

St. Joseph Catholic Church

505 East Avenue, York, NE 68467

Fr. Mel Rempe, Senior Priest in Residence & Associate

July 25, 2010

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Mass Schedule

For Sunday Obligation— Saturday 5:30 pm;
Sunday 8:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekdays & Holy Days As published in the bulletin

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 pm—5:00 pm Sunday 30 minutes before Mass
Weekdays 15 minutes before Mass
Thursday before First Friday 7-7:50 p.m.
or by appointment

Baptism

Parents are asked to attend a baptism preparation class. This is recommended, and easiest to do before the birth of the child, but must be done before the baptism.

Matrimony

To assist those who plan to marry, all couples will be required to fulfill the diocesan marriage preparation policy, which includes the FOCCUS and Engaged Encounter Programs. This requires a minimum of 4-6 months. Contact the pastor early to begin the marriage preparation process.

Anointing of the Sick

Individual celebration upon request prior to surgery or hospitalization

Holy Communion

For homebound and those recovering from illness, contact the Rectory.



EDUCATION

St. Joseph Catholic School (Preschool– 8th Grade)

428 East Avenue—402-362-3021

Summer Office Hours: 9:00 am—Noon, 1:00-4:00 pm

Head Teacher Mrs. Rochelle Geiger

Secretary: Gayle Kloewer

C.C.D. Program

In St. Joseph School, Preschool—8
Sunday, 9:15 am—10:45 am.

Godparent Program

Religious education for youth in grades
9-12, Wed., 7:30-8:30 pm.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

(For those interested in possibly joining the Catholic Church.) Thursdays, 7:00-8:30 pm in the Mandeville Hall. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Adult Education

Special classes throughout the year.
Watch the bulletin for announcements.

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office 362-4595

In the Rectory, 505 East Avenue,
Office Hours 9:00 am—Noon, 1:00-4:00 pm, Mon.-Fri.

Parish Secretary Sue Svoboda

Kitchen in Mandeville Hall 362-3605

Convent 362-5860 Franciscan Apostolic Sisters

Bulletin Deadline

All material is to be submitted to the parish office by Thursday prior to the Sunday it is to appear.

New or Moving Parishioners

Please call the parish office to arrange an appointment with the Pastor to register in the Parish. Please call the parish office to notify us of any address change.

Your Will Ask your attorney to include remembrance of your Church and School in your will.

Religious Vocations

Any young woman interested in religious life, or young man interested in a vocation to the priesthood should contact your pastor. Please pray for vocations.

For more details of Parish Groups or Committees and Parish Activities and Opportunities for Spiritual Growth, visit with our Priest and ask for a Parish Directory.

Lay Ministry Assignments July 31/Aug 1, 2010

	<u>SATURDAY 5:30 PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 8:00 AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 11:00 AM</u>
LECT	Kathy Quinlan	Ron Makovicka	Elizabeth King
ACOL	Dave Dickey	Ardon Anderson	Dave Langner
ACOL	Ed Larkin	Abe Sleddens	Matt Leif
SERV	Alex Heinz	Jacob Brooke	Kyle Haarmann
SERV	Jess Gillham	Caleb Brooke	Alex Kowalski
SERV	Volunteer	Evan Neville	Volunteer
SERV	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
MUS	Haley Family	Ruth Ann Weitl	Dana Grenfell
MUS			Gayle Kloewer
USHR	Todd Stems	Knights of	Dan Klein
USHR	Randy Martin	Columbus	Larry McCall
GRET	Rose Kopcho	Knights of	Barb Woodruff
GRET	Elaine Lichtenberg	Columbus	Elaine Lichtenberg
OFFR	Volunteer	Knights of Columbus	Volunteer
ROSR	Bob Weiler	Rugh Ann Weitl	Matt Leif

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Mon	July 26	8:10 am	St. Joseph	Deceased of Mary Ann Hourigan
Tues	July 27	7:00 am	St. Joseph	Nathan Milke+
		8:10 am	St. Joseph	Intention of Celebrant
Wed	July 28	7:00 am	St. Joseph	Fr. Mark Tasler+
		8:10 am	St. Joseph	Sr. Mary Bontogon F.A.S.+
Thurs	July 29	7:00 am	St. Joseph	Dennis Kear+
		8:10 am	St. Joseph	Special Intention Sr. Vilma
Fri	July 30	7:00 am	St. Joseph	Maurice & Regina Clark+
		8:10 am	St. Joseph	Victor Stommes+
		10:30 am	Hearthstone	Intention of Celebrant
Sat	July 31	5:30 pm	St. Joseph	Haley Family
		In Spanish	7:00 pm	St. Joseph
Sun	Aug. 1	8:00 am	St. Joseph	People of the Parish
		11:00 am	St. Joseph	Gordon Wemhoff Jr.+

INTENTION

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

July 18, 2010 were

Adult Envelopes.....	\$6,219.00
Electronic Deposit	\$1,470.00
Plate	\$205.75
Mass in Spanish	\$36.00
Youth.....	\$40.55
Sister Support.....	\$46.00
School Support	\$488.00
TOTAL.....	\$8,505.30

Church Building/Debt Retirement \$1,742.00

Blood of Christ Save Us

MSGR. JAMES REINERT....Will be arriving here on Thursday, July 29th. On Sunday, August 1 at the 8:00 a.m. Mass he will be installed as Pastor of St. Joseph's Parish by Fr. Divis (Dean of the York Deanery). Coffee & Rolls will be served in the Mandeville Hall following Mass. All are invited.

