

March 20, 2022 Third Sunday Of Lent



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Masses

Church - 96th & Q

Sat 5:00pm

Sun 8:00am, 10:00am and 12 Noon

Daily 12:15pm (M-F)

Chapel - 78th & Lakeview St.

Sun 7:00am

Daily (M, T, TH, F) 6:45am

**Wed Mass is currently for school
personnel only*

Daily (Sat) 8:15am

Live Stream: stgerald.org/live

Sat 5pm and Sun 10am

Reconciliation

96th & Q Mon-Fri: 12:00-12:15pm

Sat: 3:00-4:30pm

Lakeview M, T, Th, F: 6:30-6:45am

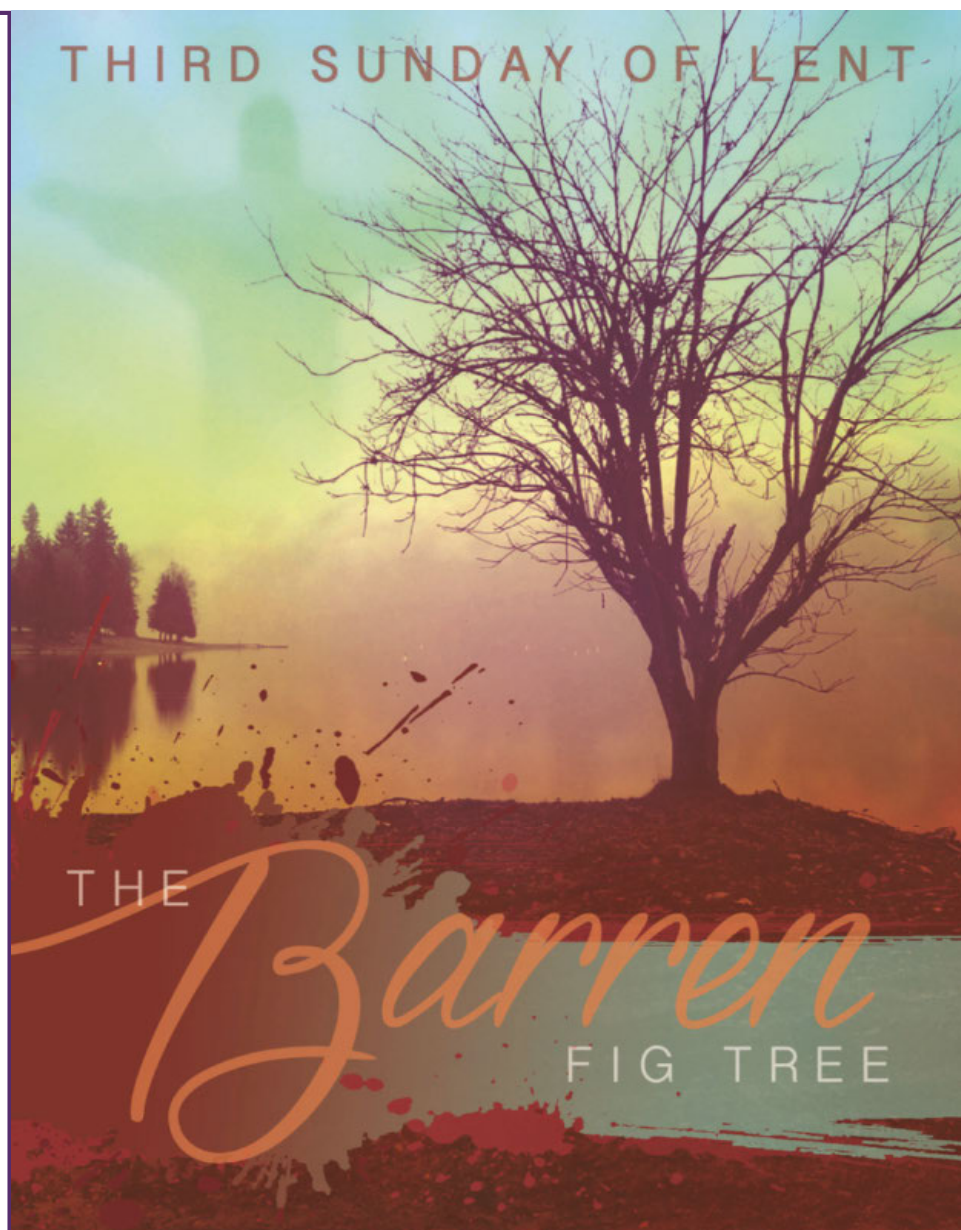
Sat: 8:00-8:15am

Ministry to the Sick

If you, a relative or friend are hospitalized or shut-in (short or long term) please let us know by calling the parish office.

