

ABUNDANT HARVEST

INSPIRING LABORERS FOR OUR LORD

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021



25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.
Should they cry to me in any distress,
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.*

A BULLETIN FOR THE PARISHES OF
ST. LAWRENCE, ST. ROSE OF LIMA, & ST. PATRICK FREMONT

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 20

- 6:30 am † Art Bose
- 12:00 pm † Paul Poehling
- † Jacob Monke

Tuesday, September 21

- 6:30 am Steve and Joyce Meyer family
- 12:00 pm † Lowell and Joan Henggeler

Wednesday, September 22

- 6:30 am Living and deceased members of the John B. and Virginia Kreikemeier family
- 12:00 pm Communion Service

Thursday, September 23

- 8:15 am † (Bergan only) Poor Souls
- 8:30 am † Poor Souls
- 2:30 pm † (Shalimar) Poor Souls

Friday, September 24

- 8:00 am † (St. Lawrence) Poor Souls
- 12:00 pm Living members of the Soukup family

Saturday, September 25

- 8:00 am Living and deceased members of the Gentrup family
- 5:00 pm Koch family
- † Living and deceased members of the Alvin Kampschneider family

Sunday, September 26

- 8:00 am Parishioners
- † Terri Heywood
- 8:00 am † (St. Rose) Bill Lux
- 10:00 am † (St. Lawrence) Emmy Pribnow
- † Connie Rizzo
- 10:00 am † Robert & Alvina Kalisek
- † Bryce Fornoff
- 12:00 pm † (Spanish) Anita Torres
- † Amadeo Rojas, Tito Amadeo Rojas, Kelly Rojas

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New Parishioners & Visitors

We are grateful you are here! In our parish cluster community, all families & individuals are welcome! Should you feel called to join, you may register as new members before or after Mass or at the parish office during regular business hours.

Parish Business Office: (402) 721-6611

Mailing address: 422 E 4th Street, Fremont, NE 68025

Archbishop Bergan Middle School and High School: (402)721-9683

Archbishop Bergan Elementary School: (402)721-9766

For sacramental emergencies, please call (402)810-0986

www.stpatsfremont.org

New Members

Chad & Maria Kruse, Alex, Gavin and Claire
Jeff and Connie Jamrog

MASS TIMES & CONFESSIONS: 9/20/2021 - 9/26/2021

	<u>St. Patrick</u>	<u>St. Lawrence</u>	<u>St. Rose</u>
Monday	6:30 am and 12:00 pm		
Tuesday	6:30 am and 12:00 pm		
Wednesday	6:30 am and 12:00 pm (CS)		
Thursday	8:15 am (Bergan only), 8:30 am, 2:30 pm (Shalimar)		
Friday	12:00 pm	8:00 am	
Saturday	8:00 am, 5:00 pm		
Sunday	8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm (Spanish)	10:00 am	8:00 am

<u>Confessions</u>	<u>Weekdays</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
St. Lawrence	None	None	9:15 am - 9:45 a
St. Patrick	Mon-Wed 6-6:20 M,T,W,F -11:30-11:50	3:00 - 4:45 pm	9:15 - 9:45 am 11:15 - 11:45 am
St. Rose	None	None	7:30 am - 7:50 am

We love having you as part of our Flock

Keep in touch with us via email and text

Text patrick to 84576 OR Visit us online at: Flocknote.com/StPatsFremont



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Text your corresponding code below to 84576

St. Lawrence: law
St. Rose: roselima
St. Patrick: patrick



WELCOME HOME

THE ABUNDANT HARVEST BY FATHER WALTER NOLTE

Thank you to Father Larry Richards for his inspiring four day mission. Thank you to Kate and all the volunteers that made this wonderful event possible. We had a full church each night with attendees from multiple parishes. I pray the Holy Spirit challenged you through his words to you and that you ask for the courage to meet that challenge. Remember, God is love. He simply wants to convince us of this fundamental truth so that we can boldly live out our discipleship in true freedom.

As promised, the back page of the bulletin has the final numbers for this year's festival. Thank you to all our volunteers and committee members who worked hard to make this event successful. Congratulations to all of our raffle winners. Thank you to the Diers for 50 years of providing a wonderful grand prize of an automobile. Please note, that this year we broke all records for our raffle sales for the 2021 Ford Bronco.

