

Saint George Church Morse Bluff

260 Short Street
Weekend Masses: Saturday @ 6:00 p.m.
1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays @ 10:00 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays @ 8:00 a.m.
Coffee and rolls: 1st Sunday of the month

Epiphany of the Lord January 7, 2018

To Know, Love, and Serve God

Sacred Heart Church Cedar Hill

2750 County Road 27
Sunday Masses:
1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays @ 8:00 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays @ 10:00 a.m.
Coffee and rolls: 2nd Sunday of the month

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MASS SCHEDULE:

MASS INTENTIONS:

FEAST DAY:

Monday	8 Jan.	9:00 a.m.	St. George	+All Souls Intention	Baptism of the Lord
Tuesday	9 Jan.	7:00 a.m.	St. George	+Lorin, Nadine & Larry Racek, and Lorna Pelan	
Wednesday	10 Jan.	7:00 a.m.	St. George	+All Souls Intentions	
Thursday	11 Jan.	7:00 a.m.	St. George	+All Souls Intention – Tom Walter	
Friday	12 Jan.	7:00 a.m.	Sacred Heart	+All Souls Intentions	
Saturday	13 Jan.	8:00 a.m.	Sacred Heart	+All Souls Intentions	St. Hilary, Bishop
		6:00 p.m.	St. George	+Ray & Mildred Brabec	Second
Sunday	14 Jan.	8:00 a.m.	St. George	For our parishioners (Missa pro populo)	Sunday in
		10:00 a.m.	Sacred Heart	+Deceased FCSLA Members	Ordinary Time

Parish Confession Schedule: Confessions usually heard 30 minutes before all weekend Masses, ending 5-10 minutes before Mass. (Confessions before the 10:00 a.m. Mass may be shortened because of priest's travel time between parishes.)

You may send bulletin notices (please indicate -Bulletin- in the Subject) to: dhunt@gtmc.net, st.gmb@nntc.net

Mass times online for parishes in the United States: <http://www.masstimes.org/>

SUNDAY LITURGICAL MINISTERS/SERVERS:

St. George			Reader	Acolyte	Server(s)
Saturday	13 Jan.	6:00 p.m.	-----	-----	-----
Sunday	14 Jan.	8:00 a.m.	Galen Johnson	Dan Bauer	Ian Virka
Sacred Heart					
Sunday	14 Jan.	10:00 a.m.	Jim Nemeč	Jeff Bauer	-----

Announcements:

St. George Altar Society meeting Sunday, January 7, after the 10:00 am Mass along with coffee & rolls. New schedules are in the back of church for 2018. Please pick up your copy. See you Sunday!

Thank You... for all the support and encouragement you have given me in the last year. Know you are remembered in my heart and prayers. We have been graced with so many blessings. I pray that 2018 may be filled with good health and an ever-growing awareness of God's countless graces and blessings.

– Fr. Dennis Hunt

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“Perfectly Yourself” – Christmas Book: - - - In this life-changing book, Matthew Kelly addresses the opportunities and obstacles we encounter when we decide to ask life's BIG questions: who am I? and why am I here? Newly revised with an emphasis on spiritual growth and realizing God's dream for your life, Perfectly Yourself is a book for anyone who has survived the collapse of a relationship, wondered if he or she would ever find a fulfilling career, or failed at a diet. Kelly teaches us how to find the balance between accepting ourselves and striving to become all God dreams for us to become. This is the guide you need if you long to be at peace with who you are, where you are, and what you are doing, not in some distant tomorrow, but here and now—today...

Area Parish Web Sites

St. Mary Church - Ashland,
<http://home.windstream.net/stmaryashland>

St. Patrick Church – Fremont
<http://www.stpatsfremont.org>

St. James Church - Mead,
<http://sjamescatholicchurch.com>

St. Charles Borromeo Church – North Bend
<http://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-charles-borromeo-church-68649>

Sts. Mary & Joseph Church - Valparaiso,
<http://saintsmaryandjosephvalparaiso.parishesonline.com>

St. Wenceslaus Church - Wahoo
<http://www.wahoocatholic.org>

St. John Church – Weston
<http://stjohnschoolweston.com>

Announcements

St. Wenceslaus School Pancake Feed Serving
Pancakes, Eggs, Sausages, Coffee and juice, Sat Jan 20
5:30 – 8:00 pm, Sun. Jan 21, 8:00 am - Noon

Marriage Encounter brings an ongoing renewal to
the life of a Parish one couple at a time.

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Marriage Encounter weekend in Lincoln Feb. 9--11
Contact couple is Pat and Janelle Benson
Janelle 308-940-1105
Pat 308-940-0670 Home 308-946-3568.

For Men & Women seeking healing from Divorce-

The Catholic Divorced Survival Guide was created to
bring hope and healing to divorced and separated
Catholics. This 12-week program will be leader
facilitated & features 30-minute DVD segments that
cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt,
forgiveness, money, kids, annulment, and much more.
The next session will begin February 5, 2018 and is
held at John XXIII Diocesan Center, Lincoln, NE from
7-9pm. Classes are kept small. Register by calling the
Family Life Office at 402-473-0620, or
catholicflo@cdolinc.net.