Registration in the Parish

If you attend St. Gerald then it is important that you register. You can do this via the website: stgerald.org. If you have any questions, please contact the business office 402-331-1955.



Parish Office 7859 Lakeview St.

Phone: 402-331-1955

Fax: 402-339-8733

Email: office@stgerald.org

Hours: M-F 7:30am-4pm

Website: www.stgerald.org

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Development Coordinator...John Yochum

Parish Secretary...Connie Farrell

Parish Building Facilitator...Brian Barnes

Volunteer Head Sacristans...

Pat Seier (96th & Q), Judy Morrison (Lakeview)

Baptisms

You must be a registered parishioner and attend a baptism class. This class is held the second Wednesday of every month. A registration form can be found on the website or in the kiosk at church. **The form MUST be completed and turned in the Monday before the Baptism class.** If not turned in by this deadline, you will need to attend the class the following month.

Marriage

According to the Archdiocesan guidelines and to ensure adequate preparation for this very important Sacrament, **you must make arrangements at least six (6) months ahead of the Marriage date.** Please complete the registration form found on our website. Special instructions are required for any Catholic party under 19 years of age. No date can be set for this marriage. A Civil Marriage License should be obtained two weeks in advance of marriage. **To set a wedding date here at St. Gerald Catholic Church, you must be a registered parishioner.**

Family Formation: K-8

Children of the parish are supplied with Family Formation either in our 5-day school or in our Family Formation Program. Regular and sustained Family Formation is a life-long process. Parental support at home for their children's religious formation includes attendance at the Sunday Eucharist, prayer at home, and support of the catechetical program of their choice. Parishioners who homeschool are encouraged to visit with the Family Formation Director about their children's preparations for the sacraments.

Victim Assistance

To report sexual abuse by any member of the clergy or an archdiocesan employee: go to www.archomaha.org/safe-environment/victim-assistance or contact Mary Beth Hanus at 402-827-3798 or mbhanus@archomaha.org



Prayer Gathering
Oasis

REST - WORSHIP - HEALING

St. Gerald Church, 96th and Q
Wed, Mar 23, 7pm
Sun, April 24, 3pm
Wed, May 18, 7pm



for more info:
go to stgerald.org/oasis
or text "OasisPrayer"
to 84576

School of Prayer

In Lk. 11:1 one of Jesus's disciples said, **"Lord, teach us how to pray just as John taught his disciples."** If you would like to know how you can know the Lord more personally, then please join Fr. Mark **Saturday, April 2nd at 9am at the Lakeview Chapel.**

Please bring your journal and pen.

Confession Times During Lent 96th & Q

Mon - Fri 11:45am-12:15pm
Saturdays: 3-4:45pm

Mon April 11: 7-8pm
Tues April 12: 7-8pm
Wed April 13: 7-8pm



**Sunday, April 3
2pm
96th & Q**

ALL ARE INVITED
to our Parish Lenten
Penance Service.

Experience the loving mercy of
God.

Do you have one hour a week to spend with Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist?

We have an opening for a Perpetual Adorer for the following time:

Wednesdays at 3pm

If you are available to fill this time,
you may sign up at:

<https://adorationpro.org/geraldne>.

It is a weekly commitment or email
us at:

stgperpetualadorer@gmail.com.

Questions?
Call Mary at
402-320-0047 for
more information.



**UKRAINE
RELIEF**

As a worldwide community, we are heartbroken about the situation in Ukraine/Russia. **A prayer effort is spreading around the world and the time designated for the United States is 7 PM.** Pope Francis has asked the world-wide church to pray for world peace and an end to the war in Ukraine. **He encourages all of us to set an alarm for 7 PM each evening and take a minute for prayer.**

We will be taking a second collection next weekend, March 26/27 for Ukraine. Your donation will allow the faithful to give critical and timely humanitarian aid to the victims of the war in Ukraine. For more details you can visit archomaha.org.

