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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 Minister: Amy Woerdemann - 375-2000  
Hispanic Parish Coordinator: Cecilia Modrell  
St. Mary's School, 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:** 1/2 Hr. before Masses on Saturdays & 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.

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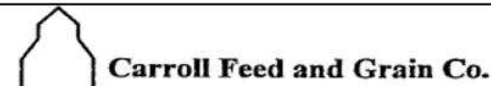
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**February 3, 2013**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Intentions for February 4<sup>th</sup> – February 10<sup>th</sup>**

Monday	February	4	NO MASS	
Tuesday	February	5	NO 8:00 AM	
Wednesday	February	6	8:15 AM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Thursday	February	7	NO 8:00 AM	
Friday	February	8	8:00 AM	COMMUNION SERVICE
Saturday	February	9	NO 8:00 AM	
Saturday	February	9	6:00 PM	† Fred Webber
Sunday	February	10	8:00 AM	Keith Hillier
Sunday	February	10	10:00 AM	People of the Parish
Sunday	February	10	9:00 PM	WSC Students



"Like Elijah and Elisha, Jesus is not sent to the Jews only."

**February 9/10**  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
HOSPITALITY  
USHERS  
READER  
SERVERS  
\*EMHCS

**SAT 6:00 PM**  
J & A Fleming  
R Ruhl / B Belt  
Sr. J Gilligan  
K Fleming / S Hasemann  
C Widner / S Hasemann  
S Claussen / (Deacon)  
Volunteer / T Hypse  
R Gentrup / D & S Fehringer

**SUN 8:00 AM**  
P Fehringer / K Foote  
K Prokop / M Reynolds  
M Brink  
L Reinke / N Reinke  
K Hochstein / L Hochstein  
T Reinke

**SUN 10:00 AM**  
D & C Linster  
R Lutt / S Mostek  
J Kielty  
E Longe / L Longe  
K Kwapnioski / S Jaixen  
\*B Jaixen / (Deacon)  
Volunteer / V French

MUSIC  
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**February 13**  
Ash Wednesday  
HOSPITALITY  
USHERS  
READER  
SERVERS  
\*EMHCS  
MUSIC

**WED 12:10 PM**  
St Mary's School  
St. Mary's School  
M Brady  
St. Mary's School  
A Sty  
St. Mary's School

**WED 5:00 PM**  
Newman Students  
Newman Students  
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Newman Students

**WED 7:00 PM**  
Confirmation Class  
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**February 16/17**  
1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent  
HOSPITALITY  
USHERS  
READER  
SERVERS  
\*EMHCS

**SAT 6:00 PM**  
B & S Grone  
M Brugger / J Davis  
C Osten  
K Grone / T Grone  
R Glass / T Hypse  
D Woslager / (Deacon)  
Volunteer / K White  
K Kwapnioski / S Hasemann / T Jacobsen

**SUN 8:00 AM**  
D & L Hochstein  
D Spieker / J Sperry  
I Fletcher  
G Reynolds / N Reynolds  
L & D Mann / R McLean

**SUN 10:00 AM**  
K Loberg / S Pospishil  
G Redden / L Schmale  
C Pfeifer  
W Moos / Z Schenk  
T Lee / C Lee  
\*D Harm / (Deacon)  
Volunteer / D Gentrup

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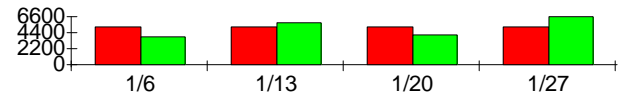
Everyone: PLEASE arrange for a substitute if you cannot come on your assigned date!



**Thank You!**

January 26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2013 - STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE		
Plate	\$	549.00
Adult envelopes	\$	3,740.00
Children	\$	68.25
First Offering	\$	85.00
Utility	\$	35.00
On-Line	\$	2,259.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,736.25</b>

<u>Total Sundays &amp; Holy Days</u>	Actual	Budget
Fiscal year to date	\$173,003.51	\$164,300
Average per week	\$ 5,580.76	\$ 5,300



■ Budget ■ Actual

**Stewardship – February 3<sup>rd</sup>** - "Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous." (1 Corinthians 13:4) Are you jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Are you pompous? Do you seek to acquire more possessions to impress others? At times we are all guilty of these human weaknesses. Yet as stewards we are called to love God above all other things – striving always to be less jealous, less pompous and more giving.

