

PRINCE OF PEACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 2, 2020

Thus says the Lord:
All you who are thirsty, come to the water!
You who have no money,
come, receive grain and eat;
Come, without paying and without cost,
drink wine and milk!

Isaiah 55:1

Mass/Service Schedule and Intentions

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Intention</u>
Mon., Aug. 3	No Mass	Please Pray On Your Own
Tue., Aug. 4	7:30 AM	Communion Service
Wed., Aug. 5	6:00 PM	Bernard & Ione Morrissey (Wearing a mask is <u>required</u> at this 6:00 PM Mass.)
Thu., Aug. 6	No Mass	Please Pray On Your Own
Fri., Aug. 7	7:30 AM	Communion Service
Sat., Aug. 8	5:00 PM	Bob Prosocki †
Sun., Aug. 9	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Prince of Peace Parishioners Seminarians of the Grand Island Diocese



****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

Church phone: 308-236-9171

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us on facebook!

SACRAMENTS & STEWARDSHIP

RECONCILIATION: Wednesday 5-5:30 PM, Saturday 4-4:30 PM, 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

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

July 2020 Budget	\$ 62,000.00
July 2, 2020 Electronic Funds Transfer	\$ 5,285.00
Sunday, July 5, 2020 Collection	\$ 10,464.33
Electronic Giving/Abundant	\$ 1,485.65
Sunday, July 12, 2020 Collection	\$ 5,548.50
Electronic Giving/Abundant	\$ 864.30
July 16, 2020 Electronic Funds Transfer	\$ 7,812.17
Sunday, July 19, 2020 Collection	\$ 7,343.50
Online Giving/Abundant	\$ 1,456.25
Sunday, July 26, 2020 Collection	\$ 24,452.55
Online Giving/Abundant	\$ 999.75
July 2020 Total to Date	\$ 65,712.00

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
or 308-236-9171

*Thank you for supporting
Prince of Peace Parish!*

Prayer Concerns

MaryAnn Wieduwilt, Lorraine Buller (Carolyn Menke's sister), Abby Covalt (Jo Ann Hoffman's granddaughter), Nathan Potter, Ann Sucha, Mike Polzin (Dan Kelley's cousin), Dave Hoban, Barbara Graham (Fr. Paul's sister), Joe Colling (Fr. Paul's uncle), Rose & Tony Wathen, Carol Torpey (Cathleen Abels' sister-in-law), Kate Iwan (Ginger Weides' sister), Robert M. Fitzgerald, Carolyn Menke (Carolyn & Jerry Menke's sister-in-law), Ramona Cook (Fr. Paul's cousin), Rhonda Wadzinski (Lillian Kowalski's niece), Arlene Hoarty (Scott Hoarty's mother), Taylor Grace, James Fitzgerald, Kristi Habe (Phyllis Stittle's cousin), Catherine Bals, Jennifer Wilford & Annette Coon (Ellen Nickel's sisters), Karen Verraneault, Marge & Lynn Gardner, Matt Brass (Adell Ryan's cousin), Alexis Pacheco & Blakely Pacheco, Ken Rezac (Lori Keller's father), Georgia Vak, Bob Farquhar, Charles Wieduwilt, Paul Liebig, Don Emrick, and all others in need of prayer.



Volunteers Needed



Many of the lay ministers who have faithfully served our parish for years have had to make the difficult decision to step away from volunteering as they fell into a variety of (Covid) at-risk categories. Our parish is very much in need of the following:

Greeters for ALL MASSES

Sound board operators for ALL MASSES

Coordinators for ALL MASSES

Lectors for the 5:00 pm Mass

Servers for the 5:00 pm and 8:00 am Masses

Eucharistic Ministers for the 5:00 pm Mass

While these are our greatest needs, we would welcome any and all volunteers for any of the above Lay Ministries, regardless of what Mass you prefer to attend. If you have any questions, or are interested in serving, please contact Mandy Mueting at the church office or via email at princeofpeacecliturgies@gmail.com.

2019-2020 Appeal
Prince of Peace is at
101.3% of our Goal!
Thank you! Good job!



Prince of Peace/Kearney Diocese of Grand Island

Parish Goal:	\$74,781	Goal:	\$1,150,000
Total Raised:	\$75,758	Total Raised:	\$1,080,498
Total Received:	\$73,772	Total Received:	\$ 1,059,516
Donor Goal:	183	Donor Goal:	4,453
Current No. of Donors:	191	Current No. of Donors:	3,628

Thank you! We're so close to goal!

Information regarding your donations to the Diocesan Appeal can be requested from the Chancery Office in Grand Island. Amy Scheer: ascheer@gidiocese.org or 800-652-0004



Welcome
Finn Myron Lee
child of John & Josie
who was baptized at Prince of Peace

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 3-9, 2020

Monday:	Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:22-36
Tuesday:	Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday:	Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday:	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9
Friday:	Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28
Saturday:	Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20
Sunday:	1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33



August 1/2, 2020 ~ 18th Sunday—Ordinary Time



Gathering—Table of Plenty

Refrain: Come to the feast of heaven and earth!
Come to the table of plenty! God will provide
For all that we need, here at the table of plenty.

