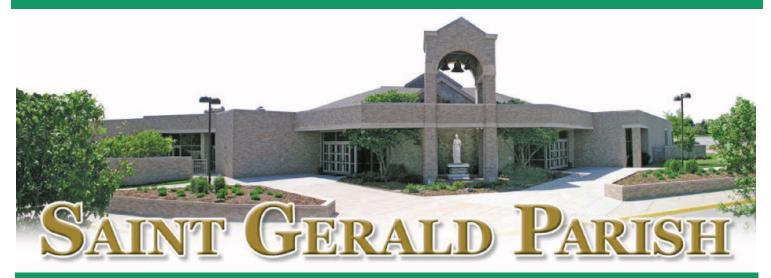
November 13, 2022 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



SAINT GERALD CHURCH 9602 Q ST.-OMAHA, NE 68127 LAKEVIEW CHAPEL 7859 LAKEVIEW ST.-RALSTON, NE 68127 WWW.STGERALD.ORG ENCOUNTERING JESUS - MAKING DISCIPLES - TRANSFORMING LIVES

<u>Masses</u> Church - 96th & Q Sat 5:00pm Sun 8:00am, 10:00am and 12 Noon

Daily 12:15pm (Mon-Fri)

Chapel - 78th & Lakeview St. Sun 7:00am Daily (M, T, Th, F) 6:45am Daily (Wednesdays) 8:15am **School Mass Daily (Sat) 8:15am

Live Stream: <u>stgerald.org/live</u> Sat 5pm and Sun 10am

<u>Reconciliation</u> 96th & Q Mon-Fri: 12:00-12:15pm Sat: 3:00-4:30pm Lakeview M, T, Th, F: 6:30-6:45am Wed: 8:00-8:15am Sat: 8:00-8:15am

<u>Ministry to the Sick</u> If you, a relative or friend are hospitalized or shut-in (short or long term) please let us know by calling the parish office.

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



33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed." - Lk 21:16-18 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 School 7857 Lakeview St. 402-331-4223 Pastor...Fr. Mark Nolte Associate Pastor...Fr. Marcus Knecht Deacons & their Wives Fred & Marie Abboud George & Deb Butterfield Lonnie & Mary Dinneen Steve & Angie Luna Doug & Carol Marsh Rick & Debby Melrose Wayne & Angie Reed John & Patty True Business Administrator...Sheri Kirk Principal...Christy Keenan Director of Music Ministry...Colleen Jeffrey Coordinator of Evangelization & Discipleship... Coordinator of Evangelization & Discipleship...Jenny Wiswell Coordinator of Evangelization & Discipleship...Deacon George Butterfield Parish/School Accountant...Jim Steele 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/victimassistance or contact Mary Beth Hanus at 402-827-3798 or mbhanus@archomaha.org



Our St. Gerald Alpha Celebration will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 30 from 5:45-7:30pm at the St. Gerald School Gym. Whether you are an Alpha alumni who wants to invite a friend to Alpha or have been curious to learn more about Alpha yourself, you are invited to join in an evening of food, friendship,

and witness from those who finished the Alpha course this fall! Appetizers and dessert will be served!

For questions or to RSVP by Nov. 28, email Jenny at <i>jwiswell@stgerald.org or call the parish office at 402-331-1955.



Many thanks to all who helped make the All Souls Mass on November 2nd so meaningful for families and friends

of lost loved ones this past year.

They include Celebrant Fr. Mark Nolte, assisted by Deacon Rick Melrose; Mass servers Gary Hacker, Denny Koubsky & Joe O'Donnell; Dan Fucinaro and the wonderful St. Gerald Choir: Sacristan Pat Seier for help planning and covering all the details of the Mass; Parish Secretary Connie Farrell for going above and beyond her assigned duties and for sending invitations: Keith Rose for live streaming the Mass to the families that couldn't attend; **Reception hosts Dorothy** Wiebelhaus, Mary Kay Grantski, Judy Morrison and Cheryl Bolin. We are so grateful to all of you.

The St. Gerald Bereavement Ministry



A HUGE thank you to all our childcare volunteers who answered the call to serve in our Alpha ministry this fall. Their YES allowed the women of Bethlehem House and young parents to attend Alpha! Thank you for your generosity and love given to children and for

partnering with us in our mission to bring the love of Christ through Alpha! *If you would like to participate in the childcare ministry in the future, please contact LuAnn Anglo at 402-639-8367*.

