

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

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St. Michael's

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St. Michael's Prayer Chain

Carmen Juarez: 729-3623

18<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 30/31, 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, Deb Jones, Megan Grant

**Trustees:** Keith Mach and Randy Prellwitz

**St. Michael's PCCW:** Linda McMurphy

**Knights of Columbus:** Dan Arner

**CCD Coordinator:**

**Confession schedule:** Saturday 4:45 PM to 5:15 PM Sunday 7:45 AM

## Ministers' Schedules for August 6/7, 2016

	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Bruce Busing	Bob VanWesten	Randy Prellwitz
<b>Lector</b>	Keith Mach	Daryl Anderson	Charlie Barringer
<b>Server</b>	Brock Beed		Devin Wanamaker
<b>Server</b>			
<b>Music</b>	Mary Mach	Lorrie Hofstetter	Janice Bell
<b>Gifts/Greeters</b>	Lori Arnold	Bob & Marilyn Bachle	Ron & Shana Rickstrew
<b>Collection</b>	Doug Kapke/Devin Lovgren		
<b>Church Cleaning for August – Rhonda Burkhart</b>			

## Mass intention or the week of Aug 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup>

<b>Monday</b>			<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	12:10PM	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	12:10PM	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	5:30 PM	St. Michael's	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Friday</b>	12:10PM	St. Michael's	Edward Fudali+
<b>Saturday</b>	5:30PM	St. Michael's	Linda Lytle+
<b>Sunday</b>	8:00AM	St. Mary's	Dorothy Upton+
<b>Sunday</b>	10:00AM	St. Michael's	People of the Parishes

*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:**

Randy Wilhelm  
Betty (Mrs. Morgan) Brackle  
Eddie Lytle  
Denny Kofler

Frank Kosmacek  
Vonia Scheer  
Mary Ann Muller

- **BULLETIN:** If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 729-2058 or or email [st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com](mailto:st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com) 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.

## Parish News & Upcoming Events

**Parish collection data:**

<b>7/24/16</b>	<b><u>St. Michael's</u></b>	<b><u>St. Mary's</u></b>
Adult	\$1,384.00	\$325.00
Plate	81.00	7.00
Building Fund	5.00	
Debt Reduction	1,290.00	
<b>Total</b>	\$2,760.00	\$332.00

St Michael's Debt Reduction current total \$6,445.00.

**Thought of the Week:** Has someone hurt or offended you?  
T Forgive them immediately, whether they wish forgiveness or not.  
Of course, this is easier said than done.

**I am on retreat** from Sunday through Thursday night. If you need a priest, call Father Barnhill at 402-806-2821 or Father Oborny at 402-768-6293.

**Please note** the new email for Bulletin items, etc.  
[st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com](mailto:st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com)

**Knights of Columbus News** Meeting August 9, 2016: Rosary 6:30 pm in the chapel, meeting 7:00pm in the Center.

**Pancakes after** Mass, in the parish Center, on August 14<sup>th</sup>, sponsored by the Knight's of Columbus.

**Children's Quiet Bags** St. Michael's now has children's quiet bags available in the entry way of the church. Please feel free to take a bag for your younger children to use during Mass and return the bags after Mass. Thank you.

**Make your reservations early** for the Summer Magnificat Prayer Meal on Saturday, August 13, at 9:30am at Hillcrest Country Club when we hear Teresa Anne Sorenson's "A Time for Every Season". Seating is limited! Register by Friday August 5. Send your \$20 check (\$10 for students) made payable to Magnificat, c/o Tina Colgan, 521 N 56<sup>th</sup> St., Lincoln, NE 68504. Prepaid reservations only. For more information contact Barb Bechtolt at (402)489-6905 or Rhonda Litt at (402) 489-3819.