

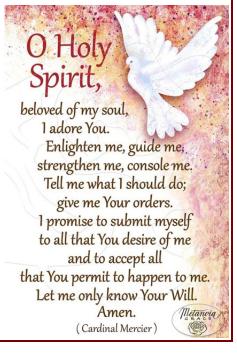
The Fourth Sunday of Easter - May 11, 2025

Please pray for all our youth from St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish, St. Philip Neri Catholic School, Holy Name Parish, and Holy Name School who received the Holy Sacrament of Confirmation on May 10, 2025

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Acts 13:14, 43-52 Psalm 100:1-3.5 Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

John 10:27-30



The Good Shepherd, by Bernhard Plockhorst

Read the Holy Gospel two or three times. What word or words in this passage caught your attention? What in this passage

comforted you? What in this passage challenged you?

Jesus said: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand. The Father and Lare one."

What conversion of mind, heart, and life is the Lord asking of me?

My sheep hear my voice.

How do I hear the Lord's voice? How can I be more attentive to his voice?

I know them, and they follow me. How can I follow Jesus more closely? What challenges do I face in my life of discipleship?

No one can take them out of my hand. What people or things draw me away from following Jesus? How can I reach out to those who are separated from Christ and his Church?

How can I make my life a gift for others in charity?

Pray for those who are seeking God. (catholic.bible/lectio-divina-in-english)

	Altar Servers	Reader	Deacon	EMHC	Musicians	Ushers
The Fifth Sunday of Easter May 18, 7:30 AM	Joel Sutherland Andrew Sutherland	Jerry Ziska	George Butterfield	Dorrie Mittleider Kathy Rossitto		Norm Hanson Chuck Livengood Michael Ramsgard
The Fifth Sunday of Easter May 18, 10:00 AM	Jack Leininger Noah Leininger	Geri Schmidt	Brendan Kelly	Kelli Brock Bill Schmidt	Jean and Friends	

SVDP call coordinator beginning May 12: Cheryl Henkenius Immanuel Hospital EMHC May 15: Bonnie Shea, Mary Todd

Liturgical Schedule and Mass Intentions

Monday, May 12

No Mass

Tuesday, May 13

8:15 am SPN Mass: Donna Klabunde +

Wednesday, May 14

8:15 am HN Mass: Lillian Hohm +

Thursday, May 15

5:30 pm HN Confessions (Eng./Sp.)

6:30 pm HN Mass (Sp.): The Castañeda Acevedo Family

Friday, May 16

8:15 am SPN Mass: Katheryn Houfek +

Saturday, May 17

4:00 pm Confessions (Eng./Sp.) HN

Mass: The People of our Family of Parishes 5:00 pm HN

Sunday, May 18

6:45 am SPN Confessions (Eng./Sp.) 7:30 am SPN Mass: Barb Murray + 10:00 am SPN Mass: Michael Little +

12:30 pm HN Mass (Sp.): Mercedes Villa Silva +

SPN = St. Philip Neri Church HN = Holy Name Church Masses are in English unless otherwise noted.

Parish Support: April 28 - May 4

Weekly Collections ParishStaq

\$ 2,989 ParishSoft \$ 365 Collections from Masses and mail \$ 5,151 **Total Weekly Donations** \$8,505 **Special Donations** \$ 1,019

ParishStaq is our new online giving platform for our parish. We will soon close our ParishSoft account (the old platform). If you 🔀 have a recurring gift in ParishSoft, please consider canceling it and setting up a gift in



ParishStag. If you do not have a cell phone or email address and would like to set up automatic donations, it can be done by phone or in person in the parish office. If you have any questions, please contact Mary or Ted in the office. Your donations help us to continue to serve you and allow us to make efforts to grow as a community. Thank you and God bless you for your faithful generosity.

Nebraska Catholic Day of Giving

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Nebraska Catholic Day of Giving! The money raised will help offset the cost of replacing the HVAC unit behind the activity center. We are truly grateful for everyone's generosity and support. If you didn't get a chance to make a donation, there is still time. Nebraska Catholic Day of Giving will continue to accept donations through May 14th. Please visit www.nebraskacatholicdayofgiving.org.

