

January 29, 2012
4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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We as St. Gerald Parish, are a Eucharistic Community who will help each other to be good and faithful stewards of God's love. With the help of the Holy Spirit, we will accomplish this through prayer, worship, education and service.

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Masses

Church - 96th & Q Street

Sat 5:00pm

Sun 7:30am 9:00am 10:30am & 12:00pm

Daily 12:15pm (M-F)

Holy Days 6:00pm (eve) 7:00am, 12:15pm

Chapel - 78th & Lakeview St.

Sun 7:00am

Daily 8:15am (M-Sat)

Holy Days 9:00am (children's) 7:00pm

Rosary begins at 7:45 am

For a recording of the Mass times please call 331-1955 ext 21.

Reconciliation

96th & Q Mon-Fri: 12:00-12:15pm Sat 3-4:30pm

Lakeview: First Fridays and Saturdays prior to 8:15am Mass

Ministry to the Sick

If you, a relative or friend are hospitalized or shut-in, short or long term, and would like a visit from a Priest, please call the parish office.

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

You must be a registered parishioner and attend one baptism class. This class is held the second Thursday of every month. Please fill out the form found in the kiosk of the church and return the form to the business office to sign up for the class. **The form MUST be completed and turned in the Tuesday before the Baptism class.** If not turned in by this deadline, you will attend the following class. This is not a walk-in class.

Marriage

According to the Archdiocesan guidelines and to ensure adequate preparation for this very important Sacrament, you must make arrangements at least six (6) months ahead of the Marriage date. Special instructions are required for any Catholic party under 19 years of age. No date can be set for this marriage. A Civil Marriage License should be obtained two weeks in advance of marriage. **To set a wedding date here at St. Gerald Catholic Church, you must be a registered parishioner for 3 months.**

Religious Formation K-8

We encourage attendance at St. Gerald Catholic School. There the students receive a quality 5-day elementary program including the teaching of Religion each day along with mass two times a week and daily prayer. Parents may choose to send their children to the public school. If so, their children need to be registered in our parish Religious Education Program. Regular and sustained Religious Formation is a life-long process. But in particular, for our youth, complete preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation is a process that encompasses the catechetical curriculum in grades 1-8. Parental support at home for their children's religious formation includes attendance at Sunday Eucharist, prayer at home, and support of the catechetical program of their choice. Parishioners who Home School are encouraged to visit with the Religious Education Director about their children's progress in this area.



Thank You: I want to thank our deacons for their wonderful Pro-Life homilies this past weekend. They helped to highlight the issue as an ongoing struggle

to reclaim the conscience of America. When John Paul II referred to our present times as a culture of death, he meant that we live in a time when the focus of most of our culture is on **needs of me**. This means that I am in control in such a way that the freedom of conscience means I do not have to have eternal values but all is passing, changeable, and adjustable depending on the whim of the moment. It is a time when the rule of emotion has replaced the rule of reason. In order for us to change this culture it must begin at home, in our own hearts. It goes something like this: do you let yourself off the hook if you miss mass? The eternal value of worshiping God weekly is changed and adjusted depending on your whim of the moment. That is how the culture of death infiltrates us, subtly and without warning. It means a courageous conversion that works to support the woman who is considering an abortion so she can choose life. Pro-life is not simply changing a law, it is changing hearts, and we start with ours.

Meitler Study of East Omaha Schools: 1/23/12

1. St. Gerald was included in this study from the beginning. The boundary that was created that included us was schools east of 72nd Street. Now, St. Joan of Arc and St. Gerald are not in that geographic area, but we are close. So we were both included.

2. We shared information about our school, quality of the program, the buildings, the finances, the demographics, salaries, benefits...all that was necessary to demonstrate the facts about our school.

3. The issue at hand is the fact that many of the schools in the study area have declining enrollments and financial burdens that make the ministry in the supporting parish strained at best. In some cases Archdiocesan subsidies have been keeping schools running. When a school is run with only 15 students in a classroom it cannot financially make it in the long run. Tuition cannot increase and parish subsidy is static at best: the cycle of reduction of staff, services and delayed building maintenance become common.

4. All the data and proposals that relates to this issue can be found on the Meitler web site. www.meitler.com Click on **Client Access**, then type in **Omaha**.

