

St. Peter's Church
1504 Joy Street
Stanton, NE.



Dec. 17th, 2017

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Thank You!

FINANCIAL
Dec. 10th 2017

Adult.....	1,492.00
Youth Offering.....	37.00
Build./Maint.Env.....	225.00
Re. Ed.....	50.00
Spec. 2 nd Coll.....	98.00
Holy Day.....	190.00

TOTAL \$2,092.00

Weekend Liturgy Schedule

Sat. Dec. 23rd – 5:30 pm

Sun. Dec. 24th – 10:00 am

Lector- M. Suchan
EMHC- Deacon Al

A. Spence
M. Sieh/J.Lance/ A. Richter
B. Lueninghoener/J. Waskosjak

Servers- Volunteer
Gifts- O. & I Mewis
Ushers- D. Buckendahl/J. Campbell
Organist- Volunteer
Cantor- Volunteer

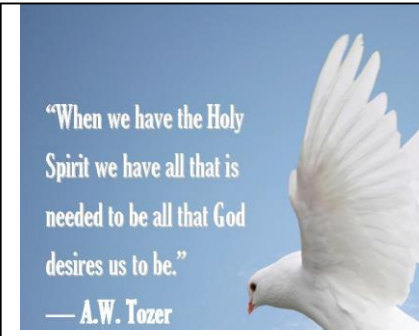
M. Spotanski/R. Waskosjak
R. & B. Spotanski
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D. Sindelar
Choir

SHC----- K. Spence
Money Counters----- Dan/Val Morfeld
Snow Removal: (Dec. 11th-Dec. 24th; Al Wolverton, Mike Sieh

Mass Intentions- December 18th - December 24th, 2017

Intention	From
M. 7:25 am Julie Beeson	Mary Louise Hill
T. 7:25 am Dal Armbruster	Family
W. 7:25 am Vince & Betty Connealy	Mary Ann Burtwistle
Th. 7:25 am AJ & Cory Skrivanek	Brett & Lisa Wilke
Fr. No Mass	
Sa. 5:30 pm Clara Jensen	Chapek family
Su. 10:00am Xhaiden Jensen	Jim & Barb Wurdinger
Su. 5:30 pm Gene Sperl	Pat & Kathy Jensen

***What Is Best Advent Ever?** It's a free email program from Dynamic Catholic that will help you slow down and focus on what matters most during this Advent Season. Here is the website to sign up: www.dynamiccatholic.com/best-advent-ever.



Monthly Meetings

KOC: First Monday at 7:30 pm
Altar Soc: First Thur.at 1:30 pm
Rolls: First Sunday after Mass
Pastoral Council: Second Sunday 9:00 am

Parish Events

***The Pastoral Council Meeting will be this Sunday, Dec. 17th at 8:30 am**

***Prayer/Share during Advent:** We will meet for the last time on Monday the 18th from 7:00-8:00 pm at the Stanton Health Care Solarium. These sessions are an ecumenical study group open to anyone.

***Poinsettias:** call Pat Krutz if you would like to pay for a poinsettia to decorate the church. They are \$10 each. Her number is 402-439-2379.

***Omaha Archdiocese Pastoral Plan:** beginning in the fall of 2016, parish and diocesan leaders began studying, discussing, and praying about how parishes can better implement the Archdiocesan vision: "One Church: Encountering Jesus, equipping disciples, living Mercy" and become viable and vibrant faith communities. They have submitted a plan, which Archbishop George Lucas, has approved. The plan was attached to last week's bulletins. The shortage of priests made it very necessary for us to prayerfully plan for the future. Fr. Jerry will be talking a little more about this during Masses this weekend. I want to thank the team who represented our parish in the planning process: Deacon Al Wolverton, Dan Fuerhoff, Kathy and Pat Jensen, DeAnn Stodola, Mary Louise Hill, and Stephanie Wurdinger.

***Masses for Christmas Eve and Christmas Day:** Dec. 24th: 5:30 pm/ Dec. 25th: 10:00 am.

***To all Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC):** We are looking for more volunteers to do a communion service at the Stanton Nursing Home on Sunday mornings at 9:00 am. If you are interested, please call Fr. Jerry at 402-439-2147, thank you!

***Religious Ed: Dec. 20th:** K-6 Christmas Program at 7:00 pm. Kids need to be there by 6:30 pm. Grades 7th-8th-**NO CLASS**. Lunch will be served after the program. Please bring sandwiches, cookies, or bars to share. A note was sent home. **No Mass** on the 20th.

3rd Week in Advent Scripture readings:

Mon., Dec. 18th: Jer. 23:5-8/ Psalm 72/ Matt. 1:18-25

Tues., Dec. 19th: Judges 13:2-7, 24-25a/ Psalm 71/ Luke 1:5-25

Wed., Dec. 20th: Isaiah: 7:10-14/ Psalm 24:1-6/ Luke 1:26-38

Thurs., Dec. 21st: Song of Songs 2:8-14/ Psalm 33/ Luke 1:39-45

Fri., Dec. 22nd: 1 Sam. 1:24-28/ 1 Sam. 2:1, 4-7, 8abcd/ Luke 1:46-56

Sat., Dec. 23rd: Mal. 3:1-4, 23-24/ Psalm 25/ Luke 1:57-66

4th Sunday in Advent- Dec. 24th: 2 Sam. 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Psalm 89/ Rom. 16:25-27/ Luke 1:26-38



Local Events ***Healing Mass at Sts. Cyril and Methodius Catholic Church in Clarkson:** will be on Thursday, Dec. 21st at 7:00 pm. Confessions will be heard at 6:00 pm, and Stations of the Cross will begin at 6:25 pm. Everyone is welcome!

***Ready to Reboot?** Sacred Heart Church of Norfolk will be hosting a special event featuring Chris Stefanick, a well-known speaker that offers practical insight into living the life God has created for you! It will be held on Wed., Jan. 17th, 2018 from 7:00-9:30 pm at the Catholic Activities Center across from St. Mary's Church. Need to purchase tickets ahead of time either at the Parish Office or on-line at RealLifeCatholic.com/reboot. Tickets are \$22 each.



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