THE WEEK AHEAD

SUNDAY, MAY 11

6:45 A.M. CONFESSIONS (Eng./Sp.) - SPN Church

7:30 A.M. MASS - SPN Church

10:00 A.M. MASS & MAY CROWNING - SPN Church

12:30 P.M. MASS (Sp.) - HN Church

MONDAY, MAY 12

TUESDAY, MAY 13

8:15 A.M. MASS - SPN Church

9:00 A.M. BIBLE STUDY: CORINTHIANS - Parish Center 6:30 P.M. FINANCE COUNCIL - Parish Center Conf. Rm. 7:00 P.M. BIBLE STUDY: CORINTHIANS - Parish Center

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

8:15 A.M. MASS - HN Church

6:30 P.M. PASTORAL COUNCIL - Holy Name Choir Loft 7:00 P.M. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - SPN-BS Parish Center

THURSDAY, MAY 15

5:30 P.M. CONFESSIONS (Eng./Sp.) - HN Church

6:30 P.M. MASS (Sp.) - HN Church

FRIDAY, MAY 16

8:15 A.M. MASS - SPN Church

9:30 A.M. SPN CATHOLIC SCHOOL FIELD DAY &

COLOR FUN RUN! - SPN School & Campus

SATURDAY, MAY 17

4:00 P.M. CONFESSIONS (ENG./SP.) - HN Church

5:00 P.M. MASS - HN Church

6:30 P.M. KC MOVIE KNIGHT - SPN-BS Parish Center

SUNDAY, MAY 18

6:45 A.M. CONFESSIONS (Eng./Sp.) - SPN Church

7:30 a.m. Mass - SPN Church 10:00 a.m. Mass - SPN Church

12:30 P.M. MASS (Sp.) - HN Church

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May Crowning

Sunday, May 11 at 10:00 am Mass

Parish May Crowning in the Church. First Communicants are invited to wear their special attire. All are invited to bring flowers to present to our Blessed Mother.

Mothers' Day Blessing & EPS Roses

To celebrate Mothers' Day, we will bless all mothers at the end of our weekend Masses on May 10th and 11th. At these Masses, the SPN-BS Knights of Columbus will also offer red roses in exchange for a donation to Essential Pregnancy Services - give a rose to your mother, grandmother, or godmother and help mothers in need at the same time!



Holy Hour to Pray for Ordinandi and Seminarians

Monday, May 19, 7:00 pm at St. Cecilia Cathedral in Omaha. All are invited to a special Holy Hour to pray for Transitional Deacons Logan Hepp, Brian Hula, and Will Targy, who will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood on Saturday, June 7, 10:00 am in St. Cecilia Cathedral; and for seminarian Mr. Michael Figura, who will be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate this fall in Rome.





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Presents A Family

Movie Knight



Brother Bear

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The story follows Kenai, a young Inuit hunter who is transformed into a bear after killing one, and he learns valuable life lessons while navigating the world from a bear's perspective.

The movie is well-regarded for its animation and music, including songs by Phil Collins.

SATURDAY, MAY 17TH @ 6:30PM DOWNSTAIRS IN THE SPN PARISH CTR

Free Will Offering Offering "Hots & Brats", Fresh Popped Popcorn, & Ice Cold Sodas

KC Movie Knight Cartoons will begin after the 5 pm Mass (Mass at Holy Name), with the Movie starting at 6:30 pm.



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From the Pastor

Confirmation Congratulations!

On Saturday, May 10th, during a special bilingual Mass at 5 p.m. in Holy Name Church, we continue the longstanding tradition of conferring the gift of the sacrament of Confirmation upon the many youth and adults in our family of parishes: Holy Name and St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament, and their respective schools. At the time of writing this, I believe that our new Archbishop, the Michael Most Rev. G. will be the McGovern,



celebrant for our Confirmation Mass. What a privilege and joy to welcome His Excellency for what may be his very first Confirmation Mass in the whole Archdiocese (if not, what will certainly be among his first few Confirmations)!

What happens this weekend is the gift of spiritual maturity. The sacrament confers upon the confirmed the sevenfold gifts of the Holy Spirit in a deeper way to equip them to become faithful disciples in the world. Confirmation empowers these adolescents and adults to evangelize and to live a life of mercy. It is not an end to their spiritual progress at all; rather, it is a new beginning! Mentored by the collective Church and their earthly sponsor and their heavenly sponsor, their Confirmation Saint, these *confirmati* are sent into the world to be disciples and to help others become disciples. The Spirit builds upon the existing virtues and charisms of the *confirmati* — those having been confirmed — and assists them with the deeper spiritual wisdom, fortitude, and piety necessary to remain Catholic Christians in a world often hostile to our Faith.

