

Holy Name Catholic Church

Saint Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament CATHOLIC PARISH

REGULAR SCHEDULE

HOLY MASS

Saturday	5:00 p.m. (English)	Holy Name
Sunday	7:30 a.m. (English)	St. Philip Neri
	10:00 a.m. (English)	St. Philip Neri
	12:30 p.m. (Spanish)	Holy Name
Tuesday	8:15 a.m. (English)	St. Philip Neri
Wednesday	8:15 a.m. (English)	Holy Name
Thursday	6:30 p.m. (Spanish)	Holy Name
Friday	8:15 a.m. (English)	St. Philip Neri

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Thursday	5:30 p.m.-6:15 p.m. (Eng./Sp.)	Holy Name
Saturday	4:00 p.m.-4:45 p.m. (Eng./Sp.)	Holy Name
Sunday	6:45 a.m.-7:15 a.m. (Eng./Sp.)	St. Philip Neri
Anytime by appointment with a priest.		

Holy Days Please see the schedule in this bulletin.

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Parable of the Unforgiving Servant, by Claud Vignon

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Bulletin Announcements: Please send announcement requests by Tuesday to email meramm@archomaha.org or call the parish office 402-455-1289 ext. 721.

September 13, the Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Matthew 18:21-35

Pray the *Collect* of today's Mass or a prayer to the Holy Spirit. **Read** the Holy Gospel two or three times. **Reflect** in silence. What words in the Gospel caught my attention, comforted me, or challenged me? **Prayer:** Read the Gospel again. Bring to the Lord the praise, petition, or thanksgiving the Word inspires in you.

Contemplation: Read the Holy Gospel again, followed by this reflection:

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

- "Moved with compassion the master of that servant let him go and forgave him the loan." Who is waiting for a compassionate response from me?
What old grudges can I let go of?
- "Now when his fellow servants saw what had happened, they were deeply disturbed, and went to their master and reported the whole affair."
What injustices do I see in the world around me?
What actions can I take to address these injustices?
- "Should you not have had pity on your fellow servant, as I had pity on you?"
What care or acknowledgment am I seeking from others?
How can I share God's loving mercy with others?

Closing Prayer: After silent reflection, pray the Our Father and Psalm 103.

Living the Word this Week: *How can I make my life a gift for others in charity?*

Extend forgiveness to someone who has hurt you. <https://catholic.bible>

Safe Environment Certification

With our parish festivals on the horizon and our schools and other activities beginning, all adults who will have any contact with children or vulnerable adults, i.e., adult volunteers for festivals, catechesis, coaches, chaperones, liturgical ministers, ushers, funeral luncheons, etc., must be Safe Environment certified through our archdiocesan process. If you have not attended Safe Environment training in the past, the first step is to create a new account. Read and acknowledge the Archdiocesan Code of Conduct, sign up for a training session, and submit a background check. There are many training dates and locations.

Please pre-register at one of the links below or contact the parish office:

- archomaha.org/safe-environment
- English: omaha.cmgconnect.org
- Spanish: omaha.cmgconnect.org/?locale=es

	Altar Servers	EMHC	Reader	Ushers	SPN Livestream
Saturday, Sept. 19, 5:00 PM Holy Name Church		Juan Martinez Sofia Kock Trudie Ahlstrom	Jeni Martinez		
Sunday, Sept. 20, 7:30 AM St. Philip Neri Church	Andrew Sutherland	Regina Cronkhite Jeanette Pinker	Larry Ziska	Norm Hanson Chuck Livengood Michael Ramsgard	Mary Ramm
Sunday, Sept. 20, 10:00 AM St. Philip Neri Church	Noah Leininger Solomon Parys Patrick Reall Blaise Schildtknecht	Bill Schmidt Kirk Utley	Geri Schmidt	Paul Gray Gayle Haman Mark Lampe Joseph Parys	

SVDP call coordinator September 14-20: Cheryl Henkenius

Immanuel Hospital EMHC September 17: Bonnie Shea, Mary Todd



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Marion Bach of St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Check out our new & refreshed Holy Name parish website!
www.HolyNameOmaha.org It has the same URL website address with new and updated content!

