

# St. Michael's & St. Mary's

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*St. Michael's and St. Mary's Parishes would like to extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting us or are new to the area. If you are not currently registered at St. Michael's or St. Mary's and consider this your Parish, please call the Rectory at 729-2058.*

St. Michael's	PO Box 406, Fairbury, NE 68352	Phone: 729-2058
St. Mary's	5th & Amanda Streets, Alexandria, NE	
St. Michael's Prayer Chain	Carmen Juarez: 729-3623	
St. Michael's/St. Mary's Secretary	Carolyn Osborne: 729-5387	Mobile: 300-0148

**St. Mary's Parish Council:** Peggy Niederklein, Rhonda Burkhart, Donna Rut, Daryl Anderson, Trish Endorf **Trustees:** Bob VanWesten and Bob Bachle

**St. Mary's PCCW:** Deb Vanwesten

**St. Michael's Parish Council:** Brenda Mannschresk, Doug Kapke, LeAnn Krause, Dave Panko, Dave Banahan, Bruce Busing, Chad Mans, Matt Umland, **Trustees:** Randy Prellwitz and Keith Mach

**St. Michael's PCCW:** Brenda Mannschreck

**Knights of Columbus:** Joshua Whitney

**CCD Coordinator:** Carolyn Whitney

# Parish News & Upcoming Events

- **BULLETIN:** If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 729-2058 or contact Carolyn 729-5387 or email [carolyn@stmichaelsfairbury.org](mailto:carolyn@stmichaelsfairbury.org) News must be in Thursday by 10:00 AM to be in the week's bulletin.
- **ADOPT A PRIEST:** Our Deanery is taking part in the "Adopt a Priest" program. St. Michael's has adopted **Fr. Leo Seiker**; please keep him in your prayers.
- **SEMINARIAN'S OF THE WEEK:** Please keep our Seminarian's of the week, **Luke Fleck and Christopher Eckrich**, in your prayers.

## Ministers' Schedules for Next Weekend

	5:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
<b>Acolyte</b>	Joe Busing	Jim VanWesten	Steve Graff
<b>Lector</b>	Randy Prellwitz	Rhonda Burkhart	Joshua Whitney
<b>Server</b>	Peyton Grubbs		Devin Wanamaker
<b>Server</b>			Joey Whitney
<b>Organ/Piano</b>	Carolyn Osborne	Lorrie Hoffstetter	Mary Prellwitz
<b>Gifts/Greeters</b>	Carolyn Osborne	Bob and Deb VanWesten	Marge and Don Gregory
<b>Collection</b>	Matt Umland and Chad Mans		

<b>Our Offering to God Last Weekend</b>	St. Michael's	\$ 1830.50
	St. Mary's	\$ 1179.77

**Please pray for:** Rosalie Hamm, Betty (Morgan) Brackle, Bob Seigel, Iola Busing, Rose O'Keefe, Vonja Scheer, Lorraine Callison, Doug Wiedel, Leona Gaydusek, Norma Bernasek, Jim Cortney, Rozella Prellwitz, Zachary Rowe, Bill Muller, Noelle Salazar, Bernie Boerner, Paul Prellwitz, Brad Eveleth, Kathy Blobaum, Bob McCord, Shirley Sweetser, Ed Lytle, LeRoy Prellwitz, Rita Stone, Lois Muller, Catherine Nutsch, Military Personnel, all the unborn children & their parents, pro-life legislation, and anyone else who maybe ailing. *If you or someone you know would like our parish family to join you in prayer for their special needs, please contact the parish office.*

## ***THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE***

Monday	November 3	<b>NO MASS</b>	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
Tuesday	November 4	<b>NO MASS</b>	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
Wednesday	November 5	<b>NO MASS</b>	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
Thursday	November 6	5:30 PM	St. Michael's	Eugene Mees+
Friday	November 7	12:10 PM	St. Michael's	Marian Uldrich+
Saturday	November 8	5:30 PM	St. Michael's	Norman Medina+
Sunday	November 9	8:00 AM	St. Mary's	Walter & Dorrine Milius+
Sunday	November 9	10:00 AM	St. Michael's	The People of the Parishes

