



# PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 22nd, 2023

### Our Mission

United in the sacraments as the Body of Christ, we the members of Prince of Peace Catholic Parish extend the welcoming arms of Jesus, opening the world to God's presence through works of love, hospitality, mercy, and prayer.

### Weekend Mass Times

**Saturday**

5:00pm

**Sunday**

8:00am & 10:30am

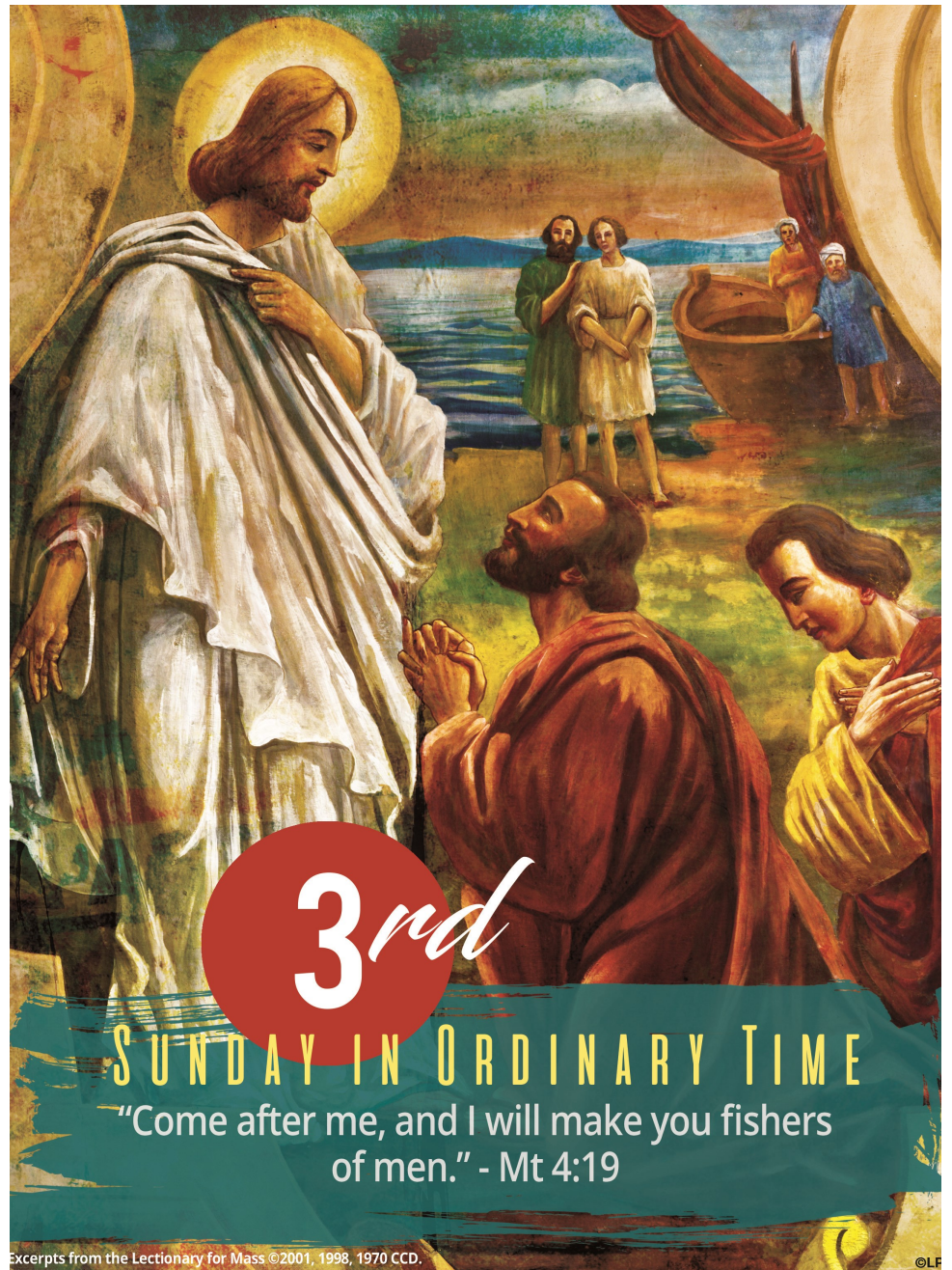
### RECONCILIATION

**Saturday**

4:00 - 4:30 p.m. or contact the Parish Office 308-236-9171

### Fr. Paul Colling

Fr. Paul Colling has served as pastor at Prince of Peace for 10 years assisted by **Deacon Thomas Martin.**