Visiting Homebound Parishioners: If you are an EMHC and are able to visit and bring Holy Communion to parishioners who are in assisted living or care facilities or in their own homes, please contact Mary in the parish office.

Holy Name Calendar Club Winners - Congratulations!

September 14	Riley Stauder	\$50 #1233
September 15	Kate Ferry	\$50 #650
September 16	Alyssa Potmesil	\$50 #18
September 17	Judy Bahle	\$50 #187
September 18	Poor Clare Nuns	\$50 #2201
September 19	Ben & Alex Cordova	\$50 #820
September 20	Emma Shoemaker	\$50 #204



St Philip Neri - Blessed Sacrament Council #5287
knights of columbus

Presents A Family
Movie Knight

MAX

2015 | PG | 1h 51m

A military dog that helped U.S. Marines in Afghanistan returns to the United States after losing his handler in the line of duty and is adopted by his handler's family. While bonding with the Marines younger brother, the two find mystery and adventure.



SATURDAY, SEPT 19TH @ 6:30PM
DOWNSTAIRS IN THE SPN PARISH CTR

Free Will Offering

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

Holy Name & St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Events

Saturday, September 12

4:00 pm HN Festival Cooking - HN Field House

Sunday, September 13

11:00 am-5:00 pm Holy Name Festival! - HN Church campus

Monday, September 14

6:00 pm HN Spanish Choir Practice - HN Church

6:45 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting - SPN-BS Parish Center

Tuesday, September 15

9:15 am Catechism Study - SPN-BS Parish Center

7:00 pm Catechism Study - SPN-BS Parish Center

7:00 pm Alpha in Spanish - HN Field House

Wednesday, September 16

4:00 pm-6:00 pm HN St Vincent de Paul applications

- HN Church narthex/lobby

6:00 pm SPN-BS Festival Meeting - SPN Activity Center

6:15 pm-7:45 pm Religious Ed. First Night of Classes!

- St. Philip Neri Activity Center (Gymnasium)

7:00 pm Nar-Anon Meeting - HN Church conference room

Friday, September 18

8:15 am-10:00 am SPN School Grandparents' Day

- SPN Church & School

Saturday, September 19

6:30 pm KofC Family Movie Knight - SPN-BS Parish Center

Sunday, September 20 *Catechetical Sunday*

SPN = St. Philip Neri Church HN = Holy Name Church

Events are in English unless otherwise noted.

Ongoing Second Collection for Maintenance at Holy Name

Whenever there is no other second collection planned, we will take up a second collection to help finance repairs to our Holy Name parking lots, outstanding building maintenance, and utilities at the Saturday and Sunday Masses at Holy Name Church. Thank you for your support and love.

Tithing Envelopes

If you would like to be added to or removed from the envelope mailing list for Holy Name or St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament, please contact the secretary at either parish office. As always, donation envelopes are available for your use near church entrances. Thank you for your generosity.

Holy Name Parish Gifts

Sunday Tithe Collections September 6 \$ 3,240.74

Building Maintenance & Parking Lots \$ 572.25

Other Special Offerings \$ 12,027.83

Thank you and God bless you for your generosity.

Holy Name Catholic Church Online Donations

To set up an online gift to Holy Name Catholic Church in ParishStaq, our parish online giving platform, scan the QR code or click the "Online Giving" button at the Holy Name parish website, holynamemaha.org. Or you can ask your bank to send automatic donations to our parish. If you have any questions, please contact Ted Snoddy in the parish office.



Sacred Liturgies and Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 12

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

5:00 pm HN Mass: John Schaffart Jr. †

Sunday, September 13

6:45 am SPN Confessions (Eng./Sp.)

