

Dear Parishioners,

We welcome Fr. Gama back to our parish family! He returned safe and sound on to us Monday and is resuming his studies at Creighton. Welcome back Father! We also congratulate Fr. Gama on the anniversary of his priesthood which was on June 21st. He is celebrating his fourth year of ordination.

It is time to start planning for our Fall Festival! Mark your calendars for the weekend of September 19-20! A special thank you to Rick and Lori Elliott and Kim and Bryan Hill who are this year's Festival chairpersons. Raffle tickets will be coming out soon.....Please be sure to support this year's raffle. First prize this year is \$5,000, second prize is \$1,000 and third prize is \$500. There will also be prizes this year for the person who sells the winning tickets! Please be sure to watch the bulletin and our web-site for more information regarding the festival!

Blessings,
Father John

Question of the Week – What story about Jesus astounds you?

Reading 1 Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Reading 2 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Gospel Mark 5:21-24, 35-43

Reflection: Imagine the grief of the father of the little girl who is dying. The story is told almost like a play. First, Jairus, the girl's father, comes to Jesus for help; but before he can reach her, people come to say that she has died. Then Jesus goes to the house of Jairus. Jesus takes the girl's hand and says, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" Immediately she stands up and begins to walk around. Imagine the party in Jairus' home that night! Like the crowd in this scene, we may be inclined not to accept the word of Jesus at times. We may think we know better. But Jesus will still remind us of the need to trust him and to have no fear.

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| PARISH SUPPORT | WEEK OF JUNE 14 – 20 | DID YOU KNOW... IT ONLY COSTS \$14 PER DAY TO GIVE YOUR CHILD THE GIFT OF A |
| WEEKLY REVENUE | \$14,887.49 | CATHOLIC EDUCATION? Currently, we have openings in pre-school through 8 th |
| WEEKLY EXPENSES | \$58,528.62 | grades. Our pre-school program for 3 year olds meets on Tuesday and |
| SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) | \$43,641.13 | Thursday mornings. Our pre-school program for 4 and 5 year olds meets on |
| YEAR TO DATE REVENUE | \$1,301,130.77 | Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings. If you would like more information |
| YEAR TO DATE EXPENSES | \$1,313,186.74 | regarding our school, please contact Mrs. Simerly, Principal at the St. Philip |
| SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) | (\$12,055.97) | Neri School office at 402-455-8666. |

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

JULY 4/5

ALTAR SERVERS: 5:00 PM: Jayden Mulcahy, Genesis Mulcahy

10:30 AM: Sam Parys, Jerad Peck

CANDLE BEARERS: 5:00 PM: Zach Cypress, Kobe Mulcahy

10:30 AM: Bode Bench, Isaac Parys

LECTORS: 5:00 PM: Theresa O'Neill

7:30 AM: Jan Sammons

10:30 AM: Rita Ziska

DEACON: 5:00 PM: Deacon Alan LeClair

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10:30 AM: Deacon Fred Hendricks

EMHCs: 5:00 PM: Jacquie Dahlin, Kim Hill, Jim Shepherd, Matt Swoboda

7:30 AM: Merl Core, Maria Hackenberg, Norine Hoffman, Sue Schartz

10:30 AM: Tamatha Buell, DeLynne Clausen, Mary Fink, Cathy Fluckey

GIFT BEARERS: 5:00 PM: O'Neill Family

7:30 AM: Sammons Family

10:30 AM: Wolodkewitsch Family

MUSICIANS: 5:00 PM: Bryan Kinghorn and friends

10:30 AM: Joan and Todd von Kampen, Kevin Throne, and friends

NERI DOLLAR SELLERS: 5:00 PM: Susan Matsunami

7:30 AM: Nancy Core

10:30 AM: Penny Nelsen

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: Kelli Brock, Bob and Betty Jones, Joni Locher

COLLECTION MONEY COUNTERS: April Collamer, Sharon Olson

IMMANUEL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Bonnie Shea, Mary Todd

USHERS: 5:00 PM: Fred Bonacci, Dave Sedlacek, Jim Coe, Ron Allbright, Rock Cramer

7:30 AM: Bill Wilber, Carl Sedlacek, Chuck Holderness, Chuck Livengood

10:30 AM: Rick Krebs, Fred Maycock, Tim Kiuntke, Carl Cramer

ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH MAKE UP THE ALTAR SOCIETY. If you don't belong to a Circle, you are considered an inactive member. We collect inactive dues this time each year so we can pay for the Altar Breads, Missals and other special projects in the parish.