<b>Confessions</b>	St. Michael's	Saturday	4:45 PM to 5:15 PM
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**Daily Mass: Please check Mass schedule carefully for Mass times this week!!!**

## **NEW ITEMS**

- **Pope Francis has approved and confirmed the following:**

*At the time of the exchange of peace, to definitively avoid abuses such as:*

*-----the introduction of a "song of peace", which is non-existent in the Roman Rite.*

*-----the movement of the faithful from their places to exchange the sign of peace amongst themselves.*

*-----the departure of the priest from the altar in order to give the sign of peace to some of the faithful.*

- **Fr. John will be leaving on a pilgrimage** on October 30<sup>th</sup>. Monsignor Herbek will cover from November 6<sup>th</sup> thru November 21<sup>st</sup>.



- **Knights Pancake Feed:** The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a pancake feed, Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup> following Mass in the center. Please join them for pancakes and sausage next weekend.

- **Thank you:** We would like to thank LaRae Endorf and Dianna Armstrong for chairing our Soup Luncheon last Sunday. We would like to thank everyone who donated food and baskets, worked and came to enjoy the luncheon. ***You made the event a great success!***

- **St. Michael's Christmas Bazaar:** On December 6th, St. Michael's PCCW will host their Christmas Bazaar (Cookies & Candy Purchase) in the school gym. As usual we are depending on the generosity of our parishioners to make this event a success. This year, we are asking parishioners to bring 3 dozen of their Favorite Homemade Holiday Cookies and Candies. Cookies, candy, "white elephant" items, and homemade crafts can be dropped off in the school gym from 4:00-6:00 p.m. on December 5<sup>th</sup>, or by 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. Thank you in advance for giving of your time and talents to make our Christmas Bazaar a success!



- **Raffle Tickets:** The PCCW will be passing out raffle tickets this weekend for the Christmas Bazaar. Please make sure to pick your tickets up. If you need more tickets, please check the back of the church or the church office.
- **Lectors and Readers:** Please stop in the sacristy to pick up a copy of the Sunday Missal. This will have the weekend readings for the following year.
- **"I Wish I Would Have Known About Hospice Sooner":** Gather information about available support and know your options, Monday, November 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Union Bank & Trust Community Room, 1313 K Street, Fairbury. No fee to attend, refreshments will be served.
- **Word Among Us:** We have FREE copies of the Word Among Us for the month of ***November***. Please pick yours up today and take home for daily devotions.

- **St. Teresa's Parish Bazaar** will be held Sunday, November 9, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., at 616 So. 36<sup>th</sup> Street in Lincoln.
- **The Holy Family Shrine** will be busy hosting two musical groups in November. A Concert featuring the College of St. Mary's Singers will start at 4 p.m. on November 9<sup>th</sup>. On November 15<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m. Coro di Flauti will be performing the calming sounds of flutes and the peace the music brings. A reception will follow both concerts. All free will donations go to support the Shrine. Call the Shrine at 402-332-4565 for more details.
- **Irish Pilgrimage:** June 1-11, 2015 roundtrip from Lincoln under the escort of Fr. Rand Langhorst. Encounter Ireland and its history, beauty and sights. Price includes: airfares and land transportation in Ireland, all breakfasts and dinners except the first and last days when we will be flying, Professional guide from arrival to departure, entrance fees, portage and all gratuities for drivers, waiters, porters, guides and housekeeping. \$3495.00 per person double occupancy. Single room supplement available but extra. Not included taxes, travel insurance, lunches, drinks with meals and items of a personal nature. If you are interested and would like to see the full brochure please contact Fr. Rand at [fr.randlanghorst@gmail.com](mailto:fr.randlanghorst@gmail.com) or call 1-402-780-5535.
- **Before You Vote:** Before you vote in the November 4<sup>th</sup> General Election, please go to the website of the Nebraska Catholic Conference—[www.nebcathcon.org](http://www.nebcathcon.org)—and check out its multi-issue survey of candidates for Governor and the Nebraska State Legislature. Unlike previous election years, this survey will not be published in the diocesan newspaper. The website also provides information about contacting and questioning candidates directly (including those in federal races) and about our moral obligation to vote and to do so with a conscience formed in fidelity to Catholic moral teaching.
- **Extra time on your hands:** We are looking for someone to line up the greeters for St. Michael's. If interested, call Carolyn (729-2058) for more information.
- **Fairbury High School Presents** Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella*, November 7 & 8 at 7:00 p.m. and November 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. For tickets call 402-754-4114.
- **St. Mary's Church Cleaning for November:** Donna Rut