Because good communication is important, we have worked hard as a parish office to enhance the way we communicate events to you. The bulletin and personal letters used to be our only way to communicate important information. We tried a few more avenues this year and here are just some of the ways we communicated to you about the event: We used the bulletin 12 times to highlight the festival, had 18 bi-weekly social media posts in May through July and 14 daily social media posts two weeks leading up to the festival, 2 planning nights in Delaney, an event page on Facebook, digital and person volunteer sign up as well as a volunteer coordinator, a dedicated Facebook page just for the event, multiple announcements at Mass, and two detailed parish mailings.

Congratulations again to our raffle winners: Bronco Sport: **Gerry Rosenthal**; Kids Bronco: **Ryan Milnarik**; \$500 Ace card: **Tyler Seaman**; \$500 Lou's Sporting Goods card: **Amy Prokop**; \$500 Amazon card: **Mary Layman**; \$500 Fremont Meat Market card: **Leah Uehling**; \$500 Walmart card: **Francis Havranek**; \$500 HyVee card #1: **Tara Lea Davis**; \$500 HyVee card #2: **America Salcido**; \$500 H.O.M.E. dining card: **Eunice Ramaekers**.

None of the success for the festival would have been possible without your prayers, hard work, dedication, and participation in the event. God used it all to answer our prayers and bless us in abundance. Thank you God for loving us so much that you take care of us in all of our needs. To You be all glory and honor now and forever.

Lastly, I will be leaving for a three month sabbatical very soon. You will receive a letter with more detailed information in it about my time away. As priests, we are allowed a three month sabbatical every ten years of ordination. I am in year 19 and this will be my first time to be able to take the time. I am both excited and sad at the same time. I am excited to see what God has in store for me while I am away and sad to be away from my parish family for such a long time. I am, however, confident that God is calling me to take this time to be alone with him. I will use my column here to update you as to where I am and what I am doing.

Peace,
Father Nolte

97th OACCW Convention Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women

Monday, September 27, 2021
Divots Conference Center
4200 West Norfolk Avenue, Norfolk, NE 68701

Pre-registration ONLY, due September 20.
Cost: \$25.00

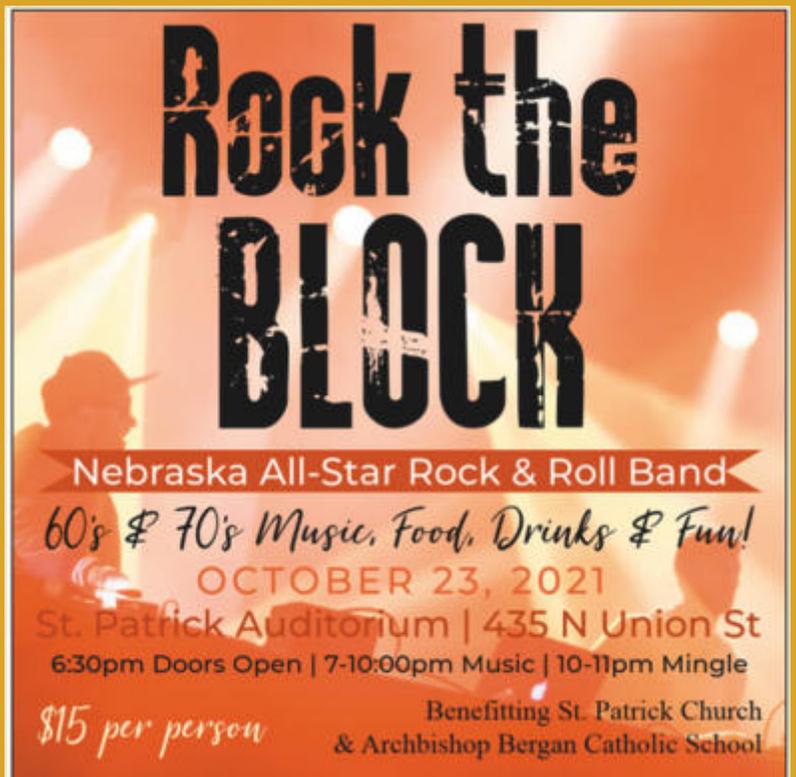
**Includes morning coffee/rolls, hot lunch,
and registration fee for the day of speakers
and Mass**

**Keynote speaker: Sharon Doran,
Seeking Truth Catholic Bible Study Ministries.**

OACCW Convention Schedule

7:30 - 9:00 am - Registration/Coffee & Rolls
8:00 am - Rosary
9:00 am - Opening Session & Mullen Award
11:00 am - Mass with Archbishop Lucas and
Diocesan Priests
12:00 pm - Noon Luncheon
1:00 pm - Afternoon Session
3:00 pm - Raffle drawing

