

Prince of Peace Catholic Church

2407 W 56th St., Kearney, NE

JESUS SAID TO JAIRUS,

**“Do not be afraid;
just have faith.”**

MARK 5:36



JUNE 27, 2021

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass/Service Schedule and Intentions

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Intention</u>
Mon., June 28	No Mass	Please Pray On Your Own
Tue., June 29	7:30AM	Younes Family
Wed., June 30	7:30AM	Jonie Zanocco †
Thu., July 1	12:05PM	Eldon Wickham †
Fri., July 2	7:30AM	Younes Family
Sat., July 3	5:00PM	Mort Johnson †
Sun., July 4	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Carolyn O'Brien † Prince of Peace Parishioners



****The weekday Mass will be cancelled whenever there is a morning funeral.
Please watch the TV stations & the app for possible cancellations.
When the weather is bad Masses may be cancelled for safety purposes.**

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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.

CONTACT INFORMATION

- Office hours:** 9:00am—5:00pm Monday—Thursday
9:00 am-4:00pm Friday
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us on facebook!

SACRAMENTS & STEWARDSHIP

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 4-4:30 PM. Extra times are listed on the back page or contact the parish office: 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

PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

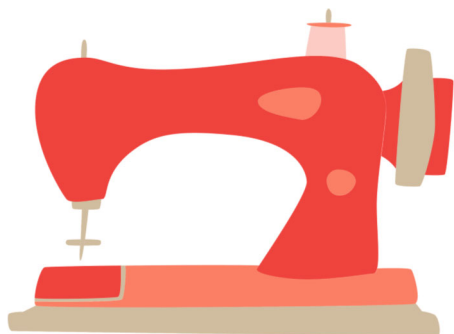
United in the sacraments as the Body of Christ, we the members of Prince of Peace Catholic Parish extend the welcoming arms of Jesus, opening the world to God's presence through works of love, hospitality, mercy and prayer.

MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Thurs. July 1 Adoration 8am-12am
 Fri. July 2 Adoration 8am-5pm

Little Dresses for Haiti

Get your machines ready and fabric collected!



Join us at Prince of Peace church to sew on July 21st and 22nd, 9am-12pm, 1-4pm, and 5-8pm. Hopefully we can gather and share our talents with those little kids in Haiti. We need all ages and skill levels, cutting, sewing, bagging, etc. This is such a fantastic community building project!

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Information for the June 27 bulletin is due in the parish office by **10AM on Monday, June 21.**

Please email information to:

popoffice@kearneyprinceofpeace.org or drop off/mail to the church office. Thank you!

Pastor's Notes

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Give Glory, Give Glory to God! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Last weekend at the Masses I announced that the \$2.3 million debt has been paid in full in 9 short years!!!! This is exciting news! Thank you to all who gave big or small to the building project! We will celebrate 10 years in this building and 35 years as a parish the weekend of August 7& 8, 2021. More details to come! Please save the date. We have much to celebrate!

This past year I have been meeting with a team of parishioners to look towards the future. We have beautiful church but the space for religious formation, adult ministry, and other church activities is not adequate. So, we will be discussing the next phase later this summer. Until then, let us celebrate the joy and blessing of having our church paid for!

June 29th at 2 pm (Mountain Time) we will celebrate with pride the Episcopal ordination of James R. Golka. You may view the ordination and instillation of the Diocese of Colorado Springs on Facebook or YouTube.

As Bishop elect Golka becomes acquainted with his new Diocese, many of the priests in the Diocese of Grand Island will be getting acquainted with their new parishes. When a priest is reassigned to a new parish, his new assignment begins on July 1. The next issue of the *West Nebraska Catholic* magazine which is due to land in our mailboxes next week, has a page listing the assignment changes. Please take some time to pray for each of these priests who will be moving from their current assignment to a new one, including Fr. Mike McDermott, who will be retiring. Moving from one place to another has plenty of challenges, so let us support them in these coming weeks as their transition to a new assignment gets underway. Please pray for Bishop elect Golka and all the priests.

Our Sacrificial Giving

Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Giving

May 2021 Budget	\$ 77,500.00
May 2, 2021 Collections	\$ 20,404.50
May 9, 2021 Collections	\$ 17,416.46
May 16, 2021 Collections	\$ 17,164.18
May 23, 2021 Collections	\$ 7,922.20
May 30, 2021 Collections	\$ 10,882.69
May to Date	\$ 73,790.03

June 2021 Budget	\$62,000.00
June 6, 2021 Collections	\$18,988.07
June 13, 2021 Collections	\$13,459.32
June 20, 2021 Collections	\$16,336.28
June 27, 2021 Collections	
June to Date	\$48,783.67