- **St. Mary's-Wymore Fall Dinner & Bazaar:** Sunday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-7:00 p.m. at 115 No. 11<sup>th</sup> Street. Turkey, Ham & trimmings, Raffles, White Elephant & Bake Sale. Adults \$9.00 Children \$4.00.
- **Thought of the week:** The good stewards who have gone before us have given us the Church we have today.

- **LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive:** Thank you to everyone who donated diapers to the Diaper Drive. We sent 1186 diapers to be used at Pro-Life Organizations.



- **CCD:** Classes are from 6:45 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Please do not drop your children off before 6:35 p.m., because there will not be any adult supervision. ***Parents, please remember that if your child will be receiving one of the sacraments in the next two years, that they must be attending CCD classes to receive the sacraments.*** Please remember to enter the driveway on E street and exit on 8<sup>th</sup> street.

- **Website:** You can find St. Michael's/St. Mary's website at [www.stmichaelsfairbury.org](http://www.stmichaelsfairbury.org). You can view the weekly bulletins and monthly calendar.

- **Best Choice Labels:** Please continue to save you labels, and put them in the container at the back of the church.

- **Penny Harvest:** The CCD is collecting money for the Blue Valley Giving Tree Project during the months of October and November. They are asking the parish to help with their project. A Penny Harvest Jar is located on the back table of the church. Please be as generous as possible with your change to help the less fortunate.



- **Keep Christ in Christmas:** The Knights of Columbus will begin sales of religious Christmas cards to raise funds for seminarian support. A selection of ten different designs, as well as a limited selection of cards in Spanish, will be available. Price range from \$5.50 to \$12.50. Each box contains 12-18 cards, some with different designs, others with all cards of one design. Sales dates for St. Michael's will be November 9. Cards will be displayed in front of church or the parish center during the pancake feeds and parish brunch. Color brochures will be on display on the bulletin table.
- **St. Mary's Cemetery Fence:** St. Mary's is collecting funds for a new iron fence on the east and south sides of the cemetery. The cost of the project is \$30,000.00. Donations can be dropped in the collection basket marked "Cemetery Fence" or mailed to St. Mary's, P.O. Box 406, Fairbury, NE. 68352. Any size of donation will be greatly appreciated. ***To date \$24600.00 has been donated.***
- **Guide to Planning a Catholic Funeral:** On the back table, are copies of "A Guide to Planning a Catholic Funeral. The booklets have Scripture readings, music selections and a planning guide to help you plan for funerals. **You may fill these out now, so your family will know what your wishes are, in the time of passing and it will be something they will not have to worry about.** You may turn them in to the office or you may keep at you home.

**St. Michael's  
Knights of Columbus  
Fall Fish Fry**



**November 23, 2014**

**St. Michael's School Gym**

**Serving from 5:00-7:00 p.m.**

**Free Will Donation**

**Donations are used for: The support of church youth programs,  
Christmas dinner for Region V residents, pro-life activities, seminarian  
support, and church maintenance.**

**Chair lift working for access to school basement!**