Stop at the parish office for a registration form

A poster for a rock and roll event. The background is a warm, orange-toned image of a stage with spotlights and silhouettes of people. The text is bold and black, with some elements in white and red. The main title 'Rock the Block' is at the top. Below it, 'Nebraska All-Star Rock & Roll Band' is written in white on a red banner. Further down, '60's & 70's Music, Food, Drinks & Fun!' is written in a cursive font. The date 'OCTOBER 23, 2021' is in large, bold letters. The location 'St. Patrick Auditorium | 435 N Union St' is below that. The time '6:30pm Doors Open | 7-10:00pm Music | 10-11pm Mingle' is in a smaller font. At the bottom, '\$15 per person' is written in a cursive font, and 'Benefitting St. Patrick Church & Archbishop Bergan Catholic School' is in a small, plain font.

Rock the Block

Nebraska All-Star Rock & Roll Band

60's & 70's Music, Food, Drinks & Fun!

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WORDS OF MERCY

“SPIRITUAL SENSES: KNOWING” BY FR. BILL CREMERS

Throughout these past weeks, we have explored the spiritual senses of seeing (the imagination), hearing (“vox mentis”), and feeling (emotions). Today, the fourth spiritual sense we will consider is knowing.

Have you ever been trying to figure out a problem for quite a while, and then suddenly a clear thought enters your mind that is the solution? Or have you noticed times of “intuition” in which you came to know something that you could only previously guess about? These can be possible ways in which God speaks to us, placing particular and clear thoughts into our minds that lead us closer to Him. An analogy is like a “download” – we’re getting information directly from the source of all Truth, even if we’re not consciously aware of it. Through our prayer, this can be a particular way that God speaks; when we meditate on His Word, we receive His thoughts through the Holy Spirit.

A particular gift of the Holy Spirit as mentioned by St. Paul is “words of knowledge.” These are thoughts we receive that are true and are meant for building up ourselves or others. Think of how many times this happens in the Scriptures, and then know that this is still possible for us! As we grow in prayer, we can ask the Holy Spirit to show us truth in particular situations, and then when we “test” these out, we can grow in confidence in the ways that the Spirit speaks to us in any of the spiritual senses. This will help us demonstrate the truth of God’s Word, as we will explore in these next weeks.

BOOK REVIEW

THE FLAME OF LOVE BY ELIZABETH KINDELMAN

Elizabeth’s life purpose was to desire many souls for Jesus. He encouraged her to do His work unceasingly and be anxious for His kingdom within her and others. Jesus consoled her promising that His Sacred Heart was her permanent refuge. Describing Himself as a beggar whom most people refused to open their heart to but if they did open their hearts they closed them quickly. Yet, He affirmed that all are invited to join His special fighting force. He continued, “Do not love comfort. Do not be cowards. Do not wait. Confront the storm to save souls. Give yourselves to the work. If you do nothing, you abandon the earth to satan and sin. Open your eyes and see all the dangers that claim victims and threaten your own souls.” In addition, priests were to exhort people to deep devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. He cautioned those who live carefree lives and seek their own desires – He will say, “Depart from me. You have not fulfilled what I wanted you to do” (pg. 34.) Elizabeth experienced humiliations, sufferings and trials by the enemy but the Blessed Mother and St. Joseph walked this journey with her.



Priesthood Sunday is coming up on September 26! Help us show appreciation to our priests by choosing one or more of these ideas to participate in:

- Drop off a thoughtful note or picture colored by the kids before or after Mass for the next two weekends. Forgot a card? No problem! There will be blank ones on the table as well.
- One idea to include your card is to include a “spiritual bouquet”. Some ideas are saying the rosary or other prayers, doing acts of charity or self-denial, and spending time in adoration. (Example: “This week I offer the following for you and your intentions: Two daily Masses, a Rosary, and am giving up social media for a full day.”) There will be a list of suggestions on the card table as well.
- Join us for the first pancake breakfast of the season to celebrate our priests and our community on Sunday, Sept. 26: **Pancakes, Priests & Praise!**



THANK YOU to the volunteers (kitchen crew, dining room volunteers, KVSS, product table assistants, child caregivers, ushers, sound room tech, musician, interpreter) whom assisted at Fr. Larry Richards Parish Mission. Visitors were welcomed to our parish (some coming from 2 hours away!) with hospitality and in service to Our Lord. Many graces flowed at the parish mission. Thank you for participating in making this mission possible by sharing your time and talent!