5. One of the significant factual observations is that the student population that could come to the catholic school in the study area is basically maxed out. To increase the number of students in a given school to a number that is viable is not possible. So the only option is for schools to come together, pool resources and create a system of schools that will serve this geographic area. That is the present plan. The details are certainly not worked out and input is needed.

6. Details of this restructuring were rolled out last week Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 17-18. I have served on the Parish side of the Steering Committee and have seen the financial issues facing many of these parishes. The plan for parishes is also on the above website.

7. If St. Gerald becomes part of this plan there are various possible consequences. The school would become part of a system that has a

chief administrator that functions as the boss over the various principals. A school board with more jurisdictional power would set the policies for the school system. Members of this board would be from the parishes involved as well as the pastors involved.

8. We have tried to collaborate in the past with schools but it seems that when you have lots of bosses it becomes eventually impossible, this system would allow us to pool our resources to take care of various aspects of education: teacher development, common tuition formula, common bookkeeping and tuition collection desk, common salary formula, tech. services, counseling, and common marketing plan.

9. The parish still retains control of the building and the school system would make an agreement with the parish for the use of the building. If our site is to remain strong and viable for it to continue to offer Catholic Education for decades to come, we would have to concentrate on paying our subsidy to the school and keeping our facilities in tip-top condition.

10. Concerns over staff reduction in those schools that would be closed has been expressed raising further the concern of the security of the jobs for all our school personnel once a school joins a new system and is, in a sense, reinvented.

11. To loose local control, as this plan would do, we have to consider ourselves as connected to the viability of Catholic Education in our part of town. Can we, and the strength of our school, help make this possible? There is no simple answer to this.

12. The team that has participated representing our school is made up of parents and supporters. They will be meeting soon to draw up ways to include the voice of all our various stakeholders.

13. We will keep you informed.

Catholic Schools Week: This annual week has always been a way for us to celebrate the good that takes place in our Catholic Schools. To make Catholic School affordable, viable and excellent takes a lot of stake-holders. Parents, Parishioners, Professional Educators, Staff, and the Larger Community along with our students form a community of Faith that seeks to form the total student. St. Gerald is a strong school with a wonderful family atmosphere and a solid core of Catholic Values. Seeking ways to remain strong, viable and affordable while providing the best education possible—is a worthy goal for us to adopt. CSW will conclude on Friday, Feb. 3 with an all school mass in the gym at Lakeview. Parents and Parishioners are encouraged to come.

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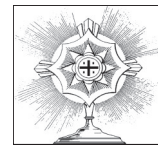
Feast of the Presentation: Another one of those traditions in our church rarely seen is the procession that takes place on the Feast of the Presentation. I am going to switch the celebration of the Presentation to Feb. 3 and we will do the St. Blasé blessing of throats in our Grade School on Thursday, Feb. 2 and we will administer the blessing to our Religious Ed Students on Feb. 1. We will also administer the blessing after the masses on Feb. 4-5. But back to the Feast of the Presentation, traditionally it included a procession with lit candles. We are going to do a version of this with our Grade School Children and Families at the 9:00 am mass on Feb. 3. The Mass that day will be held in the Gym. The 8:15 am mass will be canceled and all are asked and encouraged to join the kids at this mass. We are going to work hard to make this a really neat experience—a sensible way to experience Jesus who is our Light. At the end of the mass we will process with the Blessed Sacrament to the Church where we will begin our First Friday prayers with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament all day. What a wonderful way to end Catholic Schools Week.

Clergy Conference: The priests will be gone on Feb. 6-7 for the Winter Clergy Conference in Schuyler. 12:15 on Mon., 2/6 will be a communion service. 8:15 and 12:15 on Tues., 2/7 will be communion services.

Prayer for the Success of Our Forty Hour: God our Father, we praise You for all Your wonderful works and we thank You for Your goodness to us. On the Road to Emmaus Your Son Jesus taught His disciples to recognize Him in the breaking of the bread.

Through the intercession of St. John Neumann, make our hearts burn within us for our upcoming Forty Hours so that we may recognize Him more clearly in the Eucharist and in our daily lives. May our enthusiasm and anticipation grow, may we talk about it with our neighbors and friends, may our calendars be freed up so we can participate and may our Forty Hours be a moment of grace for our Parish. We ask this, in the name of Jesus, our Eucharistic Lord, who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen.

