



**St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church**  
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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year B

January 14, 2024

*Serving the Church to make Jesus Christ known and loved*

*Clergy & Staff*

*Fr. Pat Niels, Pastor \*\*pkniels@archomaha.org*

St. Francis of Assisi CC-Neligh  
 Secretary/Bookkeeper: Dorothy Brandt

Our Lady of Mount Carmel-Tilden  
 Bookkeeper: Ruth O'Brien  
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**WEDDINGS:** Contact the Pastor six months before your wedding date.

**BAPTISMS:** Contact the Pastor to arrange for class time and date.

**CONFESSIONS:** 30 minutes before Sat. and Sun. Masses; 15 minutes before weekday Masses. Confessions also available by appointment.

**WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!**  
 Call the Parish Office to register:  
 OLMC-Tilden: 402.368.7710  
 SFA-Neligh: 402.887.4521

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Tues 16 Jan	10:00 am (N)	Funeral Mass for Roman Hupp
Wed 17 Jan	8:30 am (N)	Christopher Jessen +
	9:30 am (W)	Fr. Martin Beckman +
Thur 18 Jan	9:00 am (T)	Betty Lennemann +
Fri 19 Jan	8:30 am (N)	Tommy & Helena Kaczor + & Extended Family
Sat 20 Jan	5:00 pm (N)	Living & Deceased Members of the Lawrence Ridder Family
	7:00 pm (T)	Bill Corkle +
Sun 21 Jan	8:00 am (T)	Parishioners of OLMC & St. Francis
	10:00 am (N)	Dareld Kallhoff + & Extended Family

(N) Neligh | (T) Tilden | (W) Willows | (AC) Arbor Care | (PJ) Pope John

MASS TIMES SFA-Neligh	Saturday, Jan 20 5:00 pm	Sunday, Jan 21 10:00 am
EMHC's	Ron Beacom, Dale Kallhoff	Elise Ruterbories, Hannah Hoefer
LECTOR	Milly Clemens	Trent Hoefer
SERVERS	Charles Carothers, Carter Carothers	Corbin Hoefer, Josslyn Hoefer, Cason Hoefer
USHERS	**Randy Kallhoff Jon Strom	**Chad Kaup Andy Elder
		**Daryl Booth John Anderson
		**Tim Kallhoff Ted Hughes

MASS TIMES OLMC Tilden	Ushers	Lector	EMHC * Precious Blood	Servers	Money Counters
Saturday Jan 20, 7:00 pm	Phil Chvala Stan Schapmann	Jolene Schapmann	Stan Schapmann *Doris O'Brien *John O'Brien	Volunteers	
Sunday Jan 21, 8:00 am	Keith Meyer Ed O'Brien	Emily Vaughn	Mary Rautenberg *Walt Patras *Rosemary Patras	Merinee Vaughn Larissa Vaughn Mackenzie Rautenberg-Dugan	Phil Chvala Danielle Johnsen



Pray that we may have the courage to speak out for the right to life.

*Greetings from Fr. Pat*



The Holy Family of  
Jesus, Mary and Joseph

A second collection for **One Rose, One Life** will be taken the weekend of January 27/28.  
Please consider supporting this collection to help pro-life efforts.

**PROPOSING NEW PARISH NAMES**

Because our Journey of Faith plan envisions two mergings of parishes, the Archbishop is inviting us to give him proposals of names before he chooses a parish patron for each new parish. The web form for Parish Names is available at <https://cppnebraska.org/names>

More details are also available at the above website. Please know the name of each church site including St. Francis and Our Lady of Mount Carmel will stay the same.

**New Mass Schedule - Starting in February for Rural Family “K”**

As part of the planning for our area, coordinating with the planning team for Rural Family “K”, the following new Mass Schedule will begin for our area on the first weekend of February 2024 (Feb. 3-4 weekend):

Saturday	5:30pm	Every Weekend Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Tilden
	5:30pm	1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Weekend St. John the Baptist, Deloit
	5:30pm	2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Weekend St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing
Sunday	8:00am	Every Weekend St. Theresa, Clearwater
	8:00am	1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Weekend St. Bonaventure, Raeville
	8:00am	2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Weekend St. John the Baptist, Petersburg
Sunday	10:00am	Every Weekend St. Francis, Neligh
	10:00am	Every Weekend St. Boniface, Elgin

**St. Francis of Assisi families responsible for cleaning the church in January**

- Jan 20** Nick Ramold, Julia Harley, Jon Strom
- Jan 27** Tracy Sehi, Ron Rice, Les Ridder
- Feb 1** Ted Hughes, Russ Vetick, Leonardo Parra
- Feb 8** Marian Shabram, Nick Henn, Chad Shabram

Anyone who donated poinsettias to church in memory of a loved one this Christmas may pick them up after Mass.

Welcome. If you are attending Mass regularly at St. Francis we welcome you and invite you to register into the parish by calling (402-887-4521) or stopping in at the office and asking for a registration form. This includes recent college grads who moved back, people new to the area and newly married couples.

**RELIGIOUS Religious Education Jan 17, 2024**  
**Grades K-12 7:00-8:00 pm Regular Class**

*Sun /Holy Day & Other Collections Jan 7, 2024*

SFA-Neligh	OLMC--Tilden
*Weekly offering	*Weekly offering
Needed: \$2,846.57	Needed: \$1,137.25
<b>Regular Coll.</b> \$2,855.00	<b>Regular Coll.</b> \$954.00
Seminary Coll. \$1,216.50	Utilities \$1,000.00
Christmas to date:	Seminary \$1,809.00
\$20,078.00	Solemnity of Mary \$30.00

*God bless you for your generosity!*

\*This amount reflects weekly giving over 51 weeks. It anticipates other amounts collected, for example, for Christmas, Easter, Holy Days, and other parish donations will be at certain or close to budgeted amounts in addition to this weekly giving amount.



