

Sunday Bulletin

St. Mary's Church

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Bulletin for the Week of April 26, 2009



Masses for the week of April 27 - May 3

Friday, May 1, 8:30 a.m. Renee Koch

Sunday, May 3, 10:00 a.m. Leonard and Clara Krogman
60th Wedding Anniversary

Commentator: Paul Strathman

Lector: Elmer Ronnebaum

Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Koch, Wayne and Carol Schmitz

Servers: Cory Heiman, Nicole Sudbeck, Laura Sudbeck

Gift Bearers: Krogman family members

Ushers: Ardan Rottinghaus, Bob Rottinghaus

Rosary Leader: Cindy Murphy

Music: Marlene Deters

Song Leader: Tammy Holthaus

Please remember those who have health concerns: Gene Holthaus, Theresa Rettele, Julie Glissman, Marsha Wessel Grossnickle, Gene Holthaus, Elijah James Ruegge, Caroline Strathman, Donna Hulsing.

First Communion will be on May 10 at the 10 a.m. Mass at St. Benedict. Practice will be on Wednesday, April 29 at 7 p.m.

Grotto Beautification Project: Donations towards the improvements of the Grotto are welcomed. Make the donation to St. Mary's Parish and place a note on your check or with the donation "For Grotto". Donations in excess of what will be used at the Grotto will be held in reserve for future improvements. A listing of donors will be maintained.

Bounce House and more ... If you are interested in sponsoring an activity like the Bounce House at our Annual Picnic, contact Shirley Schmitz to discuss prices as well as choices the rental company has to offer. The "Bounce House" was a success last year and provided another activity for the children. Call Shirley Schmitz at 336-0258.

Fiscal Support: April 19: \$1030; Grotto Project: \$200

Special Collection, Sunday, April 26 for the Catholic Home Missions.

Prints of St. Mary's Church (interior and exterior) are available for purchase on the registration stand and also through the Parish Web site at www.stmstb.org. The (\$10 cost) proceeds will be used for parish projects.

See the **Upcoming Events** on www.stmstb.org for St. Mary's Parish and area events.

The cafeteria is reserved for these dates: April 5, 12, 18, 19; May 3, 9, 10, 18, 30; June 7: June 20, 22-28; July 5, Aug. 2; Sept. 26-27, Dec. 19, 20.

A cook book is being planned by the Celebration Committee to mark the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the parish. Families are encouraged to submit two or three recipes by April 15. Give to Lee Ann Rottinghaus at United Bank; Staci Haug at Teresa's Styling in Seneca or email to Mary Beth Haverkamp at tahaverkamp@bbwi.net. Questions? Call Mary Beth at 336-2870.

Welcome Reception: Sunday, April 26, in parish hall following 10 a.m. Mass. Welcome to:

Kevin, Tina and Gage Palic
Bob and Sara Kramer
Scott and Heidi Holthaus
Nate and Mandy Sudbeck
Michael, Amy Carter and Zoey Sudbeck
Brian and Deanna Wullschleger

Altar Society Meeting, Sunday, May 3, after Mass. Election of officers to be held.

Glassware is needed for the Summer Church Picnic, June 28. Glassware may be left at the back inside church.

Virtus Training for anyone who works with children will be held on Sunday, May 3 from 2 to 6 p.m., at Sts. Peter and Paul School cafeteria. The class is mandated by the Archdiocese.

A Potato Bake will be held at the K of C Hall in Steinauer, NE today from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. This is to benefit two-year old Eli Ruegge for medical bills.

The Call to Share for our parish is short \$25 of reaching the goal of \$8720. Surely this week, someone will donate enough that our parish will meet the goal. Once the goal is reached, there will be a 50% retrun of donations to our parish for our special projects.

Addresses and phone numbers of parishioners are being updated. If you have changed your address or phone number, please let the church secretary know by calling 336-3174 and leaving a message or email to wildcatcreek@nvcs.com.