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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.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS & VISITORS:** We welcome you and pray that you will feel at home worshipping with us.

**May 27, 2012**

**Pentecost Sunday - Intentions for May 28 - June 3**

Monday	May	28	8:00 AM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Tuesday	May	29	8:00 AM	† Jacob Woerdemann
Wednesday	May	30	8:00 AM	† Leonard & Lillian Nemeck
Thursday	May	31	8:00 AM	St. Mary's Church
Friday	May	1	8:00 AM	Fr. Beran
Saturday	June	2	NO 8:00 AM MASS	
Saturday	June	2	6:00 PM	Pe ople of the Parish
Sunday	June	3	8:00 AM	† Carol Carson
Sunday	June	3	10:00 AM	† Rose Klein



"Receive the Holy Spirit."

**June 2/3**

**The Most Holy Trinity**  
HOSPITALITY  
USHERS  
READER  
SERVERS  
\*EMHCS

**SAT 6:00 PM**

J Maly / J Reinert  
L Haase / G Kallhoff  
E Osten  
B Kallhoff / L Kallhoff  
C Widner / D Woslager  
S Claussen / (Deacon)

**SUN 8:00 AM**

D & J Lutt  
J Wurdeman / M Fehringner  
B Meyer  
M Fehringner / G Heithold  
K Hochstein / L Hochstein  
T Reinke

**SUN 10:00 AM**

L & K Schmale  
R Gentrup / T Jenkins  
M Barry  
K Schenk / A Schmale  
S Anderson / D Ewing  
\*D Harm / (Deacon)  
K Kwapnioski / D Gentrup

MUSIC MINISTRY  
COUNTERS

T Hypse  
G & J Nemeck / I Fletcher / P Heinemann

**June 9/10**

**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ**  
HOSPITALITY  
USHERS  
READER  
SERVERS  
\*EMHCS

**SAT 6:00 PM**

A Osten / E Osten  
G Kathol / P Monahan  
C Wageman  
S Hasemann / C Korth  
R Glass / S Hasemann  
T Hypse / (Deacon)

**SUN 8:00 AM**

K Morris / B Meyer  
D Hochstein / T Jacobsen  
J Nelsen  
C Hochstein / K Hochstein  
D & L Mann / T Reinke

**SUN 10:00 AM**

R & D Wurdinger  
R Lutt / D Linster  
V French  
Z Schenk / S Bruckner  
M & J Klein /  
\*K Kwapnioski / (Deacon)  
K Kwapnioski / J Loberg

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M Kathol / G Kathol / B Belt

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

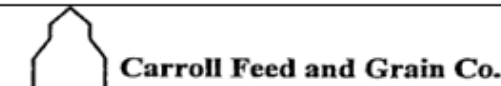
**EMHCS:** The name underlined at the 8 o'clock Mass will take Communion to the Nursing Home.

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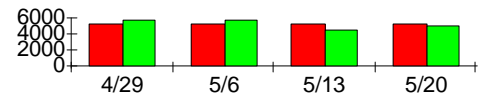
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**Thank You!**

May 19 & 20, 2012 - STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE		
Plate	\$	441.00
Adult envelopes	\$	3,984.24
Children	\$	27.95
Ascension of the Lord	\$	633.25
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>5,086.44</b>

**Total Sundays, Holy Days, & Children**

	Actual	Budget
Fiscal year to date	\$241,218.69	\$243,554
Average per week	\$ 5,132.31	\$ 5,182



■ Budget ■ Actual

**Stewardship – May 27** *“There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone.” - 1 CORINTHIANS 12:4-6*  
By giving each of us different gifts, God made sure that the Church would have the combination of talent and treasure that was needed to do God's work. However, what happens if one of us does not bring our contribution to God's altar? God's plan is not fulfilled. Some important work is left undone.

**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:** Vicki Skokan (mother of Sonja Hunke), 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), 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.

Thank you for your generosity of \$989 in last week's Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Because of your support, millions of faithful can gain a deeper understanding of their faith through resources that they use every day: The Internet, television, radio, and print media. Remember, half of your donations are staying in your archdiocese to support your communication needs. To learn more about the important work supported by the Collection for CCC, please visit [www.usccb.org/national\\_collections](http://www.usccb.org/national_collections).

**ST. MARY'S CALENDAR May 27<sup>th</sup> – June 3<sup>rd</sup>**

†The Rosary is prayed ½ hour before the weekend Masses. The 7:30 AM Rosary on Sunday will be prayed for the unborn.  
†Memorial Day Service – Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM.  
†Parish Office Closed – Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup>.  
†Hispanic Prayer Group & Rosary – Monday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 5 PM at the Church.  
†Vacation Bible School – Tuesday, May 29<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, May 31<sup>st</sup>  
†Ecumenical Prayer Group – Friday, June 1<sup>st</sup> from Noon to 12:30 PM at St. Mary's. It's open to all religions and ages.  
†Fr. Mark Beran's 10th Anniversary Social – Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> after the 6 PM Mass and Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> after the 8 AM & 10 AM Mass in Holy Family Hall.

*From the Pastor's Desk*

Memorial Day is a day set aside to remember and honor those who have died in service to our country. These men and women paid the highest price to protect the freedoms we hold so dear. This Monday is about a lot more than barbecues and an extra day off of work.

