

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



**Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

Please send bulletin announcements to [stpeters@stanton.net](mailto:stpeters@stanton.net) by Wednesday morning  
**Thank You!**

**FINANCIAL**  
**Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 2017**

Adult.....	1,402.00
Youth Offering.....	32.00
Build./Maint.Env.....	305.00
Re. Ed.....	120.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Coll (Retirement)..	346.00
Bulletin Ads.....	50.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,255.00</b>

**Weekend Liturgy Schedule**

**Sat. Dec. 30<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 pm**

**Sun. Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> – 10:00 am**

**Lector-** D. Fuerhoff  
**EMHC-** Deacon Al

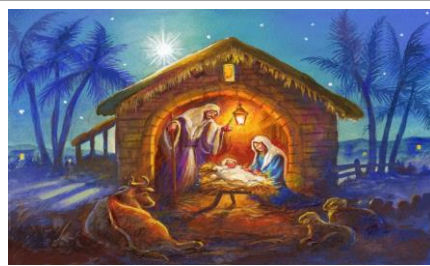
**YOUTH**

**Servers-** Ben Wilke/M. Reese  
**Gifts-** D. & K. Molacek  
**Ushers-** Jim & Jim Jr. Crilly  
**Organist-** Volunteer  
**Cantor-** Volunteer

**MASS**

Psotta  
 Jr. Choir

**SHC**----- D.Stodola  
**Money Counters**----- Jeff/Kathy Moore  
**Snow Removal: (Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>- Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>;** T. Mckeeon, D. Mandl, P. Jensen



*Behold, a Virgin shall  
 conceive and bear a son;  
 and his name will be called  
 Emmanuel.  
 Isaiah 7:14*

**Mass Intentions- December 25<sup>th</sup> - December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

Intention	From
M. 7:25 am Lock family	Mary Ann Burtwistle
T. 7:25 am Fr. Tim Lange	Verda Cardwell
W. 7:25 am Ian Reese	Bret & Lisa Wilke
Th. 7:25 am Helen Bstandig	Arlyls Hansen
Fr. <b>No Mass</b>	
Sa. 5:30 pm Joseph Corallo	Chris Chilcoat
Su. 10:00am Eugene Lechtenberg	Mary Ann Lechtenberg



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**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**

**\*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.  
**\*Masses for this weekend and Christmas Eve/Christmas Day:** To fulfill your Sunday Obligation you must attend Mass on Saturday night (23<sup>rd</sup>-5:30 pm) or Sunday morning (24<sup>th</sup>-10:00 am). To fulfill your **Christmas Holy Day** obligation, you must attend Mass on Sunday evening (Christmas Eve-24<sup>th</sup> @5:30 pm) or Sunday morning (Christmas Day-25<sup>th</sup> @10:00 am).  
**\*January 1<sup>st</sup> is the Solemnity of Mary the Holy Mother of God:** this year because it falls on Monday, it is **NOT** considered a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be just one Mass on New Year's Day at 7:25 am.  
**\*Religious Ed: Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>:** No class or Mass (Christmas Break). Classes will resume on Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018.  
**\*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.  
**\*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!

**Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year!!**

**4<sup>th</sup> Week in Advent Scripture readings:**

**Mon., Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>:** Isaiah 52:7-10/ Psalm 98/ Hebrews 1:1-6/ John 1:1-18  
**Tues., Dec. 26<sup>th</sup>:** Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/ Psalm 31/ Matt. 10:17-22  
**Wed., Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>:** 1 John 1:1-4/ Psalm 97/ John 20:1a, 2-8  
**Thurs., Dec. 28<sup>th</sup>:** 1 John 1:5-2:2/ Psalm 124/ Matt. 2:13-18  
**Fri., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>:** 1 John 2:3-11/ Psalm 96: 1-3. 5b-6/ Luke 2:22-35  
**Sat., Dec. 30<sup>th</sup>:** 1 John 2:12-17/ Psalm 96: 7-10/ Luke 2:36-40

**Sun. Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> (The Holy Family) -** Gen. 15:1-6, 21:1-3/ Psalm 105/ Heb. 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/ Luke 2:22-40

**Local Events**

**\*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. 17<sup>th</sup>, 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](http://RealLifeCatholic.com/reboot). Tickets are \$22 each.



