

SHARED PARISH INFORMATION

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT THIS PAGE EVERY WEEK TO SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR PARISHES, THE SURROUNDING PARISHES, SNIPITS FROM FR. OLSEN, FR. WAYNE, & MORE!

***ST. FRANCIS PARISH BAZAAR IS THIS SUNDAY!:** Join us this Sunday, October 6, at our annual parish bazaar! The day begins with Mass at 10:00 AM, followed by the Toddler Trot/Kids' Run at 11:30 AM in front of the high school. A hot meal will be served from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM with all the fixings—including our famous dressing! There will be fun games for children of all ages from 12:30 PM to 4:30 PM, a concession stand, a beer garden, the auction at 5:00 PM, followed by raffle drawings and the Big Ticket drawing! Don't forget to also visit the Mercantile and Country Stores for one-of-a-kind, hand-made items, as well as the St. Francis Gift Shop (open from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM). There's so much you won't want to miss! All are welcome to join us!

***ROSARY RALLY AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH IN LINDSAY:** You are invited to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 12, at 12:00 noon in front of Holy Family Parish. This Public Square Rosary, sponsored by *America Needs Fatima*, will take place all across the United States on that day. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and so fervently pray for the conversion of the United States. Will you be able to join us and other Catholics on this very important day?

***COFFE & ROLLS AT ST. MICHAELS** after 8:00 AM Mass on Sunday, October 13. All parishes are welcome to join!

***QUEST RETREAT FOR HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORES:** All high school freshmen and sophomores are invited to the Quest Retreat coming up November 23-24 at the Tintern Retreat Center by Oakdale, NE. This two-day retreat will center on the Three Circles of Love: Jesus, Others and Yourself. Candidates will spend time in

Adoration, listen to talks, play games and grow in fellowship with new and old friends. Applications can be found at the website <https://questcoreteam.wixsite.com/signup>, or by contacting Chelsea Preister at acpreister@gmail.com.

Month of the Rosary THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Have you ever wanted to explore the life of Jesus and Mary in a deeper way? Each decade highlights a sacred episode:

Joyful Mysteries: Through the Annunciation (1) and Visitation (2), we get a glimpse at Mary's joyful yes to God. She gives birth to Jesus in the Nativity (3). Mary and Joseph present their Son at the temple (4) and bring Him there again when He is a teenager (5).

Luminous Mysteries: Jesus is baptized in the Jordan River (1) before Mary gives Him a nudge to His first miracle at Cana (2). Jesus proclaims the Gospel (3), is transfigured on Mount Tabor (4), and institutes the Eucharist (5). The Light is shining!

Sorrowful Mysteries: Jesus prays in agony in Gethsemane (1), knowing His hour of suffering has come. After His betrayal and arrest, Jesus is scourged (2) and crowned with thorns (3). He carries His cross (4), and Mary stands at the foot of the cross as He is crucified (5).

Glorious Mysteries: Christ is risen in glory (1)! After appearing to those He loves, He ascends into heaven (2). Jesus' followers receive the Holy Spirit at Pentecost (3). Mary, unaffected by original sin, is assumed body and soul into heaven (4), where she is crowned queen, humble mother of Christ the King (5).

LECTIO DIVINA AT HOME:

Take some time during the week to practice Lectio Divina. Here are next Sunday's readings to get you started:

1st Reading: 2 Kgs 5:14-17

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4

2nd Reading: 2 Tm 2:8-13

Gospel: Lk 17:11-1



Holy Family Parish October 5 and 6

Found

A silver band was found in church, can be picked up at the rectory.

Plant Project

Teams 6 and 7 are asked to work at the Plant Project Wednesday morning and afternoon. Please come and enjoy working with your fellow parishioners at this worthwhile project.

Catholic Order of Foresters Matching Funds

Sunday October 6 after 8:30 AM Mass at Lindsay Town Hall.

Serving donuts, coffee, hot chocolate for a free will offering. Take out is available. A second collection will be taken at both weekend masses on Oct 5 and Oct 6 to reach our goal. This year's funds will be used for (the construction) of the altar to house the tabernacle in our church.

LIFE CHAIN SUNDAY

SUNDAY OCT 6 10:00 TO 11:00 AM

Highway 91 and Pine Street.

This marks the 32nd Annual Life Chain and is your opportunity to defend life here in Lindsay. Holy Family has participated every year. Pick up signs at the Town Hall following COF Matching Funds Benefit. This is so easy to give one hour of your time to pray for an end to abortion.

Knights of Columbus

Lindsay Knights of Columbus will be selling chances for their annual gun raffle at the weekend Masses of Sept 29th, Oct 6th, and Oct 13th. Drawing will be Oct 13th.

Rosary Crusade

Saturday, Oct 12th at noon in front of church

Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. We ask God to save America through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Please join us in prayer for our nation.

Confirmation

Confirmation will be celebrated here at Holy Family on Oct 13th with a Mass at 2pm. Circle 7 will be serving the luncheon.

ATTENTION FARMERS

The Harvest Season has started, with the dry conditions in the fields, FIRES are inevitable. A few things to help prepare for these are:

1. Have a tractor & disc either in the field you are harvesting or close by.
2. Have a fire extinguisher &/or a container of water in the combine, tractors, trucks, etc
3. If available a water wagon in the field or close by
4. If you have a fire call 911 as soon as possible
- 5.

Healing Mass

Oct 17 at Sts Cyril & Methodius Church at 7pm,
Confessions heard at 6pm. Everyone is welcome.

Meals for Fr Jim

While making meals to take to the fields, make a little extra for Fr Jim! If you would be interested in helping with this ministry go to the website takethemameal.com. In the recipient box put Novotny and the password is 2019. If you need help signing up, contact Cindy Lindhorst at 402-920-0840. Any meal is greatly appreciated! It can be something simple! It's great to be able to give back to someone who has given our parish so much.

Support Our Seminarians

Please support our Seminarians in prayer and maybe even a birthday card. October birthdays are:

Oct 12: Joshua Richards-St John Vianney Seminary
Oct 24: Fr Andrew Roza- Vocation Director, Omaha

Addresses: St John Vianney Seminary
2115 Summit Ave
St Paul, MN 55105

Fr Roza
100 N 62nd St
Omaha, NE 68132

Join the Catholic Advocacy Network

Sign up in the back of church to join CANN (Catholic Advocacy Network of Nebraska) to receive updates and action alerts on key bills to the legislature, & state & national government.

Upcoming Parish Festivals

Sept 29-SSCyril & Methodius Church Clarkson 11-1:30pm
Oct 6-St Francis Humphrey, noon-4pm
Oct 26-Sacred Heart, Norfolk Craft Fair & Brunch 9-2pm
Oct 27-St Anthony, Columbus Ag Park 11-3pm

See fliers in back of church for more details