1. O come and sit at my table where saints and sinners are friends. I wait to welcome the lost and lonely to share the cup of my love.

2. O come and eat without money; come to drink without price. My feast of gladness will feed your spirit with faith and fullness of life.

3. My bread will ever sustain you through days of sorrow and woe. My wine will flow like a sea of gladness to flood the depths of your soul.

Text and music: Dan Schutte, b. 1947 ©1992, OCP.

Offertory—Come to the Water

1. O let all who thirst, let them come to the water.
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord:
without money, without price.
Why should you pay the price, except for the Lord?

2. And let all who seek, let them come to the water.
And let all who have nothing, let them come to the Lord:
without money, without strife.
Why should you spend your life, except for the Lord?

3. And let all who toil, let them come to the water.
And let all who are weary, let them come to the Lord:
all who labor, without rest.
How can your soul find rest, except for the Lord?

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Communion—Behold the Lamb

1. Those who were in the dark are thankful for the sunlight; we who live, we who die are grateful for his gift, thankful for his love.

Refrain: Behold, behold the Lamb of God. All who eat, all who drink shall live; and all, all who dwell in God shall come to know his glory.

2. Peaceful now, those whose hearts are blessed with understanding of the wheat, of the wine united with his word and the love we share.

3. Gentle one, Child of God, join with us at this table. Bless our lives; nourish all who hunger for this feast; shelter them with peace.

4. Lord of all, give us light. Deliver us from evil. Make us one; be our shield. Make still the winds that blow; cradle us with love.

Text and music: based on John 1:29, Martin Willett, b. 1960 © 1984, OCP.

I Am the Bread of Life

I am the Bread of life. You who come to me shall not hunger; and who believe in my shall not thirst. No one can come to me unless the Father beckons. And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up, and I will raise you up on the last day.

Text: John 6:35,44,51,53-54; 11:25-27, Suzanne Toolan, RSM. Music: Suzanne Toolan, RSM. Text and music © 1966, 1970, 1986, 1993, 2005, GIA Publications, Inc.

Dismissal—Go Make a Difference

Refrain: Go make a difference. We can make a difference. Go make a difference in the world. Go make a difference. We can make a difference. Go make a difference in the world.

We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see the love of God in you and me. We are the light of the world, not to be hidden but be seen. Go make a difference in the world.

We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of God for all to see. We are the spirit of hope; we are the voice of peace. Go make a difference in the world.

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August 1,2— 2020

18th Sunday - Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 55:1-3

Thus says the LORD: All you who are thirsty, come to the water! You who have no money, come, receive grain and eat; Come, without paying and without cost, drink wine and milk! Why spend your money for what is not bread; your wages for what fails to satisfy? Heed me, and you shall eat well, you shall delight in rich fare. Come to me heedfully, listen, that you may have life. I will renew with you the everlasting covenant, the benefits assured to David.

Responsorial —Psalm 145

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

Second Reading: Romans 8:35,37-39

Brothers and sisters: What will separate us from the love of Christ? Will anguish, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or the sword? No, in all these things we conquer overwhelmingly through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Gospel: Matthew 14:13-21

When Jesus heard of the death of John the Baptist, he withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself. The crowds heard of this and followed him on foot from their towns. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, and he cured their sick. When it was evening, the disciples approached him and said, "This is a deserted place and it is already late; dismiss the crowds so that they can go to the villages and buy food for themselves." Jesus said to them, "There is no need for them to go away; give them some food yourselves." But they said to him, "Five loaves and two fish are all we have here." Then he said, "Bring them here to me," and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds. They all ate and were satisfied, and they picked up the fragments left over—twelve wicker baskets full. Those who ate were about five thousand men, not counting women and children.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
We give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of
God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive
our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son
of God, born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
Begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
Through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven.
And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
And became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
He suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third
day in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the
Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and
the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
And I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
And the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer to Saint Michael

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our
defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May
God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the
heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and
the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of
souls. Amen.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK
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Happy Anniversary of the dedication of the new Prince of Peace facilities! Although the parish of Prince of Peace has existed for 34 years, the current church building was dedicated August 5, 2011. The past nine years have passed quickly!

The facilities of Prince of Peace are a testimony to the dedicated faithful people of the Catholic Community of Kearney. It is with great satisfaction that I have enjoyed being your pastor for the past eight years.

The building itself is a traditional cruciform shaped church. That the church is built on this hill harkens us to recall the scripture, Matthew 5: 14, referring to a city set on a hill. Prince of Peace towers on this small hill in northwest Kearney. It naturally draws people in either physically, to pray or spiritually calls them to think of God.

The four rose stained glass windows open the church to the multicolored creation of God; the light's reflection colorfully dancing on those it touches reminding us of the light of Christ...the Light of the world.

