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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year B

January 21, 2024

Serving the Church to make Jesus Christ known and loved

Clergy & Staff

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

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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 23 Jan	10:30 am (N)	Funeral Mass for Don Masat
Wed 24 Jan	8:30 am (N)	Ronald Lange +
	9:30 am (AC)	Mildred Roberts +
Thur 25 Jan	9:00 am (T)	Joe Grosserode +
Fri 26 Jan	8:30 am (N)	Dr. Dwaine Peetz +
Sat 27 Jan	5:00 pm (N)	Gary Clemens +
	7:00 pm (T)	Lori Schrader +
Sun 28 Jan	8:00 am (T)	Parishioners of OLMC & St. Francis
	10:00 am (N)	Carol (Ofe) Michalski +

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

MASS TIMES SFA-Neligh	Saturday, 27 5:00 pm	Sunday, Jan 28 10:00 am
EMHC's	Del & Susie Ames	Tim & Amy Baker
LECTOR	Kathy Sauser	Mark Ervin
SERVERS	Ashlyn Rudolf, Jaquelin Luna-Duran	Gracelyn Wiebelhaus, Gabriela Parra
USHERS	**Randy Kallhoff Dale Kallhoff	**Chad Kaup Gary Gunderson
		**Daryl Booth Duane Knievel
		**Tim Kallhoff Trent Hoefler

MASS TIMES OLMC Tilden	Ushers	Lector	EMHC	Servers	Money Counters
Saturday Jan 27, 7:00 pm	Bill Hatterman	Jeanne Oelsligle	Mike Dusel	Volunteers	
Sunday Jan 28, 8:00 am	Keith Meyer	Natalie Dittmer	Sarah Black	JJ Black Logan Black Reece Black	Kathy Osborn Cindy Decker



Pray for those suffering the after-effects of abortion,
that they may learn to rely on God's mercy.

Greetings from Fr. Pat

A second collection for **One Rose, One Life** will be taken at St. Francis and Our Lady of Mount Carmel next weekend, January 27/28. Please consider supporting this collection to help pro-life efforts.

Here is a list of some of the recipients of One Rose, One Life Culture of Life Foundation funds:

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| Assure Women’s Center | Nebraskans Embracing Life |
| Beginnings – O’Neill | Pope Paul VI Institute / Omaha |
| Bethlehem House / Omaha | Pregnancy Resource Center / Beatrice, NE |
| Bishops Pastoral Plan For Pro-Life Activities | Respect Life Apostolate – Omaha Archdiocese |
| Catholic Charities | Sancta Familia Medical Apostolate |
| Catholic Conference – Nebraska | St Thomas Aquinas Newman Center - UNL |
| Collage Center / Kearney, NE | Thomas More Society |
| Collage Center / Grand Island, NE | Wellspring Pregnancy Resource Center - Hastings |
| Creighton Students for Life | Women's Resource Center / North Platte, NE |
| Diocese of Grand Island | Pro-Life Billboards throughout Nebraska |
| Diocese of Lincoln Family Life Office | Pro-Life Art & Essay Contest Winners |
| Essential Pregnancy Services / Omaha | Pro-life Special Events |
| Lincoln Right To Life | Pro-Life Speakers for Events |
| March For Life Sponsorship of Pilgrims | Pro-Life Radio (KVSS) |
| Mav, Catholics - Students For Life - UNO | |

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel pray for us!

St. Francis of Assisi pray for us!

St. Junipero Serra pray for us!



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 st /3 rd /5 th Weekend St. John the Baptist, Deloit
	5:30pm	2 nd /4 th Weekend St. Peter de Alcantara, Ewing
Sunday	8:00am	Every Weekend St. Theresa, Clearwater
	8:00am	1 st /3 rd /5 th Weekend St. Bonaventure, Raeville
	8:00am	2 nd /4 th 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 February

- Jan 27** Tracy Sehi, Ron Rice, Les Ridder
- Feb 1** Ted Hughes, Russ Vetick, Leonardo Parra
- Feb 8** Marian Shabram, Nick Henn, Chad Shabram
- Feb 15** Kenny Parks, Doug Jessen, Shawn Stenka, Troy Shabram

Thank you to the secret Santa for the Christmas goodies. Del & Susie

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 24, 2024
Grades K-12 7:00–8:00 pm Regular Class

Sun /Holy Day & Other Collections
Jan 14, 2024


SFA-Neligh	OLMC--Tilden
*Weekly offering	*Weekly offering
Needed: \$2,846.57	Needed: \$1,137.25
Regular Coll. \$3,560.00	Regular Coll. \$207.00
Christmas to date:	Christmas \$50.00
\$20,078.00	Seminary \$10.00
	Bash \$40.00
	Non-Parishioners \$100.00

God bless you for your generosity!

RELIGIOUS **Religious Education Jan 24, 2024**

Grades K-6 No Class (at home with packet materials)
Grades 7-9 7:15 to 8:15 pm Check with teachers
Grades 10-12 7:15 to 8:15 pm Check with teachers

*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.

 **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:

Don Masat

Daughters, Peggy, Lisa & Sandra

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, Marin Schindler, Steven Schrunk, Mark Komisky, Justin Peterson, Mary Francis Arens, Braxton Longsdorf, Sharon Charf, Vickie Ternus, Tracy Ames Latka, Patrick Musilek, Kara Frisbie, Jason Johnson, Family of Don Masat

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.

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 Fr. Guenther has been leading Catholic pilgrimages for over 25 years.

A New Bible Study Will Begin soon!

**JOURNEY THROUGH SCRIPTURE
THE BIBLE AND THE MASS**

From St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology, Steubenville, OH

There are 10 sessions. Each session is approximately 70-90 minutes long. This time frame includes a 30 minute video and discussion. Dr. Scott Hahn is the presenter. There is no preparation required for this study. Right now it seems like Tuesday at 7 pm is the best time to hold this study. This schedule can be discussed and “weather permitting” will, of course, be honored. A Study Guide is available for \$20.

This Study will go through Lent, so perhaps it could be part of a Lenten observance. If it is possible, the Study will begin on January 30. Please contact Bev Hartz (402-887-5067), Susie Ames (402-929-0038) or Kathy Sauser (402-887-5324) so Study Guides can be ordered.



Archbishop’s Annual Appeal – Status				
Parish	Goal	Current	Percent of Goal	Amount over Goal
St. Francis	\$11,176.88	\$11,715.00	104.81%	\$538.12
OLMC	\$3,798.80	\$3,932.00	103.51%	\$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 or 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.