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The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 29, 2012

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St. Boniface: Call Betty Mackel or Linda Buelt

St. Bonaventure: Call Mary Ann Fangman or Mary Ann Starman

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Website: www.pjcc.esu8.org

Religious Education (K-6) (5:00-6:00 pm)

Sara Walsh, Co-Coordinator 843-5788

Brenda Koenig, Co-Coordinator 485-2333

Youth (7-12)

Louise Schindler, Sunday Youth Group 843-5375

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Tintern Retreat/Resource Center

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Friends,

Catholic School's Week is here! We are blessed with having two outstanding Catholic school systems. For those who choose a Catholic School, there is some additional sacrifice that is expended. This is a week to show our appreciation to those who attend, as well as those who work so hard to keep our Catholic schools a strong, viable choice for parents to make. Both St. Boniface and Pope John have a variety of things scheduled in celebration. I invite you to take part in the activities. Join me also in offering a prayer of thanksgiving to our educators who, in partnership with the parents, work to pass along the Catholic Faith.

Thank you to Jeanette Bode who just finished 5 years of service as secretary of the St. Bonaventure Christian Mothers/Altar Society. Thank you also to Mary Ann Fangman for her "yes" to serving as the secretary for the coming year. Brenda Kuhlman will stay on as Treasurer and Kathy Buelt will stay on as President.

The St. Boniface World Marriage Day celebration is scheduled for Sunday, February 5 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. This is for all married couples to enjoy but those having a 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, and above anniversary in 2012 will receive special recognition. Everyone is invited to the coffee and rolls that will follow. Please note that St. Bonaventure will honor their married couples, along with their graduates, first communicants, and servers on March 18.

We thank Deacon Bill & Phyllis Camp and Dennis Wiehn for the server training of the CCD and St. Boniface School students.

The St. Boniface Altar Society is looking for a vice president. If you would say "yes" to this position you would not have to work alone. You would learn the ropes from the current president and then the next year move up to president. The president has the assistance of the other officers, and also of the bazaar food-chairs, who take care of the organizational aspect of the food for the bazaar. Please pray about and consider taking on this leadership role so the good works of the Altar Society can continue.

St. Bonaventure's raffle tickets are now printed. Thank you to all the raffle prize donors and to Kathy Buelt, Marcella Kamphaus and Mary Ann Fangman for organizing this.

What could you give for a good quality item for our Spring Benefit Auction, Sunday, March 18? I ask you to think about what items or services have been popular in past years and consider donating such things. Please call a committee member with what you would like to donate, so we can get our sale bill ready to print. Committee members are listed on the back of this bulletin.

Last week inserted in the bulletin was a sheet that showed several opportunities to enrich your marriage. A meal/speaker in Norfolk on February 10, free admittance to the "Fireproof" movie in Albion February 12, and a speaker on "Love Languages" in the Elgin KC Hall on February 25. The posters for these events are available in the entrance of church, or from the parish office. I encourage you to nurture the vocation of marriage you've been blessed with.

The Feast of St. Blase is this week. We will have the Blessing of Throats after the 8:15 a.m. First Friday Mass.

Eucharistic Day of Prayer is this Thursday. Remember the Eucharist is not just a sacrament, it is the Lord Himself. Do not miss the opportunity to thank the Lord in loving reverence and recollection. It will be the best hour of the week for you.

Celebration of the Eucharist

ST. BONIFACE PARISH

Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 10:00 pm
Weekdays Monday (Communion Service) 7:20 am
Wednesday 8:15 am
Thursday 7:20 am
Friday 7:20 am
First Friday 8:15 am

ST. BONAVENTURE PARISH

Sunday 8:00 am Tuesday 8:30 am

Sacraments of Reconciliation

St. Boniface Parish Saturday 4:15- 5:15 pm
St. Boniface Parish Wednesday 5:00 pm- 5:30 pm
St. Bonaventure Parish Sunday 7:30-7:50 am

Other times needed?

Please call Fr. Burkhalter at 843-2345

St. Boniface Eucharistic Day of Prayer



The Day before First Friday, Each Month

Fr Burkhalter

See Catholic Schools Week Schedule Below

This Week in Our Parishes.....