7:30 am SPN Mass: Jim Tosoni †

10:00 am SPN Mass: Bill Allen †

12:30 pm HN Mass (Sp.): people in our family of parishes

Monday, September 14

No Mass

Tuesday, September 15

8:15 am SPN Mass: Jacqueline Pfeiffer †

Wednesday, September 16

8:15 am HN Mass: Pam Reestman Roberts †

9:00 am-9:00 pm HN Eucharistic Adoration in HN Chapel

Thursday, September 17

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

6:30 pm HN Mass (Sp.): Sr. Clara Acosta

7:00 pm HN Eucharistic Exposition and Vespers (Sp.)

Friday, September 18

8:15 am SPN Mass: Margaret Tiede Rosas †

Saturday, September 19

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

5:00 pm HN Mass: Alice Smith †

Sunday, September 20

6:45 am SPN Confessions (Eng./Sp.)

7:30 am SPN Mass: Henry Kelly †

10:00 am SPN Mass: people in our family of parishes

12:30 pm HN Mass (Sp.): Martin Olague †

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Pray the Holy Rosary

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish Support

Sunday Offerings September 6 \$ 13,505.78

Thank you and God bless you for your generosity.

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish Online Donations

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From Our Pastor Fr. Damien Cook

Grandparents' Day

Sunday, Sept. 13th is National Grandparents' Day. Not only will we include this important recognition in our Mass prayers on Sept. 13th, but our SPN Catholic School will honor grandparents at the 8:15 a.m. All-School Mass on Friday, Sept. 18th. All grandparents are invited to this Mass, and grandparents of our school students will have a tour of the school after the Mass.

Our Lady Store at HN



Our Lady Store at Holy Name is in the north hall of the church's lobby. Though the current closure of the Holy Name Cafeteria and stairwells may affect its hours, the store is open after the Sunday Mass in Spanish at 12:30 p.m. and, if needed, it can be opened after the 5 p.m. Mass on Saturdays.

I would like to take a moment to thank parishioner Kathie Hahn for her supervision of the store and countless hours manning it for many years. It's a service of love and Kathie has made it possible for so many to draw closer to our Lord in devotion and prayer. Kathie is retiring from the post, so please thank her when you see her. I also want to welcome aboard her successor, Elizabeth Rodriguez. I know Elizabeth will do a tremendous job, so please encourage her when you stop in the store.

What is the Our Lady Store at Holy Name? The store offers many different types of religious articles, rosaries, scapulars, crucifixes, T-shirts, books, jewelry, etc. If there is something you are looking for but don't see it in the store, usually it can be ordered for you. Payment currently is by cash or check. Please stop by the store and help support this mission!

Religious Education Classes

Classes for children begin this Wednesday, September 16, 6:15 pm-7:45 pm in the St. Philip Neri Activity Center (gym). *Please enter through the Activity Center (gym) entrance. Please arrive a few minutes early to help us begin on time.* If you have any questions, please contact Monica Valles at 402-451-6622 ext. 804 or email mavalles@archomaha.org.

Safe Environment Training and Recertification

With our parishes' festivals on the horizon and our schools and other activities already begun, all adults who will have any contact with children, i.e., adult volunteers for festivals, catechesis, chaperones, coaches, liturgical ministers, etc., must be Safe Environment certified through our archdiocesan process. Our Safe Environment certifications are valid for six years, and it is easy to be recertified online. However, if your 6-year certification has expired for more than 60 days, you will need to retake the in-person class again, so please be attentive to recertifying.



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ArchOmaha.org



YOU ARE INVITED-ESTÁN INVITADOS HOLY NAME FESTIVAL 2026



A celebration full of faith,
food, music and fun.
Una celebración llena de fe,
comida, música y diversión.

2901 Fontenelle Blvd. Omaha, NE 68104

September 13, 2026

From 11 am to 5 pm



- Music - Música
- Food - Comida
- Games - Juegos
- Prizes - Premios



Holy Name Festival Raffle!

