

Prince of Peace Catholic Church

2407 W 56th St., Kearney, NE

It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle
than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.

MARK 10:23



Detail, Anonymous, *Christ Teaching*, Anglo-Saxon, c. 1000

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

OCTOBER 10, 2021

Mass/Service Schedule and Intentions

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Intention</u>
Mon., Oct 11	No Mass	Please Pray On Your Own
Tue., Oct 12 (KCHS Retreat Mass)	<u>12:05PM</u>	Sr. Mary Kay McKenzie
Wed., Oct 13	7:30AM	Paul Wagner †
Thu., Oct 14	<u>7:30AM</u>	Loretta Hastings †
Fri., Oct 15	7:30AM	Tori Koubek †
Sat., Oct 16	5:00PM	Thelma Gale †
Sun., Oct 17	8:00 AM 10:30 AM	Prince of Peace Parishioners Bishop Joseph Hanefeldt & Priests 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

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Website: princeofpeacekearney.com

Pastoral Council President: Andrew Prochaska
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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 the parish office at 236-9171.

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

- Sun. Oct 10:** Parish Brunch 11:30am
Knights of Columbus
Ceremony 2pm
Confirmation Class 5-6:30pm
Life Teen 7-8:30pm
- Mon. Oct 11:** Food Pantry 2-4pm
Ultreya 7pm
KCHS School Board
Meeting 7-9pm
- Tues. Oct 12:** RCIA-Holy Spirit 7pm
Watchmen 7pm
Stewardship Committee
Meeting 7pm
- Wed. Oct 13:** Faith Formation 4pm & 5:30pm
Edge 7pm
Building and Grounds Meeting
(at rectory) 7pm
- Thurs. Oct 14:** Watchmen 5am
Adoration 8am-12am
Food Pantry 2-4pm
- Fri. Oct 15:** Adoration 8am-5pm
- Sun. Oct 17:** Confirmation Class 5-6:30pm
Life Teen 7-8:30pm

Join us for Brunch Sunday, October 10th following 10:30am Mass.

Enjoy breakfast casseroles, fresh fruit, pastries and fellowship with your parish family. Learn more about proposed plans for Phase II as we walk through a Power Point presentation, answer questions, and ask for input and concerns.

All are welcome!



Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword.

— Hebrews 4:12a

Welcome

Jorge Manuel Gomez

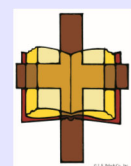
Child of
Jorge & Jayne

*who was baptized at
Prince of Peace*



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCT 11-17

- Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32
- Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41
- Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46
- Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
- Friday: Rom 4:1-8; Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Lk 12:1-7
- Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12
- Sunday: Is 53:10-11; Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 [42-45]

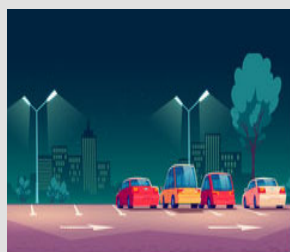


National Life Chain

Thank you to those who helped with organizing the life chain and those that came out to participate. We had over 135 people participate and at least six churches and both high schools represented. We had a great turn out!



Due to the east parking lot lights being out, please use the west parking lot when it is dark outside. This affects Edge, LifeTeen, Watchmen, committees, etc. which meet during the hours after sunset or before sunrise. Adoration after 5:00 will use the southwest door fob. The replacement parts are on back order, but repairs will be made as soon as possible.



St. James Oktoberfest auction ends Sunday, October 10th at 12pm. The drawing will be at 2pm the same day. Be sure to turn in your raffle tickets and donations to St. James church.





Good News! Our feasibility study survey had a positive outcome! Although the goal of the survey was to see if members support the next building phase, I also wanted to know how well we are serving our parishioners.

The results of the study show that that a high percentage indicated that we are serving the parish needs very well and agree that we should move forward! For me, this is the most important factor.

Over 82% of those survey agreed that we are meeting their spiritual needs. And over 71% agreed we are meeting their social needs.

As your pastor, I was concerned that we would be asking members to financially support the next phase of our facility too soon after the debt payoff. But only a small percentage of the parish shares that concern.

A majority of those surveyed and interviewed agree that the next phase is very important to our mission and ministry, and the overwhelming majority of parishioners are ready to move ahead. At the same time, I prefer not to put our parish in long term debt. However, our parish has risen above every challenge we have faced so far. We will ask everyone's input into how we should prioritize the different elements of the plan - in a series of parish wide events.

All members of the parish are invited to attend one of the working events. Listed below are the dates and times we currently have scheduled. We need your input on prioritizing the parts of the facilities plan. Pat Trausch and the Social Committee will offer refreshments at all events. We will walk through a power point presentation, answer questions and then ask for input and concerns. We will set more dates, and offer several zoom meeting options as well.

