

## **✠ MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Saturday, Dec 3**

5:00 PM L&D Ralph & Josephine Klassen Family  
 L&D Ed & Anna Mae Pfeifer Family  
 L&D Don & Mariette Olmer Family  
 People of the Parish

### **Sunday, Dec 4**

9:00 AM Francis & Bernadette Sueper  
 L&D Duane Frauendorfer Family  
 L&D Michael Werner Family

### **Monday, Dec 5**

8:05 AM L&D Members of Ladies Guild

### **Tuesday, Dec 6**

8:05 AM Rosemary Olmer

### **Wednesday, Dec 7**

8:05 AM L&D Bud & Lori Bender Family  
 7:00 PM L&D Wayne Milburn Family

### **Thursday, Dec 8 Feast of the Immaculate Conception**

8:05 AM L&D Erv & Marge Zach Family

### **Friday, Dec 9**

8:05 AM L&D Members of Catholic Order of Foresters

### **Saturday, Dec 10**

5:00 PM L&D George Frisch Family  
 L&D Ralph Klassen Family  
 L&D Garry Thompson Family

### **Sunday, Dec 11**

9:00 AM L&D Ray, Mildred & Tom Oberhauser Family  
 Ron Konz  
 People of the Parish

## **THE LITURGICAL WEEK**

**Dec 4**—Reform your lives; live in God's peace so that justice may flourish.

**Dec 5**—God has come to save us in Christ Jesus. He offers us peace, forgiveness, and healing.

**Dec 6**—God comforts and abides with us in love, seeking out those who are lost or who have gone astray.

**Dec 7**—Merciful and kind, the Lord gives strength to the weary and to all who are overburdened.

**Dec 8**— Chosen by God, Mary reverses the sin of Eve. Because of her obedience, God's salvation is made known to all the nations.

**Dec 9**—Isiah exhorts his listeners to follow the Lord. Jesus exposes the lack of wisdom and obstinacy of his contemporaries.

**Dec 10**— Elijah, a type of precursor of the Messiah, is identified with John whose death foretells that of Jesus, the Son of Man.

## **CHURCH CLEANING**

**Thurs & Fri, Dec 8 & 9**

Rita Hegemann	Barbie Herchenbach
Mary Hemmer	Danielle Herchenbach
Patty Hemmer	Jenny Herchenbach
Vicki Henn	Sue Herchenbach

**You can clean any time except during Mass, but please come or get a sub from list in back of church.**

## **PARISH MINISTRIES**

	<b>SAT, Dec 10 5:00 PM</b>	<b>SUN, Dec 11 9:00 AM</b>
<b>Lector</b>	Angela Luetkenhaus	Marvin Weeder
<b>EMHC</b>	Bruce Masteller Margaret Moravec Mary Lou Nienaber	Joan Pfeifer Mike & Sherry Lindhorst
<b>Servers</b>	Carson Schnitzler Zachary Pfeifer Olivia Wiese Nicole Wojcik	Cole Preister Sage Frauendorfer Daisy Korus Savana Shanle
<b>Offertory Gifts</b>	Bryan & Anne Klassen	Derek & Kelsey Klassen
<b>EMHC to MNLH</b>	<b>WED, Dec 7</b> Mary Ellen Wiese	<b>SUN, Dec 11</b> Marian Hamling

## **PARISH PROJECT WORK**

**Wed, Dec 7—Team 4 will work this week.**

**Morning and afternoon as needed. Please come and enjoy working with your fellow parishioners on this worthy project.**

## **DECEMBER PRAYER CROSS**

Jacob & Karla Hall  
 Marian Hamling



Please take home one of the crosses with prayer cards and return to the back of church at the end of the month.

## **WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

Sunday Giving.....	\$ 2040.00
School Support.....	\$ 2980.08
Loose.....	\$ 311.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$ 1400.11
Thanksgiving.....	\$ 13,692.20
Fall Supper.....	\$ 35.00
Flower Donation.....	\$ 80.00
Special "1 Time" Collection.....	\$ 10.00
Total Collection.....	\$ 20,548.39

## **SEWING CIRCLE**

Please join the ladies every Mon & Thu at 1:00 pm in the Project Meeting Room.

**Building & Improvement.....\$**

## **PASTOR'S CORNER**

On this Second Sunday of Advent our focus begins to shift from the end of time immediately before the first coming of Christ into the world. Yet the message is still the same: God's reign is at hand. As we worship together today, let us heed John the Baptist, whose message of preparing those people of Israel so long ago echoes in our own hearts: "Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths."

*Can you not spend one hour with me?*

***Remember to sign in the book in the first pew.***

### **Parish Office Hours**

The office will be open from 8-12 only on Dec 7<sup>th</sup>.

### **Card Shower**

Please wish Eugene Korth a Happy 85<sup>th</sup> birthday on December 10<sup>th</sup>. Her address is 125 E 1<sup>st</sup>  
Lindsay

### **Thank You**

We would like to thank everyone for the many acts of kindness shown to us after the death of our mother, Rose Mary Olmer. Thank you for your prayers, visits, food, cards, memorials and your kind words. In lieu of a personal thank you, a mass will be said for your intentions.

*The Family of Rose Mary Olmer  
Jeanette & Gary Korth Family*

### **Thank You**

My heartfelt thanks to everyone who shared in the celebration of my 90th birthday, including the Open House, the card shower, and stopping in to see me. It has been wonderful to hear from, and see, so many treasured friends and family members who are so dear to me. Thank you for all the beautiful cards, kind words, and great hugs and smiles. I am blessed to have so many dear friends.

*Bonnie Hegemann*

### **Change of address**

Eleanor Julsen D117B  
Eastern Nebraska Veterans Home  
12505 S 40<sup>th</sup> St  
Bellevue, NE 68123  
Cell Phone: 402-480-2184  
She would love to hear from you!

## **HOLY FAMILY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- || Dec 4: First Reconciliation  
|| 3-5pm St Nick at Night @ Coop
- || Dec 5: 11:30am Dismissal  
|| 4pm JHG/BBall vs Cross Country
- || Dec 6: 1pm all School Reconciliation  
|| 3:20p 7-12 Prayer Service  
|| 5:30pm GBB @ Plainview
- || Dec 7: State One Act
- || Dec 8: 8:05am All School Mass  
|| 4pm G/BBB@ HHS vs H-D
- || Dec 9: 6:30pm Dodge Ball  
|| Dress Down Day
- || Dec 10: JHGB @ East Butler  
|| 3pm G/BBB @ Shelby/RC

### **Upcoming Events:**

- || Jan 21: Fun Night
- || Mar 24&25: Immaculee Retreat

***Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday at Noon***

### **Knights of Columbus**

Knights of Columbus will meet Sunday, Dec 4 at 10am in the Parish Project Meeting Room.

### **St Nick at Night**

Sunday, Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 3:00 to 5:00 pm  
Farmers Coop Meeting Room

### **Candles**

Please help us remove the All Souls Day candles in memory of deceased loved ones from the back of church as soon as possible. If you know the families these belong to, could you kindly deliver them so they are gone before general cleaning. Names include:

Irene Brase	Daniel French
Johnathon Jacobsen	Arnold Kudron
Dean Kerkman	Ron Konz
Joyce Meridith	Gene Patzel
Betty Pieper	Gene Petjeon
Bernice Roth	Jerome Roth
John Schroll	Jeff Schroll
Betty Thompson	Jack Tindal
Michele Kaspar Werts	