



God speaks to us in many ways, including through this Sunday's Scripture readings.  
*The Eucharist is the center of our faith.*

**Reading 1** Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a

**Reading 2** 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

**Gospel** John 6:51-58

**Question of the Week –**

**Adults:** Share one way that the Eucharist connects us as “one body” – how does it change the way we relate to each other?

**Children:** Jesus tells us that through the Eucharist we will remain in him and he is us.  
**How does the Eucharist keep you in relationship with Jesus?**

PARISH SUPPORT NUMBERS ARE NOT AVAILABLE.  
 WE HOPE TO UPDATE YOU NEXT WEEK.

**DID YOU KNOW...** We are still here while you are on vacation? You can stay up to date on your giving by using “Online Giving” from your computer or smart device to schedule one-time or recurring donations. Download the app on your smart device to get started. Thank you for your continued support of our parish!

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS:**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 24**

**5:00 PM:**

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Jackson Cramer,  
Gus Lampe

**CANDLE BEARERS:** Amir Ring,  
Jordan Rogers

**LECTOR:** Theresa O'Neill

**EMHCs:** Angie Bahle-Lampe, Kim Hill,  
Jennifer Russell, Jim Shepherd,  
Matt Swoboda,  
Mary Ann Taylor

**GIFTBEARERS:** Lampe Family

**MUSICIANS:**

**NERI DOLLAR SELLER:** Joni Locher

**USHERS:** Vern Andersen, Rock Cramer,  
Jim Coe, Ron Allbright

**SUNDAY, JUNE 25**

**7:30 AM:**

**LECTOR:** Bruno Kozimor

**EMHCs:** Regina Cronkhite,  
Bev Demkowski,  
Maria Hackenberg,  
Dorie Mittlieder,  
Dorothy Polan, Kathy Rossitto

**GIFTBEARERS:** Polan Family

**NERI DOLLAR SELLER:** Judy Bahle

**USHERS:** Bill Wilber, Carl Sedlacek,  
Chuck Holderness,  
Chuck Livengood

**10:30 AM:**

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Lily Bauer,  
Christopher Haman-Macias

**CANDLE BEARERS:** Nick Meier,  
Alex Negus

**LECTOR:** Dave Parks

**EMHCs:** Trudie Ahlstrom,  
Tamatha Buell, Cathy Fluckey,  
Fannie Parker,  
Nancy Ryckman,  
Rita Ziska

**GIFTBEARERS:** Taborsky Family

**MUSICIANS:**

**NERI DOLLAR SELLER:** Jane Cheese

**USHERS:** Rick Krebs, Fred Maycock,  
Tim Kiuntke, Carl Cramer,  
Mark Lampe

**COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND:** Mary Breitkrutz, Mike Holmgren, Ellen and Wayne Russell

**COLLECTION MONEY COUNTERS:** Larry Ziska, Charlie Buell

**IMMANUEL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS – THURSDAY, JUNE 22:** Bonnie Shea, Mary Todd

**Mass Intentions June 19 - 25**

Monday	8:15 AM	Communion Service
Tuesday	8:15 AM	Fr. John Int. Marie McFarland Int.
Wednesday	8:15 AM	Our Parish Family
Thursday	8:15 AM	Jack and Ann O'Connor +
Friday	8:15 AM	Michael Alexander + Cathy De Young +
Saturday	5:00 PM	John Gubbels + Iona Dempsey +
Sunday	7:30 AM	Stella Kozimor + Bev Rawley +
	10:30 AM	Robert Bruns + Jim Graves +

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS.** I am doing well – at least I think I am. I will continue to be checked but for now, all is well. Again, thank you for your prayers.

~ Fannie Parker

**OUR PRAYER MINISTRY RECEIVES MANY CALLS REQUESTING PRAYERS** for people in need of prayers for various reasons. Now our Prayer Ministry is asking for your help! We are in need of people who are willing to pray for others. Please call Rosemary Cushing at 402-453-5461 for more details or to volunteer.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARE SELLING RAFFLE TICKETS** at the doors of Church after each Mass for a chance at a \$100 Home Depot Gift Card. The drawing will take place at the Knights Pancake Breakfast on June 25<sup>th</sup>.