We congratulate our disciples in the fullness of the Holy Spirit! May they know God's love for them in a deeper way and be inspired to use the gifts of the Spirit in missionary zeal and in the service of others. God bless you *confirmati* and your parents and sponsors.

Mothers' Day Blessing and EPS Roses

Today we honor our cherished mothers, grandmothers, and godmothers, living and deceased, who brought us into the world and raised us through birth, adoption, or spiritual mentorship. They are outstanding examples of Christ's constant care and nurturing heart. Throughout this month of May, we also pay tribute to Mary, the Mother of God and our



spiritual mother. We are so grateful to Our Lady and to you, moms, for thinking more of us than yourselves.



To celebrate Mothers' Day, we are blessing mothers at the end of all our parishes' Masses this weekend, May 10-11. At these Masses, the SPN-BS Parish Knights of Columbus are offering red roses in exchange for a \$5 donation to Essential Pregnancy Services - give a rose to your mother, grandmother, or godmother and help mothers in need at the same time!

May is the Month of Mary

The entire month of May is dedicated to Our Lady, and we have various events planned in her honor and to celebrate the gift of motherhood:

Parish May Crownings: At our parishes' May Crownings on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 11th, everyone is invited to bring some flowers from home or the store and to carry them forward in procession at the announced and appointed time before we recite the Creed. Also, all First Communicants and children are invited to wear their First Communion



<u>dresses and attire again</u> and to participate in the entrance procession of the Mass as they strew flower petals – little bags with flower petals will be provided.

- o **SPN-BS Parish May Crowning (English):** Sunday, May 11th, we celebrate all mothers and our spiritual Mother as we crown the statue of Mary for the entire parish during the 10 a.m. Mass in English in St. Philip Neri Church.
- O HN Parish May Crowning (Spanish): Sunday, May 11th, we celebrate all mothers and our spiritual Mother as we crown the statue of Mary for the entire parish during our 12:30 p.m. Mass in Spanish in Holy Name Church.



Our Lady of Fatima - May 13th

Do You Receive Parish Updates?

The fastest way to know what's happening in our parishes is by registering for Flocknote, our parishes' communications app that sends notifications to you by way of SMS text messaging and emails. You choose the manner of message delivery and which categories of information you'd like to receive and can opt out at any time by texting "stop". It takes just a minute to sign up. Simply scan the QR

code on the back of the church pews. It's that easy!



Becoming Catholic for Youth & Adults

Becoming Catholic (R.C.I.A. or O.C.I.A.) is our process for anyone 8 years and older desiring to receive Baptism as a Catholic. It is also our process for any already baptized, Catholic adults (16 years of age and older) who are still in need of receiving Confirmation, Reconciliation, and/or First Communion. If you or a loved one would like to learn more, please contact the respective parish office OR one of our Becoming Catholic coordinators:

- (Classes in ENGLISH) Jodi Phillips at phillipsjm1@gmail.com
- (Classes in SPANISH) Sr. Beatriz Castañeda at bcastaneda@archomaha.org

High School Youth Ministry

June 15-19: Totus Tuus All 7th-12th grade students are invited to join us for Totus Tuus from 6:30 pm to 8:45 pm, Sunday to Thursday. Please meet in the St. Philip Neri Parish Center located under the church. Dinner will be served. Register at https://saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org/. Use this link if online.

June 16-20: Please sign up to help with the Totus Tuus day program which runs Monday-Friday, 9:00 am to 2:30 pm. We need several teens to help with the younger children. This is available for service hours for your high school. Register: go to saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org/

July 18-20: Steubenville Youth Conference All youth will meet at St. Philip Neri Church at 6:15 am on Friday to pack the bus, celebrate Mass at 6:30 am with Fr. Cook, and load the bus to travel to Springfield, MO for the conference.

Totus Tuus 2025

June 15-20: Totus Tuus is a Catholic summer youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic Faith through evangelization, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Register: go to https:// saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org or use the QR code. Use this link if online.



- All 1st-6th graders are invited to join us Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm at the St. Philip Neri Activity Center at 8202 N. 31st St.
- All 7th-12th graders are invited Sunday to Thursday from 6:30 to 8:45 pm in the St. Philip Neri Parish Center located church. the Register: go to https:// saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org/

Baptism Classes

Our Baptism preparation sessions in English and in Spanish are for expectant parents and for parents with unbaptized infants or small children under the age of 7, along with their potential godparents.