St. Gerald Parish Mission Statement:

Led by the Holy Spirit, we are a Catholic community of faith whose primary purpose is to know Jesus, to love Him, and to serve Him in serving others. Sent to make disciples, we invite and welcome everyone to come and share our Master's joy.



Our traditional Angel Tree ministry is once again collecting gifts for families and seniors in

need this Christmas. Angel tags with gift requests will be distributed **next weekend** after all masses. Please consider choosing one or more gifts to brighten the season for someone in need.

Thanks for your generosity!



Legacy Giving

Consider Remembering Your Parish in Your Will.

For further information please call the Parish Office



St. Gerald Knights of Columbus Council 9518 **POULTRY BINGO** Sunday, November 20 Lakeview Parish Center Bingo will begin at 6:30pm



Bingo will be for Turkeys, Prizes and Money. Doors open at 5:30pm for refreshments (*No outside food permitted*).

Proceeds will go to scholarships for St. Gerald 8th graders attending Catholic High School and stipends to Seminarians.



The food drive benefiting Catholic Charities is the weekend of November 19th and 20th. Please bring your food donation items in either a paper or plastic bag to any Mass that weekend, You can also drop off items at the Church the

morning of Sunday, November 20th or at any time before 12:00pm. If you forget food that day, cash donations are also appreciated and welcome. *If making a monetary donation, please make checks payable to Catholic Charities.*

This is an effort in collaboration with Catholic Charites and our Knights of Columbus Council, 9518. These items will support the Juan Diego and St. Martin de Porres pantries.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Items Needed:

Baby Formula, Canned Beans, Canned Corn, Canned Fruits & Veggies, Canned Meats, Canned Soups, Cereal, Dry Beans, Dry Rice, Jelly, Juice, Mac-n-Cheese, Pasta, Peanut Butter, Snack Foods, Tomato Sauce

Adult Diapers, Adult Coloring Books/Crayons/Colored Pencils, Crossword Books, Jigsaw Puzzles, Memory Games, Paint by Number Kits, Prayer Pamphlets, Word Search Books, Yarn

Air Fresheners, Baby Wipes, Blankets, Cleaning Supplies, Kids' Diapers (sz 4-5-6), Pull-ups, Dishwasher Detergent, Dog Food, Feminine Products, Hand Sanitizers, Hygiene Products, Laundry Detergent, Paper Towels, Toiletries, Toilet Paper



Please join us Sunday, November 20th at 96th & Q from 4-5:30 for a special Ablaze for Kids! Experience the Holy Spirit through praise and worship with Fr. Michael Voithofer. An event for the whole family!



2023 Church calendars are available in the back of church.

Feel free to take 1 per family.

Friends on Q Senior Social Group Happy Birthday/Anniversary Party Wed, Nov 16, 6pm (doors open at 5:30) Fellowship Hall at 96 & Q

Lasagna dinner and of course birthday cupcakes!

Since we are celebrating your birthday and the anniversary of *Friends on Q* there is no charge for members for this event. Non-members - \$5.00.

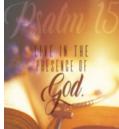
Members and non-members, must make a reservation by Nov 14. Drop an envelope marked FOQ in the collection basket with your name(s) and \$5.00 if a non-member or call Alice at 402-496-4526 or Pat at 402-659-6676.



St. Gerald's Annual Fiscal Year-End Report is now on the Homepage of our website. You can find this report at stgerald.org/finance

	October 2022	Year To Date	Budget YTD	Variance
АСН	\$54,075.39	\$219,010.96	\$219,503.00	-\$492.04
Online Giving	\$20,938.00	\$81,892.80	\$84,816.00	-\$2,923.20
Envelopes Received	\$59,543.50	\$210,441.78	\$225,646.00	-\$15,204.22
Cash Received	\$6,351.31	\$24,104.24	\$18,000.00	\$6,104.24
Christmas	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$0.00	\$150.00
Easter	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Donations	\$8,045.00	\$27,105.00	\$50,666.00	-\$23,561.00
	\$149,103.20	\$562,704.78	\$598,631.00	-\$35,926.22

Bulletin Notice deadlines Bulletin notices for Nov. 27th need to be emailed to the office no later than November 15th.



ACH taken on 5th and 20th of the month



"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the best time you will spend on earth. Each moment that you spend with Jesus will deepen your union with Him and make your soul everlasting, more glorious and beautiful in heaven and will bring help about everlasting peace on earth."