Holy Name Raffle tickets are on sale after the Masses on Saturday at 5:00 pm and Sunday at 12:30 pm in Holy Name Church and at the Festival on September 13.

New prizes this year! Prizes include

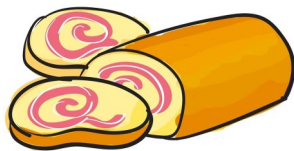
- a new 70" TV,
- beautiful statues of
 - Our Lady of Guadalupe
 - and Saint Jude
- and an ornately-framed picture of *The Last Supper*.



Buy a chance to win great prizes and support Holy Name Catholic Church at the same time! Need not be present to win. The drawing will take place during the Holy Name Festival on September 13!

To create a new account or to login to your existing account, and to register for one of the many certification classes offered throughout Omaha in English or Spanish, visit the Catholic Mutual Platform: <https://omaha.CMGconnect.org>.

If you have any questions or want to verify if you are already certified, please don't hesitate to call Ted Snoddy, our Safe Environment Coordinator for both our parishes and SPN Catholic School (HN School has its own S.E. coordinator). You can reach him by calling ext. 722 at the St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament or Holy Name parish office or by sending an email to: trsnoddy@archomaha.org.



We need cakes!
Please donate cakes or
cupcakes for our annual

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament **FALL FESTIVAL!**

Sunday, September 27

Please drop off cakes in the SPN Activity Center

Saturday, September 26, 9:00 am-1:00 pm

Sunday, September 27, 8:00 am-11:00 am



Please no items that
require refrigeration.
Thank you!

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Fall Festival Lottery/Raffle

The St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Fall Festival will be on Sunday, September 27, from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. It is our primary, annual fundraiser to support our parish and school. Lottery tickets are \$10 each and are available at church entrances, through our parish and school offices, and at the Festival on September 27. There are three chances to win great prizes and support our parish and school at the same time!

Holy Name Cafeteria Closure

Due to an unexpected mechanical failure and coincidentally bad weather conditions, we needed to close the Holy Name Cafeteria and its kitchen for a few weeks. The entire downstairs area is off limits, and that includes the restrooms downstairs, the ladies' restroom upstairs, and the north side church entrances. Women are invited to use the individual bathroom behind the prayer chapel in the southeast corner of the church. These closures are only temporary; we are sorry for the inconvenience. Please call the Parish Office with questions.

SALT: Sages, Advisors, Listeners, Laughers, Teachers, Talkers If you'd like to send a note, call, or visit a St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament SALT member who is homebound and unable to come to Mass, please call Mary in the parish office.

Resetting Parish Sick Lists: From time to time, we reset the petition in the Mass that includes the names of those asking for our prayers. If you or a loved one would like to be included in our Sabbath petitions, please contact either the Holy Name or St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament parish office and speak with the secretary. We are honored and humbled to intercede for our fellow parishioners and suffering neighbors.

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament **FALL FESTIVAL**

Welcome Friends!



Saint Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament
CATHOLIC PARISH

September 27, 2026

11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

8202 N. 31st Street,
Omaha, NE



Highlights

Country Store
 Inflatables & Kids Games
 Pulled Pork & Dinner Meals
 Beer Garden
 Funnel Cakes
 Desserts of all Kinds!

More Info

spnchurchomaha.org

All sponsor names will be on our custom t-shirts!

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Fall Festival **Sunday, September 27, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.**

Mark your calendar and sign up to volunteer to help make our Fall Festival a great success! Incredible plans are being made for a fun-filled day for the entire family!

Enjoy Delicious Cuisine: Smoked Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Grilled Hamburgers, All-beef Hot Dogs, Potato Salad, Macaroni Salad, Walking Tacos, Authentic Hispanic Food!, Chips, Homemade Cakes, Cookies, Desserts.

Fresh Homemade Funnel Cake! Beer Garden! Ice-cold drinks!

