Sts. Mary and Joseph Catholic Parish, 637 Iver St., Valparaiso, NE 68065

October 2, 2022 Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time **Pastor: Fr. Matthew Zimmer 402-784-2511**

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ALL DAILY 7am MASSES & SUNDAY 9:30am STREAMED LIVE ON OUR PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE

Oct 3	Mon	6:30pm	+Edwin Trouba	
Oct 4	Tue	7:00am	+Sylvia Ratkovec	St Francis of Assisi
Oct 5	**Wed**	***6:05 pm***	***Rosary for Religious Freedom***	
	Wed	6:30pm	+Kirk Parker	Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
Oct 6	Thu	7:00am	+Poor Souls in Purgatory	St Bruno
Oct 7	Fri	7:00 am	Homes Family	Our Lady of the Rosary
			First Friday Eucharistic Adoration	
Oct 8	Sat	7:00 am	+Eric Clark	
Oct 8	**Sat**	**4:00pm**	**+Ken Seemann**	**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Oct 9	**Sun**	**8:00am**	**For the People of the Parish**	**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Oct 9	**Sun**	**9:30am**	**+Eleanor Benes**	**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00pm Saturday October 8	**8:00am Sunday October 9**	**9:30am Sunday October 9**
S- Carter Chmelka/Eli Benkusky	Wyatt Siebrandt/Maclin Matulka	Elliot Kalin/Reid Petersen
A-Lupe Lopez	Adam Benes	Todd Fiala
R- JoAnn Lopez	Kurt Ohnoutka	Chere Kane
U- Rob Chmelka/Frank Buresh	Paul Donahue/Robert Rezac	Ron Regnier/Reggie Franzluebbers
U- 2 volunteers	2 volunteers	2 volunteers
O- Rob & Mary Chmelka family	Paul & Karri Donahue family	Brent & Megan Benes family

Confessions: times are 3:00-3:40pm Saturdays and 7:15-7:40am on Sundays.

PCCW NEWS–October Chairman is Mary Benes.
MEETING– October 3rd 7:00pm following Mass.
BREAKFAST—October 9th after 8:00am Mass.

Knights of Columbus #8625: Grand Knight: Adam Benes, adamlbenes@gmail.com Phone: 402-416-1968. **MEETING**—Thursday, October 6th 7:30pm

Our Return to the Lord: September 25, 2022

Stewardship Envelopes 62/297 or 21%

Plate:	**110.00**	**Register: $0**	
Adults:	**4069.00**	**Cap Impv: $0**	
Children:	**63.20**	**Czechfest: $100.00**	
	$4242.20	**Guardian Angel: $0**	

$27,052.12 of $35,000.00 Monthly Stewardship Goal. Thank you!

Please join our in Sts Mary & Joseph Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 15th at 12:00 noon at the Lady of Lourdes Statue (Southeast of Church in parking lot). *This will be one of over 20,000 rallies that will take place across America on that day.* Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to pray for the conversion of the United States. Our Country needs our prayers!!!

CCD (Confraternity of Christian Doctrine) **Wednesdays, *First bell rings at 6:25pm,***
October 5: **Servers**–Wyatt Siebrandt/Owen Korger/Beckett Zurcher (shadow)
Reader– Amirah **Gifts**– 1st grade (3) **Usher**– volunteers
Confessions – 7th **Fr. Zimmer visits**: 3rd & 4th grade

CCD Coordinator: Billie Kollars 402-310-5967.

Readings for October 9, 2022 ~ 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading– 2 Kings 5:14-17
Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 98:2-3, 3-4
Second Reading— 2 Timothy 2:8-13
Gospel Acclamation– 1 Thessalonians 5:18 **Gospel** – Luke 17:11-19

St John Nepomucene Catholic School, Weston NE: 402-642-5234 or **Bishop Neumann, Wahoo** 402-443-4151. PTO Presidents: Aaron or Katie Pierce 402-450-5151.
Please keep Scanning your Box Tops: the rebate check is greatly appreciated!
SCRIP (Restaurant, Gas, Grocery, Store cards) stjohnscrip19@gmail.com
NEW YEARS EVE Celebration ALL WELCOME! December 31, 2022 5:30pm Social Hour 6:30pm Prime Rib or Honey Glazed Chicken and sides; $75 person Dinner & FUN PIANOS Admission OR $25 person FUN PIANOS only. At Starlite Event Center, Proceeds benefit St. John's School– https://stjohnspta.ticketspice.com/newyearseve

50 Days for 50 States Program. There are no set prayers, just a sacrifice or prayer each day that each State can elect pro-life and pro-family representatives.
Week 3: Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts,

WELCOME to the Family of God through the Waters of Baptism to **Monroe Kay Benes**, infant daughter of Don & Calli (Pleskac) Benes. She was Baptized on Sunday, September 25, 2022. CONGRATULATIONS!