**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:** Dominic Reinke, Larry Haase, and Derek & Ashley Meyer.

**Family/Friends:** Russ Thede (husband of Jean Thede), Nancy O'Brien (sister of Carol Kielty), Justin Walsh (brother of Jilliane Allemann), Dennis Spangler (friend of Scott & Mary Kay Hasemann), Jenny (Sheldon) Overhue (friend of Miron & Louise Jenness), Amy (Patterson) Bishop (great-great niece of Miron & Louise Jenness), Gary Mueller (brother of Ann Witkowski), Karla Peter (sister-in-law of Laura Hochstein), Shirley Clayton (niece of MaryEllen Maxey), Pat Brady (brother of Jeff Brady), Kristin Ewing (daughter of Donna Ewing), Danita Beadle (sister-in-law of Ray Nelson), Deena Creamer (daughter of Clete & Vona Sharer), Mary Seiler Page (former parishioner), Mary Carroll (daughter-in-law of Ed & Dee Carroll), Kaden Schmale (grandson of Darrell & Dorothy French), Jaime Knehans (friend of Kathy Luhr), Bill Harper (former parishioner), Alex Ankeny (son of Josh & Heidi Ankeny), 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*



**WINTER/SPRING FEST SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24<sup>TH</sup>**

Each family may pick up their Raffle & Meal Tickets from the back of the Church this weekend. The money & ticket stubs from

the sale of these tickets may be put in a clearly marked envelope and placed in the collection basket or dropped off or mailed to the parish office. If you need more tickets to sell they may be picked up at the parish office. If you have any questions, call a committee member: Greg & Patsy Kallhoff (375-1468), Bob & Tracy Keating (375-3387), Brett & Janel Kramer (375-4025), Ken & Karen Kwapnioski (375-2528) or Craig Pfeifer (402-992-1156).



Thank you for your generosity of \$596 to the One Rose One Life Collection sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

**ST. MARY'S CALENDAR February 3<sup>rd</sup> – February 10<sup>th</sup>**

†**The Rosary** is prayed ½ hour before the weekend Masses. The 7:30 AM Rosary on Sunday will be prayed for the unborn.  
 †**Blessing of the Throat** – Saturday & Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> after all Masses.  
 † **Fr. Beran Gone** – Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup> – Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup>.  
 † **Ecumenical Prayer**–February 4<sup>th</sup> at 3 PM at PMC Chapel.  
 † **Hispanic Prayer Group & Rosary** –Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 5 PM at the Rectory.  
 †**Knights of Columbus Rosary** – Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM with meeting following in Holy Family Hall.  
 † **Religious Ed Classes** – Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>.  
 † **St. Therese Hour** – Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> from 7 PM to 8 PM at Church for High School & College Students and Adults.  
 † **That Man is You** – Thursday, February 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:45 AM to 7 AM in Holy Family Hall.  
 † **World Marriage Day Blessing** – Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, February 10<sup>th</sup> at all Masses.  
 † **Hospitality Sunday** – Sunday, February 10<sup>th</sup> after all Masses. Serving Breakfast Casseroles. Fund-raiser for W.I.N.G.S.

*From the Pastor's Desk*

In honor of the Year of Faith (October 2012 to November 2013), Archbishop Lucas has asked all of the parishes in the Archdiocese of Omaha to encourage people to go to Reconciliation (aka. "Confession" or "Penance") this Lent. We are calling this program, "The Light is On". In every parish in northeast Nebraska Reconciliation will be available for 5 Thursday nights in Lent from 5:30pm to 7pm. Throughout Lent, my bulletin articles will answer some questions about this wonderful experience of Jesus.

Q. Why do I have to confess my sins to a priest?

A. That's the way Jesus set it up on Easter Sunday evening. He told his apostles that just as God the Father had sent him — and God the Father sent him to save us from our sins — so he was sending them. He breathed on them the power of the Holy Spirit, giving them God's power to forgive sins, since no one can forgive sins but God alone. He told them that whatever sins they forgive are forgiven and whatever sins they retain are retained (Jn 20:21-23; Mk 2:7). Since the apostles were unable to read minds, the only way that they would know which to forgive and which to retain is if people told them their sins. Jesus thus established the essential structure of the sacrament of confession. Just as he uses priests to give us his Body and Blood at Mass so he uses them to give us His mercy in Penance.

Q. Why do people vary in calling it the Sacrament of Penance, Reconciliation or Confession?

A. The names emphasize different aspects of the sacrament. Penance refers to our repentance, sorrow and resolution to amend our life with God's help. Confession refers to the act by which we tell our sins to the priest. Reconciliation refers to the goal of the celebration by which the sinner is reconciled to God and the Church (see CCC 1423-1424). The ritual for the sacrament is called the Rite of Penance, but is fitting to refer to it with any of these titles. In fact, the Catechism refers to it also as "the Sacrament of Conversion" and the "Sacrament of Forgiveness."

Mary, Mother of Mercy, pray for us.

Fr. Beran

**Home & Foreign Missions Collection February 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

This Collection allows us to support the development of the Church where communities struggle financially or Catholic vocations and ministry require financial assistance. God has given us all we need and more, so it is right and just that we give something back by helping people in our own country and around the world to grow in the love of Jesus.

Tune-in to 88.1fm or 102.7fm on your drive home from Mass today!

