

# 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!

**\*NOTE FROM FR. OLSEN—EMAIL SCAM:** If you receive an email from me asking for an iTunes gift card, money or anything of value **DO NOT RESPOND!** This is a scam. I would **NEVER** reach out to anyone through email with ANY request of this kind.

**\*SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION WITH DEACON HAROLD BURKE-SIVERS:** A four-night mission—Monday, January 27—Thursday, January 30—at 7:00 PM at St. Mary's Church in Norfolk. A free-will offering will be accepted each evening. Join us in this mission featuring Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers. Deacon Harold—known around the world as the "Dynamic Deacon"—is one of the most sought-after speakers in the Church today. He is a powerful and passionate evangelist and preacher whose no-nonsense approach to living and proclaiming the Catholic faith is sure to challenge and inspire those who hear him. The free-will offering will support and further the ministry of Deacon Harold. Contact Philip Zimmerman at [philipzimmerman@sacredheartnorfolk.com](mailto:philipzimmerman@sacredheartnorfolk.com) or 402-371-2621 for more information, or with questions.

**\*DON'T MISS OUT! BEGINS NEXT MONDAY, JANUARY 7!**

**\*DISCOVERING CHRIST:** A 7-week experience that invites you to hear the Good News and personally encounter Jesus Christ. Please sign up for this special event as soon as possible so the committee can finalize plans. Dates are Mondays from January 7, 2020, through February 18, 2020, from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM in the St. Francis parish hall. A special invitation goes out to our cluster parishes! The evening includes welcome/introductions, prayer & song, meal, teaching video and small group discussions. To register please call the St. Francis parish office at 402-923-0913. For more information contact Ginny Fehringer (402-920-3366) or Jayne Ternus (402-920-2820).

**\*UNPLANNED:** The movie *Unplanned* will be shown Sunday, January 5, at 4:00 PM in the Scotus Little Theater (1554 18th Ave-by Columbus Right to Life). Enter at the southeast set of doors. The public is invited. The movie is the inspiring true story of Abby Johnson's journey of transformation from being a Planned Parenthood clinic director to an ardent pro-life speaker.

**\*THE NEBRASKA WALK FOR LIFE IN LINCOLN:** Are you interested in attending Saturday, January 18, but don't want to drive? Columbus Right to Life and Norfolk Right to Life will be renting a bus to take interested individuals to this huge, pro-life event. The cost is only \$10 per person. We would be leaving Columbus at 7:30 AM and returning about 3:30 PM. If interested, or for more information, call 402-276-0965 by

## NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE FOR CLUSTER PARISHES:

*Join us in celebrating the  
Feast of the Solemnity of Mary,  
the Mother of God.*

### **Feast of Solemnity of Mary Eve:**

5:00 PM—Holy Family, Lindsay;  
5:30 PM—St. Francis, Humphrey;

### **Feast of Solemnity of Mary:**

8:00 AM—Holy Family, Lindsay;  
8:30 AM—St. Mary, Leigh;  
10:00 AM—St. Francis, Humphrey;  
10:30 AM—St. Michael, Tarnov.

### **Mary, the Holy Mother of God**

This solemnity is a rather recent addition to the cycle of seasons, Sundays, and feasts in our liturgical year. We have Pope Paul VI to thank for the 1974 enshrining of the devotion to Mary into our calendar on January 1. It is also a day in our calendar as a World Day for Peace.



#### **Let us pray...**

God of heaven and earth,  
You came to us and took our earthly flesh  
through the gift of Mary's yes.  
She is our Mother in faith,  
as she is Your earthly mother.  
We are thankful beyond our ability to thank You  
for the gift of her Son as our brother and savior.  
Through her self-giving,  
we have been reconciled to You.  
Bless us as we begin this New Year  
and endow us with the desire and ability  
to create a world of peace.  
We ask all this,  
through the intercession of Mary to You,  
one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.

## **Holy Family Parish Dec 29**

***\*\*Parish Office will be closed on Jan 10th & 13th***

### **Plant Project**

There will not be teams assigned to work the Plant Project this week; Rick will call if help needed.

### **Gift Giver Calendars**

Please have your calendar purchases and payments completed and turned in by Jan 13th.

### **Baby Jesus Shower**

A Baby Jesus Shower is being held to support those mothers-to-be who opt for life rather than choosing abortion. You can support them by bringing a baby item for the bassinet in the library of the church. A diaper, baby clothes, wipes, blankets, etc. Once again these will be shared with Bethlehem House in Omaha, a live-in support home for those who choose life. Mothers-while shopping with your children, why not let them choose a gift for Baby Jesus and take it to the bassinet in church.

### **2019 Giving**

The parish books for 2019 will close on Wednesday, January 8. Please have all your 2019 giving to the rectory office by this date. Thank you for your generous support throughout the year!!

### **Knights of Columbus**

In order for Lindsay Holy Family Council 7699 to better serve God, our families, and our community, we ask Council members to pick up the KC survey and attached items from the back tables in Church, fill them out, and return them to the proper locations. We appreciate your cooperation in this endeavor.

KC Dues for Year 2020 will be \$25.00 for regular members and \$10.00 for Honorary members.

### **Adoration**

You are welcome to make your Holy Hour this week, however the Blessed Sacrament will not be exposed.

### **Volunteers Needed**

There is a sign-up sheet in back of church for New Year's Eve and New Year's Day ministries.

### **Guild Rolls**

The Guild will be making rolls on Sunday morning, January 12. This will be DINE IN ONLY. Please make plans to come and visit with your fellow parishioners. Circle 5 will be in charge of this event.

### **Collection Report 12/22**

Loose	\$ 316.00
Sunday Giving	8157.10
School Support	5386.88
Fuel/Heating	45.00
Religious Pension	50.00
Fall Supper	15.00
Bldg & Impr	1331.90
<u>Christmas</u>	<u>1598.35</u>
Total	\$16920.23

### **A Special Note**

In this very busy season, may everyone at Lindsay have a blessed Christmas and a wonderful New Year! It's great hearing from you; please know you are all in my prayers!

*Eleanor Julsen*

### **Take Fr Jim a Meal**

Please remember to sign up on the website [Taketheameal.com](http://Taketheameal.com) with the recipient name of Novotny and password of 2019. Fr Jim truly appreciates all the meals brought in for him in the past! The meals can be very simple, let's continue to show our appreciation for all the years of sacrifice and dedication Fr Jim gave us.

### **Mass Intentions**

There are several weekday openings if you would like to have a Mass said in honor of your loved ones. There are also a few weekend Masses available. Stop by the rectory on Mondays or Fridays to request.