NOTICE to all women of the Parish: We are asking for new PCCW (**P**arish **C**ouncil of **C**atholic **W**omen) Officers and Group Chairman (6 groups with 2-3 chairs each) for the 2023 calendar year. PLEASE reply by October 31st, so we can work on new booklets in November.
There are 10 meetings in the year (skip August/Summer break and January/Christmas party).
Our meetings, as a rule, are on the 1st Monday of the month/with exception to a holiday.
If you are new to the parish do not be afraid to step up...we will help you if you like/need help.
If you've been a long time parishioner and have not held an Officer or Chairman position please really think about taking over for some who have held positions for many years. We are always welcome to new ideas. We are always in need of your help at functions. Group Chairman are in charge of getting their group to donate and work 2 functions through the year; Breakfast or Coffee & Rolls.
If you would like to volunteer OR have any questions please call Parish Office at 402-784-2511. Paula can take your name or get you the information you need. THANK YOU!

Pope Francis' Apostleship of Prayer for October 2022: A CHURCH OPEN TO EVERYONE
We pray for the Church, ever faithful to and courageous in preaching the Gospel. May the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity, and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.

Prayers For the Church in the United States of America, that, through the **Eucharistic Revival**, the Holy Spirit may inspire her leaders to pursue ways of lifting Jesus high, let us pray to the Lord:

Food Bank—3rd Mondays: Monday, October 17, 2022. Noon– 1:00pm. Monday, November 21, 2022 Noon-1:00pm

Navigating the Change Please join Michele Chambers, a Certified FertilityCare Practitioner who has taught the Creighton Model FertilityCare System for over twenty-five years, as she talks about what one can expect throughout the menopause process, from both a fertility and general health perspective. **Tues. Oct. 11 at 7pm**, John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. **or** virtually. For more information or to register for this free event visit https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/menopause

Marquette Model of Natural Family Planning brings 21st century technology to NFP for added objectivity and confidence. Group sessions and private sessions available. A self-paced online course option lets you learn on your own schedule.
Check out FeminineGeniusMinistries.com for more details.

LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive The LDCCW is sponsoring the 13th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive, collecting diapers throughout the month of October in each of the Lincoln Diocesan parishes. The assistance of everyone in the Lincoln Diocese is requested. **Donations will be shared with the Pregnancy Centers approved by the Bishop's Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities and Catholic Social Services across the Diocese and St. Gianna Women's Homes.** Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.

ENDOW: (Educating on the Nature & Dignity of Women) Meets each Thursday for eight weeks starting **now and ending on November 17**. Meetings will take place in the **church hall at 6:30pm until 8:00pm**. The first Thursday of the month we will meet in the church because the Knights have the hall. Our study this year invites women to approach the question of why God allows suffering and how we are to understand it and participate in it as a means to our sanctification. This is a difficult question for all people to come to terms with, and this study takes us along with John Paul as he explores the various ways we experience suffering.

Life Chain Sunday Please join us **Sunday, October 2, 2022** 2:00-3:00pm By the VAL VILLAGE CLOCK, Plenty of parking

Sunday, October 2. Signs with pro-life messages will be provided. Please come and pray and stand with peace and joy for life and the end of abortion with us. We will be standing along HWY 79 for one hour in vigil for life. **The Life Chain happens across Nebraska and the Country on the first Sunday of October every year*. Please come and pray with us. ~Bring a chair.

Sts Mary & Joseph
PCCW
Breakfast Sunday
October 9, 2022
following 8am Mass.
Come meet fellow parishioners, friends and neighbors, and enjoy good food, bakery, coffee & juice!