LOTTERY CALENDAR WINNERS

Tuesday, September 21	\$25	Ryan Fiala
Friday, September 24	\$25	Darlene Henningsen
Sunday, September 26	\$25	Dan Fosmer



Prayer Intentions

Please pray for those who are serving in the military, especially:

SSG Anthony Allen, Pvt. Angie Bernal, Staff Sgt. Jared S. Carnahan, Staff Sgt. Keegan Dahlhauser, PO 3 Nicole Gregory, TSgt Robert Harms, LCDR Chad Harris, SSgt Dane Kolter, Capt. Tyler Mach, TSgt. Jamison Mitz, SGT Constance Oberg, PV2 Jack O’Neil, Coast Guard Bo Partsch, Command Sgt. Major Bryan Pfeifer, SSgt. Daniel Primm, SSgt Jeremiah Rezac, Sgt. Jordan Rock, Sgt. Nathan Schueth, STT Sgt. Michael Smith, SMSgt Tony Uhlik, Sgt. Jourdan Winterstein, Sgt. Logan Winterstein, Sgt. Zachary Zengewald.

PRAYERS



Formation Highlights

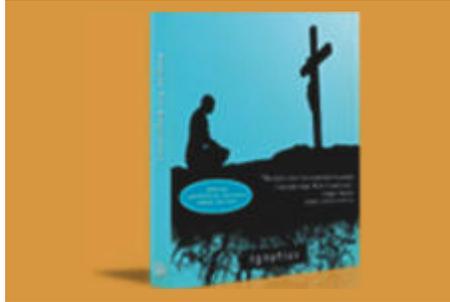
FOLLOW ME, AND I WILL MAKE YOU FISHERS OF MEN

Prayer Intentions

Please pray for those who are not well and have asked for our prayers, especially:

Molly Backound (aunt of Mary Pitt), Bernardine Buresh, Cody Chapman, Bob, Sandy & Tyler Chromy, Aiden Church (grandson of Dan and Algene Mueller), Misty Dickman Hoffman, Paula Dickman, Carmen Dufek (mother of Mary Ann Snelson), Jane Follett, John Gibney, LaDonna Grosse, Rita Grosse, Stella Guthmann, Mary Ann Hanson, Ryan Heywood, Allan Jansa, Steph Leonard, Valerie Madson, Eileen McDermitt (sister of Shirley Allen), Jim Mullally, Caroline Nelson, Lilah Newton (granddaughter of Terry and Colette Kroeten), Ralph Parr (brother of Gilbert Parr), Evelyn Peplinski, Michael Platt, Joanne Rice, Alicia Rhea, Jackie Rock, Shirley Sjuts, Chris Spieker, Cheri Uhlik (sister-in law of Joe Uhlik), Joe Uhlik, John Uhlik, Ruth Caddy Vyhldal and Ron Zoucha.

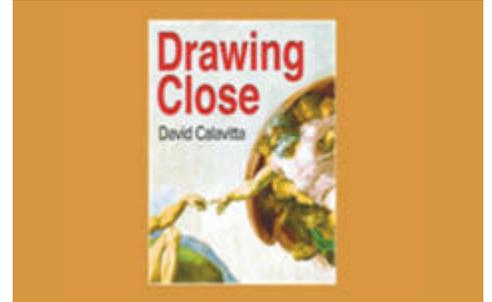
If you want your name to remain on the list for October, please call the parish office at (402)721-6611 by Wednesday, September 29 to confirm that your name should be left on the list.



**PRAYER FOR BEGINNERS
DR. PETER KREEFT**

Dr. Peter Kreeft offers simple but profound advice and practical steps for developing a prayer life based on the time-tested wisdom of the saints and great spiritual writers, especially the principles found in Brother Lawrence's classic *The Practice of the Presence of God*. In short, straight-forward, and unsentimental chapters, Kreeft covers all the key areas for understanding and developing that intimate form of communication with our Creator that we call prayer. He covers such areas as the necessity of prayer, various motives and methods, steps, patience, suffering, sin, faith, and grace.

* available at kiosks*



**DRAWING CLOSE CD
DAVID CALAVITTA**

David Calavitta has worked in Catholic Youth Ministry for the past 13 years, serving as a youth minister in several parishes, as well as a missionary with NET Ministries. In this heart-felt talk given at a Steubenville Youth Conference, David reflects upon the all-important and fundamental truth that we were created out of love by a God who continually seeks to draw us into a personal relationship with Him.

