

ENCOUNTERING JESUS, EQUIPPING DISCIPLES. LIVING MERCY.

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Friends.

I must say that my passion for sports has dissipated dramatically over the past several years. This is partially because Nebraska football has been so disappointing recently, but there are other factors as well. I'm increasingly aggravated by the amount of money involved in athletics, which is a sign that sports has become our god. Additionally, the increasing politicization of sports is difficult to stomach.

Take, for instance, the phenomenon of kneeling during the national anthem. As troubling as such behavior is to me, it is completely understandable. After all, I suspect the players that protest this had very different upbringings than I did. I was raised in a family where, after Christmas, the biggest holiday of the year was the 4th of July. I was raised to appreciate the flag as a symbol of the sacrifices made to protect my freedom. As such, it demanded proportionate respect. I wonder if for those who protest during the anthem it was the same.

I know the educational system wasn't. I was taught that the United States of America was the greatest country in the world, that Christopher Columbus was a hero, the pioneers were to be admired for their courage and perseverance, that hundreds of thousands of Americans (predominantly white) fought and died in the civil war to free slaves, that the United States saved the world from both Nazi Germany and Soviet Communism.

Today many are taught almost the exact opposite. Many are taught that the United States is the biggest pillager of the earth, Christopher Columbus was a symbol of imperialism and oppression, and that the United States was founded on the precept of racism because of slavery. In fact, this racism had been systemized to the extent that it's effects are damaging the well-being of certain communities, particularly communities of color. Had I been raised like that, would I have the courage to protest the anthem or the flag? The answer, sadly, is no.

"But Father," you may ask, "What systemic injustice have you suffered?" The answer is infinitely more horrific than the idea of institutionalized racism. That injustice is abortion. After all, regardless if police actually are systematically executing African Americans, it would still pale in comparison to the systemic pressure our society puts on mothers to abort their children...to the tune of 3,000/day in our country alone. Yet, have I ever done something as stigmatizing as protesting during the national anthem to raise awareness of this systemic injustice? Perhaps these young athletes are way more courageous for their cause than I am for mine.

Nevertheless, the actions of these athletes are completely and totally misguided. In fact, just as I would say it is completely and totally misguided for Catholics to protest during the National Anthem to raise awareness of the injustice of abortion, so, too, is it completely and totally misguided for athletes to do so to raise awareness of institutionalized racism. Why?

The answer comes from the virtue of piety, which is a gift of the Holy Spirit. Piety allows us, principally, to show reverence to God as the ultimate authority. Secondarily, however, piety extends to other authorities, even very flawed ones. It is the virtue of piety that empowered Jesus to submit to the flawed authority of Pontius Pilate. This virtue is the root of the virtue of patriotism, which recognizes that our country is a kind of mother.

To be patriotic, however, means to expose injustice. True patriotic Germans were the ones opposing the nationalist Nazis, not tolerating them. We, as Catholics, have the obligation to expose the injustice of abortion. I'm sure those who protest the anthem think they have the obligation to expose injustice as well.

However, there is a time and place for everything. The National Anthem is neither the time nor the place for protest. Rather, it is the time and the place to focus on the good that unites us, rather than the evil that divides us. In fact, it is most fitting to begin secular events, and even religious ones, with the National Anthem. Even though our country is very flawed (e.g. abortion), she is still a "mother" that needs to be appreciated, even if she is also a mother that is imperfect.

In Christ, F. EIA

GENERAL INFORMATION MASS SCHEDULES & INTENTIONS

SACRAMENT PREP

CONFESSIONS:

DAILY: 7:30 AM-7:50 AM (Before All Daily Masses)

SATURDAYS: Lindsay: 4:00 PM-4:45 PM

Humphrey: 4:30 PM-5:15 PM

SUNDAYS: Lindsay: 7:00 AM-7:45 AM

Leigh: 8:00 AM-8:20 AM Tarnov: After 10:30 AM Mass

BAPTISMS: To schedule, please contact Rev. Eric Olsen. MARRIAGE: Please contact the priest six months before wedding in order to fulfill required wedding prep classes.