- Classes in English normally occur from 2 p.m.-4 p.m., usually on the First Sunday of every month in the Parish Center (basement) of St. Philip Neri Church.
- Classes in Spanish normally occur every other month on a Sunday from 3 p.m.-6 p.m. in the Holy Name Cafeteria. Participation in one of our preparation classes, either in Spanish or in English, is necessary to schedule a day and time for a Baptism in either HN or SPN churches. Formal registration and participation in the parish is a prerequisite, and pre-registration is further required to attend the class. Please contact the secretary of your respective parish office, Holy Name or St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament, to

Religious Articles

Holy Name Church sells beautiful and helpful religious articles after the weekend Masses on Sat. at 5 p.m. and on Sun. at 12:30 p.m. The quaint, little shop is in the north hallway just off the church's narthex (lobby). We hope you visit it and grow in faith and share it with others.

HELP NEEDED FOR TOTUS TUUS:

• We need adult volunteers for the Totus Tuus day program. You need to be Safe Environment Certified and available the week of Totus Tuus, June 16-20 from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm. Register: use the Totus Tuus go QR code or to https:// saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org/

determine future classes and to pre-register.



• We need one family where two male missionaries can stay for the week. You would provide sleeping arrangements along with breakfast each morning. They arrive Saturday, June 14th and depart Saturday, June 21st. They won't spend much time in your home. They usually leave by 8:00 am each morning and return about 10:00 pm. Questions, contact John Gencarelli at jgencarelli@archomaha.org.

Young Adults (Ages 21-35)

PUBS: This "pick-up Bible study" requires no preparation or commitment. All are welcome to come in the weeks they can without the fear be falling behind. Check out the PUBS slack channel to learn more about when this group meets!

For other events in the Omaha area, please go to the Omaha Young Adults website: www.archoyoungadults.org, or join slack at https://archoyoungadults.slack.com/.

Adult Faith Formation

May 13th: The final session of our Bible Study on Corinthians. Tuesday 9:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. in the SPN-BS Parish Center. For questions, call Diane Sullivan 402-571-2078 or 402-305 -9792, or Marsha Moon 402-455-1485.



Congratulations to Mr. Irvin and our band students, Tony, Andrew, Patrick, and Noah. They received some very high honors at the Music in Catholic Schools Solo Band Festival.

Patrick - Excellent on Trumpet
Noah - Superior on Percussion
Tony - Superior + on Euphonium
Andrew - Superior + on Oboe
CONGRATULATIONS! We are very proud of you!

Sidewalk Advocates for Life Training Saturday, May 31, 10:00 am-4:00 pm at Catholic Charities, 9223 Bedford Ave, Omaha. Register at LifeSidewalk@gmail.com. \$15 fee includes training workbook, lunch, snacks, coffee & water. Learn a peaceful, prayerful, law-abiding method of sidewalk advocacy that is truly compassionate, woman-oriented. Help women and men entering an abortion facility to choose life. It is credited with saving thousands of lives across the United States and beyond! For info: Sarah Peterson at 402-819-1662, sarahpsaflomaha2022@gmail.com.

Marriage: Source of Hope, Spring of Renewal. Pursue a Lasting Love!

For resources to strengthen your marriage or advice for dating and engaged couples: foryourmarriage.org



Register: https://onecau.se/_9g4pd1

Questions: info@cloistersontheplatte.com or 402-509-6250.

Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

is normally offered at St. Philip Neri Church Monday through Friday 5 pm to 9 pm (the final hour being 8 pm to 9 pm) in the Prayer Chapel. On First Fridays, Exposition hours are 9 am to 9 pm in the church proper. More dedicated adorers are needed. If you are interested in signing up for a weekly holy hour, please call/text our Eucharistic Exposition coordinator Joann Feller at 402-215-5532.



Adoration hours without Exposition are available anytime. There is a church door with a code for entry. For details and the door code, please contact Mary in the parish office.

Note, your Coordinator will be out of the country from May 10-28. Erin Kelly (402-619-3523) has stepped up to help out if you need a sub, or, considering recent history, a storm cancellation. Also, the Tuesday crew is excused on May 20. It's our Eighth Grade Graduation and the church will be a bit noisy. Then, Memorial Day is an official holiday for us. The Monday crew is excused on May 26. God bless you all and keep up the good work!



Joann

Formed.org Our parish has a subscription to Formed.org. Formed offers Catholic Bible studies, video, audio, and children's resources to help you grow in your relationship with Christ and His Church. To sign up, go to formed.org/signup and click "Create a New Account". Enter St Philip Neri Church or Zip code 68112, and add your name and email. Formed also has an app for your phone.

