Holy Family Parish June 16

Happy Father's Day

Plant Project

9 and 10 are asked to work the Plant Project on <u>Tuesday</u> morning and afternoon. Come work with your fellow parishioners on this worthwhile project.

Office Hours

Parish office will be closed Monday through Wednesday this week. Sheri will be in the office Thursday 8:30-4:00 and Ann will be in the office Friday morning.

School Board & Finance Committee

Holy Family Elementary is looking for 2 male parishioners to run for the school board in June. The finance committee is in need of one new member. New terms start in July of 2024. Please call the parish office (402) 428-2455 if you are interested - leave a message if no one is available.

Guild News

Pre-Bazaar Meeting for Leaders & Co-Leaders will be Monday, June 17th at 6:30pm in the Project Center. We will give you the book assignments that night. Please make sure to attend in order for our bazaar to be a success.

Red Cross Blood Drive

Holy Family will be hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, June 18th from 9:00-2:45 at the town hall. Please call/text Kristin Catterson at 402-340-9985 to make an appointment.

Celebration

Please join us in celebrating Fr Stan's 30th anniversary of Priestly Ordination on Sunday, June 23rd at St Francis Parish Hall starting at 1PM.

Week day Masses

There will be no weekday Masses or Adoration June 24-28 or July 1-3 as Fr Stan will be on vacation and the church will be undergoing renovation.

EMHC & Lector formation

If you are interested in becoming a lector or EMHC, please contact the Parish office. Formation classes will be online and must be completed by September 1.

Collection Report June 9				
Sunday Giving	980.24			
School Support	565.00			
Children's	77.00			
Bldg & Improve	20.00			
Loose	257.00			
Total	1899.24			

Abortion Related Initiatives

Currently, there are three abortion-related ballot initiatives collecting signatures to be included on the November general election ballot.

- 1. The pro-abortion initiative is an attempt to legalize late-pregnancy abortion in Nebraska and must be defeated.
- 2. Protect Women and Children is a pro-life response to the pro-abortion initiative. It would enshrine protection of unborn babies in the second and third trimesters into the Nebraska constitution. The three Bishops of Nebraska through the Nebraska Catholic Conference state it is morally permissible for Nebraskans to support this initiative.
- 3. Choose Life Now was recently launched and seeks to provide protection in the state constitution for unborn children from the moment of conception. The Nebraska Catholic Conference does not discourage support of the Choose Life Now ballot initiative but its focus remains on urging Nebraskans to oppose and defeat the pro-abortion initiative proposal.

The Nebraska Catholic Conference's website also has more information. (necatholic.org)