St. Teresa of Calcutta

We have an opening available for Perpetual Adorers for: Thursdays at 1pm and 2pm

To sign up, go to <u>adorationpro.org/geraldne</u>, then choose Weekly Commitment

You can also email <u>stgperpetualadorer@gmail.com</u> or call:

Mary 402-320-0047 Paula 402-881-6717 Barb 402-676-3172



HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS & SEMINARIANS 6:30PM on November 21 at St. Gerald

Join the Serra Club of West Omaha for a *Holy Hour for Priests & Seminarians* at St. Gerald 96 & Q beginning with a reception in the Narthex at 6:30PM followed by the Holy Hour at 7:00PM. The Presider will be Father Frank Baumert, Chaplain of the Serra Club of West Omaha.

Prayers for our Priests and Seminarians are especially needed as our Archdiocese faces a shortage of priests amid a challenging time for our Catholic Church and our culture at large. We need to support our Priests and Seminarians with fervent and ongoing prayer, now more than ever. Please show your support and invite your family, friends, and guests to join us! Learn more at <u>serrawestomaha.org</u> and follow us on Facebook @serrawestomaha.



2022 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Your generosity to the Archbishop's Annual

Appeal is a commitment to be a part of the Living Body of Christ.

Please prayerfully consider the gifts you have received and share a portion of your blessings with others during this time. As of Nov. 7th St. Gerald has contributed \$69,345.00 - approximately 52% of our goal (of 134,091.00).



Quilting and Sewing

Join us Monday, Nov. 21st 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 6:30pm, 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. Would love to see you join us! This will be our last meeting of 2022.

Any questions, Gwenn 402-339-6482.



ST GERALD SCHOOL

November 23-25 Thanksgiving Break (No School) November 28 - No School



Are you looking for ways to **Evangelize and share your** love for the Lord? We NEED YOU!!

We are in need of a Family of Faith 4th grade teacher for 9 Catechists needed weeks in the spring, beginning on January 18th.

If interested or would like to find out more, please contact the business office 402-331-1955.



Please be generous for the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human **Development.** In the U.S. more than 11% of the population lives in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition. 25% of the funds we collect remain in our

diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and support those working on the margins.

Please see your November envelope mailing for your donation envelope.



Memorial Book Remembering Our Loved Ones Who Have Passed

During the month of November, we remember our loved one who have died. There is a memorial book that you can write the names of your loved ones and we will remember them in prayer.

The book at 96th can be found under the memorial crosses located in the back of the church along the wall. The book at Lakeview is at the front of the church by Mary.



St. Gerald Family Night Out Please join us!

Wednesday, November 16 at Chili's (7865 S 84 Street.) 11am - 10pm

Please consider purchasing Chili's HOPE gift cards to use for your dining! Call the parish office for more *information.* St. Gerald School will receive a percentage of the total dollars purchased during the day/evening.

Be sure to let them know that you are with St. Gerald School when ordering.



students! **Duchesne High School Honor Roll**

Grace Nigro and Brinley Reichmuth



We need your help! We need donors for our St. Gerald **ANCIS** monthly "Tuna Team" for the Siena Francis House. Some previous team members have

moved or are no longer able to participate.

We need large can of tuna (or approx. 6 small cans); bag of chips or box of individual bags of chips; and package of cookies, snack cakes or nutrition bars (no home baked goods). Whatever you can provide helps. You can drop off at the home of Glen and Deb Bennett. We collect each month on the Sunday after the first Friday (a yearly schedule is provided). The Bennetts deliver the collection on Monday morning.

CONSIDER Jesus' words "When I was *hungry you gave me to eat.*" Please pray and ask Him if this is the project He's calling you to join. Questions? Contact Mary Bystrom at 402-650-9383; Deb Bennett at 402-651-2721; or Angie Luna at 402-651-2785.

WEEKDAY MASSES FOR NOV 14-19

6:45am - Chapel	+ Gary Watkins	
12:15pm - Church	SI Rosary Makers	
6:45am - Chapel	† John Boland	
12:15pm - Church	+Michelle Mundt+Ken True	
8:15am - Chapel *School Mass	† Ron Goodrich	
11:00am Waterford	+Patricia Jensen	
12:15pm - Church	+ Gaylan & Viola Suhr SI Lana Sipes	
6:45am - Chapel	St. Gerald Endowments	
12:15pm - Church	† Deceased Members of Albert Heithoff & Frank Miller Families	
6:45am - Chapel	+ Susan Conrad	
12:15pm - Church	+ Ray Cernik	
8:15am - Chapel	+ Rob Hauptman	
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Catholic Cemeteries of Omaha is offering a Grief Seminar called "The Way" through grief. These sessions are at the office for Catholic

Cemeteries at 7710 W. Center Road. This seminar consists of five two-hour sessions beginning at 10:30 AM on Saturday November 19th through December 17th. This series reminds us that we need not venture the road of grief alone. These sessions are steeped in our Christian traditions of faith, hope and love as the pillars of who we are as a people of God.