- ⇒ October 10, after 10:30 am Mass
- ⇒ October 23, after 5:00 Mass
- ⇒ October 24, after 8:00 am Mass
- ⇒ October 24, after 10:30 am Mass
- ⇒ October 31 after 10:30 am Mass

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princeofpeacekearney.formed.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Information for the October 17 bulletin is due in the parish office by **10AM on Monday, Oct. 11.** Please email information to:

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

Thank you!



October is Respect Life Month:

As part of the Year of St. Joseph declared by Pope Francis, this year's celebration highlights the example of that great saint. As the faithful protector of both Jesus and Mary, we find in St. Joseph a profound reminder of our own call to welcome, safeguard, and defend God's precious gift of human life.

Despite the mysterious circumstances surrounding Mary's pregnancy, St. Joseph took her into his home at the word of the angel. He guided their journey to Bethlehem, found shelter, and welcomed the infant Jesus as his son. When Herod threatened the life of the Christ Child, St. Joseph left his homeland behind and fled with Jesus and Mary to Egypt.

Like St. Joseph, we are also called to care for those God has entrusted to us-especially vulnerable mothers and children. We can follow in the footsteps of St. Joseph as protector by advocating against taxpayer-funded abortion, which targets the lives of millions of poor children and their mothers here in the United States. We can imitate his care and provision by helping our Walking with Moms in Need at Prince of Peace, "walking in the shoes" of mothers experiencing a difficult pregnancy, especially low-income mothers in our communities.

May we imitate St. Joseph's faithful trust and courage as we work to uphold the dignity of every human life. St. Joseph, defender of life, pray for us!

To learn more about preventing taxpayer-funded abortion, visit www.notaxpayerabortion.com . To walk with moms in need through your local parish, go to www.walkingwithmoms.com or contact the office for more information. To join in prayer for the intercession of St. Joseph, defender of life, visit www.respectlife.org/prayer-to-st-joseph .

**IF YOU ARE MISSING ITEMS,
PLEASE SEE THE
COLLECTION IN THE PARISH
OFFICE.**

We have found sunglasses, prescription glasses, a fidget spinner, books, a cup, and jewelry in the pews. If you have lost anything over the past few months, come see if it is in the office.



Prayer Concern

Toby (brother of Todd Herges), Delwin Beck (brother-in-law of Lillian Kowalski), Maddie Anderson (Neva Richter's granddaughter) Rick Unrein (Tim Unrein's cousin), Elmer and Rosie Unrein (Tim Unrein's aunt and uncle), Bob & Joyce Ballard (Rose Wathen's brother and sister-in-law), Sr. Mary Kay McKenzie (sister of Jim McKenzie) Shirley Drey and family (Mother of Donna Beam and Merl Drey), Dan Kelley, Rief Family, Ellie Rockey (Mike and Cathy Labun's sister) Marilyn Schachta, Anne DelBene (Jim and Kathleen McKenzie's niece), Marlene Rasmussen, Jason Rowenhorst, Rick T. (Judy Witte's cousin), Merle Lessig (Mandy Mueting'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.



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October 2021 Budget	\$78,750.00
October 3, 2021 Collections	\$17,390.05
October 10, 2021 Collections	
October 17, 2021 Collections	
October 24, 2021 Collections	
October 31, 2021 Collections	
October to Date	\$17,390.05

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 Prince of Peace Parish!***



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Lay Ministers	October 17, 2021		
Mass Time	5:00pm	Sunday 8:00am	Sunday 10:30am
Greeters	Katie Schelling ? Opportunity to Serve	Jerry Pecha James Kennedy	Bill Vosik Matt Arens
Servers	John Lungrin ? Opportunity to Serve ? Opportunity to Serve	Isaac Wheeler Lily Wheeler ? Opportunity to Serve	Edward Mueting Evan Mueting Steven Mueting
Lector	Christine Bonk	Dawna Ourada	Cecelia Davis
Eucharistic Ministers	Mitch O'Neill Mark Bonk ? Opportunity to Serve	Jane Foutch Shirley Gilbreath Bill Gilbreath	Michael Christen Michael Heeney ? Opportunity to Serve
Gift Bearers	? Opportunity to Serve	? Opportunity to Serve	? Opportunity to Serve
Sound	Joel Lungrin	Robert Hock	Brian Lowe
Coordinator	Marlene Rasmussen	? Opportunity to Serve	Mandy Mueting
Sacristan	? Opportunity to Serve	? Opportunity to Serve	Paul Mueting

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