Cake Walk! Pop Corn bar! Country Store: If you are handy making crafts, handmade items, or canning fresh produce, items are needed for our Country Store! New or like-new items or gift baskets are appreciated, too! **Silent Auction items!** Many children's games including inflatables for young children! **Dunk Tank! 2-litre bottles of pop are needed for the**

Ring Toss Game! Drop off donations in the boxes in the church narthex or the parish office. Lottery/Raffle Grand Prize \$2,500, 2nd Prize \$1,000, and 3rd Prize \$500! It takes many hands to pull this off! Service hours are available. To volunteer, please scan the QR code, see the sign-up sheets in the church, or call the parish office.



*QR Code to
 donate and
 volunteer for the
 Fall Festival!*

WANTED: Fulltime Head Custodian & Maintenance Assistant

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish & School seek a Head Custodian & Maintenance Assistant. The position is full-time and comes with benefits. Hours are M-F, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., with some additional hours for emergencies and Parish Fall Festival. Candidates should be self-motivated, open to learning, cooperative with others, dependable, and have already or be capable of passing Safe Environment Training Certification. Interested parties should contact Ted Snoddy, the parish and school Business Manager, at 402-455-1289 or trsnoddy@archomaha.org.

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Athletic Director Needed

Are you relatively organized, good at communicating, and looking for a way to support our parish and school youth? We are looking for a new Athletic Director to take the baton starting January 1st, 2027! While the role involves various elements, e.g., organizing sports seasons, coordinating gym time, and using tools like TeamSnap, the current A.D. has provided detailed instructions and established a supportive committee: You won't be doing it all yourself, and you can adapt things as you go along! Our current A.D. steps down on December 31st, but she is happy to help her successor in the transition. Candidates do not need a sports management background, just a willingness to dive in and help our student athletes! **Interested?** Please contact Anne Jensen at aajensen@schools.archomaha.org to learn more.

Baptism Classes: Our Baptism preparation sessions in English and 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 are from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. on the First Sunday of each month in the Parish Center (basement) of St. Philip Neri Church.
- **Classes in Spanish** normally are every other month on a Sunday from 3:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. in the Holy Name Cafeteria.

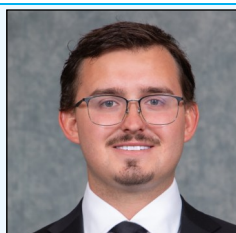


Participation in one of our preparation classes, either in Spanish or in English, is necessary to schedule a Baptism in HN or SPN churches. Formal registration and participation in the parish is a prerequisite, and **pre-registration is required**. Please contact the HN or SPN-BS parish secretary to register.

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



Mr. Max Brown

St. Gregory the Great
Seminary, Discipleship II
St. Philip Neri-Blessed
Sacrament Parish
Omaha, Nebraska



Mr. Stephen Driscoll

Kenrick-Glennon Seminary
Discipleship IV
St. Frances Cabrini Parish
Omaha, Nebraska

A Prayer for Priests by St. John Vianney

O God, please give your Church today many more priests after your own heart. May they be worthy representatives of Christ the Good Shepherd. May they wholeheartedly devote themselves to prayer and penance, being examples of humility and poverty, shining models of holiness, tireless and powerful preachers of the Word of God, and zealous dispensers of your grace in the Sacraments. May their loving devotion to your Son Jesus in the Most Holy Eucharist and to Mary his Mother be the twin fountains of fruitfulness for their ministry. Amen.

Seminarian Max Brown

Fellow St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament parishioner and our brother, Max Brown, is in his second year of formation at St. Gregory the Great Catholic Seminary. He is a seminarian of the Archdiocese of Omaha and will continue his discernment of priesthood. Please keep him in your daily prayers and consider sending him an encouraging card or care package:

Seminarian Max Brown
c/o St. Gregory the Great Catholic Seminary
800 Fletcher Rd.
Seward, NE 68434

Want to Bring Someone to Jesus, Literally?