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SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." - Mt 4:19

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## Serra SPARK

### SERRA FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS

Whether you are in eighth grade, high school or college, this is “decision time.” This year is not just another year in school, but a special time in your life. This is a great opportunity to develop your gifts and talents. So, work hard, do and be your best. Shape your own dreams and goals by using the rich talent with which the Lord has blessed you. As you look at your future, consider a life of service in the Church. Think seriously about taking at least a part of your life and giving it to other people in the name of our Lord and through the Church. Even more than that, consider priesthood, sisterhood and the religious life. What a great contribution you could make to the world and God’s people! Have a great year in school. Make your education have such a positive effect on you that other people in this world will benefit from you and your talent.



## Mass Schedule & Intentions

**MONDAY, JANUARY 23 | NO MASS**

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 24 | 7:30AM**

7:30 a.m. Sr. Mary Kay McKenzie †

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25 | 7:30AM**

7:30 a.m. Ed & Isabel Gruntorad †

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 26 | 12:05PM**

12:05 p.m. Larry Diessner †

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 27 | 7:30AM**

7:30 a.m. Katherine Kelley †

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 28 | 5:00PM**

5:00pm Christopher Speirs †

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 29 | 8:00AM | 10:30AM**

8:00am Prince of Peace Parishioners

10:30 am Richard Muetting †

## Pro-Life Updates

Monday, January 23, is this year's **National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of the Un-Born**. At last Saturday's Mass, Bishop Hanefeldt blessed students from our Diocese and sent them on mission to join thousands of other people in the March for Life in Washington, DC. **Let's support them with prayer, the most powerful weapon we at home have -- preferably by dedicated prayer on Monday, the 23rd, before our Lord in the Tabernacle.** All are welcome from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. in the Mary Chapel or Nave (after 4:00 you will need the code for the lockbox so contact the office).



Jan 27-28—Nebraska Walk for Life Gala and Event, Lincoln

### 2022/23 Diocesan Appeal Update as of 12/31/2022

Parish Goal:	\$73,464
Total Raised:	\$38,982
Household Goal:	185
Current Households:	98

If you have any questions regarding this information: Please call Greg or Amy at the chancery, 308-382-6565 or email [diocesanappeal@gidiocese.org](mailto:diocesanappeal@gidiocese.org).



## The Sacrifice of Christ

To begin to comprehend the tremendous gift offered by Christ through his incarnation, Death, and Resurrection, that gift that is made present to us in the Eucharist, we must first realize how truly profound is our alienation from the Source of all life as a result of sin. We have abundant experience of evil, yet so many of us deny the cause of much of that evil—our own selfishness, our own sins. As St. John wrote in his first letter, *If we say, “we are without sin,” we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.* (1 Jn 1:8). (USCCB The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church #10) [gidiocese.org/eucharistic-revival](http://gidiocese.org/eucharistic-revival)



**Diocesan Eucharistic Congress, June 10, 2023, plan to join us for this Eucharistic celebration.**

# PRAYER AND WORSHIP

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## PRAYER SERVICE

### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

NICOLE & CHARLIE (DAUGHTER & GRANDDAUGHTER OF DONNA BEAM)  
BETTY FARQUHAR  
RON BOWEN (BROTHER OF CATHY LABUN)  
LAUREN SCHNACKER (NIECE OF JUNE NELSON & ANN GOULD)  
CAROLYN UNREIN (SISTER-IN-LAW OF TIM UNREIN)  
LEONARD MCCARVILLE  
DON OBERG  
ASHLEY JEFFS  
MIKE & CHRIS KELLY (FAMILY OF MARY WIEDUWILT)  
BARBARA GRAHAM (FR. PAUL'S SISTER)  
GREG LAUBY (BROTHER OF CECILIA FICK)  
JIM PAXTON (COUSIN OF DEANN NICKEL)  
VERN BRICKNER  
LAURA DRESSSEL (SISTER OF PAT HOUSKA)  
AND ALL OTHERS IN NEED OF PRAYER.