**Daily Scripture Readings**

**Monday, February 4** (Fourth Monday in Ordinary Time): Hebrews 11:32-40; Psalms 31:20- 24; Mark 5:1-20.  
**Tuesday, February 5** (St. Agatha): Hebrews 12:1-4; Psalms 22:26-28, 30-32; Mark 5:21-43.  
**Wednesday, February 6** (St. Paul Miki & Companions): Hebrews 12:4-7, 11-15; Psalms 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18; Mark 6:1-6.  
**Thursday, February 7** (Fourth Thursday in Ordinary Time): Hebrews 12:18-19, 21-24; Psalms 48:2-4, 9-11; Mark 6:7-13.  
**Friday, February 8** (St. Jerome Emiliani, St. Josephine Bakhita): Hebrews 13:1-8; Psalms 27:1, 3, 5, 8-9, Mark 6:14-29.  
**Saturday, February 9** (Fourth Saturday in Ordinary Time): Hebrews 13:15-17, 20-21; Psalms 23:1-6; Mark 6:30-34.  
**Sunday, February 10** (Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time): Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8; Psalms 138:1-5, 7-8; I Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11.

*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**

Classes - Wednesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> - 6:45 PM to 8 PM  
 Kindergarten-6th grade meet in Church  
 7th Grade meets at Wayne Jr./Sr. High Room 207  
 8th Grade meets at Wayne Jr./Sr. High Room 404  
 WINGS students meet at the OAKS on Wed. Feb.6 - 6:45-8:00  
 + **WAYNE STATE CATHOLIC NEWMAN NEWS** +  
 Facebook: Wayne State Catholic Newman 375-2000

**WILDCATHolic Events:**

Sunday, February 3: 9pm Communion Service (counts for Sunday Mass)  
 Tuesday, February 5: 9pm Communion Service  
 Wednesday, February 6: 7pm St. Therese Hour in Church  
 Thursday, February 7: 6am That Man is You in Church Hall  
 Thursday, February 7: 11:30am to 1pm TNT in Cafeteria  
 Sunday, February 10: 7pm Council Meeting in Parish Office  
 Sunday, February 10: 8:30pm Confessions, 9pm Mass

**Marriage Enrichment 2013** – You're invited to attend a celebration of marriage on Saturday, February 9 at St. Mary's-Norfolk! Join Fr. Dan Andrews and Christians Encounter Christ (CEC) couples Jason & Vanessa Ash and Jeff & Jill Dominisse on Saturday for "Crossing the Threshold of Spiritual Intimacy in Marriage" beginning with Rosary, Mass and candlelit dinner with wine and dessert; 5:00-9:30pm; \$50 per couple; seating limited. Registration deadline is Tuesday, February 5. For more information visit [www.archomaha.org](http://www.archomaha.org) under Events or call 402.551.9003, 888.800.8352.

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**LOST – FOUND - ACCUMULATED**

In the last year St. Mary's has accumulated quite a collection of "items" that were forgotten, left or misplaced. Please take a moment and check the church entrance to see if anything belongs to you. Remaining items after a couple weeks will be donated to Haven House or R-Way. Thank you!

"Let the Word of God be your greatest inspiration!"

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL...**

**WHERE FAITH AND KNOWLEDGE MEET**



We pray for each of us who are called to evangelize our culture during this Year of Faith: may we freely share the good news of God's love for every human being, and his concern for the unborn, outcast and dying without fear of embarrassment or rejection.



Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, we started Walking to Jerusalem. Walking to Jerusalem is for anyone of any age who wishes to grow in their physical health as well as their spiritual health in weeks to come. Walking to Jerusalem is a prayerful virtual walk with Jesus during his last few days on earth. It's not too late to join us, just pick up a purple book with instructions from the church entrance and begin your journey.

If someone fainted in Church, would you know what to do? Would you know how to tell if they fainted or if their heart is beating insufficiently and may require the use of an Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) which we have in our Church. Do you know where it is located, how to use it and how to assist someone else using it? By knowing a few simple facts and knowing how to use the AED you could save someone's life. Karen Kwapnioski has graciously offered to have a short class, about 30 min., some Tuesday evening (date to be determined) on how to use our AED. If you think you might be interested, please sign up in back of Church. If you have questions, please call 402-375-0223.

**ONLINE GIVING** - As Lent quickly approaches, we're reminded of our call to be stewards with gifts of time, talent, and treasure. At St. Mary's we appreciate your gifts, regardless of how they come. Many of our parishioners have been using *Faith Direct* to give their gifts of treasure. *Faith Direct* is an excellent way to support the parish while reducing the administrative costs of envelopes and saving our wonderful staff and volunteers precious time. To enroll in the *Faith Direct* program you may pick up an enrollment form in the parish office or enroll online at [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) using our church code: NE464. As we enter Lent, I hope you will consider participating in this great program as it has been a wonderful means of support for our parish family. Again, thank you for your generosity.

**A Plea from St. Augustine Indian Mission in Winnebago**

The Omaha Indian Reservation in Macy, Nebraska has been declared a disaster area by the Tribal Council due to a main water line break in their water supply. They have no drinking water in the city or surrounding rural areas and are expected to be without water for two weeks. The community is in need of bottled water or donations to purchase drinking water. Your urgent donations are greatly appreciated and can be sent to Omaha Tribe Emergency Management, 303 Main Street, Walthill, NE 68067 or call 402.846.5374. For more information please contact Milton Miller at 402.922.2652.

St. Mary's welcomes a new member to our parish who

was baptized on Saturday, January 26th:

**Hudson Marcel Kramer**

Son of Brett & Janel Kramer



Dear Father in Heaven, Bless this child and all his days.