Occasionally (and recently) we receive requests from the faithful living in our parish boundaries who need a ride to Saturday evening or Sunday Masses. Would you consider this special request? Please contact the respective Parish Secretary to find out more. These are good people who want to receive Jesus in Communion, but they have no ride. Will you help a brother or sister in need as you make your own way to Church? What graces you could receive as you transport Jesus in disguise!

Advertisers for the Bulletin: We are grateful for our supporters advertising in our bulletin. Please look at the back cover of this bulletin and consider their services. Would you like to help defray the cost of our parishes' bulletins and promote your business or message at the same time? We are accepting additional advertisers for our bulletins. Please contact our Business Manager, Ted Snoddy, at trsnoddy@archomaha.org or by calling either the Holy Name or St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament parish office.



ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

For I was hungry and you fed Me, I was thirsty and you gave Me a drink, a stranger and you welcomed Me, naked and you gave Me clothes. (Matthew 25:35-36a)

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Coat Drive

Help us prepare our neighbors for the colder months ahead. 2026 marks the 22nd year that the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Omaha is hosting its Winter Coat Drive & Giveaway. We are collecting new and gently used winter coats for children, teens, and adults, as well as new winter accessories such as hats, gloves, and scarves. Coat donations can be dropped off at St. Philip Neri Church or School through October 1, 2026. Visit www.ssvpomaha.org for more Coat Drive information, including additional ways to donate, purchase coats, and support the drive. Thank you for helping our neighbors stay warm this winter.

2026 Coat Giveaway Dates

Saturday, October 10, 3:00 pm-7:00 pm
Assumption Catholic School Gymnasium
5602 S. 22nd St., Omaha, NE 68107

Saturday, October 24, 8:00 am-1:00 pm
Omaha Home for Boys Gymnasium
4343 N. 52nd St., Omaha, NE 68104



Holy Name Saint Vincent de Paul News

The Holy Name SVDP Food Pantry is CLOSED for the month of September. The Food Pantry will reopen on October 7th, from 4 pm-6 pm in the Holy Name Church narthex (lobby).

On the third Wednesday, September 16, we will have our regular financial assistance application interviews.

Alpha in Spanish meets Tuesdays from 7:00 pm-9:00 pm. There are groups for adults and youth. Please contact Monica at 402-451-6622 ext. 804 or mavalles@archomaha.org.

Neri Circles: Growing in Faith Together, Pray ~ Share ~ Belong

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Parish invites you to join Neri Circles, small gatherings in parishioners' homes where we share a simple meal, pray *Lectio Divina* with Sacred Scripture, and enjoy meaningful Christian fellowship. Contact Robbie Miller at miller.robby@gmail.com or 317-554-9252.

Help Train Roxy as Quincy's Diabetic Support Dog!

Quincy Jacob, a 6th-grade student at St. Philip Neri Catholic School and a proud altar server at our parish, has been living with Type 1 diabetes which requires constant care, monitoring, and ongoing medical expenses. Like any child his age, he wants to learn, grow, serve his church, spend time with his friends, and simply enjoy being a kid. Our family has started a GoFundMe to help raise money for a diabetic support dog to help Quincy be just a kid. We are asking our parish family for ongoing prayers and to consider donating, if you are able, to our diabetic dog fundraiser. We are incredibly grateful for the prayers, kindness, and support from our community. GoFundMe link: <https://gofund.me/b06d48632>

KNIGHTS' NOTES

St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Knights of Columbus Council #5287



KC Monthly Meeting Monday, September 14, 6:45 pm *Into the Breach*, 7 pm Meeting in the Parish Center.

KC Family Movie Knight: Saturday, September 19, 6:30 pm in the Parish Center. Cartoons start after 5:00 pm Mass and at 6:30 pm the feature film "Max: Best Friend, Hero, Marine" begins. A military dog that helped U.S. Marines in Afghanistan returns to the United States and finds mystery and adventure. Featuring fresh-cooked "Hots & Brats", Cold Sodas, and *The Worlds Best Popcorn*, all for a Free Will Donation.