FAIR BOOTH – St. Joseph will be having a "Catholic Information Booth" at the York County Fair again this year. We need volunteers to help staff it. There is a sign up sheet in the back of the Church. The dates are August 5 through August 8. Please be generous with your time. For more information call Maria Olsen at 362-6541 or Doris Bowman at 362-3581.

CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED... to be handed out at the Catholic Information Booth at the York County Fair, please leave your candy at the fair booth Your donations will be much appreciated.

NEEDED: As part of its program to help provide teachers for area Catholic Schools, Creighton University requires that the host school provides a furnished apartment. You have been wonderfully generous in your donations to this project. At this time we still need one double bed. If you can provide a bed, please call the rectory at 362-4595. St. Joseph School is very fortunate to welcome 2 teachers from this program for our School.

THE SCHOOL SISTERS OF CHRIST THE KING: cordially invite the clergy, religious and laity of the Lincoln Diocese to join in the Eucharistic Celebration within which the Rite of Profession of Perpetual Vows for Sister Mary Agnes Dunavan, C.K. from St. Joseph Parish will take place on Sunday, August 1, 2010 at 2:00 p. m. at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ.

MEETINGS

LEGION of MARY: meets in the Mandeville Hall each Monday at 5:30pm.

St. Joseph Pitch Group...August 1 at 7 p.m.—Mandeville Hall
Blue Valley Food Pantry... Thank you to the parishioners who generously provided 139 pounds of food for those in need in July. Sacks will be handed out **next** weekend after masses. To be returned next weekend August 7 & 8.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Elizabeth Conroy, Trudy Gorsuch, Dick Smith, Mary Gdowski, Eddie Kennedy, Theo White, Teagan Wright, Tom Johnson, Richard Eickmeier, Connie White, Doug Loney, Dee Spanjers, Melody Ann Villegas, Fr. Mel Rempe, Shirley Carter, Bernard Kellie, Scott Hinze, Bill Budler, Gertrude Grenfell, Merle Lessig, Butch Schwiger, Carol Smith, Kathleen Deprez, Frances Stuchlik, Monica Siefried, William Marken, Lane Mc Daniel, Delores Wittsche, Dan & Dorothy Kirkpatrick, Roger Krumbach, Bob Sylvester, Eleanor Weiler, Louise Thorne, Laura Haller, Jim Pluta, Annie Vieyra, Margie Mata, Jerry Sikes, Marci Windeshausen, Roberto Obispo, Glynnis Cory, Karla (Thomas) Holmes, Bill Raun, Sid Salzman, Dean Wilcox, Matthew Leach, Larry Bowman Sr., Marites Pascua, Joan Mulinix, Kayley Mae Gregg, Theresia VanOstrand, Luella Brinker, Susan Obispo, Sonya Charlton, Diane Thomas, Don Olsen, Tim Devlin, Don Neville, Jerry Olson, Jim Berry, Mary Jo McGowan, Jerry Klein, Rachel Delaney, Lucille Kuzelka, Roswitha Crissman, Matthew Schmeackle, Mary Ann Hourigan, Ina Fae Homes, Nick Jacketti, Edna Edgerley, George Zavodny Jr., Ione Liggett, John Olsen, Dennis Neville, Military Personnel, all the unborn children & their parents, pro-life legislation. If you or someone you know would like our parish family to join you in prayer for special needs, please contact the Rectory.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD.. Let us remember in our prayers: Sister Mary Bontogon F.A.S., Father Charles Keenan, James Keefer (son of Claudia & Mel Braden), Marilyn (Schultz) Otoupal, Father Mark Tasler.

SCHOOL NEWS

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL REGISTRATION & FEE PAYMENT... For ALL families attending St. Joseph Catholic School (**pre-school thru 8th grade**) will be held the weekends of **July 31 - Aug. 1 and August 7 - 8** following Masses. Please stop by the table in the narthex and **fill out the Book Fee Payment Schedule at that time**. You will then be able to pick up your family's packet from a school board member. You may also stop in the school office from 9:30-11:30 or from 1:00-3:30 beginning August 3rd to register or return the information inside the packets. Book Fees for the 2010-2011 School Year are the same as last year: \$300.00 for one student; \$400.00 for two students from the same family; and \$450.00 for three or more students from the same family. We encourage all parents to prayerfully consider your obligation for the spiritual education of your child. **We are convinced that St. Joseph Catholic School gives your child not only a superior secular education, but most importantly assists you to educate your child in the ways of faith.** If you have questions, please feel free to talk with Msgr. Reinert or Mrs. Rochelle Geiger.