* available in the kiosks *



SAINT HIGHLIGHT: SEPTEMBER 24 – BL. ANTON MARTIN SLOMŠEK, BISHOP

Can a Catholic be a patriot? Remembering that we are but travelers to our heavenly home, we are still members of civil society. True patriots love their country and work to make it a land of justice and truth, of service and compassion to all. Such was today's saint, Bl. Anton Martin Slomšek, bishop of Lavant, in present-day Slovenia. In his day, Bl. Slomšek's land was part of the Austrian Empire. Nonetheless, he was a patriot for the Slovenian people and culture. Pope St. John Paul II, in his beatification homily, stated: "The new blessed was also motivated by deep sentiments of patriotism. He was concerned for the Slovenian language, called for appropriate social reforms, promoted a higher level of national culture and did all he could to have his people occupy an honorable place in the concert of other European nations. And he did this without ever yielding to sentiments of short-sighted nationalism or selfish opposition to the aspirations of neighboring peoples.

"The new blessed is offered to you as a model of true patriotism. His projects left a decisive mark on your people's future and made an important contribution to the achievement of independence. In turning my gaze to the beloved region of the Balkans, unfortunately scarred in recent years by conflict and violence, extreme forms of nationalism, cruel ethnic cleansing and wars between peoples and cultures, I would like to call everyone's attention to the witness of this new blessed. He shows that it is possible to be sincere patriots and with equal sincerity to coexist and cooperate with people of other nationalities, other cultures and other religions. May his example and especially his intercession obtain solidarity and genuine peace for all the peoples of this vast area of Europe." Bl. Anton, help us to be true patriots. Amen

If you want to read more about the saints, go to Mr. Mueting's Saint Weblog at mrmuetingsaints.blogspot.com.

PARISH POST ITS

Welcome to Parish Post Its!
Here, we share those mini bits of important info.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Altar Server training sessions will be held on **Oct 2** from 9 to 10AM on both days. New servers should plan on staying until 10:30AM. Please RSVP to JKonecky@neb.rr.com or to the parish office.

2021-2022 MISSALETTES

We ordered a few extra copies of the missalettes, so please call and reserve one for yourself before they are all spoken for! Cost is \$5.00.



SAVE THE DATE

Kathleen Beckman Women's Conference – Oct. 16th - 9am – 3pm

WEEK IN REVIEW



St. Rose of Lima Highlights

ERMAA MEETING is Monday, Sept. 20th at 6:00 p.m. hosted by Jane Flores at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Hooper.

ERMAA FALL CARD PARTY
Sunday, October 10th
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
at St. Peter Lutheran Church,
600 Bakers Street Scribner, Nebraska
68057. Bring a friend.

October Clothing Drive



HAVE YOU STARTED YOUR FALL CLEAN-OUT YET?

Here's a convenient way to get rid of any unwanted gently used clean clothing. Clothing may be dropped off in the West entrance of St. Lawrence Church through October. Members of St. Catherine's Guild will collect them. All items must be clean and wearable. Contact person is Deb Kassmeier, 402-719-7716.



St. Lawrence Highlights

HELP NEEDED:
We are looking for Elementary Faith Formation teachers for the 2021-2022 year. Please contact Kathy Lodl at (402) 720-5318 if you would be able to help. Thank you.

Service Organization News



CDA COURT QUEEN OF ANGELS #2353
A reminder that Sept. 20th is our monthly meeting and includes a salad supper at 6:30 in Delaney Hall. Bring your favorite salad and join in the fellowship prior to our meeting. Guests are always welcome; come join us! For further information contact Cheryl Lucht at 402-740-1186

ST. PAT'S WOMEN **Life House (formerly Care Corps)**

We provide the evening meal on the 1st, 4th and 5th Wednesdays of the month. If your last name begins with the letter K, you may be called to donate food for the meal.

Funeral Dinners

Chairpersons for September are: Mary Narans (402)719-5720 and Connie Johannes (402)572-3716. Caller for desserts is Lee Meister (402)721-7360. She will be calling those whose last name begins with R.

Priesthood Sunday

You are encouraged to send a card to our priests, thanking them for their service, in honor of Priesthood Sunday on September 26. Cards may be sent to 422 E. 4th, or put in the basket at the church next week.

Because of the OACCW Convention, there will be no SPW meeting on Sept. 27.

Praying for Our Community



Baptisms

- ✠ **Jay Roland Langemeier**, son of Chad and Madysen Langemeier, born February 11, 2021, and baptized September 12, 2021.



Passed Souls

Please stop by the Parish office to pick up a copy of "The Catholic Funeral Planning Guide." It gives you practical information on how to plan a funeral in the Catholic tradition.



Weddings & Anniversaries

- ✠ **Esmerelda Hernandez and Elias Reza**, married September 11, 2021.

