



BLESSED SACRAMENT CATHOLIC CHURCH

May 19, 2024

Pentecost Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Date	Time	Intention
Saturday, May 18	5:30 p.m.	Marshall & Darlene Christensen +
Sunday, May 19	8:00 a.m.	Parish Family
Sunday, May 19	10:00 a.m.	Siegel Family
Tuesday, May 21	12:05 p.m.	Dorothy Hill
Wednesday, May 22	12:05 p.m.	Mike Starzec +
Thursday, May 23	12:05 p.m.	Bill & Sally Meister +
Friday, May 24	12:05 p.m.	Brad Czaplowski +
Saturday, May 25	5:30 p.m.	Virginia Pokorski+
Sunday, May 26	8:00 a.m.	Rich Stobbe
Sunday, May 26	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
Monday, May 27	9:00 a.m.	Deceased Members



Reconciliation Times: Wednesday - 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Saturday - 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.



The risen Jesus told his disciples to wait prayerfully for the coming of the Holy Spirit, who would strengthen and guide them. They were waiting in Jerusalem when the Spirit came with signs of wind and fire. The Spirit brought them energy for a new mission and formed them into a people of love and courage. They immediately began preaching on the street corner, excited to share their story of Jesus.

People from many countries and languages were able to understand the words of their preaching. This miracle is a sign that the Gospel is for every land and people. It is a sign of the power of the Spirit helping those who share the good news of Jesus. Because of this, we say that the Church was born on Pentecost.

We celebrate Pentecost 50 days after Easter. Pentecost is our annual celebration of the Holy Spirit who is the life and unity of the Church, the source of its holiness, dedication and wisdom. Pentecost is a solemnity, which means a feast that deserves special notice and preparation. Pentecost helps us prepare a place in our lives for a new coming of the Spirit.

Red is the color of Pentecost. Red and red-orange remind us of the flames that signaled the coming of the Holy Spirit at the first Pentecost in Jerusalem. On Pentecost, we can focus our attention on “the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit.” Those gifts are promised to all who join in doing the work of God. Saint Paul writes that the Holy Spirits make us “loving, happy, peaceful, patient, kind, good, faithful, gentle and self-controlled.” The gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit are ours to use and share throughout the upcoming year with all of the people we meet. Come, Holy Spirit, Come!

*Blessings and Prayers through the Year by Elizabeth McMahon Jeep
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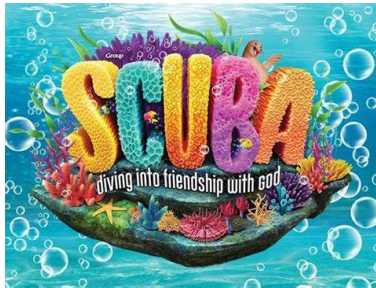
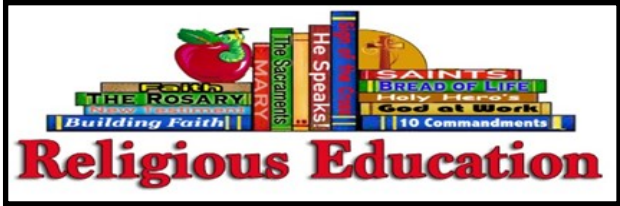
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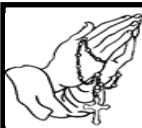
THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

- Sunday, 5/19** Pentecost Sunday
Collection for Seminary
8:00 a.m. - Mass
10:00 a.m. - Mass
10:00 a.m. - Children's Church
Coffee & Rolls
- Monday, 5/20** 12:00 p.m. - Chair Yoga
5:30 p.m. - Mindful Movement
6:30 p.m. - Centering Prayer Group
7:00 p.m. - Women's AA
- Tuesday, 5/21** 12:05 p.m. - Mass
1:00 p.m. - Quilting Ladies
7:00 p.m. - Al-Anon Meeting
7:00 p.m. - AA Meeting
- Wednesday, 5/22** 12:05 p.m. - Mass
- Thursday, 5/23** 12:05 p.m. - Mass
1:00 p.m. - Quilting Ladies
5:30 p.m. - Yoga
- Friday, 5/24** 12:05 p.m. - Mass
- Saturday, 5/25** 10:00 a.m. - Al-Anon Meeting
10:30 a.m. - Adoration
5:30 p.m. - Mass
- Sunday, 5/26** 8:00 a.m. - Mass
10:00 a.m. - Mass
Coffee & Rolls

OUR GIFTS OF TREASURE	
May 11 & 12, 2024	
Adult Envelopes	\$7,205.93
Plate	\$925.00
Online	\$1,259.00
Thrifty Store	\$1,095.97
Diocesan Appeal	
Our Goal	\$75,410.00
Received to Date	65,987.00
Donor Goal 220	207



Vacation Bible School
Hosted by Blessed Sacrament and Resurrection Parish, will be held the week of June 3-7 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at Resurrection. Children age 4 to those just completing the 4th grade (so they can be going into 5th grade this fall) are invited to attend. Cost for the week is \$30 per child, with a \$75 family maximum. Online registration began on April 15. Parents can register and pay online at www.giresurrection.com. This year's theme is Scuba Diving Into Friendship With God.