“The Solemn Exposition of the Holy Eucharist offers the opportunity to the people of God for prayerful reflection on their call to deeper devotion to the Holy Eucharist and a more faithful living of the Christian Life. It provides them with the opportunity to become more aware of Christ’s presence with his people and invites them to a spiritual communion with him.” *Order of the Solemn Exposition of the Holy Eucharist*, para. 3, Liturgical Press: 1992. Our Forty Hours, here at St. Gerald, will be a time for us to gain a deeper share in the Paschal mystery. Through the humanity of the Son of God we are intimately connected, by grace, to the One who is our Savior. He has chosen to dwell with us in a most humble way in the Holy Eucharist. Therefore, when we adore Him hidden in our Tabernacles or exposed on our Altars, we can pour out our hearts to Him as he pours out his love on us. One might ask why do this at all, isn’t he present in our churches all the time anyway and can’t we stop in to visit anytime? The answer is quite simple. Do anniversaries need to be remembered and celebrated? Even if it is simply a card or flowers or a dinner out---what husband would not be in some sort of hot water if he did not remember the anniversary. The couple lives their marriage vows daily but an anniversary capitalizes on that fact and celebrates it. The same is true of our Forty Hours; we come to church week after week but it is good to have a special celebration to help us appreciate what we do and what we have.



First Friday

Eucharistic Adoration will be held Friday, February 3, *beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Chapel, 78th & Lakeview and continuing until 2:30 p.m., closing with Benediction. Spend an hour with the Lord anytime during the day.*

First Saturday Devotions

First Saturday Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima’s request for the five first Saturdays of Reparation will be held February 4 at 8:15 a.m. Devotions, rosary and confession will begin at 7:45 a.m.



HOPE A big "thank you and congratulations" to all that participated in the HOPE program in 2011. Total sales for the year were \$405,130, up almost \$80,000 from 2010. Profit for the year was \$19,573, up \$3,450. Sales for the month of December, 2011, were \$72,480. December sales in 2008 were \$49,229; 2009-\$55,045; and 2010-\$66,865. The good news is sales have continued to increase every year. The bad, or sad, news is that the potential for bigger growth and payouts to the educational programs at St. Gerald's could be **SO** much more. The program is very simple to use, it just takes a commitment to become a part of it. Every one of us purchases groceries and gas weekly. We have now added "Fareway Food Stores" to our program, with a 3% payback. Hy-Vee, our biggest grocery/gas contributor, with a 5% payback, showed us a \$9,147.50 profit alone. Imagine if everyone that shopped at our local HyVee store did so with HOPE gift cards. Please seriously consider becoming a part of the HOPE program.

Thank you. Judy and Gene Steimle

Spend an hour with the Lord who in the Sacrifice of the Mass fashions us for Himself. Come to Forty Hours March 11 - 13. St. John Neumann, Pray for Us.

Quilting/Sewing WE NEED YOUR HELP

Do you have fabric that you’d like to put to good use? We will be providing pillowcases (child/adult), baby items, blankets/quilts (child/adult), and walker/wheelchair totes to various agencies in the Omaha area and surrounding communities. We are in need of **clean 100% cotton, flannel and fleece.** The prints should be novelty, sports, baby, licensed (team logos, Disney, etc). We also need quilt batting (**LOW loft only**). Donations can be dropped off in the marked boxes in the back of both churches the weekends of February 5 and 12. Questions?? Contact Jean (402-331-7524) or Judy (402-593-9378). Join us on the 3rd Monday of the month from 6-9:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. All skill levels are welcome. You are welcome to help with charity projects or work on your own projects.



School News



School Calendar

Jan 29: Catholic Schools Week Begins
 Jan 30: Crazy Socks Day; Middle School Trivia Contest
 Jan 31: "Canned Food Golf"; Stewardship Sculptures
 Feb 1: Wear favorite Catholic School logo; Spelling Bee
 Feb 2: All School Assembly
 Feb 3: Focus on Faith-Adoration

Kindergarten Pre-Registration

If you are thinking about sending your child to kindergarten at St. Gerald School next school year, please give us a call at (402) 331-4223. We will add them to our pre-registration database list.

St Gerald Soccer Spring 2012 Soccer registration for the 2012 Spring Soccer Season. You can find the online registration at www.stgerald.org/sports or by clicking the appropriate link below CYSL Registration 1st Grade – 8th Grade Micro Soccer League Pre-K / K Registration deadline for both Jan 31st.



