

JULY 26 2020  
17<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. MARY  
CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Rectory Office: 402-223-2923

School Office: 402-223-5033

Serving the communities of Barneston,  
Beatrice, Odell, & Wymore  
www.stjosephbeatrice.org

Pastor and Chief Administrative Officer Fr. Rand Langhorst  
Senior Parochial Vicar Fr. Thomas Walsh

Parish Office: 612 High St. (rectory-office@cdolinc.net)  
Sara Stedman, Secretary.

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00am–2pm,  
Except Holy Days and holidays.

Bulletin Deadline: noon Wednesday

**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Saturday: Barneston 5:00pm, Beatrice 5:30pm  
Sunday: Beatrice 8:00am, Odell 8:00am, Beatrice 10:00am,  
Wymore 10:30am

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

See Mass Intentions for current schedule

**Confessions**

Beatrice: Saturday in the cry room 4:30pm-5:15 pm  
Barneston, Odell and Wymore: 30 minutes before weekend  
Mass for 15 minutes  
Any other time by appointment.

**Baptism** Parents are asked to attend baptism preparation class.  
Call the rectory office to schedule.

**Anointing/Hospital Visits** Please notify the pastor when you go  
to the hospital.

**Matrimony** Contact the parish 6 to 12 months ahead of time.

**Natural Family Planning (NFP)** Jo Langley (402-223-3359)  
Melissa Powers (402-228-3856).

**St. Vincent DePaul** 402-435-7968

**Catholic Social Services** 1-800-961-6277

**Catholic Radio** 100.1FM Duane Oden 402-230-0879

**Willow Center of Beatrice** -402- 228-6411

**Knights of Columbus** Frank Pribyl, Grand Knight

**St. Joseph Catholic School —420 N 6th Street Grades K-5**

Emily Lohr, Head Teacher;  
Tammy Zarybnicky, Secretary

**Preschool** Denise Behrends (3 & 4 year olds)

**Red Raven Day Care** -18 months—up; located in our school  
building. Call 402-223-5033

**Godparent Religion Program—High School Youth** Wed.,  
7:00pm

**C.C.D. Program** in St. Joseph School,  
Grades 1-8, Wed., 6:30-7:45pm

**Cemetery Contact** Jerry Kempf 402-239-1896

**Choir** Kate Ratigan at 402-806-0131.

<b>Mass Intentions</b>		
<b>Monday July 27</b>	Beatrice 8:00am	Ray & Hilda Spindler+
<b>Tuesday July 28</b>	Beatrice 8:15am	Ken Pinkerton+
<b>Wednesday July 29</b>	Odell 7:30am	Intention of Celebrant
	Beatrice 8:00am	Kenneth Schuster+
<b>Thursday July 30</b>	Beatrice 8:15am	Cole Bergen+
<b>Friday July 31</b>	Wymore 7:00am	Poor souls who have no one to pray for them
	Beatrice 8:15am	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Saturday August 1</b>	Barneston 5:00pm	Susan Safford
	Beatrice 5:30pm	Living & Deceased Altar Society Members, Beatrice
<b>Sunday August 2</b>	Beatrice 8:00am	Duane & Darlene Daniel
	Odell 8:00am	Orville Klecan+
	Beatrice 10:00am	<b>People of Our Parishes</b>
	Wymore 10:30am	Intention of Celebrant

<b>Beatrice Weekend of Aug 2<sup>nd</sup></b>			
	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:00am</b>
<b>SERV</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
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<b>Rosary</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer

<b>Wymore Weekend of Aug 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>SERV</b>	Volunteer
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<b>Odell Weekend of Aug 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	
	<b>8:00am</b>
<b>SERV</b>	Volunteer
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**St Joseph Church Beatrice, School, and Daycare Financials**

Last Week's Offering	\$6,085.33
Last Week's Other Income	\$1,043.00
<b>Monthly Income to Date</b>	<b>\$38,439.41</b>
<b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b>	<b>\$52,388.05</b>

