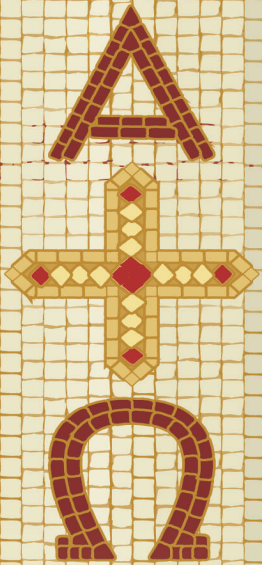


# PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

2407 W. 56th St., Kearney NE 68845

MAY  
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2020



FIFTH  
SUNDAY OF  
**Easter**



Jesus said,  
“In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places.”

JOHN 14:2





*Due to the coronavirus,  
all Masses at the church are suspended  
until further notice.*

**Fr. Paul is celebrating Masses  
to post digitally online daily:**

- On the Prince of Peace facebook page
- YouTube: Prince of Peace Catholic Church Kearney, Nebraska (Be sure to hit the bell so you can subscribe.)
- Website: princeofpeacekearney.com
- The parish app: myparishapp.com

### Receive the Prince of Peace Bulletin Electronically

Sign up to receive the Prince of Peace Parish Bulletin electronically through this link:

<https://ebulletin.jspaluch.com>

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## PARISH REGISTRATION

Welcome Packets are available at each church entrance. To register, please fill out the green form inside the packet and return it to the parish office. You may also sign up for ministries on the Stewardship form found in the packet.

*With gratitude we share  
that so many are continuing to Tithe.*

### How do I get my tithe to the church?

- Donate online:  
[abundant.co/princeofpeacekearney/give](http://abundant.co/princeofpeacekearney/give)  
This link can be accessed on our website
- Through the Abundant Giving Mobile App
- Text POPKearney to 73256
- Mail in your contribution
- Use the slot by the confessional at church if you come to pray
- Drop off in the slot at our CPA firm, Hellman Main Coslor & Kathol PC (3519 Second Ave.)

*We are here to support you  
and take care of your spiritual needs.  
Please let us know what we can do for you.*

## CONTACT INFORMATION

**Office hours: 9:00am—4:00pm** **Monday—Thursday**  
**Closed** **Friday—Sunday**

**Church phone: 308-236-9171**

**Fax Number: 308-237-4198**

**Rectory phone: 308-224-3843**

**Parish email: office@kearneyprinceofpeace.org**

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## SACRAMENTS & STEWARDSHIP

**RECONCILIATION:** Watch the parish app for times or contact the parish office at 236-9171.

**MARRIAGE:** See Fr. Paul or Deacon Thomas about marriage and allow at least 6-12 months for preparation.

**BAPTISM:** Baptism Preparation is offered at 10:00am on the 2nd Saturday of each month. Please call the church office to register.

**PASTORAL VISITS:** Contact the church office for pastoral visits at home or in the hospital. The hospital may not have called the church.

**HELPING HANDS:** Helping with our parishioners' needs. Contact Phyllis Stittle: 308-234-3606 or [pm.stittle@gmail.com](mailto:pm.stittle@gmail.com)

## PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

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.

## Our Sacrificial Giving

Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Giving

<b>Annual Ordinary Giving Budget</b>	<b>\$ 806,000.00</b>
May Giving Budget	\$ 77,500.00
May 2, 2020 Electronic Giving	\$ 5,185.50
May 3, 2020 Collection	\$ 16,600.00
On Line Giving/Abundant	\$ <u>1,573.02</u>
May Total To Date	\$ 23,358.52

Donations can now be made through the website:

[princeofpeacekearney.com](http://princeofpeacekearney.com)

**Electronic Funds Transfer is available:** Please contact Jo Ann Hoffman if you are interested in signing up or if you would like to make a change to your current EFT:

[finance@kearneyprinceofpeace.org](mailto:finance@kearneyprinceofpeace.org)  
or 308-236-9171

*Thank you for supporting  
Prince of Peace Parish!*

## Prayer Concerns



Denise Tworek (Mary Wagner's niece), Rose & Tony Wathen, Chuck Day (Mary Jane Skala's brother), Carol Torpey (Cathleen Abels' sister-in-law), LaVon Buettner, Kate Iwan (Ginger Weides' sister), Robert M. Fitzgerald, Carolyn Menke (Carolyn & Jerry Menke's sister-in-law), Ramona Cook (Fr. Paul's cousin), Tim Unrein, Rhonda Wadzinski (Lillian Kowalski's niece), Arlene Hoarty (Scott Hoarty's mother), Don Sluti, James Fitzgerald, Kristi Habe (Phyllis Stittle's cousin), Taylor Grace, Catherine Bals, Jennifer Wilford & Annette Coon (Ellen Nickel's sisters), Karen Verraneault, Bill Christen (Rose Hemmingsen's brother), Marge & Lynn Gardner, John McGuire, Matt Brass (Adell Ryan's cousin), Theresa Andrews, Alexis Pacheco & Blakely Pacheco, Ken Rezac (Lori Keller's father), Georgia Vak, Bob Farquhar, Charles Wieduwilt, Lavonne Kinyon (Don Frank's mother), Paul Liebig, Bailey Redwine, Don Emrick, Kate Hearne, and all others in need of prayer.