*Thank you for supporting
Prince of Peace Parish!*

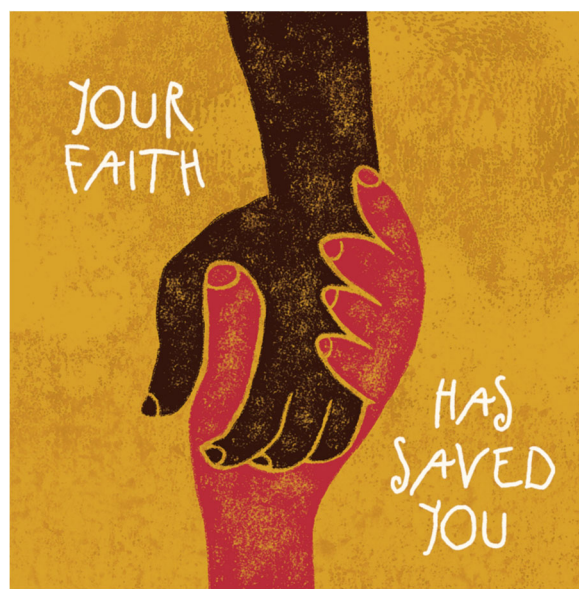
JESUS' EXAMPLE OF HELPING OTHERS

In today's second reading Paul offers a wonderful argument to his converts at Corinth for seeking to help those in need. He is dealing with a practical problem, arranging a collection for the poor of the church of Jerusalem; but as he often does, he develops an important teaching about Jesus to make his point. After asking that they show their faith by generous gifts, he reminds them of the "gracious act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich" (2 Corinthians 8:9). In the Incarnation our Lord assumed our human nature, certainly becoming poor for one who is God. The ultimate gracious act of this poverty was going to the cross with all its terrible sufferings. By this act of poverty we definitely become rich. Now our sins can be forgiven; we can share in the very life of God through the sacraments; we can attain eternal salvation!

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Prayer Concerns

Marilyn Schachta, Anne DelBene (Jim and Kathleen McKenzie's niece), Marlene Rasmussen, Jason Rowenhorst, Beau Quintana (Todd Spellman's grandson), Piper Meyer (Walt Fick's cousin), Rick T. (Judy Witte's cousin), Merle Lessig (Mandy Mueing's father), Craig Worm, Linda Giesler, Pat Morse, Mitch O'Neill, Patrick Unrein (Tim Unrein's nephew), Don Davis (Adell Ryan's cousin), Georgia Vak, Karen Warford (Albert Martenson's sister-in-law), Gary Peace (Cal Kelly's nephew), Mary Sahli (Brian Vinton's aunt), Helen Unrein (Tim Unrein's aunt), MaryAnn Wieduwilt, Lorraine Buller (Carolyn Menke's sister), Ann Sucha, Mike Polzin (Dan Kelley's cousin), Carol Torpey (Cathleen Abels' sister-in-law), Alexis Pacheco & Blakely Pacheco, Bob Farquhar, Don Emrick, and all others in need of prayer.



Thank you for the cards and best wishes. It really touched our hearts.

-Don & Cathy Emrick



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 28-JULY 4

Monday:	Gn 18:16-33; Ps 103:1b-4, 8-11; Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday:	Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19
Wednesday:	Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday:	Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
Friday:	Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday:	Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
Sunday:	Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a



Stewardship
LIGHT
Christian Hospitality

Kory Koralewski, Director of Stewardship
Diocese of Grand Island

What: An Essential Message of Hospitality.

Where: Prince of Peace Parish Hall

When: Tuesday, July 13th
6:00-6:30pm - Social/Food
6:30-7:30pm - The Message
7:30-8:00pm - Q&A/Social

Why: Hear what's possible
Be empowered with
Fun, Simple, Practical ideas
for you & your parish

EVERYONE WELCOME

RSVP to Jason Downing at 308-627-7771

Please consider serving our parish as a lay minister. All ministries contribute to the Mass.

Greeters • Servers • Lectors •
Eucharistic Ministers • Gift Bearers
Sound Ministers • Coordinators • Sacristans

“Work willingly at whatever you do, as though you were working for the Lord rather than for people. Remember that the Lord will give you an inheritance as your reward, and that the Master you are serving is Christ.”

Colossians 3:23-24

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.
— Elizabeth Andrew

For more information on serving, please contact Mandy at the church office (308) 236-9171, or at mandy@kearneyprinceofpeace.org.

“Solidarity means much more than engaging in sporadic acts of generosity. It means thinking and acting in terms of community” (*Fratelli tutti*, 116).

June 22 to July 4, 2014 the US Catholic Conference of Bishops have call us to participate in *The Fortnight for Freedom*. In our Liturgical calendar we remember and celebrate great martyrs who remained faithful to God and Church in the face of persecutions by political powers such as St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, St. John the Baptist, SS Peter and Paul, and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome.

