

Mass Schedule

Monday	October 19
7:15 a.m.	Marian - Communion Service
Tuesday	October 20
6:00 p.m.	Marian - Foland Children
Wednesday	October 21
9:00 a.m.	PC Chapel - Poor Souls
6:00 p.m.	Marian - Aggie Kunzman
Thursday	October 22
7:15 a.m.	Marian - Berglund Family
Friday	October 23
9:00 a.m.	GSV - Fr. Jake Bauer
Saturday	October 24
5:00 p.m.	Church - Judy Bowker
5:00 p.m.	St. Bridget's - Mike Hudson
Sunday	October 25
8:00 a.m.	Church - Leona Reynolds
9:00 a.m.	St. Bridget's - People of the Parish
10:00 a.m.	Church - People of the Parish

PASTORS' NOTES

This week the whole Catholic Church celebrates World Mission Sunday. It is an occasion for all of us to remind ourselves of the mandate Jesus gave to all his followers - to be messengers of the Gospel at all times. Where do we stand?

Lector workbooks will be available in the parish center office and at the entrance of church. If you are a lector please pick up your copy.

Confirmation Class will be this Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. In the parish center library.

St. Maximilian Kolbe/Spirit Catholic Radio of Alliance will be selling 4 raffle tickets to the Nebraska Huskers football game against Northwestern on October 24th at Memorial Stadium. Raffle tickets cost \$2.00/ ticket or \$10.00 for 6 tickets. If you are interested please call Renee Kollars at 762-9653 or Karen Benzel at 760-7875.

Drawing will be held October 19th.

Prayer Shawl Ministry - Knitters and Crocheters wanted! The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets once a month; the shawls are made with prayer and given to persons in the community whose circumstances warrant this tangible sign that others are praying for them. Contact Virginia Carr at 762 4454.



RCIA sessions meet **Thursday evenings at 7p.m. at the Parish Center Library, 1104 Cheyenne.** (Please use the west entrance from the parking lot.) All are welcome!

RCIA 10/22/15: Jesus, Son of God; Presenter: Bob Stout

RCIA 10/29/15: The Spirit given through Jesus; Presenter: Larry Snyder

RCIA 11/5/15: Jesus in All Sacramental Actions; Presenter: Natalie Collins

For more information contact Natalie at 762-7135 or e-mail dncollins@centurylink.net.

Mission, Family Life and Stewardship

Committees are collecting canned and dry food for the Christmas Baskets during the month of November until December 20th. More than 350 families in Alliance were able to enjoy the season. Please help fill the green wheelbarrow in the church's entrance. Volunteers after the 10 am mass to carry the food over to the Lyceum are appreciated. Thank you for your help!!

200 CLUB WINNERS! Congratulations to the following winners: \$200 to Jill Alcorn of Rushville; \$100 to Sophia Custer of Ceresco; \$50 each to the following Mike Friesz, Mark Glesinger, Jack Todd, Melody Heitz, Peg Romick, Mark Placek, Tom Cyza.

The Family Life Committee is in need of a co-leader with Theresa Dykes. Please call Theresa at 760-1122 or the parish center 762-2009 if you would like to serve on this committee.

Thomas Merton and Proven Spiritual Tools of the Monastic Tradition, October 30 – 31, retreat at *St. Benedict Center* with *Sister Mary Margaret Funk, OSB*, from Beech Grove, IN. *Thomas Merton's 100th birthday* would have been in 2015. This weekend, we will pause in our journey to celebrate Merton's legacy and how teachings from the monastic tradition are thriving today. Friday night will be a tribute to Thomas Merton focusing on his book, *Conjectures of a Guilty Bystander*. On Saturday, we will retrieve, reclaim and re-appropriate the desert contemplative tradition. Thoughts matter: We will be introduced to *The Matter Series*. Finally, we will ponder Merton's wisdom: What would he do today in 2015? Sr. Meg will facilitate a lively audience response to her presentations. Start Friday, 7:30 PM. Concludes with Mass on Saturday, 4:00 PM For more information, call (402) 352-8819 or visit www.StBenedictCenter.com

THIS WEEK!!!