Day of Recollection: Tuesday, September 22, 10 am to 3 pm at Broom Tree Retreat Center, Irene, SD. "Experiencing a Deeper Confession," directed by Father James Mason. This day-long retreat includes two conferences, Mass, an opportunity for Confession, time for Adoration, and lunch. www.broom-tree.org/retreats

Undone: A Healing Retreat - October 9-11 at Broom-Tree Retreat and Conference Center, Irene, SD. Directed by Father Scott Traynor & The Lourdes Center. Under the patronage of Our Lady, Undoer of Knots, Retreat Conferences will focus on Jesus' power to heal the mind, body, and spirit, and will offer practical ways to invite that grace into your life. There is time for individual spiritual direction as well as one-on-one time with licensed counselors. The retreat begins Friday evening and ends Sunday after lunch. It is open to men and women aged 18 and older. Questions? Contact 605-263-1040 or broomtree@sfcatholic.org. www.broom-tree.org/retreats

Formed.org has resources for adults, youth, and children to grow in their relationship with Christ and His Church: Catholic movies, Bible studies, talks, audio books (English and Spanish). Free for parishioners. Signup at formed.org/signup: Click *Find Your Parish Subscription*, enter parish *St Philip Neri Church*.

Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

At Holy Name Church, Exposition is on Wednesdays from 9 am-9 pm in the chapel and on Thursdays after the 6:30 pm Spanish Mass until 8 pm in the church. **On First Fridays**, Exposition is from 9 am-9 pm in the Holy Name chapel. For more information, call Sr. Beatriz in the Holy Name office.

At St. Philip Neri Church, Exposition is normally Monday - Friday from 5 pm to 9 pm (the final hour being 8 pm to 9 pm) in the prayer chapel. **On First Fridays**, Exposition is from 9 am to 9 pm in the church proper. To sign up for an hour, please call/text Joann Feller at 402-215-5532.

Adoration without Exposition is available anytime at both SPN and HN Churches. There is a door with an entry code. For details and the door code, please contact the parish offices.

Dear St. Philip Neri-Blessed Sacrament Adorers, The Prayer Room now has its own copy of the *National Catholic Register*, courtesy of a thoughtful parishioner. Now you can choose your own article(s) to read. Note that the binder of old articles will be on the shelf for a while. Thanks for all you do. Joann Feller, Coordinator

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Mass of Remembrance for those who have died by suicide
Sunday, September 13, 2:00 pm at St. Charles Borromeo Church, 7790 S. 192 St., Gretna, with Archbishop McGovern.

A Mass of Thanksgiving for Venerable Edward J. Flanagan
Sunday, September 13, 4:30 pm in Immaculate Conception Chapel at Boys' Town with Archbishop Michael McGovern. The Mass is a ticketed event due to limited capacity in the chapel, but it can be seen on the Archdiocese of Omaha YouTube channel or at ArchOmaha.org.

Mount Michael Festival Sunday, September 20, 11 am-5 pm. Activities begin with Mass at 11 am in the DJ Sokol Chapel. Bring a family picnic to enjoy on the South Lawn or enjoy one of our food vendors, including the popular burgers. More announcements are at the website: MMfallfestival.org

Golf Fore IPF, the Institute for Priestly Formation

Monday, September 28, at Oak Hills Country Club, Omaha. Details and registration: priestlyformation.org, 531-272-8498.

Men's Support and Accountability Group (in English) is a weekly support group for those who want to live a life free from pornography. Men interested in attending should call the dedicated line 402-557-5507 and leave a message. The group facilitator is the sole retriever of the messages and will return the call within 48 hours. More information is at: archomaha.org/familylife/path/. Integrity Restored is another fine online resource for wives whose husbands struggle with pornography as well as for the men themselves.



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