Sts Mary & Joseph
FCSLA Life sponsored
Pulled Pork Meal
following 4:00pm Mass,
Saturday, October 22.
Proceeds go towards a new air conditioner for our church
Funds matched by FCSLA National Branch

PARISH FUNDRAISERS & DINNERS

St. Mary's Church Davey Soup Supper on **Sunday, October 2nd** from 4:00 - 7:00pm serving chili, chicken noodle or Wisconsin Cheese soup. sandwiches and hot dogs. Free will donation. Raffle and Bake Sale.

St. Joseph's Colon Roast Beef Dinner **Sunday October 2nd** at 11am. $15 for adults, $8 for 4-12 years old, 3 and under is free. There is a large family discount, *no family pays more than $75* to attend the dinner. Raffle prizes: Branson Vacation (Oct 28th- Nov 4th), Oak Creek Sporting Clay's 4 Round w/ shells, Quarter Beef, $100 Savings Bond, $100 Savings Bond. Tickets $5. Need not be present to win.

Sts. Peter & Paul Abie, NE— Annual Duck & Ham Dinner **Sunday, October 2nd** 11am– 2pm, includes dumplings, kraut, corn, mashed potatoes & gravy, salads, pies, kolache, rolls & drink. $19. Dine-in or Drive-thru-carry-out, $10 kids Dine-in only. Silent Auction, Quilt Raffle, Country Store. A 3:30pm Kids Live Auction , 4:00pm Live Auction

Assumption Parish Dwight—**Fall Spaghetti Dinner!** Annual *Fall Event* **Sunday, October 9th** with a Spaghetti Dinner 10:30 —1:30; spaghetti, meat & meatless sauces, alfredo sauce, salad, garlic bread and beverage. Dine in or carry-out. **Free Will Offering.** Craft & Vendor Show from 9:00am -- 1:30pm. . Country Store & Bake Sale. Chances for our next Quilt Raffle.

***Wine*ding Down—Sunday, October 16** at 6:30pm. Bring ideas of topics of the Catholic Faith you would like to discuss or deepen your faith and knowledge in. We will meet every other Sunday till spring. Come to one or come to all! This is a great opportunity to discuss and GROW in our faith in our adult stage of life. Fr Zimmer leads an informative discussion and you enjoy the evening with a beverage of your choosing and delicious snacks brought and shared by all. 2760 Main Road Valparaiso, Luke & Alice Benes farm in shed north of house-comfortable AC or heat as needed! Bring your favorite munchie if/when you like.

St John the Baptist, Prague— Annual Duck & Pork Buffet Dinner, **Sunday October 9**, 11:00am-2pm Dine-in, Carry-out or Drive-thru. Homemade dressing, dumplings, kraut, mashed potatoes & gravy, cranberries, roll, kolache, dessert & drink; Adults $20. Age 5-10 (pork only) $10. Age 4 & under Eat Free (pork only) Live & Silent Auctions: Husker Football & Volleyball ticket, homemade beer & wine, Ag products & much more. Live Polka Music, Beer Garden, Country Store & Raffle.

St Mary's Ashland —3rd annual **Harvest Fest** on **Sunday, October 16**, serving from 11am -2:30.
Harvest Fest will feature a dinner of smoked pork loin with delicious sides & homemade desserts ($15 adults; $8 kids (6-12); kids 5 & under free and drive-thru or carryout $15. There will also be a Bake Shoppe with homemade, delectable baked goods, a silent auction & games."

If you listen to Spirit Catholic Radio you have most likely heard **Dr. Ray Guarendi** on his radio show, "The Doctor Is In". Dr. Ray will be in Nebraska at **St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church in Seward, on Tuesday, Oct. 4 at 7:00pm,** and **Aquinas Catholic School in David City Wednesday, Oct. 5 at 7pm**. No tickets– ALL WELCOME! *Free will offering at the door.* The world today offers many challenges for parents. Dr. Ray, who is the parent of 10 adopted children as well as a clinical psychologist, will bring us some much needed parenting advice along with his great sense of humor. Parenting doesn't end when the kids move away. Whether you are a new parent or parent with grown children, you won't want to miss this. Dr. Ray will also have several of his books for sale. Public is welcome, so bring your parent friends.