### Pray—and Feed Your Soul

The Pope has asked us to pray the family Rosary for the COVID 19 Pandemic everyday at 3 PM CST. If you cannot pray at 3 PM—do it at another time. The Rosary (google 17 minute Rosary) and Stations of the Cross (csrcsiceowl.org or catholic.org) are wonderful for individual or family meditations.

### SpringFest Raffle Drawing To Be Held!!

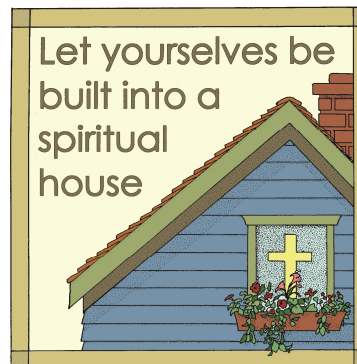
*Our Lord has risen from the dead, Alleluia!*

*To all, we must push ahead  
His joy and hope are ours too  
So in May we will see this RAFFLE through  
Our SpringFest is still postponed  
Onward to the drawings we go  
Pentecost Sunday will soon be here  
Please sign your tickets and have NO FEAR  
The cash, the beef, the grill and the lawn care  
The Solid Rock, the jewelry and quilt are all still there  
Send your tickets to the Church right away  
We will draw for the prizes on the 31st of May!*



\*\*\*\*\*SpringFest Raffle Drawing \*\*\*\*\*

Date: **May 31, 2020**  
Place: **Prince of Peace Social Hall**  
Time: **After the 10:30 AM Mass**



### HELP OUT OUR ADVERTISERS

Our Sunday bulletin is an important way for us to communicate with you, especially during these days of the Coronavirus pandemic. It might be the only way that we can reach some of you. Every bulletin that you receive is paid for through the generosity of the businesses that you see advertised. Most of these advertisers are members of our local community, and many belong to our parish. We urge you to think of them when you decide to have a meal or other item delivered to your door. Tell the business owners that you appreciate their support of our parish through their advertisements in the bulletin. This is one small way that we can work within our own community to weather the challenges that we face. Together we can help each other make it through.

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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 11-17, 2020

Monday:	Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16; Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday:	Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21; Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday:	Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8
Thursday:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17
Friday:	Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12; Jn 15:12-17
Saturday:	Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21
Sunday:	Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21 or Jn 17:1-11a



## Pastor's note:

May is packed full of activities that have radically been altered due to the Coronavirus. We pray for all who are sick, for those who have died, for their loved ones who care for them. We pray for all the health care workers; all branches. And we pray for all those deemed essential workers.

On May 1st, the Bishops of United States and Canada reconsecrated our respective nations to Our Lady, Mother of the Church, at a prayer service. Archbishop Jose H. Gomez, the president of the United States Catholic Conference (USCCB) offers us a prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe at this time of need. You will find it in this bulletin.

Happy Mother's day! However you are in touch with your mothers, may you be safe. May God bless all those who are biological mothers or adoptive mothers or those who have shown us motherly kindness! May you have a blessed day and know the love of God and family.

May is also the month we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. Life is very busy but taking time out to pray a family rosary can bring peace and unity to a home.

The month of May is also the month when so many graduate from High School, Universities, Colleges, and Trade Schools. Due to the coronavirus, life has been curtailed and many activities surrounding graduation have been canceled or postponed. No matter how you safely celebrate this milestone, please know we are proud of you. May God, the Holy Spirit, guide you as you begin another chapter in your life. We, the church of Prince of Peace, are proud of your accomplishments and wish you the choicest blessings of God.

Some areas of Nebraska have been allowed to have Mass this weekend and others were not. It is difficult decision but know that our common good is the Bishop's and our priority. It is our hope to offer Masses the weekend of May 30-31, 2020, with the dispensations for Sunday obligation remaining in place. During the next few weeks a team and I will be working out the logistics. We will look at adding additional Masses, we will look at having a Mass dedicated for those whose health is compromised, and so much more. You will be made aware of the guidance in ample time. Until then let us pray for one another.