SUNDAY	9:00 am	Parish Council Meeting - Lyceum
	4:00 pm	Hispanic Adult Faith Formation - PC Conf Room
	6:30 pm	Confirmation Class - PC Chapel/Library
MONDAY	7:15 am	Communion Service - Marian
	9:30 am	Bible study - PC Chapel/Library
TUESDAY	6:00 pm	Mass- Marian
	6:30 pm	Stewardship Meeting - PC Library
WEDNESDAY	9:00 am	Mass - PC Chapel
	4:00 pm	K-5 Grade Faith Formation - PC
	6:00 pm	Mass - Marian
	6:30 pm	Liturgy Committee Meeting - Marian
THURSDAY	7:00 pm	6-8 Grade Youth Group/ 9-10 Grade Faith Formation - PC
	7:15 am	Mass- Marian
	7:00 pm	RCIA - PC Chapel/Library
FRIDAY	9:00 am	Mass - GSV
SATURDAY	9:00 am	“To Jesus Through Mary” Rosary Group - Marian Residence

The olive wood crosses made in Israel that are for sale by the Knights of Columbus, used to raise funds for persecuted Christians in Syria, Iraq and other areas, will be available after masses next week on October 26th and 27th.

Holy Rosary Parish will be honoring Our Lady during the month of October by praying the rosary before each Mass. We just ask that all volunteers begin at 20-25 minutes till the hour. We would like to see more of the faithful join in and honor Our Mother, Mary.

Also, the traveling “Our Lady of Fatima” statue is available for any person or family by calling Renee Kollars at 762 9653. This is a great way to pray the rosary together as a family and to pray for the family. The statue is very beautiful and can sit nicely in a prominent spot in anyone’s home while praying the rosary.

Magnificat Brunch - Sat. Nov 14, Holy Rosary Lyceum. 9 am to noon. Dr. Clare Ten Eyck, Featured Speaker, is a licensed professional counselor. She earned a Master’s Degree and a Doctorate in Educational Psychology and Counseling from the University of South Dakota. She has practiced as a counselor since 1985. From the beginning she looked at psychology through the eyeglasses of theology. This gave her a unique perspective on how psychological wellbeing effect spiritual life and growth. This perspective has made her a popular speaker in both the community and professional settings. Send check or money order for \$10.00 to Candis Jones 1039 Mississippi Ave., Alliance or Teresa Nelson 1044 Yellowstone Ave, Alliance. Reservations required. Questions contact: Teresa Nelson at 762-1368 or 760-3070 or Candis Jones at 762 5103

In need of an adult to volunteer to help with youth group. They do not need to help every week. If I can get enough volunteers they only have to do it once. Also if I can get volunteers to provide treats for youth groups. They can contact Anita at 760-9021 or call the parish center. There will be youth group this week for 6-8 grades.

**2015 Diocesan Annual Appeal
(Goal \$50,101.00)**

AMOUNT PLEDGED TO DATE	\$24,780.00
AMOUNT RECEIVED TO DATE	\$23,508.00



COLLECTION OF OCTOBER 11, 2015

ADULT	\$ 9,637.00
YOUTH	\$ 34.00
PLATE	\$ 343.75
CANDLES	\$ 47.00
BUILDING	\$ 308.33
TOTAL	\$ 10,370.08
MISSIONS	\$ 20.00
ANNUAL APPEAL	\$ 528.52
WNR	\$ 40.00
WORLD MISSIONS	\$ 10.00
2014-2015 WEEKLY BUDGET	\$ 12,684.00
AMOUNT NEEDED YTD	\$ 190,260.00
ACTUAL AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD	\$ 139,245.93