V2 Virtus et Veritas Catholic Camps for Young Men

Summer Camp for Young Men entering 6th grade through 9th grade. Week 1: July 13-19, Week 2: July 20-26. 7 days and 6 nights at Camp Kateri Tekakwitha, McCool Junction, NE. This camp is full of fun, engaging activities, personal growth, inspiring worship, & spiritual development. v2ministries.org

21st Annual Fathers and Sons - Together Forever July 12-13, Saturday 8 am till Sunday noon at St. Benedict Center, Schuyler, NE. The retreat for fathers (grandpas, too) and their sons ages 11-17 provides opportunities for deepening the faith of fathers and the growth of their sons into mature manhood in the context of the Catholic faith. Talks by fathers and sons, lots of one-on-one time, Mass, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration and Benediction, morning prayer, hayrack ride, water balloon competition, game night, fathers vs. sons dodgeball! www.fathersandsonstogether.org. For questions, call Ed DeSimone, retreat leader, at 402-679-1841. To register, call the St. Benedict Center at 402-352-8819.

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"Give and it will be given to you; a good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you." (Luke 6:38)

The SVDP Society has just completed the first quarter of 2025 in which we received over 100 calls for assistance! We provided help with utility bills, rent, food, and household goods. One particular request was from a single mother of three who was relocating due to an abusive situation and just needed the basics to start over. We were able to partner with the NE Department of Health, All Communities Outreach, and the Food Pantry to help the family get caught up on their utilities and move forward one step at a time.

Many of the situations that we encounter in the calls for assistance are complicated and involve our SVDP volunteers teaming up with other agencies in our area to help resolve the problems the families are facing. We can be *The* solution or many times a *Part* of the solution, but either way we can offer prayers and support to those who call St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament in their time of need.

As we celebrate the Easter Season and the Resurrection of Jesus we are especially thankful for the prayers and support we receive from our Parish Family - we could not do this alone! Please continue to help us on our Mission of Charity and also in our support of the Holy Name Food Pantry. Canned goods, pasta, and breakfast cereal are popular items requested and the need is always growing. Since the beginning of January we have contributed over 52 sacks and 12 large and small boxes of groceries to the pantry!

Thank you! From the St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament SVDP

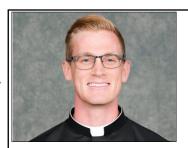
Society of St. Vincent de Paul Strawberry Brunch!

Saturday, June 14, 10 am-1 pm at St. Wenceslaus Church Cain Hall, 15353 Pacific St., Omaha. All proceeds benefit the SSVP Food Pantry. Tickets \$45 each. Raffle & silent auction. Register at https://www.ssvpomaha.org/strawberry-brunch or mail a check with your name, address, phone, and email to: SSVP, 1715 Izard St, Omaha NE 68102.

Christian Humor

- Older people shouldn't eat health food; we need all the preservatives we can get.
- I choked on a carrot this afternoon and all I could think was, "I bet a donut wouldn't have done this to me."
- Need an ark? I Noah guy. (Sorry I couldn't help.)
- Today's 3-year-olds can turn on laptops and use apps.
 When I was three I ate mud.

Florence Day Parade: Saturday, May 17, begins at 1 pm at Miller Park and ends at Mormon Bridge Road. From 3 pm to 6 pm, family-friendly block party with food vendors, music, face painting, prizes, games at *No More Empty Pots* Food Hub, 8501 N. 30th St. (corner of 30th and Willit Streets).



Mr. Brian Johnson

Kenrick-Glennon Seminary
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Saint Ludger Parish Creighton, Nebraska

As a parish and school, we are praying for the Seminarians of the Archdiocese of Omaha.

A Prayer for Vocations

O God our Father, You promised "I will appoint shepherds for My sheep who will shepherd them so that they need no longer fear and tremble: and none shall be missing." (Jeremiah 23: 4-5). Hear the prayers of Your flock. Through the intercession of Your beloved priest, Saint John Vianney, we beg You to call to the sacramental priesthood generous men who will desire nothing more than to serve You in imitation of Your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, our High Priest.

And after You call them, we pray that You sustain the doubtful, console the discouraged, and strengthen the weak as they start the long and demanding preparation for the priesthood.