Parish	Day	Date	Time	Event
E/R	Sunday	January 29	-----	No Bible Study
E/R	Sunday	January 29	5:00 pm	CCPJ "Evening With Friends" at KC Hall (adv. tickets only)
E	Tuesday	January 31	7:00 pm	St. Boniface Finance Meeting
E	Wednesday	February 1	5-5:30 pm	Confessions at St. Boniface Church
E	Wednesday	February 1	5-6 pm	CCD Classes
E	Wednesday	February 1	7:30 pm	Stewardship Meeting in Meeting Room
E	Thursday	February 2	All Day	Eucharistic Day of Prayer
E	Thursday	February 2	3:00 pm	St. Boniface Endowment Meeting
R	Saturday	February 4	8:00 am	Raeville Cleans Church (L-Z)
E	Sunday	February 5	10:00 am	Elgin World Marriage Day at 10:00 am Mass
E	Sunday	February 5	11:00 am	Coffee & Rolls following Mass (by Circle 1)
E/R	Sunday	February 5	11am-12:30pm	Confirmation Class
E/R	Sunday	February 5	-----	No Bible Study

		Stewardship for January 21 - 22, 2012			
		Please keep our Parish Stewardship Needs in your Prayers			
ST. BONIFACE			ST. BONAVENTURE		
Sunday Collection-Adults (65 Env)		\$3,029.44	Sunday Collection-Adults (16 Env)		\$336.00
Children's Collection		\$11.00	Children's Collection		\$7.00
Initial Offering		\$20.00	Seminary Collection		\$25.00
Seminary		\$565.00	Respect Life		\$382.00
P.I.E. (Partners in Education)		\$500.00			
Holy Day		\$25.00			
Respect Life		\$825.07			
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Sunday Collection			Sunday Collection		
as of Fiscal Week 30 Budgeted Total		\$134,700.00	as of Fiscal Week 30 Budgeted Total		\$23,316.00
Actual Amount		\$130,537.96	Actual Total		\$24,882.41
Amount Behind		(\$4,162.04)	Amount Ahead		\$1,566.41

Catholic Schools Week January 29- February 3

Monday- January 30th

SB- Devotion 8:30-9:20 (in the gym)

SB Artist in Residence performance- 9:30 AM -gym -Open to the public.

PJ/SB- Living rosary-1:00 pm, locker pendants --quotes on Faith. Academics. Service. Junior High science presentation, **Book Fair all week at PJ.**

Tuesday-January 31st

SB-Artist in Residence.

PJ-Open house (8:05), Mass (11:50), Lunch (12:40), Scrabble tournament 1:00 pm (in the gym). **Book Fair all week at PJ.**

Wednesday-February 1st

SB - Open house/Mass 8:15 am, hot chocolate, Artist in residence

PJ- Junior High science presentations, Quiz bowl team -Catholic Schools held at Norfolk Catholic 7pm. **Book Fair all week at PJ.**

Thursday- February 2nd

SB- Get up and move. Artist in Residence.

SB/PJ - 5th/6th graders and PJ seniors host an appreciation soup Luncheon for our local businesses. 11:30-1:00.

PJ- Breakfast 8:15 (rolls/hot chocolate), Adoration at church, Junior High science presentations, 2:00- HS-dance, **Book Fair all week at PJ.**

Friday- February 3rd

PJ/SB- Mass—8:15 am

Artist in Residence with SB students performance 2:45 pm --open to the public at gym.

PJ-retreat, **Last Day of Book Fair at PJ.**

POPE JOHN BOOK FAIR

Pope John High School Scholastic Book Fair will be held January 29-February 3 in the Pope John Library. The Book Fair will feature a wide range of books for young teens and adults including bestsellers, award winners, cookbooks, and Christian interest books. All profits are used to buy and replace books for the library.

Book Fair Times (please use the southeast door of school)

Sunday, January 29 - 11:00 am-1:00 pm (after Mass)

Monday, January 30 - 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Tuesday, January 31 - 8:00 am-4:30 pm (parent visitation)

Wednesday, February 1 - 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Thursday, February 2 - 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Friday, February 3 - 8:00 am-4:00 pm

St. Boniface School students will be selling Valentine Raffle tickets for the next 10 days. They will try to ask everyone to buy, but if they miss you, contact a student and they would be more than happy to sell you some! Thanks for your support.

Mass Intentions for the Week.....