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PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER.

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Keith & Julie (Werner) Frauendorfer

KEEP IN PRAYER AS THEY SERVE OUR COUNTRY:

Calvin Wiese, Doc Schumacher, Dylan Preister, John Babl, Craig Prather, Jedd Taff, Mitchell Preister, Cody Ramaekers, Eric and Michelle Oberhauser, Ben Borer, Nicole Thompson, Aaron Wallin, Steve Bender, Jacob Williams, Joshua Sprunk, Codi Rose Fehringer, Fr. Curt Dwyer, **Bryce Bartholomew** (Please call your parish office to add a name.)



ST. FRANCIS CHURCH, HUMPHREY:

Sat, 08/15 - Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

5:30 PM-For the People of Our Cluster Parishes

Sun. 08/16: 8:00 AM-+Eileen Wemhoff 10:00 AM-+Arlene Weidner (A)

Mon, 08/17:

8:00 AM-L/D +Dale & Nell Schumacher Family

Tues, 08/18:

8:00 AM-+Duane Krings

Wed, 08/19:

8:00 AM-L/D +Vic & +Ann Keller Family

Thurs, 08/20:

8:00 AM-+Bill Werner

Fri, 08/21:

NO MASS

Sat, 08/22:

5:30 PM-+Emmert & +Rita Wegener

Sun, 08/23: 8:00 AM-+Mass of Thanksgiving

10:00 AM-+Don Moravec

(WA): Wedding Anniversary

(A): Anniversary of Death

(B): Birthday

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH, LINDSAY:

Sat, 08/15- Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

5:00 PM-Diane Fjell, Rhoda Weber

Sun, 08/16: 8:00 AM-L/D Bud & Lori Bender Family, and L/D Larry & Martha Sueper Family

Mon, 08/17:

8:00 AM-Robert Pfeifer

Tues. 08/18:

8:00 AM-L/D Swede & Arlene Kurtenbach Family

Wed, 08/19:

8:00 AM-L/D Art & Rose Marie Greisen Family

Thurs. 08/20:

8:00 AM-Connie Beller

Fri. 08/21:

8:00 AM-L/D Ken & Marian Hamling Family, Art Korth

Sat, 08/22: 5:00 PM-L/D Marvin & Rhoda Gilsdorf Family, and

L/D Jim & Viola Formanek Family

Sun, 08/23: 8:00 AM-L/D Duane & Mary Ellen Frauendorfer Family, and Bob Olmer

ST. MARY, LEIGH:

Sun, 08/23:

8:30 AM-Rain & Favorable Weather

ST. MICHAEL, TARNOV:

Sun, 08/23:

10:30 AM-Lucille Ciecior

ST. FRANCIS CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS AUG 22-23

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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PARISH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Elementary School:(402) 923-0611

Sun. 08/16: *7 PM-"Rosary For Peace" In Church

Thurs, 08/20: *8:30 AM-7 PM-Adoration

Sun, 08/23: *7 PM-"Rosary For Peace" In Church

REFLECT

GOSPEL READING

Jesus initially reacts negatively to the Canaanite (Gentile) woman in a manner familiar to most Jews of that day. But Jesus showed the disciples that faith in him transcends the historic divide between Jew and Gentile. When have you allowed your faith in Christ heal a division?