Archbishop Jose H. Gomez of Los Angeles, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops asks all the faithful to seek together the maternal intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe, and he shares this prayer with us:

*Holy Virgin of Guadalupe, Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.*

*We fly to you today as your beloved children.  
We ask you to intercede for us with your Son, as you did at the wedding in Cana.*

*Pray for us, loving Mother,  
and gain for our nation and world,  
and for all our families and loved ones,  
the protection of your holy angels,  
that we may be spared the worst of this illness.*

*For those already afflicted,  
we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance.  
Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful, wipe  
away their tears and help them to trust.*

*In this time of trial and testing, teach all of us in the  
Church to love one another and to be patient and kind. Help  
us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.*

*We come to you with confidence, knowing that you truly  
are our compassionate mother,  
health of the sick and cause of our joy.*

*Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,  
keep us in the embrace of your arms,  
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus. Amen.*







**Welcome**

Kate Elizabeth Klinginsmith  
child of Matt & Liz  
*who was baptized at Prince of Peace*

**FORMED: like Netflix for Catholics**

In the midst of a busy culture, people everywhere are turning to formed.org and finding the peace and joy that can only come from God. You can stream hundreds of Catholic films, life-changing talks, and dramatic stories of the saints. The parish pays for this account and all you have to do is follow the link below and set up your own free profile:  
[princeofpeacekarney.formed.org](http://princeofpeacekarney.formed.org)

**Download Our Parish App!**



Our parish app has been live for a while now! We appreciate those of you who have taken the time to download it and to create an account. If you haven't yet, take a look! The app is a great way for you to further your faith, whether it's through setting confession reminders, reading your prayers, accessing FORMED, or watching daily Masses. All of this is accessible to you in the app. You also have access to the parish calendar, which shows when various meetings are being held, when committees meet, when faith formation is held, and when both daily and weekend Masses are held. The app is another way for you to communicate with the entire parish. We can send out notifications, such as closures due to weather, changes to Mass schedule, and even reminders for special events.

Download our app today at:  
[myparishapp.com](http://myparishapp.com)  
or search your phone's app store for myparish.

**Great way to keep updated**



I wanted to let you know that we are streaming a 30 minute conversation with the seminarians from the **Vocation Office Facebook Page** every Sunday night at 6:30 pm. We will be doing this throughout the rest of the summer (if possible) and we'd love to have you join us!

<https://www.facebook.com/gi.vocations/videos/550297625920725/>

Fr. Neal Hock, Diocesan Vocations Director

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH STILL SCHEDULED FOR THIS SUMMER**

**Please Note:**

**The first week of High Ground has been cancelled. Other sessions are still scheduled at this time.**

**Attention middle school students** currently in 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> grades. **Higher Ground Extreme Faith camp registration is open now.** Ask Stephen Friesell, Prince of Peace Youth Minister Coordinator, about this opportunity. Register today at [highergroundretreats.org](http://highergroundretreats.org).

**Attention high school sophomores, juniors and seniors. Higher Ground has been postponed to August and registration will open June 1.** Ask Stephen Friesell, youth ministry coordinator, about this opportunity. Register at: [highergroundretreats.org](http://highergroundretreats.org).

**Pastoral Visits**

Please call the church office, 236-9171, to request a pastoral visit to the hospital, home or nursing home.

Because HIPPA regulations do not allow publication of the names of those hospitalized, we ask that family members call the church if a visit would be appreciated.

*Holy Mary, protect all mothers*



*What a joy to remember that Mary is our Mother! Since she loves us and knows our weakness, what have we to fear? -St. Thérèse of Lisieux*

*Happy Mother's Day! God's blessings to all mothers.*

Due to the COVID-19 circumstances, **TOTUS TUUS HAS BEEN CANCELED** and will not be rescheduled.



Watch the parish app for Reconciliation times or you may make an appointment for Reconciliation by calling the Parish Office, 308-236-9171.



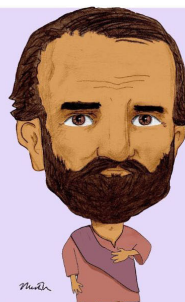
**Please note:**

Our parish office hours have temporarily changed due to COVID-19. Minimal staff are in the office at this time so we will return messages and emails as soon as possible. If you have an emergency please call the rectory: 308-224-3843.

**New Office hours:**

**Monday—Thursday 9 AM-4 PM**  
**Friday—Sunday Closed**

saint snippets



*"You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen."*

*-The Apostles' prayer before choosing Matthias (Acts 1:24)*

**St. Matthias**

*One of the seventy-two disciples who followed Christ from the beginning. He was chosen by the apostles to replace Judas who betrayed Jesus.*

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