Mary, Mother of priests, and example of faithful, humble, and joyful acceptance of God's will, help all those who are called to the priesthood to open their ears and hearts to the gentle call of the Holy Spirit. Amen. (www.pnac.org)

KNIGHTS NOTES

At the Tuesday 06 May 8:15 am Mass, Knights of Columbus Council 5287 awarded the following one-time scholarships for SPN Grads going on to Catholic High Schools:



- Knights of Columbus Council 5287 Scholarship: \$500
 Award Jack Leininger Creighton Prep
- Joe Thibodeau Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Donna Thibodeau): \$500 Award - Lucio Garcia - Roncalli
- Council 5287 Aluminum Can Project: \$350 Award to each student
 - o Kiley Ross Roncalli
 - o EmmaJo Bazer Duchesne Academy
 - o Carlie Minturn Roncalli

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Last Movie Knight of the season

Saturday 17 May - "BROTHER BEAR" Movie Knight will return IN THE FALL

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Our next KC Pancake Breakfast will be Sunday 08 June

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A Knights Mass will be held on Sunday 29 June at the 10 am Mass. Knights and their families will be able to sit together in marked/reserved pews. All Knights are asked to wear their Blue KC Polo Shirts!

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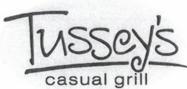
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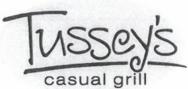
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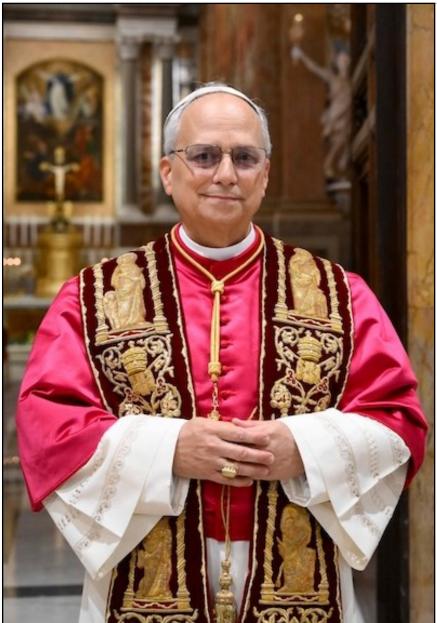
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Let us pray for our Holy Father Pope Leo XIV as he begins the new mission in the Church and the world that Our Lord has entrusted to him.

Hail Mary,

Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now,
and at the hour of our death. Amen.

St. Michael the Archangel,

defend us in battle.

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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Formerly Robert Francis Cardinal Prevost, OSA of the United States, he is the first American Pope in the history of the Catholic Church. Elected Pope May 8, Feast day of Our Lady of Grace, Our Lady of Pompeii, & The Apparitions of St. Michael the Archangel.

First Grade Welcomes Our New Pope





Our St. Philip Neri Catholic School students watched the historic announcement of our new Holy Father live on May 8.



Statement from Archbishop Michael McGovern on the Election of Pope Leo XIV

Dear Friends:

Today the College of Cardinals have elected Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost as the new Bishop of Rome and 266th successor of St. Peter. While the world continues to offer prayers of gratitude to God for the life and ministry of Pope Francis, we are now strengthened by the loving action of the Holy Spirit in providing a new Chief Shepherd for the Church.

Our Holy Father has taken the name of Leo XIV. As we begin to pray for Pope Leo at each Mass that is offered, I encourage the faithful and all people of good will to lift him up in your prayers.

As a native of Chicago, I am moved by the fact our new Holy Father has Chicago roots. His pastoral work in Peru and his leadership of the Augustinian Order based in Rome have shaped his view of the world and the Church. I look forward to strengthening the bonds of the Church in Omaha with the Universal Church as Pope Leo takes up the Petrine ministry.

We are planning a special Mass of Thanksgiving for the election of Pope Leo. More information about our celebration of the election of the new Holy Father will be announced in the coming days. In the meantime, I invite everyone to pray together for our Holy Father and for the Church.

Almost 2,000 years ago, Christ gave a mission to Peter the Apostle: feed my lambs, tend my sheep, feed my sheep. May the Holy Spirit grant Pope Leo the gifts needed to take up that same mission today.

In Christ,

Most Reverend Michael McGovern

Archbishop of Omaha



Teen Program

Sunday, June 15th to Thursday, June 19th 6:30 pm to 8:45 pm in SPN-BS Parish Center

The Teen Program is *Free***, but registration is still required.** Register using the QR code or go to our website - https://saintphilipneriblessedsacrament.org/