**KC ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST** Next Sunday, June 25 – 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Come & Let the Knights make your breakfast; do the dishes for you also!! Fresh Pancakes, Sausages, Eggs, & Coffee or Juice' Along with Biscuits & Gravy while it lasts; ... and maybe an omelet or two! (For a Separate Donation) Strawberry Topping for your pancakes, & Fruit Cocktail too! Adults - \$9; Kids (5-12) - \$5, Under 5 - Free - or \$25 Family Rate!!

**ST. PHILIP NERI SCHOOL**

“Gifts of the Holy Spirit –  
Wisdom, Understanding, Knowledge,  
Counsel, Fortitude, Piety, and Fear of the Lord”

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ANNA SWOBODA!** Anna earned Honor Roll status at Marian High School for the second semester.

**PARENT AMBASSADORS ARE NEEDED FOR THE 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR.** What is a Parent Ambassador? A Parent Ambassador is responsible for sharing their knowledge of SPN with families who are new. You will contact one or two of our new families over the summer & welcome them to SPN. The Parent Ambassador becomes a resource & a

point of contact for the new family as they transition into St. Philip Neri School. Please call Mrs. Simerly at school 402-315-3500 or email: [mrsimerly@schools.archomaha.org](mailto:mrsimerly@schools.archomaha.org) if you would like to be a Parent Ambassador. It's easy, fun & a wonderful way to earn service hours.

**REGISTER NOW FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR!** Pre-K through Eighth Grade. For more information, call the St. Philip Neri School Office at 402-315-3500.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PICTURES ARE READY TO PRINT!**

Parents, grandparents, please, if you have purchased a photo package, please go to this link:

<https://katekielionphotography.pixieset.com/communion2017/> & choose which pose(s) you want for your package.

They will be printed & delivered to you. If you have questions, please message Kate on Facebook at:

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/...> It is not too late!

By clicking the link to Kate's site you can choose & purchase pictures directly from her. My prayers and blessings to all of these babies!

May they be blessed with the Peace of the Lord and the guidance of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit now and forever. Amen.

Please share this post with your 2nd grade parent friends!

Thanks and God Bless!

**LITTLE FLOWERS:** It is that time again to fill out Registration Forms! If you are interested in participating in Little Flowers during the 2017-2018 school year, please complete our form available at the doors of Church & in the parish office. We would love to have additional grandmas & moms to help us lead our meetings, so let us know if you are interested in that as well! We typically have about 2 dozen girls & meet only once a month. Little Flowers is a Girls Club based on the teaching of St. Therese of Lisieux & her yearning to bring more souls to Jesus. We focus on other women saints, virtues, & bible verses while singing songs, playing games, & completing crafts. Want to know more? Please call Amanda Sherer for 712-216-1713.

**ST. PHILIP NERI-BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH** Invites Children to Maker Fun Factory VBS: Created by GOD Built for a Purpose - WOW God! WOW God! WOW God! A summer kids' event called Maker Fun Factory VBS will be hosted at **Cooper Farm** from **June 26 - 30**. Imagine a world where curious kids become hands on inventors who discover they are lovingly crafted by God. Creativity will be sparked with interactive decoration & experiences. Maker Fun Factory, is for kids from **Pre-K to 4<sup>th</sup> Grade &** will run from **9AM to Noon** each day. For more info., or if you would like to volunteer contact Emily Bazer at

**HELLO FELLOW PARISHIONERS!**

It is registration time for our CCD/Family Formation Classes. If anyone in your family or anyone you know