Men's Club

St Gerald UNO Hockey Night

UNO vs Minnesota

Saturday, February 25

Pre Game Party

St Gerald School Gym, 78th & LV
 Doors open at 4pm, Bus leaves at 6pm
 All tickets are in the Lower Bowl!
 Admission includes food, beverage & game ticket: \$15.00
 Call Casey at 402-677-7507 or caseyhoffman@cox.net.

Women's Social

Women's Social Group

Interested in joining the new women's social group? Please come to an informational meeting on Monday, February 6 at 6:30 pm in the library, 96th and Q. Share your ideas for fun and interesting socials. Contact Nancy at mnlech@cox.net with any questions.

Religious Education

Mary Harper,

Director of Religious Formation

Work.....402-331-1955 x25

Email.....mharper@stgerald.org

Prayer from St. Teresa of Avila

Let nothing disturb you,
 Let nothing frighten you,
 All things are passing away:
 God never changes.
 Patience obtains all things
 Whoever has God lacks nothing;
 God alone suffices.

St. Teresa of Avila pray for us.

Forty Hours March 11-13

Please consider praying an hour during our "Forty Hours" with your child/children at the Church 96th & Q. More information will follow.

Young Adult Ministry

'Young Adult Ministry - 20 & 30 year-olds reaching out to others in a spirit of Christian friendship, for spiritual growth, and service.'

Feb. 2: There will be a meeting of the Archdiocesan Young Adult Council at St. Leo (102nd & Blondo) from 4:30-6 pm. If you would like to represent our parish, please contact Kathy at kathyk@stgerald.org.

Theology on Tap for Young Adults, Feb. 25, Mar. 1, Mar. 8. More info at youngadults@archomaha.org.

High School Honor Roll

Congratulations:

Marian High: Marissa Arana,
 Elizabeth Mostek, Kayla Sullivan

Duchesne Academy: Emily Schmidt, Megan Marron

Community Service Project Group

Interested in joining the new women's community service projects group? Please come to an informational meeting on Monday, January 30 at 6:30 pm in the multipurpose room, 96th and Q. We will be discussing what types of service projects the group would like to become involved with and how to do so. Contact Nancy at mnlech@cox.net with any questions.

Youth Ministry

Making a difference for good in our world.

Kathy Kensinger,

Director of Youth/Young Adult Ministry

Work.....402-331-1955

Cell402-880-9717

Email kathyk@stgerald.org

Feb. 5th: "Soup"er Bowl Sunday.

Youth Ministry will be collecting money for the homeless after all Masses. Please call Kathy to help.

Feb. 19th: Youth Mass at Noon followed by lunch and a "Movie with a Message" for 7-12th graders. Contact Kathy by Feb. 12th to participate in Mass as a reader. Welcomers and gift bearers need to come to Mass 20 mins. early to participate.

Feb. 24th: Hour of Power 8:30-11:30 pm. In the Lakeview Chapel, with open gym following, for 7-12th grades.

Pro-Life Poster Contest for 7-12th Grades: This year's theme is :Being Pro-Life Means... For more information contact Kathy or see the entry forms on the kiosk in the narthex.

Theology of the Body for High School Students. This program, for discovering God's plan for life and love is based on the writings of Pope John Paul II, and features Jason Evert. It will be held on the 2nd & 4th Monday nights each month in Feb., March and April. For more details contact Kathy.

To receive our Youth News by email contact us at kathyk@stgerald.org.

Also "friend" us at St. Gerald Youth Group on Facebook or check out our website at www.stgerald.org.

Please pray for the success of our Youth Programs.

Confirmation News:

This year's Confirmation is Sat. April 21st at 7 pm. Practice will be at 7 pm on Thurs. April 19th.

Parent Connection for Jan. 29th:

In today's gospel Jesus uses his authority to drive out a demon, and "All were amazed." Talk with your family about times when you have been amazed at the power of God.