Marriage Saving - the Post Session Phase – The
post-weekend phase of Retrouvaille is as crucial to the
healing of a troubled marriage as the initial weekend
experience. During the post-weekend sessions, the
weekend technique is further developed and combined
with additional tools to explore other areas of the
marriage relationship. For confidential information
about or to register for the program beginning with a
weekend on Feb. 16-18 2018, call 1-888-317-5654 or
www.HelpOurMarriage.org on the web

UNBOUND-Retreat at Our Lady of Good Counsel

Retreat House, January 19- 21, 2018 with Fr. William
Holoubek. This weekend retreat is geared towards men
and women who have already read the book or
watched the video series, and will provide
opportunities for praying the five keys with a prayer
team. Please register at <http://goodcounselretreat.com/>
Sts. Cyril and Methodius (Plasi)-will host a Mardi
Gras celebration on Satur- day, Feb 3, 2018 at the
Prague Parish Hall in Prague!! Serving begins at 7pm
\$20 per person. Must be 21 or older to at- tend. For
tickets call Jo @ 663-5242; Pat @663-5137; Linda @
642-5457 or Tara @ 642-5824. (Open to at 8pm)

St. Benedict Center - Schuyler

For more information, call (402) 352-8819 or
visit our website at: www.StBenedictCenter.com

God Calls: A Discernment Retreat for Women,

(Teresa Monaghan, AO) January 19-21, 2018
God calls everyone to a vocation, a life of intimacy with the
Lord, of joy and service to our world! Teresa, Sr. Inviolata,
OSB, Fr. Thomas, and their team of consecrated and lay
women will help you this weekend draw closer to God and
listen for your very important calling.

Men's Retreat: Spiritual Exercises for Discipleship

(Br. August Schaefer, OSB) Fri, Jan 26-28, 2018
This retreat for men will introduce you to many practical
tools for living as Jesus' disciples and show you how to use
them. Br. August Schaefer, OSB, Deacon Duane Karmazin,
Fr. Thomas Leitner, OSB, and Teresa Monaghan, AO, will
present various aspects of discernment. The retreat will help
you, whatever your state in life, to learn the fine art of
paying attention and responding deeply to God's call.

Have a Daily Commitment to Prayer.

God is not a distant force, but rather a personal friend and
adviser. Try to listen to the voice of God in your life, and
believe doing God's will is the only path that leads to
lasting happiness in this changing world (and beyond).

... Start by simply talking to God about your day. You may
begin your prayer by reading from the Bible. You may have
a favorite devotional book to begin with. Have you arrived
at the time and place in your day for prayer? Do you have a
plan; or is prayer left to chance or mood. Do you have a
habit of prayer? You can cling to prayer when you have it
as a great discipline. *(The following is taken from: "The Four
Signs of a Dynamic Catholic" a help for the habit of daily
prayer.)*

The Prayer Process

- 1. Gratitude:** Begin by thanking God in a personal
dialogue for whatever you are most grateful for today.
- 2. Awareness:** Revisit the times in the past twenty-four
hours when you were and were not the-best-version-of-
your-self. Talk to God about these situations and what you
learned from them.
- 3. Significant Moments:** Identify something you
experienced in the last twenty-four hours and explore what
God might be trying to say to you through that event (or
person).
- 4. Peace:** Ask God to forgive you for any wrong you have
committed (against yourself, another person, or Him) and to
fill you with a deep and abiding peace.
- 5. Freedom:** Speak with God about how He is inviting you
to change your life, so that you can experience the freedom
to be the-best-version-of-yourself.
- 6. Others:** Lift up to God anyone you feel called to pray for
today, asking God to bless and guide them.
- 7. Pray the Our Father.**

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of Lincoln requires that its employees and volunteers
report any allegations of abuse or neglect of a minor or
elder connected with church related activity to law
enforcement, consistent with the requirements of
Nebraska law. If anyone has information that a minor
or elder is being or has been subjected to abuse or
neglect please report it immediately to local law
enforcement or to the Nebraska Department of Health
and Human Services toll-free number 1-800-652-1999,
and also to any Parish Pastor, School Administrator,
Teacher, or to any Diocesan official at the Catholic
Chancery (402) 488-0921, so that immediate steps
may be taken for the protection of the minor or elder.

St. Charles Religious Education Program (PRE)

Grades K-6 - 3:45pm-4:45pm; Grades 7-12 - 6:00pm-7:30pm Questions, contact Kelli Emanuel (High School DRE) or Jodi McLaughlin (Grade School DRE) at stcharlespre@gmail.com.

The Bishop asks that all parishes publish the following notice in their parish bulletins at least once during the upcoming month of **January**:

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elder connected with church related activity to law enforcement, consistent with the requirements of Nebraska law. If anyone has information that a minor or elder is being or has been subjected to abuse or neglect please report it immediately to local law enforcement or to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services toll-free number 1-800-652-1999, and also to any Parish Pastor, School Administrator, Teacher, or to any Diocesan official at the Catholic Chancery (402) 488-0921, so that immediate steps may be taken for the protection of the minor or elder.