(K-8<sup>th</sup> grade) is interested in learning more about our Catholic faith or receiving the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Eucharist or Confirmation, please contact Emily Bazer at 402-612-9679 or at the Parish Office 402-455-1289 or email: emily.bazer@gmail.com There are orange registration forms at the entrances of Church. **Please note!** *There is an Early Bird Special for those who register before July 1<sup>st</sup>!* ~ God Bless, Emily Bazer

**CHRISTIAN HUMOR** The coach called one of his 9-year old baseball players aside & asked, "Do you understand what co-operation is? What a team is?" "Yes coach", replied the boy. "Do you understand that what matters is we win or lose as a team?" The boy nodded in agreement. The coach continues, "I'm sure you know, when an out is called, you shouldn't argue, curse, attach the umpire, or call him insulting names. Do you understand all that?" Again, the boy nodded yes. The coach continued, "And when I take you out of the game so that another boy gets a chance to play, it's not good sportsmanship to call your coach dumb or stupid, or worse, is it?" "No coach." "Good," said the coach. "Now go over there & explain all that to your Grandmother."

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

**SUNDAY, JUNE 18 – CORPUS CHRISTI**

**- HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION** – Trailer in Parking Lot

**NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER MASS**

**NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**VBS VOLUNTEER MEETING** in Parish Center after 10:30 Mass

**SATURDAY, JUNE 24**

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**NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER MASS**

**SUNDAY, JUNE 25**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ALUMINUM CAN COLLECTION** – Trailer in Parking Lot

**NERI DOLLARS SOLD AFTER MASS**

8:00 A.M. **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST** – Parish Center

**NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**PLEASE BRING ONE FOOD ITEM** (example: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Cereal, Rice, Canned Soup, Vegetables or Fruit) for our St. Vincent de Paul Food Barrels in Church next weekend. Any loose change or dollar bills dropped in the Poor Box would also be appreciated.

#### ~ NERI DOLLAR NEWS ~

Need an easy way to thank your lawn service or neighbor for taking care of your home while you were on vacation? We now have a limited number of \$10

Taco Bell gift cards on hand. Did you know...the restaurant gift cards for Olive Garden can also be used at Red Lobster & Longhorn Steakhouse & Outback gift cards can also be used at Carrabba's, Fleming's, & Bonefish Grill?

*All special preorders are due by 10:00 a.m. on Tuesdays.*



**CELEBRATE CORPUS CHRISTI** All are invited to accompany the Blessed Sacrament in the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Corpus Christi Procession **today**, Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. The procession begins at Our Lady of Lourdes Church (2110 S. 32 Ave.) & finish by 5 pm at St. Peter Church (27<sup>th</sup> & Leavenworth), a distance of 1.2 miles. 102.7 Spirit Radio will broadcast the event. An ice cream reception will follow the final Benediction, & buses will shuttle people back to Our Lady of Lourdes after the event. First Communicants are invited to wear their special attire and to bring baskets & flower petals to strew in the streets. Eucharistic & parish banners are welcome.

**HUSH SCREENING AND PANEL DISCUSSION** Are there medical risks involved in having an abortion? HUSH investigates the effects of abortion on women's health. Come view the documentary, & get your questions answered by a panel of medical professionals. St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church (5419 N. 114<sup>th</sup> St.), June 19 at 7-9pm, \$5 admission.

**WALK FOR LIFE** St. James Parish invites you to join the Walk for Life on June 25. The procession begins at 6:30pm at St. James & ends at Planned Parenthood on 93<sup>rd</sup> & Maple. Essential Pregnancy Services will host an Open House after. Water & snacks will be available as well as a bus to take participants back to St. James. For more information, contact [wabradley@archomaha.org](mailto:wabradley@archomaha.org)

**SPOUSAL PRAYER: A WAY TO MARITAL HAPPINESS** A retreat for married couples, July 1-2, co-sponsored by the Pro Sanctity Movement & Teams of our Lady, includes talks, personal & couple reflection time, Mass & Reconciliation. Visit [christthekingpriory.com/retreats-schedule](http://christthekingpriory.com/retreats-schedule) for more information or call 402-352-2177.