Sat. 5:30 PM

Lector-Jodie Eisenmenger

Servers-Ethan Keller, Eli McPhillips

EMHCs-Deacon Kent Sachau, Janet Osten

Greeters-No Greeters

Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers

Sun. 8:00 AM

Lector-Dave Krings

Servers-Gavin Geilenkirchen, Mason Geilenkirchen

EMHCs-Jordan Bender

Greeters-No Greeters

Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers

Sun, 10:00 AM

Lector-Gina Eisenmenger

Servers-Addison Schneider, Colter Schneider

EMHCs-Deacon Dennis & Celie Anderson

Greeters-No Greeters/Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers

EMHCs-PLEASE NOTE:

If a deacon is at Mass, no other EMHC is needed. PLEASE WEAR A MASK.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION REPORT

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CHURCH CLEANING

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Betty Brockhaus - 402-923-1156

Bill & Amy Classen - 402-923-0176

Bryan & Lori Reichmuth - 402-920-1576

Don & Donna Wemhoff - 402-923-0362

VACUUMERS: Milton & Karen Wemhoff, Betty Sueper

ST. FRANCIS continued

*<u>WEDDINGS</u>: Congratulations to the following couples who were married in our church recently: Alex Gall & Morgan Bender, Dillon Bender & McKenna Gibson, and Preston Schrage & Kristen Hemmer. May the Lord bless them with many years of love and happiness together!

*REMEMBER IN PRAYER the soul of Robert Schueth (brother of Eugene Schueth) who passed away recently. May his soul, and all the souls of the recently departed, rest in peace.

*HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED HOW YOU CAN GIVE BACK TO THE CHURCH?: PRE is looking for a couple teachers to help with the program this year. This is a good way to use your time and talent that Jesus tells us to use. Please call Lori Classen at 402-920-0388 if you have any questions or would like to help out.

HSF SCHOOL NEWS & SPORTS

School News

Mon, 08/17: *8 AM-HS/GS Mass Tues, 08/18: *8 AM-GS Mass Wed, 08/19: *8 AM-GS Mass Thurs, 08/20: *8 AM-GS Mass

Fri, 08/21: *Cafeteria Payments Due

Sports News

No Sports News

HOME & SCHOOL FUNDRAISER—MICHAEL WEGENER

IMPLEMENT AUCTION: On Thursday, August 27, Home & School will be working the concession stand to raise money for HSF. Please prayerfully consider donating your time, talent or treasure by working a shift, baking bars or brownies or donating money to help make our fundraiser a success! Call or text Crystal Ott (402-920-0756) or Jenna Olmer (402-920-3176) to sign up.

SIGN UP TODAY!

HSF NEEDS YOUR HELP!!

The cafeteria needs volunteers to serve lunch to the students on one or more of the following days:

- the second Monday of every month
- the second Tuesday of every month,
- The second Wednesday of the every month,
- the fourth Wednesday of every month.

If you can help the school in this way, please call Karen at the parish office at 402-923-0913.

LUNCH MENU & VOLUNTEERS

Mon, 08/17: Chinese orange chicken, rice/noodles,

peas & carrots, fruit

Tues, 08/18: pulled pork on a bun, baked beans, fruit Wed, 08/19: spaghetti & meat sauce, dinner bun,

green beans, fruit

Thurs, 08/20: shepherd's pie, corn, dinner bun, fruit Fri, 08/21: chicken nuggets, broccoli, dinner bun, fruit

Served with milk. NO salad bar at this time.

CAFETERIA VOLUNTEERS

Mon, 08/17: National Honor Society
Tues, 08/18: National Honor Society
Wed, 08/19: Bunny Preister, Betty Sueper
Thurs, 08/20: Ann Denkinger, Karen Werner
Fri, 08/21: Betty Sueper, Cathie Fuxa

PLEASE NOTE:

*Please park in the reserved space by multi-purpose room.

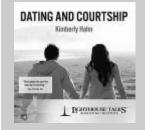
*Due to state health & safety regulations, please **do not** bring your preschool age children with you when volunteering.



<u>UNIFORM CLOSET OPEN!</u>: Located in the old gym of the grade school; a wide variety of items have been donated. If you would like to go through the closet, please call or text Paula Kosch (402-270-3726).