Please send your dues to the Parish Office or put them in the collection basket at church with "Altar Society" noted on the envelope. Thank you to those who have already donated.

FAMILY FORMATION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION IS NOW

To avoid additional charges ALL REGISTRATION FORMS MUST BE TURNED IN BY July 15, 2015

Back by popular demand; we will be meeting weekly. Our class schedule will be every Sunday from 9am until 10:15am with Mass to follow. There will be no parent classes required. Registration forms will be at all of the doors of Church. Forms & payments may be put in an envelope marked "Sam Hensel" & dropped in the offering basket or turned into the Parish or School Office, or turned in directly to me. I am usually at 10:30 Mass. I will e-mail the registration form to you by request. If you home school; please let me know if you would like your child to receive their Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, or Confirmation with SPN School students at our annual celebrations.

Any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me. During the summer months, I work from home. My cell phone# is 402-714-1582. Please call during regular business hours of 8am-5pm. Those are the hours I am working.

Thank you & God Bless! ~ Sam Hensel
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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS/
 RED CROSS SUMMER**

BLOOD DRIVE is Saturday, July 25th, in the SPN Activity Center. Schedule your appointment at

www.redcrossblood.org use sponsor code: 009603 Questions or concerns? Call Myron Smedra at 402-457-5622.



MASS INTENTIONS JUNE 29 – JULY 5

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| Monday | 8:15 AM | Communion Service |
| Tuesday | 8:15 AM | Our Parish Family Int. |
| Wednesday | 8:15 AM | Memorial Society |
| Thursday | 8:15 AM | Zetta Wiater + Swoboda Family Living and Deceased |
| Friday | 8:15 AM | Don Pulte + Barb Brooks + |
| Saturday | 5:00 PM | Mary Melia + Rachel Jensen + |
| Sunday | 7:30 AM | Gary and Jackie Peck |
| | 10:30 AM | Joseph Troia + Richard d'Autremont + |

ST. PHILIP NERI SCHOOL

THE SCHOOL OFFICE WILL BE OPEN FROM 8:30 A.M. – 1 P.M. each day through June 30th. The office will be closed during July.

THE WEEK AHEAD

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

SPECIAL COLLECTION – PETER'S PENCE – at all Masses

NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER ALL MASSES

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD – During 10:30 Mass

FRIDAY, JULY 3

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED



NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER MASS

SUNDAY, JULY 5

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION – in front of School

COFFEE AND ROLLS – in the Parish Center

NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER MASS

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD – During 10:30 Mass

CHRISTIAN HUMOR A man and his wife were sitting in the living room discussing a "Living Will" "Just so you know, I never want to live in a vegetative state, dependent on some machine & fluids from a bottle. If that ever happens, just pull the plug." His wife got up, unplugged the TV & threw out all the beer.

GOING ON VACATION? Don't come back to a hay field! Dethatching, mowing, trimming, & general cleanup... Call SPN Alum Nick Swoboda at 402-670-3047.

2015 MARRIAGE CELEBRATION Archbishop George J. Lucas invites you to attend the annual Mass honoring marriage & your anniversary Sunday, Sept. 13th. Rosary at 1:30pm, Mass at 2 pm. St. Cecilia's Cathedral, 715 N. 40th St. Seating begins at 1:15 p.m. Reception immediately following ceremony. Registration required by Monday, July 27th. Co-sponsored by the Family Life Office & Spirit Catholic Radio. Please call the Parish Office at 402-455-1289 to register.

A Summer Blessing

May you walk with God this summer in whatever you do and wherever you go...

Walking with God means... Walking with honesty and with courage, Walking with love, respect and concern for the feelings of others.

May you talk to God this summer and every day and in every situation.

Talking with God means...Praying words of praise for the beauty of creation, Saying prayers of thanks for friends and good times, Asking God's help in all your decisions, Expressing sorrow when you have failed.

May you talk with God every day. Amen.

- Author unknown