**St Mary's Church Wymore Financials**

Last Week's Offering	\$1,237.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
<b>Monthly Income to Date</b>	<b>\$2,893.55</b>
<b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b>	<b>\$2,140.64</b>

**St Mary's Church Odell Financials**

Last Week's Offering	\$0.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
<b>Monthly Income to Date</b>	<b>\$1,282.00</b>
<b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b>	<b>\$2,133.13</b>

**St Joseph Church Barneston Financials**

Last Week's Offering	\$50.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
<b>Monthly Income to Date</b>	<b>\$976.00</b>
<b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b>	<b>\$635.64</b>

*Thank you for continuing your stewardship offering.*

**Contact the Parish Office for offering envelopes or information to set up online giving**

**WE SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS**

Dominic Ian Winter, son of James & Cheryl Winter of St Joseph/St Mary Parish in Lincoln, is in his 2<sup>nd</sup> year of Theology at St Charles Borromeo Seminary.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Are you helping the church be what it is called to be or what you have decided it needs to be? One leads to the path of unity and one leads to the path of division.

**CALENDER OF EVENTS**

**AUGUST 10** – 7pm Altar Society Meeting  
**AUGUST 11** – First Day of School  
**AUGUST 15** – Assumption of Mary

**BEATRICE NEWS**

**ALTAR SOCIETY** will meet in the parish hall on Monday August 10 at 7pm. Social distancing will be observed.

**PLEASE** help us collect empty or near empty action pump dispensers of any size or kind to use in the school. A box is located at the entry to Beatrice St Joseph Church to receive anyone's kindness.

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Our church needs a good deep cleaning. Due to COVID, we were not able to clean before Easter like usual. So we are moving up our fall cleaning date. We need men and women to pitch in. We plan to start Tues Aug 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm, continuing the 5<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm if needed. If you would like to help but are unable make it that day, there will be a checklist in the Altar Server Sanctuary side.

**ST JOSEPH SCHOOL** will begin with classes on Tues Aug 11. With the exception of when CCD classes begin in Sept, and for funeral dinners when they are allowed, the school and daycare building including the parish center during school hours will be a closed campus to anyone who is not a student, faculty member, or dedicated volunteer staff as part of the Covid plan. This will take effect on Mon Aug 10 and last until the end of the school year. This is done to protect both the students, teachers and staff and to meet state requirements for social distancing, unnecessary contact, and continual cleaning that needs to be done; and also to maintain a school atmosphere of learning. The parish Center will remain available under the normal guidelines of use outside school hours, on the weekends, and on school holidays, however strict cleaning procedures (similar to what is done after Masses in the church) must be utilized as well as social distancing, unless the health department mandates otherwise. CCD classes will also need to disinfect and sanitize the spaces they use after each lesson and follow the established guidelines. Daily Mass: More information about when school children are present and what it will look like will be presented after Mass on Mon July 27 (and touched on again Mon Aug 10 either after Mass or in a communication).

**THANK YOU** to those men who helped move office furniture in the rectory. Your gift of time was greatly appreciated.

**WYMORE/BARNESTON NEWS**

**WYMORE AUGUST COMMITTEE:** Julie Scheideler, Heather McKinney, and Janet Sohl

**ANNOUNCING A NEW WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE** effective August 1<sup>st</sup>. Barneston St Joseph at 5:00 pm on Saturdays; Odell St Mary at 8:00 am on Sundays; and Wymore St Mary at 10:30 am on Sundays. The former schedule will discontinue July 31.

## ODELL NEWS

**AUGUST COMMITTEE:** Peggy Colgrove and Kay Theye

**MASS TIMES:** Please note that the new mass time for Odell is 8:00am on Sundays starting Aug 2<sup>nd</sup>.

## ALL AREA NEWS

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:** Willow Center, a pro-life charity in Beatrice, is looking for new volunteers. Each volunteer is needed for one 3 hour shift per week between the hours of 9am-3pm Monday through Friday. Call 402-228-6411 from 9am-3pm or email [info@willowcenter.net](mailto:info@willowcenter.net) for more information.

