



# Mass Schedule

◆ <b>Monday</b>	<b>February 27</b>
◆ 7:15 a.m.	Marian - Robert Culwell
◆ <b>Tuesday</b>	<b>February 28</b>
◆ 7:15 a.m.	Marian - Communion Service
◆ <b>Wednesday</b>	<b>February 29</b>
◆ 9:00 a.m.	PC Chapel - Foland Children
◆ 6:00 p.m.	Marian - Pat & Marcella O'Connor
◆ <b>Thursday</b>	<b>March 1</b>
◆ 7:15 a.m.	Marian - John Wernke
◆ <b>Friday</b>	<b>March 2</b>
◆ 7:15 a.m.	Marian - Theresa Holubar
◆ <b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 3</b>
◆ 5:00 p.m.	Church - Rose Downey
◆ 7:00 p.m.	St. Bridget's - Beverly Delsing
◆ <b>Sunday</b>	<b>March 4</b>
◆ 8:00 a.m.	Church - Bill & Maralee Rischling
◆ 10:00 a.m.	Church - People of the Parish

◆ **RCIA**—The weekly gatherings of the RCIA process meet at the Parish Center Library/Chapel on Thursday evenings beginning at 7 p.m. Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic Church is welcome, whether for inquiry into joining the Church or for enrichment and knowledge of the faith. Call Ellen at the Parish Center, 762-2009 for more information.

◆ March 1...Topic: Holy Orders...Fr. Lou

◆ March 8...Topic: Social Justice and Catholic Identity...RCIA Team

◆ March 15...Topic: Jesus' Mother & Ours: Mary...Sr. Sarah Manchester

◆ March 18...Second Scrutiny... 8 a.m. Mass

◆ March 22...Topic: Jesus: Danger to Church & State...Jill Hoelsing

◆ *Thank you, parish community, for your constant prayers for those involved in our RCIA process.*

◆ **HISPANIC MINISTRY.** Formacion en la Fe para adultos, el domingo 26 de febrero a las 4 de la tarde en la sala de conferencias del Centro Parroquial. "Cuaresma: Regresemos a Dios", reflexiones bilingues para ayudarles como familia a vivir este tiempo de gracia.

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

In today's Gospel, Jesus urges his listeners to do two things: to believe in the Good News and to repent. The steward is called to repent: to acquire an openness to begin anew, to change existing attitudes and habits, and to act with faith in the Gospel. In this season of Lent, now is the time to ask ourselves whether or not we truly believe in the Gospel; and if we do, to what extent are we willing to change our prevailing habits and be more faithful to the Gospel?

**Congratulations** to Jeffrey & Kristal (Richmeier) Englehaupt on the Baptism of their son, Blake Crower on February 19 at Holy Rosary.

**THANK YOU** to all from Holy Rosary who attended the First Annual Friends and Sweethearts Dinner, participated in the silent auction and made donations that will benefit our "Bricks and Mortar" Building Repair Project. It was wonderful to have you join us! We appreciate your participation and support!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the following 200 Club winners! \$200.00 Bob Jatzak, \$100.00 Sisters at Marian, \$50.00 each to Mark Placek, Kate Horton, Lucille Kooper, Jean Kunzman of Lincoln, Mike Essay Jr., Eileen Zochol, and Tom Broad of Texas.

**May the Blessings of the Lord** be upon Ellen Lierk, Donna Essay, James Girard, Debbie Miller, Shari Harris, and Mary Wernke who are visiting our sister parish in Limbe, Haiti.

We have been twinned with St. Peter's in Limbe, Haiti since 1982. What a blessing to celebrate our 30th anniversary with a trip that will personally show the love and concern we have for our sisters and brothers in Haiti! Please keep this mission trip in your prayers.

**Project Andrew Dinner** at Scottsbluff on Sunday, March 18th @ 4:00 p.m. to be held at the KC Hall. For Juniors and Seniors in High School to visit with the Bishop and priests of the area and to ask questions about priesthood. **Please note change of date!**

**St. Agnes Academy of Alliance, NE** is currently seeking a dynamic, faith filled PreK-8 principal for the 2012-2013 school year. Screening begins March 15. Interested applicants send application letter, resume and credential file to:  
St. Agnes Academy  
Attn: Search Committee  
1104 Cheyenne Ave.  
Alliance NE 69301

**Training for new Eucharistic Ministers** will be held after the 8 a.m. mass next Sunday, March 4th in Church. Contact Deb Herman 762-6366 for more information.