WEEKDAY MASSES FOR JANUARY 30-FEBRUARY 4

Mon 1/30/12	8:15 am - Chapel	†Frances Fonfara
	12:15 pm - Church	†Robert Ramsey
Tues 1/31/12	8:15 am - Chapel	†Thomas O Middleton
	12:15 pm - Church	†Linda Reibold
Wed 2/1/12	8:15 am - Chapel	†Howard & Freddy Palma
	10:30 am - Waterford	†Poor Souls
	12:15 pm - Church	†Jerry McKeighan
Thur 2/2/12	8:15 am - Chapel	†Marian & Ralph Schindler
	12:15 pm - Church	†Leonard Metz
Fri 2/3/12	9:00 - Gym	†Teresa Bredar
	12:15 pm - Church	Special Intentions of Gloria & Bill Wilder
Sat 2/4/12	8:15 am - Chapel	†Bernie Wilson

MASSES FOR SUNDAY/ 5TH SUN IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat 2/4/12	5:00 pm - Church	OK	†Basil & Sally Buras †Patricia Risavi Special Intentions of Dorothy Wolf
Sun 2/5/12	7:00 am - Chapel	AE	Members of St Gerald Endowment Funds
	7:30 am - Church	OK	†Sarah Coppola
	9:00 am - Church	OK	†Carmen Rotella
	10:30 am - Church	AE	St Gerald Parishioners
	12:00 pm - Church	AE	†Charles Troia

Rest In Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of parishioner Arlene Berscheid. May her soul and all of the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace with our Lord.



Friends on Q

The **Friends on Q February** event is a breakfast at the Justin Thyme Café, 8544 Park Drive. We meet at 10:15 A.M. (or after the 9:00 A.M. mass) on February 19. You will be ordering off the menu and be receiving separate checks. Hope to see you there. If you have any questions, please call Rosemary at (402) 933-9299.

Sunday, 2/5

- 9am - RCIA 2**
Multipurpose Room, 96th & Q
- 10:30am - African Mass**
LV Chapel
- 1pm - Blue/Gold Banquet**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q

Prayer Intention Book

There is a book to write your intentions that you would like prayers for located in the Eucharistic Chapel at 96th & Q. These intentions are prayed for by our adorers and prayer line.

Lawn Bids for Summer

Please submit your lawn bid for mowing, fertilizing, etc for both St Gerald locations to Nic at St Gerald Church, 7859 Lakeview St, Ralston, NE 68127. Deadline is March 1st. Any questions call 402-250-4297.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, 1/29

- 9am - RCIA 2**
Multipurpose Room, 96th & Q
- 9am & 10:30am - Catholic Schools Week Begins**
Church, 96th & Q
- Noon - Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 5pm - Men's Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 6:30pm - School Program Grades 4-6**
Church, 96th & Q

Monday, 1/30

- 5:30pm - Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 6:30pm - Lord Teach Me To Pray**
Family Room, 96th & Q
- 6:30pm - Scouts**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q
- 6:30pm - Women's Group**
Multipurpose Room, 96th & Q

Tuesday, 1/31

- 5:30pm - Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 6:30pm - Lord Teach Me To Pray**
Family Room, 96th & Q
- 7:15pm - RCIA**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q
- 7pm - Men's Recovery**
Youth Room
- 7:30pm - AA**
LV Conference Room

Wednesday, 2/1

- 4:15 & 6pm - Religious Education**
School

Thursday, 2/2

- 5:30pm - Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 7pm - KC Officers**
LV Conference Room
- 7pm - Scouts**
Family Room, 96th & Q
- 7pm - Men's Archdiocese Mtg**
Multipurpose Room, 96th & Q

Friday, 2/3

- 6:30am - TMIY**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q
- 3pm - Girl Scouts**
School Library
- 5:30pm - Basketball**
LV Parish Center
- 8pm - Girl Scouts Overnighter**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q

Saturday, 2/4

- 6:30am - TMIY**
Fellowship Hall, 96th & Q
- 8am - Basketball**
LV Parish Center