Donations can be dropped off at Paula Kosch's home, the parish office or the school office during office hours.

We want to thank everyone who has donated so far, and please keep the Exchange Closet in mind when your children have outgrown their uniforms!



NEW TO THE KIOSK IN CHURCH THIS WEEK!: Dating & Courtship by Kimberly

Hahn (CD): In this presentation, Kimberly Hahn (wife of Scott Hahn) shares rich insights gained from many years of bible study and her own personal experience as a Christian woman, wife and mother to help those who are dating and courting discern whether they are following God's will. She provides practical advice and encourages setting high standards according to God's ways.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS AUG 22-23

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Wednesday - 8:30 AM-4:00 PM Friday - 8:30 AM-12:00 PM

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School Principal: Andy Bishop

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School Board President: Leon Wiese

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Ladies Guild President: Jeanette Korth

PRE Coordinator: Tami Wiese

Youth Ministry Director: Norma Preister Daycare Director: Michelle Shemek

PARISH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mon, 08/17: *6:30 PM-FFA Family Cookout

Tues, 08/18: *8:30 AM-Midnight-Eucharistic Adoration

Wed, 08/19: *5:30 PM-Open House

*6:30 PM-Family Mass/Picnic

Thurs, 08/20: *8 AM-All-School Mass

FUTURE EVENTS:

Aug. 23: *Bazaar

Aug. 24: *10 AM-K-12 Late Start

*6 PM-VB Jamboree @ HHS

*7:30 PM-FB vs Neligh/Oakdale Aug. 28:

Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." MATTHEW 15:28

Sat. 5:00 PM

Lector-Jim McPhillips

Servers-Cassie Pfeifer, Clara Preister

EMHCs-Marge Arlt

If a deacon is at Mass, no other EMHC is needed. Please wear a mask.

Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers

Sun, 8:00 AM

Lector-Larry Bender

Servers-Tyler Reichmuth, Camron Reichmuth

EMHCs-Joan Pfeifer

If a deacon is at Mass, no other EMHC is needed. Please wear a mask.

Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

Sunday Givii .00 Loose..... School Givin .00 Missions00 Spring Supp .00 Bldg & Imp. .00 Total Collection .00

AUGUST PRAYER CROSS

Bill & Angel Gaspers Ivan & Kathy Gaspers

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

CHURCH CLEANING

Feel free to clean any time except when Mass is being offered and during Eucharistic Adoration. If you are unable to come, please get a substitute.

Laura Wiese Rose Wiese Linda Wiese Tami Wiese Missy Wiese **Tiffany Wiese** Nancy Wiese Tori Wiese



*EWTN VIEWING: Hope: Our Lady of Knock, August 21 at 7:00 PM. This original docudrama presents the historical account of the apparitions at Knock in August 1879, which served as a beacon of hope during times of tremendous suffering for the Irish people.

ST. MICHAEL CHURCH LITURGICAL MINISTERS AUG 23

CONTACTS

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FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Joy Hemmer **President:** Mitch Dohmen Mike Johnson Vice President: Robert Brandl Adam Korth **Secretary:** Mindy Stock Scott Rosenthal Deacon Louis Dohmen

Sun, 10:30 AM

Lector-Richard M. Servers-Jacob, Alex EMHC-Leslie, Kristie If a deacon is at Mass, no other EMHC is needed. Please wear a mask.

Greeters/Gift Bearers-Jim & Deb Krings

Money Counters for August: Mike Johnson, Ben Beltz

Church Cleaning: Tara Korth & Mindy Stock

Helpers: Aspien Dohmen, Lisa Freudenburg,

Joyce Buresh

PARISH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wed, 08/19: *7:30 PM-Rosary by the Grotto

Sun, 09/20: *Fall Festival

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

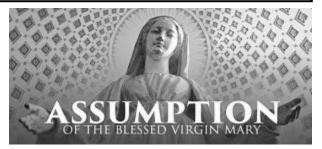
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| Total Collection | AVAILABLE | .00 |

*THANK YOU to those who left a memorial to the Historical Society in memory of Don Schemek.