WALK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT AND OPEN HOUSE...Wednesday, August 18th, 6 – 8 p.m.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL...Grades K - 8 on Thursday, August 19th with 8 a.m. start and noon dismissal. Friday, August 20th is a noon dismissal, also.

PRE-SCHOOL BEGINS...Monday, August 23, 4 year olds, 8:15 a.m.
Afternoon session 12:10 p.m.

Tuesday, August 24th, 3 year olds, 8:00 a.m.

AFTERNOON 4-YEAR OLD PRE-SCHOOL: The morning session of Little Angels 4 year-old pre-school at St. Joseph School is full and has met the requirements for an afternoon session. The class will meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday. There are still openings for that afternoon session. If you are interested in an afternoon pre-school or you know of anyone who is, please contact Lori Haarmann or the St. Joseph School office.

SHAMROCK CLUB...St. Joseph School's after school program for students, grades Pre-K – 8, begins Monday, Aug. 23rd. Shamrock Club provides snacks, play, and homework time in a supervised setting. Our program is committed to providing quality care based on Catholic values. Shamrock Club begins at 3:15 on regular dismissal school days and 2:00 on Wednesdays. Cost for Shamrock Club is \$2.80 per hour for each child attending.

12 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY with Father Rand leaving April 25 and returning May 6, 2011. Pilgrimage includes roundtrip airfare from Omaha with only one stop at Atlanta, Georgia on Delta airlines, airline surcharges (these are normally added on to a package price, but have been included in this one), accommodation for 10 nights in First Class and Superior Hotels, Breakfast and dinner daily, all sightseeing, transfers, land transportation, Professional Tour Manager (who will be with us from beginning to end). Local guides, entrance fees, all gratuities and Daily Mass when not flying. See the sights of Rome and the Vatican, Monte Cassino, Shrine of St. Philomena, Eucharistic Miracle sites of Clare, and more. Cost per person/double occupancy \$3,855.00. (Single rooms have an added surcharge) for more information or to receive a registration form contact: Italy Pilgrimage, St. Vincent de Paul Church, 152 Pinewood Ave. Seward, NE 684374 or call 402-643-3421 weekdays or contact Tekon Ministries at pilgrimage@tekonministries.org or call toll free 1-866-905-3787 and ask for information on the Italy Pilgrimage by Fr. Rand.

NEWS FROM THE FAMILY LIFE OFFICE

CREIGHTON MODEL FERTILITY CARE (NFP) Monday, August 9 at St. Elizabeth's, and Tuesday, August 24 at 7 p.m.
Pre-registration is required. For more information call 488-2040.

PROJECT RACHEL—for help and hope in healing from a past abortion, call Project Rachel at 1-800-964-3787. There are two flyers in the pocket of the Project Rachel display on the Church bulletin board that you may take for yourself or someone you know who may benefit from them.

DIVORCED, SEPARATED AND WIDOWED...Catholics are invited to a special Mass sponsored by the Family Life Office on Monday, August 23, at Blessed John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd., Lincoln. Confessions: 7:00 P.M. Mass: 7:30 P.M. The presentation will be "Preserving the Family."

CHOOSE LIFE..."In 1857, the U. S. Supreme Court looked at the slave, Dred Scott, and came up with the wrong decision, declaring the slave as "property" and not a "citizen". The slave's life was still protected. In 1973, the U.S. Supreme Court got it wrong again and handed down decisions on abortion which declared "open season" on unborn children throughout the full nine months of pregnancy. Most people have not noticed that the population descended from U.S. African slaves, comprising around 12% of the population, make up about 35% of the abortion population. [Since 1973, more than 14 million unborn black children have died from abortion.]
Dr. Mildred Jefferson, M.D.

2 WEEKS TO SIGN UP FOR RETROUVAILLE – Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? This program has helped tens of thousands of couples experiencing marital difficulty at all levels including disillusionment and deep misery. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on August 6-8, 2010 call 1-888-317-5654 or www.retrouvaille.org on the web

HOW DOES WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER ENHANCE A MARRIAGE? The weekend teaches a communication Technique that encourages each couple to explore important areas of their relationship in a spirit of love and understanding. With this new communication technique, husbands and wives can continue to grow closer together living more joyful and purposeful lives. Next Marriage Encounter date: August 13-15, 2010, Kearney, NE For more information contact: Jeff or Lori McKillip—day phone 402-765-3441, cell 402-366-4005 or jlmckillip@usadig.com.

Schedule for RETREATS: Consider giving yourself or your spouse a gift in the form of a Retreat.

August

13-15 Fr. Lawrence Stoley Men & Women

27-29 Fr. Robert Barnhill Women

You may call the Retreat House at 402-786-2705 or email goodcounsel@cdolinc.net in order to make a reservation for one of these. The retreat begins on Friday evening at 8:15pm and ends on Sunday at 1:00pm.