**PRAYER TO ST MONICA** The Fairbury Deanery has the month of July to say the Prayer to St. Monica Our dates are: July 26-31 Beatrice

O God, you are the comfort of those who mourn and the Savior of all who trust in You. Blessed Monica's loving tears moved You to convert her son, Augustine. Help us who pray to You for the salvation of our sons and daughters, too. May we also grieve for our own sins and win the grace of Your pardon through the intercession of this loving Saint, through Christ our Lord, Amen. St. Monica pray for us.

**RETROUVAILLE.** Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they did in their own marriages. Next Retrouvaille Weekend program is August 21<sup>st</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>. For more info or to register call 1-800-470-2230, visit [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org) or [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) Last day to sign up August 1<sup>st</sup>.

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER** is going to virtual-streaming to accommodate the virus situation. Complete Weekend presentations are August 28-30 on enhancing couple communication and intimacy of heart. Contact Pat & Janelle Benson Pat #308-940-0670 Janelle #308-940-1105 [pjbben@yahoo.com](mailto:pjbben@yahoo.com)

**REGISTER NOW** with The Emmaus Institute for Biblical Studies, [www.emmausinstitute.net](http://www.emmausinstitute.net), for the following in-person or online fall classes, Sept 8 – Nov 16: The Letter of James; Leviticus through Deuteronomy; Interpreting the Bible; the Book of Job; The Saints and the Scriptures.

**UNDONE-**Ladies, do you desire to live in greater freedom? Are you longing for an authentic encounter with your true feminine identity? Join us for this women's retreat where you will experience a weekend of truth, beauty and transformation, as the knots of Eve's disobedience are "undone" through

Mary's model of radical receptivity. Undone: Freedom for the Feminine Heart will be held Sept 24-26 at St. Peter Catholic Parish in Lincoln. Register online at [www.jpilhealingcenter.org](http://www.jpilhealingcenter.org). Email Annette Wemhoff [JPiIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com](mailto:JPiIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com) for more info: scholarships, student, and missionary discounts are available.

**MEN ON FIRE:** Take Back What Belongs To You. It's time to live the life that God intended for you! Become a man "ON FIRE" for God. The Men on Fire Conference, led by Bart Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center with worship led by Mark McKellar, will help you live into who you are. St. Peter Catholic Parish in Lincoln, NE is hosting the Men on Fire Men's Conference on Sat, Oct 17<sup>th</sup> from 9am-3pm. A Leaders Summit will also be held the evening before, on Friday Oct 16<sup>th</sup> from 7-9pm. Learn more/register online at [www.jpilhealingcenter.org](http://www.jpilhealingcenter.org). Scholarships are available, email Annette Wemhoff [JPiIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com](mailto:JPiIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com) for more info.

## FROM FATHER'S DESK

Covid-19 has many nasty effects related to it, visible and invisible, but one that seems to be rising in many locations is "toxicity". For many, actions or responses do not always line up with mission & needs, and the negative influence that erupts comes in forms of complaining, criticisms, talking behind the back of others, judging, gossiping, and destructive attitudes and behaviors. The negative & toxic responses are almost always aimed at making the carrier look better or superior in judgment or knowledge. The media seems filled with such incidents. Following such encounters; the spirit of good will, going the extra mile or transformation into being more selfless and charitable diminishes. People whose disposition has become a home for this type of poison to relationships are found in every profession, working or leisure environment, school or parish. Frequently smiles are replaced with scowls, upbeat enthusiasm with internal bitterness, advancement with setbacks, or joy with sorrow. Covid is letting rise to the surface many struggles of the heart and mind as one is challenged by the process of adapting or changing to something unencountered or unexperienced. This is even more difficult for those whose characters lend themselves to needing popularity, power, or prestige. The counter and remedy, at least for Christians, is to have and maintain a strong relationship with Jesus--to allow him to be our first contact with frustrations and venting--to offer the world our examples as his disciples. Please pray for the healing of those affected by "toxicity" and those who share it with others.

Fr. Rand