PARISH LIFE

ARCHBISHOP BERGAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL/ MIDDLE SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, September 20: Biscuits & sausage gravy, yogurt, cheese stick, fruit, milk
Tuesday, September 21: Beef fiestada, vegetable, fruit, milk
Wednesday, September 22: Mini corn-dogs, tri-tator, vegetable, fruit, milk
Thursday, September 23: Chicken patty on a bun, curly fries, fruit, milk
Friday, September 24: Beef and noodles, dinner roll, fruit, vegetable, milk

ARCHBISHOP BERGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, September 20: Biscuits & gracy, yogurt, cheese stick, fruit, veggie, milk
Tuesday, September 21: Beef fiestada, fruit, veggie, milk
Wednesday, September 22: Mini corn-dogs, tri-tator, fruit, veggie, milk
Thursday, September 23: Chicken patty with bun, onion rings, fruit, milk
Friday, September 24: Beef & noodles, dinner roll, fruit, veggie, milk



Sunday, September 19: Wis 2:12, 17-20/
Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk
9:30-37

Monday, September 20: Ezr 1:1-6/Ps
126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 21: Eph 4:1-7, 11-
13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13

Wednesday, September 22: Ezr 9:5-9/Tb
13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn, 7-8 [1b]/Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 23: Hg 1:1-8/Ps
149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Lk 9:7-
9

Friday, September 24: Hg 2:1-9/Ps 43:1,
2, 3, 4 [5]/Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, September 25: Zec 2:5-9, 14-
15a/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13 [cf. 10d]/Lk
9:43b-45

Next Sunday, September 26: Nm 11:25-
29/Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 [9a]/Jas 5:1-6/Mk
9:38-43, 45, 47-48

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(Bergan Events in italics)

Sunday, September 19		
-9:00 am	Private Party	Brides Room
Monday, September 20		
-4:30 pm	<i>Middle School Volleyball @ Fort Calhoun</i>	
-5:00 pm	<i>JV Football vs. Concordia @ Bergan</i>	
-6:30 pm	Catholic Daughters	Delaney Hall
-7:00 pm	<i>Freshman Volleyball @ Lincoln Lutheran</i>	
Tuesday, September 21		
-9:00 am	<i>Girls Golf @ Fremont Golf Club</i>	
-4:30 pm	<i>Middle School Volleyball @ Yutan</i>	
-5:00 pm	<i>JV Triangular @ Wahoo St. Wenceslaus</i>	
-5:00 pm	<i>Varsity Triangular @ Neuman</i>	
-6:30 pm	Bible Study	Brides Room
Wednesday, September 22		
-8:00 am	<i>8th Grade Retreat @ Camp Rivercrest</i>	
-6:00 pm	RCIA	Brides Room
-6:30 pm	LifeTeen	Church
-6:30 pm	Faith Formation	Bergan Elementary
-6:30 pm	Confirmation parent meeting	Church
Thursday, September 23		
-8:30 am	<i>Mass @ Church</i>	
-9:00 am	<i>Girls Golf @ Wayne Country Club</i>	
-10:00 am	<i>Jostens Representative talks w/10th and 12th grade</i>	
-4:30 pm	<i>Cross Country @ Ft. Atkinson State Park</i>	
Friday, September 24		
-9:00 am	<i>Conference Girls Golf @ Crooked Creek Golf Course</i>	
-7:00 pm	<i>Football @ David City</i>	
Saturday, September 25		
-9:00 am	<i>Varsity Volleyball tournament @ Elkhorn Valley</i>	
-11:00 am	<i>Junior High Football @ Creighton Prep</i>	
-2:00 pm	Knights of Columbus Appreciation Dinner	Delaney Hall
Sunday, September 26		
-7:30 am	Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast	Delaney Hall

ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER FOR EDUCATION

Reminder: You're invited to the 2021 Archbishop's Dinner for Education on September 23! The Archdiocese will honor eight educators (**including our own Archbishop Bergan principal, Dan Koenig!**) who will be recognized in person at the CHI Health Center Arena. Join us as we gather together to help elevate our Catholic schools and Catholic education. There are many ways to show your support – learn more at: <https://archomaha.org/dinnerforeducation>.



ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Recently you received a letter from Archbishop Lucas inviting your support of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal. Please give prayerful consideration to your response. Our financial goal for this year's Annual Appeal is **\$107,741** and our participation goal is **19.9%**. Together, through the help of the Holy Spirit, we will create a culture of unity, evangelization, leadership and mercy

FORMING OUR YOUTH

FEASTING ON OUR FAITH

LORI KISBY
DIRECTOR OF YOUTH FORMATION

“And I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will feed you with knowledge and understanding.” Jeremiah 3:15

Next Sunday, September 26th, is Priesthood Sunday. This is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States, without whom the Mass could not be offered and Sacraments could not be celebrated.