**Religious Education Jan 17, 2024**

- Grades K-6** Mass at 6:00 pm  
6:30 to 7:15 pm Class/Parent Talk
- Grades 7-9** 7:15 to 8:15 pm Regular Class
- Grades 10-12** 7:15 to 8:15 pm No Class



The Parish Donations envelopes for 2024 are ready for pick-up. They are by the West doors, in front of the statues of Mary and Joseph.

**2024 Parish Calendars Now Available:** At the doors of the church, please feel free to take one.

Please pray for all those who have died, especially for:

Roman Hupp

- Wife, Pat
- Son, Matthew
- Daughters, Lisa and Nicole

May they rest in peace. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed receive the mercy of God. Amen

**SFA -Neligh**

- Rosary** every Tue, 10 am in Church, Everyone welcome.
- Knights of Columbus:** 1st Tues, 7:00 pm
- Rosary Sodality:** 2nd Tue, 6:00 pm
- Parish/Finance Council:** January 25, 2024 at 7:00 pm

**OLMC-Tilden**

- Knights of Columbus** (see Neligh)
- Catholic Women meet :** 1st Tues 9:30 am every 3 months, Mar, June, Sept, Dec.
- Parish/Finance Council:** TBD



Please call Susie Ames (402-929-0038), Milly Clemens (649-3194) or the parish office (887-4521) to add names to the prayer list. The below lists are those in need of prayers or continuing prayers. Most recent prayer requests will be included as part of the petitions during weekend masses for three weeks or as long as requested. Thank you for praying for those in need.

*Please remember to pray for: St. Francis-Neligh*

Adam Kester, Roger Allen, Charles VanErt, Christian Manchester, Nyla Borgmann, Larry Luettel, Regina Krebs, Matt Belitz, Gail Borer, Tim Rech, Marin Schindler, Steven Schrunk, Sandy Parks, Peg Kuester, Val Mahlendorf, Mark Komisky, Justin Peterson, Mary Francis Arens, Sharlene Arehart, Alice Johnston, Braxton Longsdorf, Sharon Charf, Scott Kuester, Vickie Ternus, Tracy Ames Latka, Patrick Musilek, Kara Frisbie, Family of Roman Hupp.

*Please remember to pray for: OLMC-Tilden*

Adam Kester, Laura Rutjens, Graham Sayers, Robb Paulk, Gary Inlow, Lynda Swanson, David Rutjens, Boyd Batenhorst, Julie Krueger, Jenny White, Todd DeGroot, Pat Magwire, Nate Thiele, Mark Harlan, Brett Kielty, Mary Hecht, Family of Bob Kee

**Announcements**

**Taste of Italy with Father John**, Feb 4th at 6:00 pm. St. Dominic's Hall Ewing. For tickets: contact Janet Sawyer, 402-340-4997. Advance tickets only, \$25.00 per person.

**SHRINES OF FRANCE PILGRIMAGE:** Come along Nov. 4-14, 2024, to some of the most beautiful sites in all of France! We'll visit the holy Shrine of Lourdes, the home of St. Martin in Tours, the grand Chartres Cathedral, the monastery of Mont St. Michel, Normandy Beach along with both an American Cemetery and a German Cemetery, the home of St. Therese the Little Flower in Lisieux and the wonderful city of Paris! Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$4,299 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, 307 - 4th St. N., Humboldt, Iowa 50548 or call 712 -899-6870 or email [frdanguenther@gmail.com](mailto:frdanguenther@gmail.com) Fr. Guenther has been leading Catholic pilgrimages for over 25 years.

**Attention Sodality and Knights members:** I have no older photos showing activities of the Rosary Sodality and Knights of Columbus through the years. Would like to include them in the history. Please contact me if you have one or more. Roxanne, 402-929-0152, [leagle2@mcnallylaw.net](mailto:leagle2@mcnallylaw.net). Thank you.



**Prayer to St. Clare of Assisi for World Peace**

St. Clare, you prostrated yourself before the Eucharist and begged God's protection when barbarians threatened the safety of your cloistered home. You stayed the enemy by the power of the Blessed Sacrament, restoring peace and tranquility to your city. We ask now your powerful intercession for our country and world. Assisted by your prayer, help us spread the Good News at home and abroad that the Almighty One may care for His people. Then will the family of nations be united under one Father with one common purpose of peace and good will toward all. Amen.

<b>Archbishop's Annual Appeal – Status</b>				
Parish	Goal	Current	Percent of Goal	Amount over Goal
St. Francis	\$11,176.88	\$11,715.00	<b>104.81%</b>	\$538.12
OLMC	\$3,798.80	\$3,932.00	<b>103.51%</b>	\$133.20



If anyone has a news item for the parish Facebook page, please contact Jenny Higgins, 402-929-3160, Roxanne McNally 402-929-0152, or the parish office.

**Visit parish website:** [www.olmctilden.org](http://www.olmctilden.org) or [www.stfrancisc.org](http://www.stfrancisc.org) for weekly bulletins, Mass times, liturgical ministers and religious education schedules, Parish & Finance Council news, parish women's organizations, Knights of Columbus events, web links, events & announcements, and more. For SFA parish hall rentals and events call the parish office. For OLMC call Mary Rautenberg at 402-368-2231. For OLMC maintenance call Stan Schapmann 402-368-5906. SFA call Steve Kuester 402-928-0411 or Doug Haselhorst.