*PLEASE NOTE: The Fall Festival will be carry-out meals only.

*PRE WILL BEGIN Wednesday, September 9. Please watch for text message updates.

*ROSARY BY THE GROTTO!: Rosary by the Grotto will continue on Wednesdays at 7:30 PM! See you there!



ST. MARY CHURCH

CONTACTS

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PARISH SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wed, 09/09: *Gr. 1-12 PRE Classes Begin

*LIKE AND FOLLOW St. Mary's on Facebook! Just search for "St. Mary's Catholic Church-Leigh, NE".

*CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at http://bit.ly/stmaryleigh for general information and a link to our bulletins.

*TUESDAYS - "DAY OF PRAYER": Everyone is welcome to come to church on Tuesdays, any time from 7:30 AM to 7:30 PM. Come in and spend some quiet time in prayer. Please continue to keep a distance of at least six feet between yourself and others.

*WE NEED YOUR HELP!: We are in need of one or two people to help count collection after the first or third weekend of the month. Please talk to Melissa if you are interested in helping out.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS AUG 23

Sun, 8:30 AM

Lector-Susie Fischer Servers-Sydney Reeves, Daphne Jedlicka

EMHC-Sandy McMullin

If a deacon is at Mass, no other EMHC is needed. Please wear a mask.

Gift Bearers-No Gift Bearers Rosary-Barb Ehlers

WEEKLY COLLECTION REPORT

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| Adults | | |
| Plate | \$ | 190.00 |
| Air Conditioning | \$ | 75.00 |
| Total Collection | \$ | 515.00 |
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CLUSTER PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

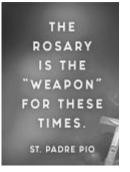
CHECK OUT THIS PAGE EVERY WEEK TO SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR PARISHES, THE SURROUNDING PARISHES, SNIPITS FROM FR. OLSEN, FR. WAYNE & MORE!

*ROSARY BY THE GROTTO: Come join us in praying the rosary Wednesday evenings at 7:30 PM at St. Michael Church in Tarnov! Everyone from all surrounding parishes are welcome to join us!

*IHANK YOU FROM THE DIAPER BRIGADE: Thank you for all of the

tremendous donations of T-shirts and sheets! At this time our warehouse is FULL. We will STOP taking these items at this time and possibly resume again in the spring.

Thank you! ~Georgia Hunsley, Chairman





THE CHALLENGE OF **STEWARDSHIP**

Every day we are called by Christ to respond in some way. The more practice we have at giving of ourselves freely and living in His presence. hear the call, the choice is ours: will we respond free will. However, our response speaks much to where we are in our maturity of faith. When we were children, the word "no" used to be as we get older, well, that says something about where we are in our walk with the Lord. If we truly are disciples of Jesus Christ and are "yes." We are not required to say yes, but we say yes because that is who we have become.

This is the challenge of a stewardship way of life. Have we matured enough to say yes when may cost us? What matters more to us: what it will cost us or our relationship with Jesus? grace and love he gives us will be plenty to see ourselves. However, we are imperfect beings and there will be days when we are more into ourselves than him. It is on those days that we find ourselves at a true crossroads of a our faith will be strong enough. His call is never for his own sake. He calls us because the world he created and the Church he instituted need



SUNDAY READINGS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

1st Reading: Is 56:1, 6-7 Resp. Psalm: Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 2nd Reading: Rom 11:13-15, 29-32

Gospel: Mt 15:21-28

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

1st Reading: Is 22:19-23 Resp. Psalm: Ps 138:1--3, 6, 8 2nd Reading: Rom 11:33-36

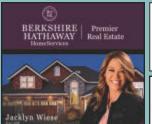
Gospel: Mt 16:13-20



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