At St. Patrick, St. Lawrence and St. Rose, we are blessed to have Father Nolte, Father Mishek and Father Cremers guide us in our faith. They have answered the call to priesthood and wear many hats. Without these men, there would be no one to transform bread into the Body of Christ, no one to absolve us of our sins, no one to marry us, bury us, and the list goes on.

As a family, here are some way to let our priests know how much we appreciate them before next Sunday. First of all, during this next week, spend an hour with Jesus in adoration and pray not only for our three priests but also for the priests in our archdiocese as well as vocations. Prepare a letter for them and thank them for their service. Send a letter to our priests and let them know that you prayed a rosary for them and include a thank you note. There will also be a basket at the back of the church next Sunday to include a card for each priests.

As your family prepares to thank Father Nolte, Father Mishek and Father Cremers, here is a prayer that your family could pray together for them this week given by the USCCB website...

“Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. See their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.”



ATTENTION ALL PARENTS WHO HAVE A CHILD RECEIVING 1ST COMMUNION, RITES OF CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTION OR CONFIRMATION IN 2022.

There will be a parent meeting for 1st year Confirmation parents (7th Grade) on Wednesday, September 22nd, from 6:30-7:00 at the Church Sanctuary.

Parents who have youth in 2nd Year Confirmation, we will meet on September 22nd from 7:00-7:30 in the church sanctuary.

1st Communion parents will meet on Wednesday, September 29th beginning at 6:30 in the church sanctuary.

Those parents who have youth in RCIC, the parent meeting will be September 29th at 6:30 pm in your child's classroom at Bergan Elementary.

If you have any questions, contact Lori Kisby at 02-721-6611 ext 15 or lkisby@stpatsfremont.org

WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL PARENTS OF ST. PATRICK!

Attention ALL parents of St. Patrick youth! Starting September 22nd, you have a wonderful opportunity to grow in your faith! Deacon Mark Hoyle and his wife, Therese will be teaching “The Road to Emmaus” on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:00 in Delaney Hall. Each Wednesday, you will be inspired in your relationship with Jesus Christ, have a chance to pray with fellow Catholic parents and have fun while doing it! We can't think of a better way to spend Wednesday evenings than to grow in your faith!

HOLY TRIVIA

Here are some Bible verses about priests.

“And made us a a)____, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever.” Revelation 1:6

“Put on the whole b)____ of God, that you may be able to c)____ against the schemes of the devil.” Ephesians 6:11

“And you have made them a d)____ and priests to our God, and they shall e)____ on the earth. Revelation 5:10



FAITH FORMATION KICK-OFF

Faith Formation had their Kick-Off BBQ/Meet Your Teacher Night on September 8th! Families were served grilled hamburgers/hot dogs and the “fixins” by our LifeTeen members. The youth were then able to go to their catechists to get to know each other better as well as learn about the Fruits of The Spirit. The parents then had a meeting about the coming year. Thank you to Fr. Nolte, Fr. Cremers and Fr. Mishek, as well as Gilbert and Sandy Snodgrass for grilling the meat, Blanca Peralta for preparing the “fixins”, Mark Hoyle for set-up, as well as LifeTeen members and LifeTeen sponsors for serving as well as helping with clean-up! Thank you to the families for your attendance. It was so fun to see “standing room only” as we celebrated the beginning of a new year!

HOLY TRIVIA

Answers: a) kingdom b) armor c) stand d) kingdom e) reign

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP HIGHLIGHT

MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS:

\$25 to St. Patrick Catholic Church in honor of Tom and Lou Stover's anniversary; \$50 to Archbishop Bergan Catholic School in memory of Faye Haney; \$25 to St. Patrick Food Pantry in memory of Faye Haney; \$1,600 to St. Patrick Catholic Church in memory of Faye Haney; \$185 to St. Patrick Catholic Church in memory of Anne Longacre

**One Community
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One Future**



Parish Financial Summary

	St. Lawrence	St Patrick	St Rose
Sunday Collections 9/04/21 - 9/10/21	\$610	\$30,182	\$874
Average Weekly:			
7/1/21 - 9/10/21	\$758	\$27,007	\$1,213
7/1/20 - 9/10/21	\$634	\$20,782	\$611
% Change	23.1%	30.0%	98.5%
Surplus/(deficit) at 7/31/2021			
a. excludes cemetery			
b. Includes Bergan	\$4,968a	\$201,736b	\$2,219

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25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all." MARK 9:35

Jesus teaches us that we are called to love one another. Love involves sacrifice. Sacrifice is a word that many of us don't like to hear. We think it means that we must give up something that we want. However, the literal meaning of sacrifice is "to make holy," from the words "sacer" = sacred and "facere" = to make. In other words, we make our lives holy by sharing our gifts in the service of God.