This holiday took on a special significance for me in 2007. I was in Iraq serving as an Army National Guard chaplain and I was a few weeks away from coming home. A few days prior to Memorial Day, a soldier in my battalion, Jacob Schmuecher from Atkinson, died after his vehicle was hit by a roadside bomb. We would lose 4 men in my battalion that year: Darrel Kasson, Benjamin Ashley, William Bailey, and Jacob Schmuecher. On Memorial Day 2007 I would lead a memorial service for Jacob. A few nights earlier we had ceremoniously placed his remains on a plane back to the US.

The four memorial services I led in Iraq were the biggest challenges and honors of my priesthood. Each Memorial Day I challenge all of us to truly remember and pay tribute to our fallen military members.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Mary, Mother of our service men and women, pray for us.  
Fr. Beran

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**Prayer Gathering** in Church every Friday  
Noon to 12:30. If you can, join us in prayer. Thank you.

**Daily Scripture Readings**

**Monday, May 28** (Eighth Monday in Ordinary Time): 1Peter 1:3-9; Psalms 111:1-2, 5-6, 9, 10c; Mark 10:17-27.  
**Tuesday, May 29** (Eighth Tuesday in Ordinary Time): 1Peter 1:10-16; Psalms 98:1-4; Mark 10:28-31.  
**Wednesday, May 30** (Eighth Wednesday in Ordinary Time): 1Peter 1:18-25; Psalms 147:12-15, 19-20; Mark 10:32-45.  
**Thursday, May 31** (Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary): Zephaniah 3:14-18a or Romans 12:9-16; Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Luke 1:39-56.  
**Friday, May June 1** (St. Justin): 1Peter 4:7-13; Psalms 96:10-13; Mark 11:11-26.  
**Saturday, June 2** (St. Marcellinus & Peter BVM): Jude 17:20b-25; Psalms 63:2-6; Mark 11:27-33.  
**Sunday, June 3** (Most Holy Trinity): Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40; Psalms 33:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22; Romans 8:14-17; Matthew 28:16-20.

*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 29<sup>th</sup> – May 30<sup>th</sup> – May 31<sup>st</sup>

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 - 6<sup>th</sup>: Mon-Fri 9:00am-3:00pm

TIME: Grades 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>: Sun-Thurs 7:30pm-9:40pm

INFORMATION: Call Laura Hochstein @ 375-2000

**TEC RETREAT**- If you are a junior, senior or college student, you are invited to a dynamic three-day retreat called TEC (Teens Encounter Christ). TEC is a high energy, youth-focused, spirit-directed faith experience offered by the Archdiocese of Omaha. The next TEC retreat is July 6-8, 2012(Friday-Sunday) in Omaha at the Pro Sanctity Retreat Center and July 14-16, 2012 (Saturday-Monday) in the rural area at Tintern Retreat Center. Cost is \$60 and \$65 respectively. (Scholarships available). Applications online; [www.archomaha.org](http://www.archomaha.org)

**WAYNE STATE CATHOLIC NEWMAN NEWS**

Facebook: Wayne State Catholic Newman 375-2000

Please join the St. Mary's Relay For Life team June 1, 2012 at the Wayne County Relay For Life. Opening ceremony starts at 7pm with food and fun to follow all night long. Everyone is welcome! You do not have to be on the team to join in the fun.

Anyone interested in purchasing a luminary may contact a team member: Irene Fletcher, Emilie Osten, Clara Osten, Mary Jenkins, Michael Fehringer Family, Barb Hochstein and Sarah Claussen.

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL...  
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From the Head Teacher:

A comprehensive approach to character building in Catholic schools

THOMAS LICKONA

"Character" is the constellation of virtues possessed by a person. Character education can be defined as the deliberate effort to cultivate virtue. What are the particular virtues that Catholic schools should seek to cultivate? Among the natural moral virtues that all schools should try to foster are the four "cardinal virtues" advanced by the ancient Greeks: prudence (which enables us to judge what we ought to do), justice (which enables us to give other persons their due), fortitude (which enables us to do what is right in the face of difficulties), and temperance (which enables us to control our desires and avoid abuse of even legitimate pleasures).

St. Mary's School is looking to hire a janitor. If interested call the parish office at 402-375-2337 for more information. Thanks



We pray that the Holy Spirit may come down upon our nation's leaders and upon all whose consciences are clouded by secularism, and inspire a new era of faith, liberty, and justice for all.

In May 12/13 bulletin was an insert inviting all fathers to participate in the Father's Day Proclamation. If you wish to participate you may drop your form and check in the collection basket, drop it off at the parish office or mail it directly to the address on the form. All forms and money must be turned in by JUNE 4, 2012. Thank you for your consideration.

**Omaha Rally for Religious Freedom**

On Friday, June 8, from 12:00-1:00 p.m., thousands of faithful citizens will gather in prayer and public witness in cities and towns across the United States to oppose the HHS mandate, an unprecedented assault on religious freedom and Catholic beliefs. Join us at the rally that will occur at the U.S. District Court, 111 S. 18th Plaza, Omaha. See the flier posted in church entrance for more information about shuttles and parking or contact Nebraskans United for Life at [402.399.0299](http://402.399.0299). The event is sponsored by NUFL and the Respect Life Apostolate of the Archdiocese of Omaha.

**Fr. Mark Beran's 10th Anniversary Social**

Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> after the 6 PM Mass  
Sunday, June 3 after the 8 & 10 AM Mass  
in Holy Family Hall.

Stop down for some refreshments after Mass to congratulate Father and thank him for his 10 years as a priest!



**Memorial Day**

By Joyce Kilmer

The bugle echoes shrill and sweet,  
But not of war it sings to-day.  
The road is rhythmic with the feet  
Of men-at-arms who come to pray.