The theme of this year’s Fortnight will focus on the Freedom to serve the poor and vulnerable in accord with human dignity and the Church’s teaching. Throughout these days the Bishops are asking us to pray, reflect and act on the following issues:

Pray-Reflect-Act

- Adoption and Foster Care
- Catholic Social Service in the Pandemic
- The Equality Act
- Church Vandalism
- Catholics in Nicaragua
- Conscience Rights for Healthcare Workers
- Pope Francis’ Solidarity with Beleaguered Christians in Iraq
- Free Speech

The Bishops invite us to pray and fast for our Religious Freedom. For more information please see the USCCB website: www.usccb.org



**RELIGIOUS
FREEDOM
WEEK**

Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus, a Latin term meaning “all yours” was Saint Pope JPII’s motto that expressed his desire to give himself totally to Jesus Christ through Mother Mary. Saint Pope JPII had a love of the youth and spent much of his time expressing the joy of Christ to the young Catholics of the world. It is no surprise then that “Totus Tuus” is the name of a Catholic youth summer program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Totus Tuus calls upon Catholic college students and seminarians to carry the mission to every young person they encounter. Students are hired for their energy, enthusiasm, love for the faith, commitment to spiritual growth, and a desire to work with youth. Teams of four, consisting of two men and two women, are invited to a parish where they conduct a week-long “parish mission,” teaching and inspiring the parish’s first through twelfth grade youth.

This past week Totus Tuus Camp was held here at Prince of Peace. We had about 70 campers from 1st grade thru 12 grade attend during the week. Campers arrived at 9 am and began the day with some silly songs and games. They attended classroom time, confession, adoration, participated in prayer time and daily Mass, as well as enjoyed lunch, snacks and recesses. This year’s focus was on the glorious mysteries of the rosary and the 10 Commandments. Each day a glorious mystery was revealed with a corresponding bracelet given to each camper. The color of the bracelet directly correlated to something to do with the mystery: red for Pentecost, blue for the Assumption of Mary etc. Prior to Mass the students prayed a decade of the rosary, using the day’s mystery as a point of reflection and meditation.

Camp leaders also lead discussions on the 10 Commandments and the meaning of each of them. At the end of each day campers were pulled together for a review of the day’s lessons. Campers would form a circle with each camp leader presenting a short question/answer session to review the messages of the day or maybe even asking the students to sing a song they had learned that reviewed all the skills. Campers were then lead in some silly interactive songs before being dismissed for the day.

Friday, is an especially fun time of Totus Tuus. Friday afternoon is “water” time. The campers compete as classes to win points throughout the week. The class with the most points gets to “cream” one of the Camp leaders. Friday afternoon starts with the shaving creaming of the leader followed by fun in the sun with water. This year the campers enjoyed a slip-n-slide in the Church lawn.

All in all camp was amazing. The students learned lots about their faith, had fun, and through the teams’ example of joy and service, they met and witnessed men and women who are ON FIRE with the Catholic faith.

-Amy Lowe
Faith Formation Coordinator

Summer Pilgrimages



The Holy Family Shrine can be seen from I-80 shortly before the Gretna exit. I have passed many times thinking someday I need to stop, but I never seemed to find time. Then this past spring a priest I know from another diocese meet me in Omaha. We went to visit the Holy Family Shrine. It is worth the trip!



June 23-July 7 there will an exhibit at the Holy Family Shrine that features beautiful panels high-lighting Marian Apparitions around the world. They include stunning images of Mary as well as well-documented facts and historical information about the apparitions all recognized by their local bishops. The display’s purpose is to increase the faith of people on earth through awareness of miracles of Marian apparitions.

Unfortunately, it was a very cold day and we chose not to visit The Cloisters on the Platte which is near by the Holy Family Shrine. There are the Stations of the Cross which is worth visiting also. The Stations of the Cross is a 2,500-foot-long walking tour with audio meditations, comprised of 14 sculpture stations that represent Christ’s trial through his burial.





The Totus Tuus kids and leaders take a quick picture before hopping on the water slide!

Lay Ministers	June 27, 2021		
Mass Time	5:00pm	Sunday 8:00am	Sunday 10:30am
Greeters	Raymond Panowicz ? Opportunity to Serve	Gary Sorenson ? Opportunity to Serve	Patrick Halpin ? Opportunity to Serve
Servers	? Opportunity to Serve ? Opportunity to Serve ? Opportunity to Serve	Lily Wheeler ? Opportunity to Serve ? Opportunity to Serve	Darby Runge Jackson Runge Landon Herrmann
Lectors	Clint Witte	Lori Schulte	? Opportunity to Serve
Eucharistic Ministers	Le Spencer ? Opportunity to Serve ? Opportunity to Serve	Bill Gilbreath Shirley Gilbreath ? Opportunity to Serve	Michael Heeney Traci Runge ? Opportunity to Serve
Gift Bearers	? Opportunity to Serve	? Opportunity to Serve	? Opportunity to Serve
Sound	Kenneth Marisch	Robert Hock	? Opportunity to Serve
Coordinator	Marlene Rasmussen	Kathy White	Mary Wagner
Sacristan	? Opportunity to Serve	DeAnn Nickel	? Opportunity to Serve

If you are not receiving ministry e-mails, please send a current e-mail address to: mandy@kearneyprinceofpeace.org

Please contact the parish office if you would like to be trained for any of these ministries.