**Names will remain for approximately three weeks. Please call the office if you would like a name to remain on the list for longer.**



### Helping Henry

We've had a request to help a handicapped gentleman come to church as regularly as possible. This could be a shared activity between two or more volunteers. He does have a wheelchair and needs to sit toward the front of church, and more specifically, away from children because he's easily distracted. Please contact Linda Martin (308) 236-6728 for more information.

## Our Sacrificial Giving

### FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 GIVING

January Budget	<b>\$87,500.00</b>
Sunday, Jan 1, 2023	\$19,411.88
Sunday, Jan 9, 2023	\$19,296.76
Sunday, Jan 15, 2023	\$23,484.17
Sunday, Jan 22, 2023	
Sunday, Jan 29, 2023	
January to Date	\$62,192.81
Monthly Under Budget	<b>\$(25,307.19)</b>

**Thank you for supporting Prince of Peace Parish!**



### Prayer of the Week

Through your most holy passion and death, I beg of you, Lord, to grant me a most holy life, and a most complete death to all my vices and passions and self-love and to grant me sight of your holy faith, hope, and charity.

-St. Alphonsus Rodriguez, SJ

### Community Action Food Bank Part-Time Truck Driver Position

Looking for a little something to do to help the community? The Mid-Nebraska Community Action Food Bank is in need of a straight/reefer truck driver on Fridays for the mobiles starting January 27th. Contact Kyla Martin at (308) 865-1354 ext 1103 if interested.



In celebration of World Marriage Day, Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt will be presiding at an Anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 11, 2023 at 5 p.m., at St. Mary's Cathedral. All married couples in the Diocese of Grand Island whose anniversary is divisible by 5 in the years 2022-2023 will be honored at the Holy Mass. Please RSVP to St. Mary's Cathedral, 308-384-2523, or email [secretary@stmarysgl.com](mailto:secretary@stmarysgl.com) by February 8, 2023. A lasagna dinner will follow at Cathedral Square. The meal is dine-in or carry-out. A free will offering is requested.



## WEEKLY PRAYER

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2023

- Sunday:** Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17
- Monday:** Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mk 3:22-30
- Tuesday:** Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 708a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35
- Wednesday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18
- Thursday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5/12/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25
- Friday:** Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40/Mk 4:26-34
- Saturday:** Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Mk 4:35-41
- Next Sunday:** Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10 (Matthew 5:3)/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a

## OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2023

- Sunday:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday:** St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
- Tuesday:** St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Wednesday:** The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
- Thursday:** Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops
- Friday:** St. Angela Merici, Virgin
- Saturday:** St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church
- Next Sunday:** 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Celebrate Catholic Schools Week

## LIVE THE LITURGY

## Inspiration for the week

When Jesus called Simon and Andrew, they left “at once” to follow him; when he called James and John, they did likewise. St. Peter, St. Andrew, St. James and St. John, pray for us, that God will grant us similar courage and clarity when called by Christ.



## SAINT OF THE WEEK

St. Marianne Cope immigrated to the USA from Germany when she was a child. A gifted leader, she oversaw schools, hospitals, and missions during her long life. Most notably, she volunteered to provide care to those outcast with leprosy in Hawaii.

## PRAYER

Prayer for St. Marianne Cope's intercession

Lord Jesus, you who gave us your commandment of love of God and neighbor, and identified yourself in a special way with the most needy of your people, hear our prayer. Faithful to your teaching, St. Marianne Cope loved and served her neighbor, especially the most desolate outcast, giving herself generously and heroically for those afflicted by leprosy. She alleviated their physical and spiritual sufferings, thus helping them to accept their afflictions with patience.

Her care and concern for others manifested the great love you have for us. Through her merits and intercession, grant us the favor which we confidently ask of you so that the people of God, following the inspiration of her life and apostolate, may practice charity towards all according to your word and example.