Loc.	Day	Date	Time	Intention
E	Mon	January 30	7:20 am	Communion Service
R	Tues	January 31	8:30 am	+Hugo Werner
E	Tues	January 31	11:50 am	Liv. & Dec. PJ Alumni by PJ Student Council; Celebrant, Fr. Broheimer Catholic Schools Week
E	Wed	February 1	8:15 am	+Dolores Henn by SB PK/K- 3/4 Grade Catholic Schools Week
E	Thur	February 2	7:20 am	+Leander & Pearle Fritz Eucharistic Day of Prayer Begins
E	Fri	February 3	8:15 am	+Lyle Dinslage by PJ Seniors Eucharistic Day of Prayer Ends- First Friday
E	Sat	February 4	5:30 pm	For the People of St. Boniface/St. Bonaventure Parishes
R	Sun	February 5	8:00 am	+Fred Nelson
E	Sun	February 5	10:00 am	+Paul & Jim Eischeid

Please Remember In Your Prayers: injured Marine Neal Claar, Dodi Bauer, Tom Buelt, Baby Bentley Dexter, Trevor Hallman, Ray Janisch, Payson Guthard, Jeanette Wirges, Lois Reidmiller, Baby Alden Schrage. **Parishioners:** Marie Zwingman, Helen Neukirch, Charlene Beckman, John Hoefler, Joan Scholl, Herman Starman, Gale Schindler, Lucille Benda, Delores A. Bode (Raeville), Joan Pofahl, Sally Beckman, Lawrence Pelster, Angie Selting, Neil Childers, Ben Koenig, Ken Krause, Eve Kallhoff, Don & Shirley Henkenius, Auralia Meis, Susan Kallhoff, Merridie Heithoff, Harold Starman, Joe Bode.



**St. Boniface School
Valentine Breakfast
Sunday, February 12th**
9:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.
at St. Boniface Gym

Serving: Texas French Toast, Pancakes, Baked Eggs, Sausage, Ham, Fruit, Coffee & Juice.

Free Will Offering
GAMES OF ALL KINDS
9:00 a.m. til 12:00 p.m.
Raffle Drawing held at 12:00 p.m.





Last week, Sister Leta moved to New Cassel in Omaha. Her address is listed below, if you wish to write to her.

Sister Leta Heese
New Cassel Retirement Center
900 N. 90th St. Apt 150
Omaha, NE 68114-2704

World Marriage Day February 5, 2012

World Marriage day will be celebrated for St. Boniface Parish on Sunday, February 5 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. It is a celebration for all married couples. Those being honored are the couples who observe their 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, and a 50 plus year during the year 2012. Renewal of vows and a special blessing will be given. Honored couples are asked to please meet in the church basement (or in the back of church if you are unable). Honored couples received an invitation in the mail in which they need to R.S.V.P. to Judy Zegers. Coffee & Rolls will be served after Mass. Everyone is invited!

St. Bonaventure has chosen to celebrate with their honored couples on March 18.

Thank you to those who cleaned church in January at St. Bonaventure: Mary Ann Fangman, Delores Benda, Kim Fangman, Jeanette Bode, Brenda Kuhlman, Carol Bode, Lois Bode, Kathy Buelt and Rose Bode.

St. Bonaventure will clean church on Saturday, February 4 at 8:00 a.m. Households with last name (L-Z) are asked to clean this time, and your help is appreciated.

2012 TEC Weekends

March 17-19, 2012 Glad Tidings Camp, Crofton
July 14-16, 2012, Tintern Retreat Center, near Oakdale
Weekends run Saturday 10 a.m. – Monday 5:30 p.m.

Specifically designed for second semester juniors to age 23. TEC, Teens Encounter Christ, is a Catholic program that provides an experience in Christian Living. TEC costs \$65; scholarships are available. Sign up as soon as you can as each weekend can only have a set number of students from one parish or school. *For more information contact Terry Reicks, the Parish Office, or any student who has made a TEC.*

A Christian Encounter Christ (CEC) Workshop will be held on Sunday, January 29 at 3:00 p.m. at Immaculata Monastery in Norfolk. All persons who have experienced a CEC weekend are invited. The survey of the pros and cons of rejoining Cursillo or remaining CEC with a 3-day weekend will be discussed.

St. Boniface will hold its annual Total Parish Leadership meeting on Wednesday evening, February 15th. Each group of the parish is asked to give a short report on their happenings and come with anything they may need to discuss with the entire leadership.

The St. Boniface Gem Club would like to give a special thank you to everyone who supported the “Just for Laughs” New Year’s Eve event. It was a profitable evening for the school, raising \$4,345.61.

