



Weddings: Please arrange at least 6 months prior to the desired date.

Reconciliation: Any time by appointment or Saturdays

Baptisms: Please arrange no less than one month prior to desired date.

3 - 3:45 PM - St. Boniface Church Sacristy.

St. Therese Mass Schedule

Saturday	Dec 05,2020	5:00 PM	John Delbert Roeckers - The Delbert Roeckers Family
Tuesday	Dec 08,2020	8:30 AM	Catherine Oestreicher & Maude Robertson - the late Jim Oestreicher - <u>Holy Day of Obligation</u>
Wednesday	Dec 09,2020		For all Parishioners - Living and Deceased - <i>Priory until visits to nursing homes resume!</i>
Thursday	Dec 10,2020	8:30 AM	Othmar Wuertz - Lester and Barbara Wuertz
Saturday	Dec 12,2020	5:00 PM	Clark Platt - Kevin and Michelle Hermreck

Assignments – 12/12/20

Stewardship

Lector:

Gail Kueser

Offertory Collection: 28 November 2020

Eucharistic Minister:

Michelle Hermreck

Regular Collection - \$855.00

(Envelopes - \$740.00 and Plate - \$115.00)

Votives - \$14.00

Catholic Campaign for Human Development - \$10.00

Building Fund - \$1,290.00 - (\$190.00 Jim Oestreicher Memorials)

Cemetery Upkeep - \$1,100.00

Christmas Decoration Memorials - \$10.00

Richmond Care Center:

None at present

Hospitality: Gerard Weber

CountingTeam: None at present

St. Boniface Mass Schedule

Sunday	Dec 06,2020	9:00 AM	Nadine Peine - Keith and Teresa Peine
Monday	Dec 07,2020	8:30 AM	June Cooper - Rick and Peg Mechnig and Family
Monday	Dec 07,2020	7:00 PM	Rod Lutz - Mary Milner - <u>Holy Day of Obligation Vigil Mass</u>
Wednesday	Dec 09,2020		For all Parishioners - Living and Deceased - <i>Priory until visits to nursing homes resume!</i>
Friday	Dec 11,2020	8:30 AM	Henry and Hildred Wittman - Gene and Anita Peine and Family
Sunday	Dec 13,2020	9:00 AM	Dorothy Lickteig - Walter B.Lickteig

Assignments – 12/13/20

Stewardship

Lector:

Stacey Bures

Offertory Collection: 29 November 2020

Eucharistic Minister:

Nancy Hermreck - if Fr. Dave is not present.

Regular Collection - \$1,382.00

(Envelopes - \$944.00 and Plate - \$438.00)

Votives - \$20.90

Catholic Campaign for Human Development - \$4.00

Cemetery Upkeep- \$125.00

Servers:

Hannah and Mya Jümet

Richmond Care Center: None at present

Counting Team: Keith Peine

I am filled with a jealous zeal for the Lord God of Hosts



R.I.P. - Fr. Clyde passed away on Tuesday morning, December 1st. There will be a Mass of the Resurrection in Florida, and as was his wish, has been cremated. He asked to have his remains buried here in Kansas. **No firm date has been set - but we will have a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Boniface with inurnment at St. Boniface Cemetery within the next week or so. As plans are finalized, I will do my best to get the information out to you all. Please keep checking the website for information.** May he rest in the eternal embrace of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and our loving God!

Immaculate Conception Holy Day - is this Tuesday. The Vigil Mass will be at St. Boniface at 7:00 PM on Monday, December 07th. The Holy Day Mass will be at St. Therese at 8:30 AM. Anyone who would like to volunteer as a Lector, Minister of the Eucharist, or Server at either Mass, please let me know. Thanks!

St. Boniface Parish Council - will meet in the Sacristy immediately following Mass this Sunday, 12/01/20.