Amen.

(Prayer Source: <https://www.saintmarianne.org/prayer---novena2.html>)



# PRO-LIFE YOUTH MASS 2023

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## Pro Life Youth Mass 2023



Front row (left to right): Isabella Svec; Claire Rogers; Bishop Hanefeldt; Jordyn Svec. Back row (left to right): Ann Sucha; Lindsay Vanderbeek; Eric Heckman; Father Paul Colling.

Ann Sucha and Eric Heckman will accompany the students to the March for Life in Washington D. C..



Following the Mass, there was a gathering in the social hall with speakers, Reagan Lowe (above) and Lily Wheeler (left).



## Contact Us

**Office Hours:** 9:00am-4:00pm  
Monday-Friday

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princeofpeacekearney.com

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Welcome packets  
for new parishioners available  
at each church entrance.

## Meetings & Activities

Monday, Jan. 23rd	2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.	Food Pantry Young Adults Bowling
Tuesday, Jan. 24th	6:45 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	OCIA
Wednesday, Jan. 25th	4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	Faith Formation Faith Formation Edge
Thursday, Jan. 26th	8:00 a.m.-Midnight 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	Adoration Food Pantry
Friday, Jan. 27th	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Adoration
Saturday, Jan. 28th	4:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Confession
Sunday, Jan 29th	9:15 a.m. & 11:45 a.m. 5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	Parish Phase II Meetings Confirmation Class Life Teen

## Jan 28th-29th

### Sat 5:00 PM

### Sun 8:00 AM

### Sun 10:30 AM

<b>Greeters</b>	Bo Feltz Marge Aten	Matthew Wecker Bill Vosik	Stanley Neben Elizabeth Vyvlecka
<b>Servers</b>	Riley Schulte Madisyn Kaslon	Clay Rasmussen Jackson Pandorf	Teddy Berrier Grady Thome Charlotte Nicholson
<b>Lectors</b>	Shanna Schulte	Carrie Rasmussen	Michael Heeney
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Becky Feltz Clint Witte Deb Straka Judy Walker Bev Schumacher Ellen Gitt	Julie Gappa Valerie Fredericksen Darren Yendra Gene Mack Jane Sheldon	Joel Berrier Julie Hoyt Ken Vyvlecka Deb Stocker
<b>Sound</b>	Denise O'Brien	Kenneth Marisch	David Hoyt
<b>Coordinator</b>		Kathy White	Amy Johnson
<b>Sacristan</b>	Robert Schulte	Kathy White	Ken Vyvlecka
<b>Homebound</b>		William Wright Bridget Nore Pat Trausch Shirley Gilbreath	
<b>Route 1</b>			
<b>Route 2</b>			
<b>Route 3</b>			
<b>Route 4</b>			

**Young Adults Bowling Outing**  
Monday, January 23rd 7:00 p.m.  
Big Apple Fun Center  
Contact Makayla in the office for



### Keenagers Mass & Potluck

Tuesday, January 31st, Mass at 11:30 AM  
with a Pot-luck Meal following the Mass



**Bulletin Deadlines:** Information for upcoming bulletin is due to the parish office by the following date: January 27th for the February 5th bulletin

Thank  
You

A sincere thank you to all of the parishioners who donate food and/or help serve and cleanup at the various social committee events. Parish "get togethers", receptions and special events have been possible because of your generosity. And thank you to all who come to enjoy the events and each others company. May God bless you all.

### Catholic Community Food Pantry at Prince of Peace Church

In December, donations to the pantry helped pay utility bills totaling \$565.65. Seven families were assisted with rent totaling \$845. Thirty-three families came to the pantry with food needs, and we were able to feed 137 of their family members. There were no miscellaneous expense items this month. The generous Advent calendar gifts eliminated several trips for groceries.

Deacon Tom Martin will be reading G.K. Chesterton's, *Orthodoxy* -aka "The Apostle of Common Sense"- on Tuesday evenings at UNK.

All are invited for this reading, discussion and much laughter. Looking forward to seeing you!!

Tuesdays starting January 24th

6:00 p.m.

UNK Thomas Hall Rm 209

