

St. Michael's & St. Mary's

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St. Michael's Prayer Chain	Carmen Juarez: 729-3623	

Pentecost Sunday

May 14/15, 2016



***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. Mary's Parish Council: Duane Bartek, Ritchie Burkhart, Peggy Niederklein, Rhonda Burkhart and Donna Rut **Trustees:** Bob VanWesten and Bob Bachle

St. Mary's PCCW: Deb Vanwesten

St. Michael's Parish Council: Mary Mach, Eddie Lytle, Devin Lovgren, Doug Kapke, LeAnn Krause, Dave Panko, Dave Banahan and Bruce Busing

Trustees: Keith Mach and Randy Prellwitz

St. Michael's PCCW: Linda McMurphy

Knights of Columbus: Dan Arner

CCD Coordinator: Mary Mach

Ministers' Schedules for May 21/22, 2016			
	5:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
Acolyte	Bruce Busing	Bob VanWesten	James Huber
Lector	Randy Prellwitz	Scott DeWald	Charlie Barringer
Server	Aldos Ramos		RJ Suey
Server	Salvador Chavez		Braden Suey
Music	Mary Prellwitz	Lorrie Hofstetter	Janice Bell
Gifts/Greeters	Bob & Shirley Gibson	Doris DeWald & Brent Bachle	Ron & Shana Rickstrew
Collection	LeAnn Krause/Dave Panko		
Church Cleaning for May – Trish Endorf			

- **BULLETIN:** If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 729-2058 or or email info@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 OF THE WEEK:** Please keep our Seminarian of the week, Rev. M. James Evan Winter in your prayers.

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE				
Monday	May 16	NO MASS	St. Michael's	NO MASS
Tuesday	May 17	NO MASS	St. Michael's	NO MASS
Wednesday	May 18	NO MASS	St. Michael's	NO MASS
Thursday	May 19	NO MASS	St. Michael's	NO MASS
Friday	May 20	12:10PM	St. Michael's	David Dewald+
Saturday	May 21	5:30PM	St. Michael's	Jim & Elaine Cortney All Souls Day Int
Sunday	May 22	8:00 AM	St. Mary's	People of the Parishes
Sunday	May 22	10:00AM	St. Michael's	Bob & Deb VanWesten All Souls Day Int
Confessions	St. Michael's	Saturday	4:45 PM to 5:15 PM	
	St. Mary's	Sunday	7:45 AM	

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.

Please pray for:

Susan Hammer
 Betty (Mrs. Morgan) Brackle
 Eddie Lytle
 Alene Hays
 Mary Ann Muller

Marie Kosmacek
 Vonja Scheer
 Rita Stone
 Randy Wilhelm

Parish News & Upcoming Events

Parish collection data:
5/8/16

	<u><i>St. Michael's</i></u>	<u><i>St. Mary's</i></u>
Adult	\$1,045.00	\$315.00
Plate	109.00	51.00
Children		
Building Upkeep		
Debt Reduction	275.00	
Cemetery		
Music Fund		
Total	\$1,429.00	\$366.00

St Michael's Debt Reduction current total \$3,855.00.

Thought of the Week: Jesus offers the gift of salvation to all who seek it.

I will be out of the office from May 15th till May 16. From the 15-20 if you need a priest, please call St Joseph's in Beatrice 402-223-2923 or Sacred Heart in Hebron 402-768-6293. From the 20 on, Monsignor Herbek will be here.

Please sign-up to lead the Rosary during the month of May, to honor our Blessed Mother, Mary.

Totus Tuus summer program will be June 5-10th. Please make plans to have your children attend.

Totus Tuus will need housing & meals. We need two homes, one for the men & one for the women. Please volunteer to provide lunches & or supper for the young men & Women during the week.



Please pick up any dish you may have from the church entrance.

If you (or someone in your family) is gluten intolerant, you may request a low gluten host. Once we talk about it, then we can make arrangements.

Best Choice: Save Labels for Cash Program We are participating in the Save Labels for Cash Program and all you need to do is save your UPC's off of Best Choice products and drop them in the bucket in the Church vestibule. The Church will receive \$30 in cash for each bundle of 1,000 UPC's.... So start saving!

Prayer Cards available: with a Prayer of Renunciation, Deliverance & Healing are on the back table.

FORMED.ORG: What do YOU need to find this material? First, an access code at the website www.formed.org. You should see the registration box. The Saint Michael and St. Mary's parish access code is **ZYD94C**. Now, you set up a username and password. That's it. You are now set up to use all the great programs on FORMED.org anytime by simply logging in.

Local and Area news

The Nebraska Pi Chapter of Phi Kappa Theta Fraternity's Housing Corporation, adjacent to St. Thomas Aquinas Church - Newman Center, is seeking to fill the position of Cook. We are looking for the right candidate to join our team. Ideal candidate has a high school diploma, three (3) to five (5) years of kitchen management and group meal preparation experience. If you would like to become part of a faith-centered organization, anchored in the heart of the University of Nebraska - Lincoln, and make a positive impact on the college fraternity community, please send your resume

to pmontgomery3@unl.edu. See full job posting on our website <http://newmancenter.unl.edu/job-opportunities>.

The following donations were collected from parishes and deaneries of the Lincoln Diocese over the past two years: **Burse Fund** for seminarians - \$14,641.71 **Bishop's Project - Camp Kateri** - \$11,295.00 **President's Project - St. Gianna Women's Homes** - \$14,618.75 plus 13 sets of apartment furnishings for St. Gianna's which were provided by all 13 deaneries. Basket raffle proceeds to **CSS Thrift Stores** - \$661 Convention raffle proceeds to **Spirit Catholic Radio** - \$941.00; **Pi Alpha Chi** (UNL Catholic sorority) - \$504.55 and **Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House** - \$485.55 Thank you to everyone who participated! Ann Jansky

Camp Villa Marie's Summer Camp for Children with Special Needs, will be held June 6 – 10th, 2016 for children ages 7—16. Enrollment is limited to 16 campers. The cost is \$225 for 5 days for boarders and \$175 for 5 days for day campers. For more information, please call Sr. Jeanette at [402-786-3625](tel:402-786-3625) (weekdays) or [402-786-2750](tel:402-786-2750) (weekends) or email her at sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net