Please remember the following individuals in your prayers:

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| Roseann Anderson | Marlene Beacom |
| Anna Blake | Dawn Ferris |
| Stephanie Godziemski | Anita Graf |
| Sharon Jarecke | Cindy Petersen |
| Marcella Petersen | Pat Pickerel |
| Tim Puncochar | Kathy Stava |
| Heather Tjaden | JoAnn Vodehnal |
| Emily Webster | Nancy Zahm |

Pray for military personnel and pray for peace.



Memorial Day Mass
Monday, May 27, 9:00 a.m., Westlawn Cemetery, weather permitting. If we have inclement weather (i.e. high winds, rain, etc.), the Mass will be held in the Chapel at 9:00 a.m. If you have

a memento of a service person, please feel free to bring this to the Mass for a blessing. **PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR.**

The Parish Offices will be closed on Memorial Day.



Channel 10/11 Can Care-A-Van
Blessed Sacrament will once again be participating in Can Care-A-Van on Wednesday, June 12, at both Super Saver locations from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Can Care-A-Van is an annual food drive that takes place in various communities across Nebraska. The canned goods and money collected at this event benefit our Food Pantry.



Fall Fest
It's that time of year when we start planting our gardens and thinking of fresh vegetables and canning when fall comes around. Our Fall Fest will be held October 20, 2024. We will be doing our Country Store again, and we'll be looking for craft items, fresh produce and canned produce, so keep us in mind when canning and crafting. Thank You!

Catholic Daughters Court Queen of Peace #2227 is pleased to announce the recipient of our High School Graduate Scholarship. Sheridan Puncochar, the daughter of Tim and Teri Puncochar and a member of Blessed Sacrament, was awarded \$200 toward college expenses. Congratulations, Sheridan!

Thrift Shop

Located at 718 West North Front St.

Store Hours: Friday & Saturday
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Donations can be dropped off on Mondays,
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**For more information, or to volunteer, please
contact the Thrift Store at 308-398-3443.
Thrift Store will be closed May 24 – 30.**

Catholic Daughters Court Queen of Peace #2227

We ask that you continue to pray the Spiritual Adoption prayer for the unborn and also pray for all parents. Jeremiah 1:5 says, "Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you. Before you were born, I dedicated you, a prophet to the nations, I appointed you." God created each of us for a unique and special purpose. At 16 weeks, our little one is almost half a pound and 6" long. By 18 weeks, he/she will be 10". Baby hair is beginning to grow now. Teeth enamel is also developing. Ultrasounds at this stage show movement in the baby's larynx. Baby is also swallowing a lot of amniotic fluid to prepare for future eating. Just think, who may this child that we pray for be one day? What gift will he/she bring to our world?



**Our Deepest Sympathy to the Family of
JIM MONTGOMERY, father of Scott Montgomery.**
Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and may
perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in
peace. Amen

**COME and CELEBRATE
The 60th JUBILEE of Ministry**



Rev. Thomas A. Ryan: Ordination - May 5, 1964



**Sister Bernadette Engelhaupt, O.S.F.
Reception into School Sisters of St. Francis
August 2, 1964**

Open House in the Jubilee Center on Sunday, June
2, 2024. 1 PM to 3 PM

Blessed Sacrament Parish,
518 W State Street, Grand Island, Nebraska

EVENTS HAPPENING ELSEWHERE

National Eucharist Congress

As part of the events leading up to the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis July 17-21, 2024, a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage is being planned. This will be one of the largest Eucharistic pilgrimages in history. "Just as throngs followed Christ throughout his earthly ministry, our nation will process with our Eucharistic Lord through cities, along highways, and past rural towns on his way to the 10th National Eucharistic Congress." This pilgrimage takes place June 2024 with all 4 routes ending in Indianapolis on July 17, 2024, for the start of the National Eucharistic Congress. The three dioceses of NE are taking part in the Junipero Serra Route of this pilgrimage. More information can be found at <https://gidiocese.org/nationaleucharistic-pilgrimage>
We will have a potluck on June 18th at 5:30 pm in our parish hall for everyone who is traveling with this pilgrimage and those in our diocese. More information later.

Stop 5 Grand Island NE

Community Potluck

- June 18 - 5:30 PM CT,
St. Mary Cathedral Square
Grand Island

Eucharistic Adoration

- June 18 - 7:30 PM CT,
St. Mary Cathedral, Grand Island

Mass

- June 19 - 8:00 AM CT,
St. Mary Cathedral, Grand Island

Eucharistic Procession

- June 19 - following Mass,
St. Mary Cathedral, Grand Island

Congratulations!

GICC class of 2024



CENTRAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



Retirement Reception

Fri, May 24
5:00-8:00pm

Remarks at 6:30pm
Riverside Golf Club



Cathy & John Howard

Sharon Zavala

Cards can be mailed to
1200 Ruby Avenue
Grand Island, NE 68803

MINISTER SCHEDULE FOR MAY 25 & 26, 2024

Mass Times	5:30 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Lector	Matt Farrell	Alice Quick	Steve Stein
Minister of Holy Communion	Volunteer	Dan Quick Tony Koziol Marge Koziol	Volunteer
Altar Server	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Hospitality	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer

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