Special Collection -Next weekend there is a collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Many religious women and men have had a powerful impact on our lives and on our country. Many of these dedicated communities are very much in need to assist them in caring for their aged and ill members. Please thank them for their ministries by being generous in your support of this annual collection. **May God bless you abundantly for your customary generosity.** There is also an envelope for Christmas Flowers and Decorations. If you would like to help decorate our beautiful churches for the upcoming holidays, please put your envelope in the regular collection baskets. Memorials will be posted in January.

Advent - An Advent meditation booklet is available (one for each family) at the entrance of both churches. Please take one home with you as a resource for your personal or family preparation for Christmas. You may also wish to sign up for a daily reflection on your computer, phone or tablet that is offered by Dynamic Catholic. Directions on how to sign up for **Best Advent Ever** can be found on a flyer on the Bulletin Boards. There is also a link on the website for a Daily Meditation offered by Bishop Robert Barron to guide you through the Season of Advent. May we all experience a hope-filled and blessed Advent!

Christmas Giving -There are many opportunities for you to bless others with your generosity during this season. The **Hand Me Up** program is a new service being offered locally for those with young children who are in need of some assistance. The participants will earn Hand Up credits to "purchase" items they and their children might benefit from. It is being operated through the Extension office, and the store will be at the Methodist Church in Garnett. New and gently used (and clean) infant and children's clothing, diapers, wipes, etc. are all welcome. They will also gladly accept monetary donations. Information is at the entrance of both churches. **ECKAN** has also adapted their holiday program this year to a cash/check/gift card manner. If you would like to make a financial offering (checks made out to ECKAN) or offer a grocery store gift card, put the offering in a separate envelope marked "ECKAN" and put it in the collection baskets. Any non-perishable food will continue to be deposited at the Richmond Methodist food pantry throughout the holiday season. Thanks for your generosity!

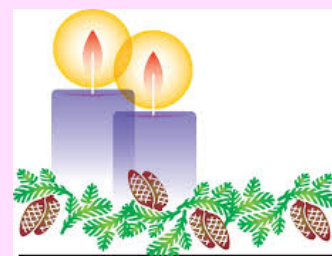
New Missalettes - a limited number of the 2021 Liturgical Year missalettes are available at the entrance of the churches. More will be delivered when our congregations return to our typical size. Until such time, I wanted to offer these to those who regularly participate at weekday Masses, and those who might find them helpful while participating in a televised Mass. Please take a plastic cover along to protect the book!

Tentative Christmas Schedule - though subject to change the schedule for Christmas will be: **Christmas Eve** Masses: 2:00 PM Mass at St. Boniface; 4:00 PM Mass at St. Therese; and 7:00 PM Mass at St. Boniface. **Christmas Day** Mass will be at St. Therese at 9:00 AM. **I'd like to film a You Tube Mass that you can watch from home - if I can put together a crew to help with putting that together. Anyone who has some experience with videography, Lectors, and some singers and musicians would be a wonderful addition. If you can help in any way, please let me know as soon as possible!**

One Family: One Faith: One Future in Christ - If you are in a position at this time to consider how you can participate in this campaign, I encourage you to do so. Information regarding the Campaign and pledge envelopes are available at the entrance of both churches. Thank you for considering this reminder! As always, your generosity is GREATLY appreciated!

Everyone is asked to still wear masks as you enter and exit. the churches, as well as during Mass. If necessary, you may take the masks off once you are in your pew. We will continue to distribute Holy Communion as we have since we reopened. Please remember to exit the churches in such a manner that social distancing protocols are being adhered to. Thank you for your attentiveness to and patience with all of these precautions.

Sts. Isidore and Maria de la Cabeza - Pray for us for safety and favorable weather!



SECOND SUNDAY OF *Advent*

In the second reading today, Peter admonishes us to be at peace. Here are a few quotes for your meditation throughout the week!

"When the power of love overcomes the love of power, the world will know peace."

Jimi Hendrix

"A smile is the beginning of peace."

St. Teresa of Calcutta

"Peace is not merely a distant goal that we seek, but a means by which we arrive at that goal."

Martin Luther King, Jr.

Have a blessed week! Fr. Jerry