BERGAN BLOCK

JOHN FAULKNER, ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF ARCHBISHOP BERGAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Good morning parishioners, friends and family of Bergan and Saint Patrick Church. We have successfully completed the first month of the school year and the ECEC staff wanted to share some news with you.

We are working with the advancement office to create/revamp a new playground area for the kids to play on outside. Our current one has been loved for a very long time and it is getting close to seek opportunities for a new one. If you, or any one you know, is interested in supporting this goal, or even volunteering time to help find ways to support this project, please reach out to the advancement office, thank you! We have asked outside visitors/parents to continue to allow staff to help with your kids at drop off and pick up, we would like to keep traffic inside the facility minimal unless it is absolutely necessary.

We are accepting donations and the kids have developed a *wish list* so that we may get the most out of the No School days that come with the winter months. Our wish list includes things like: markers, Dry Erase markers, coloring books, puzzles, baby wipes, glue sticks, play doh, indoor friendly balls (basketballs, large bouncy balls), Kleenex. Of course these are just a few things that would help us fill up the time to keep the kids busy when they are out of school, but donations are not limited to the list. We will be able to provide you with a tax disclosure receipt for any of your donations, as well as a big Thank You card!

We thank you all so much for your help and generosity and we hope that we can accommodate you all by keeping your kiddos busy, happy, and healthy so that we may all make it through another great school year.

Again, Thank You all.

Blessings and Go Knights!



OUR COMMUNITY

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) – BEGINS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

RCIA is for those:

Who wish to explore the teaching of the Catholic Church with the desire to become Catholic.
 Are either baptized or unbaptized, but are not Catholic.
 Are 19 years and older.

RCIA is a journey of faith:

It is the process by which men and women enter the Catholic Church.
 It is a journey in that you are paired with a Catholic sponsor to help guide you along the way.
 You will join other candidates and sponsors in the form of weekly classes that begin in September, culminating with the entry into the Catholic Church the night before Easter.

RCIA is about Sacrament:

Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion) are typically celebrated at the Easter Vigil Mass. At this time, those participating in RCIA become full members of the Catholic Church. If you would like more information on joining the Catholic Church through RCIA, or to register for RCIA, please contact Kate Casale at (402) 721-6611 ext. 18 or kcasale@stpatsfremont.org. To inquire about RCIC, Christian Initiation of Children, please contact Lori Kisby at (402) 721-6611 ext. 15 or lkisby@stpatsfremont.org.

RCIA Sponsors needed:

Catholics who are confirmed and over 18 years old who would like to share in this spiritual journey – we need you! Many sponsors have been surprised at what they learned about their faith. Qualifications are not determined by your head knowledge but rather your willingness of heart! If interested in becoming a sponsor, contact Kate Casale.



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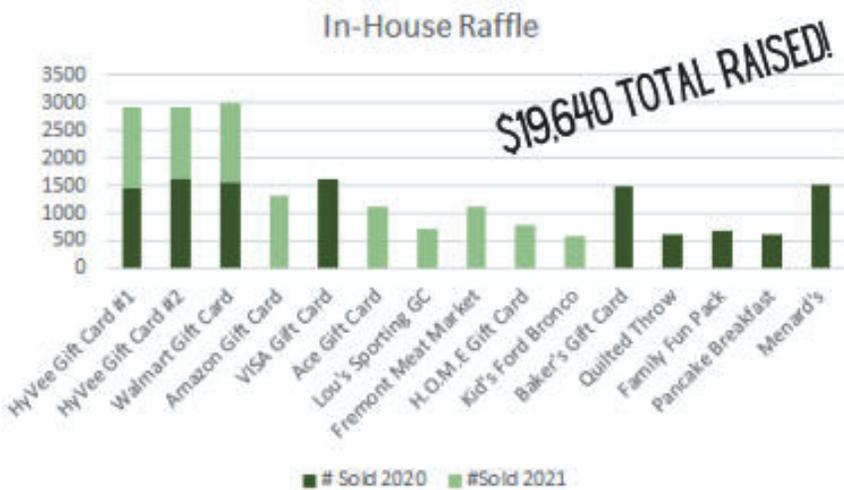
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Expense	\$10,963	\$15,496
Net Income	\$59,109	\$94,142