

† MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Dec 29

5:00PM L&D Tony & Orma Klassen Family
L&D Larry & Arlene Wessel Family

Sunday, Dec 30

9:00AM Diane & Tim Korus
Special Intention
Bob Korth
People of the Parish

Monday, Dec 30 New Year's Eve

5:00PM L&D Bob & Lois Pfeifer Family
L&D Diane Fjell Family

Tuesday, Jan 1 New Year's Day

9:00AM Kay & Ron Martins

Wednesday, Jan 2

6:30AM L&D Albert Prothman Family

Thursday, Jan 3

8:00AM L&D Larry & Linda Formanek Family
Joan (Oberhauser) Semin

Friday, Jan 4

8:00AM Purgatorial Society

Saturday, Jan 5

5:00PM L&D Jeff Jarecki Family
L&D Don & Mariette Olmer Family

Sunday, Jan 6

9:00AM L&D Duane & Mary Ellen Frauendorfer Family
Michael Werner
People of the Parish

THE LITURGICAL WEEK

Dec 28—The massacre of the Innocents bears witness to the blood of Jesus which cleanses us from sin and frees us from death.

Dec 29—Jesus is the light who scatters the darkness of hatred and sin among all peoples.

Dec 30— Family life is rooted in the unconditional love of God as witnessed by the Holy Family.

Dec 31— Anointed by the Spirit, we rejoice in the truth that the Word became flesh.

Jan 1—We seek God's blessings as did Mary. Because of her Son, we can confidently call God, "Abba".

Jan 2—John testifies about one who is to come, one whose gift is nothing less than life eternal.

PARISH PROJECT WORK

Work will be done on Thursday morning this week the morning crew is asked to come. If there are more orders to be done, Rick will contact a circle. Thank you!

CHURCH CLEANING

Thurs & Fri Jan 3 & 4

Lisa O'Brien	Donna (Mike) Pfeifer
Jessica Pelster	Joan Pfeifer
Debbie Pfeifer	Peg Pfeifer
Dee Pfeifer	Sara Pfeifer

You can clean at any time during the week except while Mass is in progress. If you can't come, kindly find a substitute!

PARISH MINISTRIES

	SAT, Jan 5 5:00 PM	SUN, Jan 6 9:00 AM
Lector	Lisa O'Brien	Marvin Weeder
EMHC	Jenny Herchenbach Tom Fehringer Carol Korth Jane(Bob) Kurtenbach	Jeanette Korth Cindy Lindhorst Mike & Sherry Lindhorst
Servers	Owen Kurtenbach Chance Lindhorst Cole Preister Seth Preister	Sophie Shanle Savannah Shanle Nicholas Stock Jacob Preister
Offertory Gifts	Jack Beller	Kristin Beller
EMHC to MNLH	WED, Jan 2 Sue Bender	SUN, Jan 6 Harry Kurtenbach

JANUARY PRAYER CROSS

Ken & Alice Korus

Bob & Jane Kurtenbach

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

Mailathon Drive Yellow Envelopes

This Week.....\$6775.05

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

School Support.....	\$ 15345.39
Sunday Giving.....	\$ 5038.50
Loose.....	\$ 535.00
Campaign for Human Development	\$ 10.00
Heating.....	\$ 90.00
Christmas.....	\$ 28891.05
Total Collection.....	\$ 49909.94
Bldg & Improvement.....	\$

(excludes Yellow Envelopes)

PASTOR'S CORNER

On the Sunday after Christmas we celebrate Jesus' human family. Appropriate to the season, we usually visualize the Holy Family as they appear in typical nativity scene: the baby Jesus lying in a manger, surrounded by his doting parents. But Joseph, Mary, and Jesus lived together for many years, through Jesus' infancy, childhood, adolescence, and maybe even into his adulthood. As we celebrate the Holy Family, let us think of the families we have been a part of, both as children and as adults.

Can you not spend one hour with me?

Remember to sign in the book in the first pew.

Parish office will be closed on Friday, Jan 4 and Monday Jan 7.

Christmas Lighting Contest Winners

Congratulations to the Christmas Lighting winners and thank you to all who made our town look so festive and beautiful!

1st Terry & Karla Beller

2nd Gary & Karla Schumacher

3rd Carrol Neimeyer

4th Vernell & Lugene Korth

5th Ross & Brianna Sueper

Seminary Collection

The Seminary Collection will be held the weekend of Jan 5-6. The Archdiocese of Omaha is currently blessed with twenty-three men studying for the Priesthood. We humbly ask for your continued prayers, sacrifices and generous financial support.

Save the Date

We invite you to join us on Monday evenings at 6:30pm in January to hear a variety of speakers cover a variety of topics. Our theme is "New Year, New Challenges". Curt Tomasevicz former Olympic bobsledder will be our first speaker on Jan 7. In the following weeks we have Calvin Mueller, with the Office of Rural Evangelization, Fr Tom Greisen, and a grief counselor with AsceraCare. There was an overwhelmingly positive response to our speaker program last year and we are looking forward to seeing everyone at this year's endeavor.

HOLY FAMILY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Upcoming Events

Jan 3: In-service, No School

Jan 4: 4pm G/BBB @ HHS vs Riverside

Jan 5: 9am C G/BBB @ LHF vs Cross County

Future Events

Jan 7: 6:30pm Curt Tomasevicz Speaks

Jan 19: Fun Night

Feb 4: Discovering Christ

Mar 15-17 Alumni BballTourney/Right to Life Collection

June 8: ArchOmaha Event

June 28-29, 2019: Pivot Days

August 18: Bazaar

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday at Noon

2018 Giving

The parish books for 2018 will close on Jan 9. Please have all your 2018 giving to the rectory office by this date. Thank you for your generous support throughout the year!!

Fundraiser Calendars

Please have your calendar purchases and payments completed and turned in by Jan 16th.

The Golden Ticket Raffle at Fun Night

Purchase 1 or more of the 100 golden tickets being sold for a chance at this amazing raffle! If your ticket is drawn, you will have your choice of any auction item before the live auction begins! You must be present at the event to win. The drawing will take place prior to the start of the live auction. Purchase your golden ticket while they last! Cost: \$100

Only 100 tickets sold

Must be present at Fun Night to win.

Jacob & Kala Preister

Jerry Klassen and Kristin Beller

Duane & Shanda Beller

Andrew & Courtney Kurtenbach

Joe & Tara Korus

Kaidi Wolff & Austin Engel