Women's Quilting and Sewing Group

Join us Monday, March 21 for fellowship and creativity. We meet at St. Gerald's Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q from 6-9:30pm.

We have a short meeting and show/share at 6:30, then you can sew on your own projects or work on one of the donation kits (pillowcases, fleece hats, walker totes, lap quilts) we have. This month we are having a teaching demo. Would love to see you join us.



Any questions, Gwenn 402-339-6482.



The following entered the Catholic faith and our parish community through Baptism.

Welcome to the Christian community!
Elijah Favor Boene



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Enjoy a cup each morning as you support IXIM and our parish St. Vincent de Paul Society. IXIM represents SPIRIT OF SOLIDARITY, an archdiocesan Guatemalan mission program. This program is partnering with Knights of Columbus across the Archdiocese of Omaha to support programs that ensure clean water, fund Catholic education, improve health and welfare, and strengthen the Church in our sister diocese in Huehuetenango, Guatemala. This is high quality coffee, packaged by Pears, direct from our sister diocese. The Knights will split all profits from sales to support the work of IXIM and our own St. Vincent de Paul.

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April 2-3

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- 32 oz bag of ground coffee - \$16.00
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We Adore You O Christ and We Praise You, Because by Your Holy Cross You Have Redeemed the World

40 Hours of Adoration will be held during Holy Week, from Monday, April 11 at 1pm through Wednesday, April 13 at 11:45am in the 96th and Q West Chapel. Come and spend an hour with Our Lord during this Holy Season! We are especially in need of nighttime adorers.

You can sign-up via this LINK:

www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4BA8A723AAFEC52-40hours

Questions? Contact:

Mary Palandri - stgperpetualadorer@gmail.com Cell: (402) 320 0047

Barb Hauptman - bjhauptman@cox.net Cell: (402) 676-3172 Home: (402) 734-4995

Paula Szczepaniak - paulasz62@yahoo.com Cell: (402) 881-6717



Stations of the Cross

Join us on Fridays following the 12:15pm Mass and at 6pm
96th & Q

(Live Stream will be available after the 12:15pm Masses)

Good Friday: Stations are at noon



**St. Gerald Knights
Council 9518
FRIDAY FISH DINNERS
St. Gerald 96th & Q**



Join us on Friday Nights of Lent thru April 8th from 4-7pm. Drive Thru, Carry Out and Seating Inside the Fellowship Hall.

MENU 2022

3pc Baked Cod Meal*	\$12
2pc Baked Cod Meal*	\$10
Extra Piece of Fish with Meal	\$2
Mac & Cheese (3 scoops) + Potato Wedges	\$5
Mac & Cheese (2 scoops)	\$3
2 slices of Pizza + Potato Wedges	\$5
1 slice of Pizza	\$2
Soda or Bottled Water	\$1
Carryout & Drive-up Fish Meal	\$12



*Meal includes baked cod, mac & cheese, potatoes (baked or wedges), green beans, coleslaw, bread. Desserts available for purchase to support parish organizations.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

SAVE THE DATE Our next blood drive will be on Saturday June 4th, from 7am until Noon in the Fellowship Hall. You can sign up for our drive online now redcrossblood.org or you can call Bob Ryba 402-331-2125 or Verl Squire 402-541-3112. We will begin calling in April.



Sunday Giving Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

	February 2022	Year To Date	Budget YTD	Variance
ACH	\$50,083.92	\$418,099.94	\$404,600.00	\$13,499.94
Online Giving	\$19,518.44	\$174,173.17	\$169,632.00	\$4,541.17
Envelopes Received	\$45,897.52	\$432,464.14	\$488,376.00	-\$55,911.86
Cash Received	\$4,667.10	\$36,272.39	\$16,666.00	\$19,606.39
Christmas	\$20.00	\$71,341.10	\$75,000.00	-\$3,658.90
Easter	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
Donations	\$34,075.00	\$94,587.76	\$52,666.00	\$41,921.76
	\$154,261.98	\$1,227,238.50	\$1,206,940.00	\$20,298.50

*ACH taken on 5th and 20th of the month

Have you walked through our parish doors and felt "at home"? Register today and join our amazing FAMILY!! To register please visit our website: stgerald.org Questions, call the parish office.



