

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



May 1st, 2016

CORRECTION: the Parish Council Meeting will be held on May 15th at 9:00 am due to Mother's Day being on the 2nd Sunday of May. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Financial Stewardship
April 24th, 2016

Adult Envelopes..... 1,800.00
 Youth Offering..... 29.90
 Easter..... 25.00

TOTAL \$ 1,854.90



"Whoever loves me will keep my word" says the Lord, "and my Father will love him and we will come to him"
John 14:23

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 News

*** Last Sunday we had 9 students receive their First Holy Communion here at St. Peter's-** they were Joshua Arens, Austin Ganskow, Destiny Higgins, Macey Moore, Sophia Morfeld, Adelynn Sateren, Skyler Siebrandt, Tristan Sorrick, and Alton Wuridnger. Let us continue to keep them in our prayers as they make this very important transition.

***Holy Day of Obligation, the Ascension of the Lord, is Thursday May 5th.** Masses will be Thursday morning at 7:25 am and then again at 7:00 pm in the evening.

***The graduation breakfast for the 2016 Senior Students, Parents, and Grand-Parents will be next Sunday May 8th at 9:00 am with Mass to follow at 10:00 am.**

***There will be a 2nd collection taken next weekend May 7/8 for the Catholic Communication Campaign.**

***Election of Pastoral Council Members will be held in May.** Please contact Fr. Jerry or any Council Mbr. If you are interested in serving the parish on the Council. If you know of someone who would be willing to serve, but hasn't volunteered, please submit that person's name. One man and one woman are needed to begin a three year term.

***Matthew Kelly- You have heard of him, and maybe you have read one of his books, how would you like to see him in person? - YOU CAN!** Matthew Kelly will be coming to our area this summer. He is bringing his message "Living Every Day with Passion and Purpose" to Ralston, NE. (near Omaha) on July 23rd, 2016. He will be speaking from 6:00-10:30 pm that evening. To purchase tickets, and to find out more about the event, go to www.dynamiccatholic.com, click on "Passion and Purpose", then click on "Get Tickets", and find the date "July 23rd" and click on that, and then follow the directions to purchase tickets there. We are excited that he coming to the area!!

	Thurs. May 5th-7:00pm	Sat. May 7th- 5:30pm	Sun. May 8th-10:00am
Lector-	Volunteer	D. Fuerhoff	
EMHC-	Volunteer	Deacon Al	<u>GRADUATION</u>
Servers-	Volunteer	K. & S. Pohlman	<u>STUDENTS</u>
Gifts-	Volunteer	N. Ernesti/J. Fischer	
Ushers-	Volunteer	B. & H. Hartl	<u>MASS</u>
Organist-	Volunteer	Volunteer	Campbell
Cantor-	Volunteer	Volunteer	Choir
SHC-	-----		D. Fuerhoff
Money Counter-	-----		D. & P. Fuerhoff

Religious Education – K-8 class 6:30pm. NO MASS. K-6 end of year party in the Parish Hall. No guests please. Parent help will be needed. Please call Val at 402-740-1416 or morfeld@cablone.net if you would like to help. 7th grade will assist with K-6 party. 8th grade will be dismissed at 7:30pm. **All students K-7th will be dismissed at 8:00pm. Seniors meet with Deacon Al at 6:30 to plan graduation Mass.**

Mass Intentions May 2nd-May 8th, 2016

<u>Intention</u>	<u>From</u>
M. 7:25 am Al & Cheryl Wolverton	Mary Ann Burtwistle
T. 7:25 am Bert Armbruster	Family
W. 7:25 am Grant Wolken	Ralph & Shirley Wolken
Th. 7:25 am Beverly Hill Dufled	Julie & Doug Wooland
Th. 7:00 pm Gordon and Luree Reese	Ronda Siecke
Fr. 7:25 am Kathryn Raabe	Arlys Hansen
Sa. 5:30 pm Emil Staroscik	Brett & Lisa Wilke
Su.10:00am Harold & Richard Suchan	Robert Stassen

Question of the Week – How can we and our children get more out of Mass?
 Last week we quoted Matthew Kelly suggesting we ask God at each Mass to show us one way that we can become a better version of yourself. Matthew Kelly now asks us to consider getting a journal and answering that question every week. If you do that every Sunday for a year your "Mass Journal" will become an incredibly powerful spiritual tool. Each page will inspire a deeply personal dialogue between you and God. But perhaps the most powerful aspect of this Mass Journal is the way it will track your progress. Consider this question: Are you a better version of yourself today than you were a year ago?

Local News

***The Omaha Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, May 10th, 2016** in Norfolk, NE. at the Sacred Heart Hall. The Hall is located by St. Mary's Catholic Church, 2300 Madison Ave. Registration begins at 9:30 am. The meeting begins at 10:00 am.

You can find St. Peter's online at www.stpeterstanton.parishesonline.com