Ministry Schedule for February 4-5

- 5pm:** **EMHC** - M Hood, R & R Iwan, C Flowers, C Baum, N Keenan, T Jones, V Graff, R & D Goodrich, A Beaty, T Fletcher **Lectors** -R Onken, R Treinen **Servers** - J & M Rinkol, J & R Fraser **Greeters** -S & M Harman, R Divis **Security** - T Wachtler, J Bertich **HOPE** - M McKeighan, K Trudell
- 7am:** **EMHC**- Unfilled **Lector**- D Kolenda **Servers**- N O'Donnell, S Schwarte **Greeter** - J Kolenda
- 7:30am:** **EMHC**-L & K D'Ercole, K & R Staroska, R & M Stracke, L Kaup, T & S Bissen, P Semrad, D Cotton, F Kambach **Lectors** -F Abboud, S Bertrang **Servers**- S & N Phillips, A & J Fowler **Greeters**- M Wordekemper, B McDowall, P Parizek **Security**- B & D McWilliams **HOPE**- K McGill, D & L Sobczyk
- 9am:** **EMHC**- J & K Shotkoski, A Spargo,, A Goblirsch, L Goecke, J Kalina, C Rasmussen, D & J Koubsky, G & D Bennett, W Reed **Lectors** T Goecke, M D'Ercole **Servers**- M & L Lynes, G Hollingshead **Greeters** - O Lynes, B Ruhl, B Sutton **Security**-N Robbins, K Guthrie **HOPE**- T Burns, K Jackson
- 10:30am:** **EMHC** - B Krzemien, N Schmitz, J McKernan, B Smith, R & B Pille, J Fochek, J Luebbert, J & B Tometich, M Dinneen, C Kozlik **Lectors** - G Butterfield, D Manley **Servers**- O Horner, M & T Schwartz, M Adamek **Greeters**-S Prentis, R & S Horner **Security**-K Gallagher, D Mroczek **HOPE**- C Keenan, G Lofgren
- Noon:** **EMHC**- T Alberhasky, P McGuire, J & P Neuberger, P Osterman, J Haug, M Gerow, C Vana, N & K Steinbach, S Plaza, M Chiarbos **Lector** - J Rentko **Servers**- J Dermody, J Osterman, A Gerow, B Albert **Greeters**- J & N Murphy, E Martines **Security**- M Kennelly, M Nash **HOPE**- J Schutz, J Haug



Perpetual Adoration

Hours available for adoration in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, please call Mary Ann, 331-0926.

- Monday:** 1am, 2am, 3am 4am, 8am
Tuesday: 12am, 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am
Wednesday: 12am, 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am, 12pm
Thursday: 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am
Friday: 1am, 2am, 3am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm, & 8pm
Saturday: 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am, 5am, 7pm, 11pm
Sunday: 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am, 5am, 3pm, 4pm

Readings for the Week of Jan. 29

- Sunday: Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/ Mk 1:21-28
 Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/ Mk 5:1-20
 Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30--19:3/Mk 5:21-43
 Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6
 Thursday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
 Friday: Sir 47:2-11/Mk 6:14-29
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34
 Next Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

Donation Report

Sunday(1/22/12)	\$20,879.33
ACH	\$9,997.66
Week Total	\$30,876.99
Weekly Budget	\$22,750.00
YTD Total	\$861,000.17
YTD Budget	\$845,680.00
Variance	\$15,320.17

Spend an hour with the Lord who in the Sacrifice of the Mass fashions us for Himself. Come to Forty Hours March 11 - 13. St. John Neumann, Pray for Us.

Neighboring Events

Marriage Enrichment

You are invited to attend an evening of reflection on the beautiful truth of marriage. Two evenings for couples will be offered in February: Thursday, February 9 at Christ the King Parish-Omaha or Friday, February 10 at Sacred Heart Parish Center-Norfolk. Each evening begins with Mass at 5:30 p.m., with Archbishop George J. Lucas as the celebrant in Omaha and Father Dan Andrews in Norfolk, followed immediately by a romantic candlelit dinner, wine, and dessert. This year's topic, *In the Beginning: Human Love in the Divine Plan*, will be presented by Damon Owens, nationally known speaker and 2011 Men's Conference presenter. The cost is \$50 per couple. To register call 402.551.9003, 888.800.8352. This event is co-sponsored by the Family Life Office, Christ the King Family Life Committee and KVSS.

Build Family Restore Community Invest in Our Future!

The Family Life Office and St Benedict the Moor Catholic Church proudly presents nationally renowned inspiration speaker Damon Owens on Sat, Feb 11, 7pm, 2423 Grant St. For more info call 402-738-0578.

People Affected By Cancer

Did you ever notice how cardiac and stroke patients are offered a rehabilitation program to help them get well again but there is nothing for folks with cancer? Now there is. **A Time to Heal** is a free, grant-funded 12 week program for cancer survivors and their loved ones that teaches what research shows about how to regain health and improve quality of life after cancer treatment. Classes start Feb 6 and go for 12 consecutive Monday evenings. Men & women with all types and stages of cancer are welcome. Caregivers are welcome whether or not the patient enrolls. Call 402-319-3124.