ST GERALD SCHOOL

April 1 - No School



Please join us **Wednesday, March 23rd** for our **St. Gerald Family Night Out at Don & Millie's** (8405 Q St) from 4-9pm. St. Gerald School will receive a percentage of the total dollars purchased during the evening. Be sure to let them know that you are with St. Gerald School when ordering.



Planning on doing some spring cleaning? **St. Gerald School is Kicking Off 2022 with a Shoe Drive starting February 28th.**

Bring your gently used soles!

Drop-off bins are located at the entryway in the school or in the back of the church at 96th & Q. Email Amber at stgeraldhomeandschool@gmail.com with questions. Donations will be accepted until May 13th.



Rest In Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Chuck Kensinger. May his soul and all of the souls of the faithfully departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS AND SEMINARIANS Monday, March 21st at St. Robert Bellarmine in Omaha



The Serra Club of West Omaha invites all the faithful to join us for a special *Holy Hour for Priests and Seminarians* on Monday, March 21, at St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church (11802 Pacific Street). Join us in the Narthex at 6:00pm for a Welcome Reception and at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary for the Holy Hour. The Presider will be Fr. Frank Baumert, Sr. Associate Pastor of St. Thomas More and St. Joan of Arc, and Chaplain of the Serra Club of West Omaha. During the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, together we will pray a Rosary for Priests and Seminarians, followed by the Litany for Priests. We will spend time in silent adoration as we pray for all our Priests and Seminarians who are part of the Archdiocese of Omaha. As our Archdiocese faces a shortage of priests amid a challenging time for our Catholic Church and our culture at-large, now more than ever, we need to support our Priests and Seminarians with

fervent and ongoing prayer. Please show your support and invite your family, children, youth, friends, and neighbors to join us. Let's fill the church! For questions, contact us at westomaha@serrainternational.org. All are welcome!



Easter Flower Memorial: A \$15 donation for flowers is a symbolic way of remembering loved ones who have entered a new life with the Lord. Names will be published in the April 24th bulletin. **Deadline for the flower fund is April 10.** Please return this form to the business office.

In remembrance of: _____

From: _____

WEEKDAY MASSES FOR MCH 21-26

Mon 3/21	6:45am - Chapel	†John Boland
	12:15pm - Church	†Teeling & Joyce Families
Tues 3/22	6:45am - Chapel	†Mike Fitch
	12:15pm - Church	†Zacary Zagozda
Wed 3/23 <i>**School Personnel Only</i>	8:15am - Chapel	†John Ilboudo
	11:00am Waterford	
	12:15pm - Church	†Cecilia Sokolowski SI Caden Whelan
Thur 3/24	6:45am - Chapel	†Mike Leshner
	12:15pm - Church	†Zena Kolenda
Fri 3/25	6:45am - Chapel	†Aniela Ilboudo
	12:15pm - Church	†Rob Hauptman
Sat 3/26	8:15am - Chapel	†Alan Fochek

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Sat 3/26	4:00pm - Chapel	Byzantine Liturgy	
	5:00pm - Church	Fr. Mark	†Carrie DeSantiago †Jalanita Briseno †Deacon Tom Valasek
Sun 3/27	7:00am - Chapel	Fr. Mark	St. Gerald Parishioners
	8:00am - Church	Fr. Knecht	†Juanita Luna
	10:00am - Church	Fr. Knecht	†Sandy Gahan †Frank Centarri
	12:00pm - Church	Fr. Mark	†Joan Ramaekers



Knights Corner

Join the Knights
by visiting
www.kofc.org/join

Fridays During Lent: Fish Dinners
4-7pm

Mch 31: General Mtg. Mass at 7pm
96th & Q. All welcome, followed by
General Knights meeting

Apr 2/3: IXIM Coffee Sales, 96th & Q



Next week we will participate in the collection for Catholic Relief Services. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Please give generously to the collection and **reveal Christ's Love** to those most in need. Learn more about this collection at usccb.org/catholic-relief.

Please see your March envelope mailing for your donation envelope.

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Waterford, on 108th & Q St., at 10:00AM, prior to 11AM Mass on Wednesday. They will be praying the Rosary and DM Chaplet with residents. Please contact: joholloway@cox.net or call 402-690-9551

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