As one enters the church it is hoped that one feels a sense that heaven is wedded to earth. The lines and colors of the art work subtly draw us to look above to the heavens where we are surrounded by the choirs of Angels singing, "Santus, Santus, Santus" or Holy, Holy, Holy. And yet, the artistic placement of the doves above the angles draws our vision to look towards the east and then to the sanctuary to the one who is our Savior, Jesus Christ, who is clearly seen.

Near the large image of Jesus, or the pantocrator, is the crucifix; for without the cross there would be no resurrection. The crucified Lord and the risen Lord remind us of the paschal mystery; the life, death, and resurrection of Christ.

In the transepts there are alcoves with the murals of the saints. On the north side the Saints of the 20th century and on the south side the Saints that served in the Americas.

Under the altar, in a special chamber, there are the relics of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and St. John Newman.

We call the building the church and it is, but the church is the people of God. Like the old nurse rhyme done with our fingers: here is the church, here is the steeple, open the doors and see all the people.

Someday there will be a gathering area in front of the church. Until then we enjoy the blessed space we have. We are grateful for our church. It is like our second home. We are the church of Prince of Peace!

Meetings and Activities

Sun. Aug. 2	Mass 8 AM & 10:30 AM
Tue. Aug. 4	Mass 7:30 AM
Wed. Aug. 5	Confession 5-5:30pm Mass 6 PM ASET 7 PM
Thu. Aug. 6	Adoration 8 AM—9 PM Mass 12:05 PM
Fri. Aug. 7	Mass 7:30 AM Adoration 8 AM—4PM
Sat. Aug. 8	Baptism Preparation 10 AM Confession 4—4:30 PM Mass 5 PM
Sun. Aug. 9	Mass 8 AM & 10:30 AM



**Faith
Formation
Registration**

Forms are available on the website or can be picked up at the church entrances and in the parish office.

Please register your students as soon as possible so curriculum can be ordered.

Calling All Catzchists!

If you are interested in using your time and talents to educate the youth of our parish on Wednesday evenings or Sunday mornings **PLEASE** send an email to Amy Lowe at: faithformation@kearneyprinceofpeace.org or call the parish office, 308-236-9171. Please indicate your preferred grade and time to teach or assist: Wednesday 4:00 pm or 5:30 pm or Sunday 9:20 am **THANK YOU!**



*Baptism Preparation is offered the second Saturday of the month at 10 A.M. The next session will be **February 8th.** Please register through the parish office if you plan to attend, 308-236-9171.*

Stations of the Cross Reopening Monday, August 3rd. Precautions will be taken for social distancing. Plan to wear a mask. Suggested donation \$10 per person. Hours: Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm, Friday & Saturday 9am-3pm. Location: 23332 Fishery Road, Gretna, NE. More information at: cloistersontheplatte.com

THE DISPENSATION FROM SUNDAY MASS AND HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION REMAINS IN FORCE

(you are not obligated to attend Mass)

The Mass will still be available for praying/viewing on the parish website, the YouTube parish channel and Facebook.

Please stay home if you are sick, have a fever, are in the health-risk category, care for someone who is sick or vulnerable or has been exposed to COVID-19. Gathering in a public space, including our church, still poses a risk of acquiring or transmitting the virus..

Procedures For Attending Mass

- ◆ Everyone is encouraged to wear a mask (masks are available for you at the doors if you don't have one). Several times in his directives, the Bishop encourages those attending Mass to wear masks. It is our expectation that you follow his encouragement.
- ◆ The restrooms are available for you at your own risk. We ask that only one person or one adult & child go at a time. Please use the restroom before you come to church.
- ◆ Use the 6-foot distancing rule; every other pew is used. The pews are marked to allow you to visualize the 6 foot sections.
- ◆ There are baskets near the doors for your offering, since we won't pass the offering basket, or you may take advantage of the on-line giving.
- ◆ If you choose to hold hands during the Our Father, you may do so only with your family.
- ◆ The sign of Peace will be done only with your family. You may give a symbol of peace or wave to those around you if you choose.
- ◆ Communion will be distributed in the hand.

Grand Island Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

Biennial Convention

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

300 Holiday Frontage Rd, North Platte, NE

August 14 & 15, 2020

"Growing in our Faith", Celebrating 89 years as a Diocesan Council. Cost: \$25 per day. Registrations must be made by August 6, 2020: contact Janet Naughtin at 308-942-3476 or marylinericksen@gmail.com.

Catholic Community Food Pantry

We thank God for letting us serve the poor. Our pantry is assisting people with food and will continue working with the Jubilee Center to offer help with utilities, rent, and other needs. The Pantry Staff maintains social distancing with clients and church staff. Thank you for your support!

Pantry needs: pasta sauces, ramen noodles, hamburger helper, mac n cheese, toilet paper, canned tuna, canned chicken, canned fruits, peanut butter and jelly, canned beans (no green beans needed), soup and crackers.

Other asked for items: bars of soap, deodorant, toilet paper, shampoo, tooth paste and brushes, laundry soap, hand sanitizers, kid snacks, cereal, canned corn or peas.

Donations can be made through the envelope in your monthly donation packet or make out a check to Prince of Peace Church and mark the envelope Catholic Community Charities.

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