**WE KNOW THERE ARE MANY QUESTIONS ABOUT PLANNING A CATHOLIC FUNERAL.** Rites, final arrangements and cost? Catholic Cemeteries will be hosting a summer workshop Series on Saturdays, July 29, August 26, & September 30 at 10:30 a.m. in the Calvary Cemetery Office at 78<sup>th</sup> St. & West Center Road. This is an information only gathering to learn how faith, liturgy, & practical cemetery planning can assist you in the immediacy after death. A free preplanning brochure will be provided for all who attend. We look forward to answering any questions you may have. Space is limited. RSVP by the Mondays prior to each

workshop with Deacon Jim Tardy at 402-391-3711 or [jtardy@catholiccem.com](mailto:jtardy@catholiccem.com)

**DESIRING TO SEE HOLY SPIRIT MORE ACTIVE IN YOUR LIFE?**

**WANTING GREATER INTIMACY WITH GOD?** Join Mary Healy, Deacon James Keating & Fr. Francis Valerio on July 14 & 15. **Your Kingdom Come Conference** July 14 from 7 - 9:30 (doors open at 6) & July 15 from 9 - 4 (doors open at 8) **Healing Service** July 15 at 7 pm St. Gerald's Catholic Church, 96<sup>th</sup> & Q For more info, google "yourkingdomcome1 home" or email:

[yourkingdomcome333@gmail.com](mailto:yourkingdomcome333@gmail.com)

To register, go to <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/your-kingdom-come-tickets-33914199283>

Upcoming Events at St. Benedict Center, Schuyler, NE.  
June - July 2017

**The Joy of the Third Commandment: Retrieving the Sabbath in the Spirit of Moses, Jesus, and Pope Francis**, June 24, 1 day with Fr. Dennis Hamm, SJ, Ph.D. What was, & is, the Jewish meaning of 'keeping the Sabbath'? What is Jesus' attitude toward the Sabbath commandment? What might be our best practice of keeping the spirit of Sabbath today? Why does Pope Francis emphasize Sabbath in *Laudato Si'*? This day of reflection & prayer will help us recover the meaning of Sabbath & take it personally. Fee: \$30. Lunch is available for \$10.50.

**Spousal Prayer: A Way to Marital Happiness**, July 1-2, with Deacon James Keating, Ph.D. Christ is eager to assist married couples in deepening their intimacy with one another & Himself, as it is only in & from Holy Communion that Christians can be sent to serve the needs of their children & the poor in generous hospitality. This retreat for married couples includes talks, personal & couple reflection time, Mass & Reconciliation. Saturday, 9 a.m. - Sunday, after lunch.

**Investing in the Journey**, July 8, 1 day retreat for divorced or widowed people, with Sr. Marie Micheletto, RSM, M.A., L.P.C., LMHP. The changes around & within oneself when one is divorced or widowed are multiple. This workshop, designed with you & those changes in mind, will be about naming & claiming losses internal & external; identifying ways of dealing with the losses, the fears, & the moving on; claiming the positive memories; & utilizing your spiritual life as support for the journey. Fee: \$30. Lunch is available for \$10.50.

**Delving Deeper Into Sacred Scripture**, July 14 - 15, with Sharon Doran, the teaching director of Seeking Truth Catholic Bible Study. Pope St. Gregory said, "Holy Scripture is a stream in which the elephant may swim & the lamb may wade." Whether you are an elephant who wants to dive deep or a lamb who wants to initially get its feet wet, this summer time refreshment in God's Word is for you. Dive deeper into Sacred Scripture & into God's Love for you during this mini Biblical School, which includes teaching, discussion & personal prayer, all in a relaxed retreat setting. Friday, 7:30 p.m., to Saturday, closing with Mass at 4 p.m.

For more info on the above retreats, call 402-352-8819 or visit [www.StBenedictCenter.com](http://www.StBenedictCenter.com)