Liturgical Ministers for Sunday, February 4 - 5, 2012

Mass	Servers	Ushers	Greeters	Gift Bearers	Lectors	Music	EMHC *To the sick
SATURDAY February 4 5:30 p.m. ELGIN	Lexie Heithoff Trent & Heather Bauer	Steve Heithoff Brian Henn Duane Hoefler Bob Getzfred	Karen Eischeid Family- W, N & S	Mark & Brenda Schrage Family	Anne Parks	Lori Krause	Pastor, Deacon
SUNDAY February 5 8:00 a.m. RAEVILLE	Miles & Maddie Schrage	Bob & Jerry Bode	Fred & Mary Ann Fangman	-----	Ken Stuhr	Joyce Reestman	Brea Schrage
SUNDAY February 5 10:00 a.m. ELGIN	Kyle Kallhoff Ethan Fischer Evan Schindler	Gene Heithoff Jerry Heithoff Dave Hoefler Gary Hoefler	Dave & Gwen Beckman Family- W, N & S	-----	Linda Kerkman	Shirley Meis Wayne Ives	PRECIOUS BLOOD OF CHRIST - Pastor, Deacon, *Carey Eischeid to choir, *Mike & *Connie Dvorak, *Deb Beckman, *Grant Beckman

\$\$ Calendar Lottery Winners \$\$

01-23-12	Miller Rastrelli % Candice	\$50.00
01-24-12	Rev. John O. McCaslin	\$50.00
01-25-12	Kyle Childers/Cassie Mitchell	\$50.00
01-26-12	Terry & Michele Reicks	\$50.00
01-27-12	Chris & Becky Campbell	\$50.00
01-28-12	Brent & Andrea Bolling Family	\$50.00
01-29-12	Joan M. Johnson (Calif.)	\$75.00



Spring Benefit Auction
Sunday, March 18, 2012
at St. Boniface Auditorium
12:00 Noon

WANTED

- Consignment Items (Minimum \$50 Value)
- Fair Commission Rates
- Homemade/Homegrown/Handcrafted goods (No Minimum Value Required on these items)
- Quality Items (Minimum \$50 Value)
- Silent Auction Items

Some Suggestions include:

Antiques or collectibles, sporting event tickets, weekend getaways, quilts, grain/hay, gift certificates, theme gift baskets, dinners, tools, services, machinery, services for working women (such as doing their church cleaning/working at funeral/making their rolls or pies).

BE CREATIVE!

Each household in the parish should donate something. Families may group donations together for larger ticket items. Each group of the parish are being asked to contribute something from its members. Please let the committee know what you will be giving. All items will be tagged with donor's name. **All items subject to committee's acceptance. Items can be picked up and stored.**

Let a committee member know what you can give:

Ben Meis.	843-5472
Kathy Dinslage.	843-2147
Steve Kerkman.	843-5738
Jeff Schindler.	843-2295
John Beckman.	843-5726
Steve Beckman.	843-2267
Craig & Jessica Niewohner.	843-2247
Lee & Kara Shavlik.	843-8816
Dave & Sharon Gossman.	887-5473
Matt Beckman.	843-2254
Eric & Anney Beckman.	843-5764
Michael Moser.	649-0391

All proceeds go to St. Boniface Parish

St. Boniface

MEN'S CIRCLE SCHEDULE for SNOW/ICE REMOVAL for Parish Grounds

Mondays.	CIRCLE 1 (Arehart-Buelt)
Tuesdays.	CIRCLE 2 (Busteed- Getzfred)
Wednesdays.	CIRCLE 3 (Gossman-Kinney)
Thursdays.	CIRCLE 4 (Kluth- Payne)
Fridays.	CIRCLE 5 (Pelster-Schrage)
Saturdays.	CIRCLE 6 (Schueths-Zegers)
Sundays.	ALL CIRCLES

Marriage Enrichment 2012

You are invited to attend an evening of reflection on the beautiful truth of marriage. An evening for couples will be offered Friday, February 10 at Sacred Heart Parish Center-Norfolk. The evening begins with Mass at 5:30 p.m., with Father Dan Andrews in Norfolk, followed immediately by a romantic candlelit dinner, wine, and dessert. This year's topic, *In the Beginning: Human Love in the Divine Plan*, will be presented by Damon Owens, nationally known speaker and 2011 Men's Conference presenter. The cost is \$50 per couple. Seating limited. To register, you can obtain a form from our parish office or call 402.551.9003, 888.800.8352 or visit www.archomaha.org under news and events. This event is co-sponsored by the Family Life Office and KVSS.

Whatever we have done or
 whoever we have been in the past,
 God can still use us.