**Lenten Lunch Donations:** Holy Rosary will host the community Lenten Lunch on Thursday, March 8. Fr. Lou will be the speaker. Thanks to Judy Paradeis and her committee for organizing this event. If you would like to help us that day contact Judy or Ellen Lierk. Please, sign the poster in the vestibule of the church if you can donate items for this meal and bring them to the parish center by March 7 or to the Lyceum early on the 8th. Thank you in advance for your generosity. Attending these luncheons is a good way to observe Lent with our fellow Christians in the community. Hope to see you there. Let's share our gift of hospitality!

**THIS WEEK**  
**SUNDAY - TODAY**  
**WEDNESDAY**

6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class - PC Chapel/Library

9:30 a.m. Scripture Study

**NO FAITH FORMATION CLASSES - SPRING BREAK**

**THURSDAY**

12:00 p.m. noon Lenten Lunch - St. Matthews Episcopal Church

7:00 p.m. RCIA - PC Library/Chapel

**FRIDAY**

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross - Church

**SATURDAY**

9:00 a.m. "To Jesus through Mary Rosary Group" at Marian Chapel

**NEXT SUNDAY**

2:00 p.m. Adoration of Blessed Sacrament - Church

## LIVING OUR FAITH... SHARING OUR GIFTS... TOGETHER

### 2012 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

We hope that every family will consider a gift of time, talent and treasure to the annual Diocesan Stewardship Appeal,

*Living Our Faith, Sharing Our Gifts ... Together.*

Thank you to all who have already made a gift in support of the work and mission of the Church in our Diocese. Your generosity enables us to work together to grow in our Catholic faith.

Remember that once our parish reaches its goal, all monies raised above this amount may either stay in the parish for any local need or we may send a portion to help parishes unable to meet their goal.



**Lenten lunches** sponsored by the Alliance Ministerial Association will be Thursday, March 1st at noon at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church with Pastor Walt Cline presenting. Lunch is \$5.00 Please join us for this ecumenical gathering.

**Rest in Peace** Lori Rosane, daughter of Herta Kosmicki. Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her!

**The Fransiscan Associates** will meet at 2:45 p.m. on Monday, March 5th, at the Marian Residence.

#### A Prayer for the People of Haiti

Out of the depths we cry to You, O God.

We cry to You for our Haitian sisters and brothers.

We thank you for upholding them in their suffering.

Give them continuing strength and comfort.

Give us love and courage to stand with them and work with them as they struggle for justice and freedom.

Keep us committed to the truth and empower us with your Spirit of love.

- a love that always sees possibilities for peace founded with justice;

- a love that seeks justice without vengeance and retaliation;

- a love that reaches out to enemies, as Jesus taught us.

We trust in your continuing mercy as we bring to You our own

desire to be in active solidarity with our Haitian brothers and

sisters. O Holy Spirit descend on us; we have a mission for Haiti.

Amen.

#### 2012 DIOCESAN APPEAL

DIOCESAN APPEAL PARISH GOAL \$ 45,974.00

AMOUNT PLEDGED AS OF 2/19/2012 \$ 11,898.00

AMOUNT RECEIVED AS OF 2/19/2012 \$ 8,926.00

**No faith formation classes** this Wednesday, Feb. 29<sup>th</sup>, due to Spring Break.

**Stations of the Cross:** As part of your Lenten devotions, please join us in praying the Stations of the Cross each Friday evening during Lent at the church at 7 p.m. This traditional prayer of the Church is a beautiful way to meditate on Christ's love for us. "The Way of the Cross According to Mark" will be used this year as the basis of our prayer of the journey of the cross, a journey to new life.

## **Collections**

COLLECTION OF FEBRUARY 19, 2012

ADULT	\$	9,802.00
YOUTH	\$	45.00
PLATE	\$	435.31
CANDLES	\$	59.00
BUILDING FUND	\$	100.00
CEMETERY	\$	300.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,741.31</b>
HAITI	\$	6.00
EASTERN EUROPE	\$	5.00
2011 ANNUAL APPEAL	\$	62.50

2011-2012 WEEKLY BUDGET GOAL \$ 10,999.00

AMOUNT NEEDED YTD: \$ 373,966.00

ACTUAL AMOUNT RECEIVED YTD \$ 360,030.66