
 Fr. Beran

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN COLLECTION

Next Weekend, May 19th & 20th

This collection communicates the Good News through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our archdiocese, so please be generous in this Collection. CCC is how Good News gets around *to you*.

Daily Scripture Readings

Monday, May 14 (St. Matthias): Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Psalms 113:1-8; John 15:9-17.
Tuesday, May 15 (St. Isidore): Acts 16:22-34; Psalm 138:1-3, 7c-8; John 16:5-11.
Wednesday, May 16 (Sixth Wednesday of Easter): Acts 17:15, 22 to 18:1; Psalms 148:1-2, 11-14; John 16:12-15.
Thursday, May 17 (The Ascension of the Lord): Acts 1:1-11; Psalms 47:2-3, 6-9; Ephesians 1:17-23 or Ephesians 4:1-13; Mark 16:15-20.
Friday, May 18 (St. John I): Acts 18:9-18; Psalms 47:2-7; John 16:20-23a.
Saturday, May 19 (Sixth Saturday of Easter): Acts 18:23-28; Psalms 47:2-3, 8-10; John 16:23b-28.
Sunday, May 20 (Seventh Sunday of Easter): Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Psalms 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20; I John 4:11-16; John 17:11b-19.

Take a moment each day to read and reflect on these passages from Sacred Scripture. It’s a wonderful way to join our personal prayer with public prayer of the Church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

St. Mary’s Vacation Bible School

Avalanche Ranch – “A Wild Ride through God’s Word!”

Dates: May 29th – May 30th – May 31st

Time: 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM

Ages: 3 to 5 years old

Registration forms are located in the main entrance of church.

For information, call Laura Hochstein at 402-375-2000.

TOTUS TUUS - Faith Inspiring Summer Program

DATE: June 3rd-8th, 2012

PLACE: Holy Family Hall

TIME: Grades K - 6th: Mon-Fri 9:00am-3:00pm

TIME: Grades 7th - 12th: Sun-Thurs 7:30pm-9:40pm

INFORMATION: Call Laura Hochstein @ 375-2000

WAYNE STATE CATHOLIC NEWMAN NEWS

Facebook: Wayne State Catholic Newman 375-2000

St. Mary’s Foodstand – Wayne County Fair Season Pass

April 16 – May 16 = \$30 Adults

May 17 – July 25 = \$35 Adults

Gate = \$40 Adults 12 & Under Free

RESULTS FOR ST. MARY’S ELECTION 2012

PASTORAL COUNCIL:

Jean Dorcey Mary Jenkins Irene Fletcher

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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEWLY ELECTED!

Thank you to all the candidates and all who voted.



Mothers are the place that we call home.

On them we rest our heads and close our eyes.

There’s no one else who grants the same soft peace,

Happiness, contentment, sweet release,

Erasing nighttime tears with lullabies,

Restoring the bright sun that makes us bloom.

ST. MARY’S CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL...

WHERE FAITH AND KNOWLEDGE MEET

A vision and plan for the future of Catholic schools in the Archdiocese is being developed. The plan will set the direction for Catholic schools to be stronger and even more effective in their mission. As part of the process, a survey is being conducted online and your participation is very important. The survey will measure attitudes and perceptions as well as assess needs and priorities for Catholic schools. You may receive a link to the survey in your email. Please respond! Even if you don’t get an email, please go online to www.meitler.com/survey.asp and take the survey. It is short and easy. Thank you in advance for giving your opinions. We must hear from as many as possible, so please make sure you complete a survey **no later than May 21, 2012.**



We pray for all mothers: that their children will honor their many sacrifices by lives of service and virtue.

CONGRATULATIONS

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES OF 2012!

- Jordan Backer – Jeff & Rhonda Backer
 - Megan Bessmer – Chris & Jill Bessmer
 - Ben Braun – Dave & Jerrae Braun
 - Kristin Carroll – Doug & Shannon Carroll
 - Courtney Davie – Jackie Davie, Randy Davie
 - Caitlin Fehringer – Dan & Shelly Fehringer
 - Cassie Harm – Deb Harm, Kevin Harm
 - Quentin Jorgensen – Kate Jorgensen, Ken Jorgensen
 - Colin Loberg – Ken & Jean Loberg
 - Nicholas Monahan – Phillip & Pam Monahan
 - Maxwell Morris – Dennis & Kaye Morris
 - Jenna Pieper – Mike & Diane Pieper
 - Tyler Poehlman – Rich & Judy Poehlman
 - Dylan Pflanz – John Pflanz
 - Alexis Reinert – Joe & Glenda Reinert
 - Gage Rethwisch – Rich & Kathi Rethwisch
 - Burgundy Roberts – Kevin Roberts, Christie Murray
 - Austin Schmale – Len & Khristy Schmale
 - Elle Schramm – Nancy Schramm
 - Tony Sinniger – John & Carolyn Sinniger
 - Jordyn Swanson – Kelley Swanson
 - Abbie Thies – Dwayne & Diane Thies
 - Luke Trenhaile – Jason & Phylis Trenhaile
 - Colton Uhing – Gerald & Diane Uhing
 - Tanner Woslager – David Woslager, Karlene Benshoof
- Additional congratulations to the winner of this year’s Knights of Columbus scholarship: Cassie Harm