For more information please contact: Jim Tardy at <u>jtardy@Catholiccem.com</u> or 402-391-3711.

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sat 11/19	4:00pm - Chapel	Byzantine Liturgy	
	5:00pm - Church	Fr. Mark	†Robert & Frances Curran†Robert Klassen, Sr.†Elizabeth Ruhl
Sun 11/20	7:00am - Chapel	Fr. Mark	St. Gerald Parishioners
	8:00am - Church	Fr. Knecht	† Mike & Mary Kinsella
	10:00am - Church	Fr. Knecht	★Mildred Goblirsch SI William Freeman
	12:00pm - Church	Fr. Mark	† Robert McEvoy



Knights Corner

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

<u>November 17</u> - Memorial Mass/ General Meeting

<u>November 19/20</u> - Food Drive -Catholic Charities

<u>November 20</u> - Turkey Bingo Salvation Army Turkey Fest

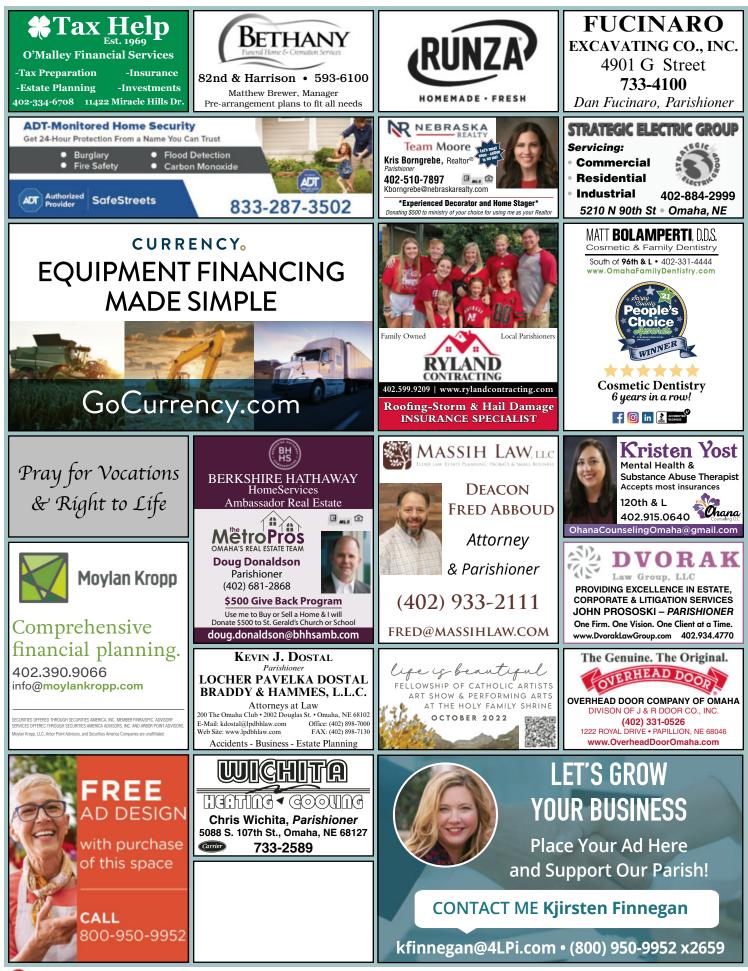


Plan to attend the *Catholic Business Group-Omaha* (CBGO) Lunch Mtg

NOV. 17th at 11:30 am The Champions Club (13800 Eagle Run Dr) Speaker: **Nikki Schaefer**, Founder of Heart of a Child Ministries TOPIC: **Care through LOVE**

Nikki Schaefer is guided to offer Love and inform Truth. Attend to hear her Faith story and how a child's prayer ten years ago led her to create a "Prayer Pillow" to help promote a message of Life, Love, Faith, Family, and Children. INVITE a friend, business associate, fellow parishioner to attend with you!

Be early, there is always Networking, Conversation and Growing in our Catholic Faith. *RSVP is required by Nov. 14th.* Reservations are needed from Members and Non-Members for all lunch meetings. The cost is \$25 for Non-Members. RSVP Today at <u>CPBComaha.org</u> Any questions contact <u>yochumja@yahoo.com</u>.



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