

Assumption Church
1821 38th Road
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To proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ by worshiping God in word and Sacrament.

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Saint Mary Catholic Church
580 I Street
David City, Nebraska 68632



Mass Schedule (Horario de Misas)

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM,
Sunday: (Assumption) 9:00 AM
Daily (M-F) 6:20AM & 5:30PM
Daily School Mass: 8:00AM
Sat. 8:00 AM
Holy Days: See Parish Bulletin

St. Mary Confession (Confesiones) Schedule

Monday -Friday: 6-6:15AM; 5-5:20pm
Sat. 7-7:50AM; 4-4:50PM,
Sun. 7:30 -7:50AM

Assumption Confession Schedule

Sunday: 8:30AM – 8:50AM

Office Manager: Heather Oltmer (367-3579 ext 3)

Evangelization: Sr. Mary, MS (367-3579 ext 4)

St. Mary's Parish Council Members

Andrew Buresh (277-0935) Paul Gahan (430-2855)
Cherie Kobza (367-8680) Sharon DeWispelare (367-7991)
Jennifer Hein (360-1108) Andrew Daro (367-2984)

St. Mary's Finance Council Members

Jackie DeWispelare (290-7842) Rob Daro (367-5116)
Deb Svec (367-9088)

Assumption Parish Council & Finance Committee

Mike Kadlec Kevin Anandel Jerome Anandel

Aquinas Catholic Schools

Fr. Michael Ventre: CAO (367-3175)
Mrs. Sarah Zook: (pre-K - 5th Grade) (367-3669)
Mr. Spencer Zysset: (6th - 12th Grade) (367-3175)

Butler County Right to Life: Brenda Eller (367-3405)

Bulletin Information: (Due 2pm Wednesday)

stmarysdavidcity@gmail.com

We are here to help you live the Sacramental Life. Please contact the parish office to register for Holy Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick, or Marriage.

Assumption Cemetery: Valerian Svoboda (367-3607)

St. Mary's Cemetery: Dan Smith (367-3375)

Encounter/ CCD: Sr. Mary, MS (367-3579 x4)

Fun-Raising Committee: Deb Dinkelman (270-1983)

Catholic Daughters: Kathy Engel (367-6183)
Nancy Vrbka (367-8835)

Prayer Circle: Dee Lanspa: dlanspa@windstream.net

Knights of the Altar (altar servers)

Fr. Schukei (367-3579)

Knights of Columbus Council #1717

Grand Knight: Todd Hilfiker (499-4633)

St. Mary Parish Council of Catholic Women (P.C.C.W)

Katie Daro (367-9177) Jean Meister (641-3709)
Jenny Polacek (641-0405) April Sypal (366-6145)

Assumption Parish Council of Catholic Women

Lori Focher (543-2443)
Michelle Woolsey (539-2060)
Sharon Kovar (367-2646)

Perpetual Adoration Hours

Brenda Eller (367-3405) Bob Palik (367-4151)
RJ & Courtney Hein (270-0732) Dr. Jo Witter (367-4546)

St. Mary's Guild (funeral dinners)

Barb O'Connell (367-4042)

Scrap Metal: Kent Longenecker (367-4627)

Tom Reisdorff: (367-7968)

Traveling Chalice (Vocations)

Kathleen Deavers (367-8427)

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please call the Rectory to make an appointment to register. If you have a change of address, phone numbers, or household, please notify the parish office.

Estamos para apoyarte a que vivas una vida Sacramental plena. Te faltan Sacramentos o sabes de alguien que no tiene todos sus Sacramentos por favor comunicate a la oficina de la Parroquia (en ingles) O al (402) 527-5648 con nuestra traductora (informes en español) para mas información.

THANK YOU, DAVID CITY DEANERY PARISHES for your prayers and generous support of Aquinas Catholic Schools

Assumption, Appleton; Assumption, Dwight; Holy Trinity, Brainard; Immaculate Conception, Ulysses; Presentation, Bellwood; St. Anthony, Bruno; St. Francis, David City; St. Joseph, Bellwood; St. Mary's, David City; St. Peter, Bellwood; Sts. Peter & Paul, Abie; Sacred Heart, Shelby; & St. Wenceslaus, Bee.

St. Mary's Church Fundraising Committee

Annual Garage & Bake Sale
Sunday, February 5 8am - 12 pm

SUNDAY DEALS
Fill a bag \$5
All large items half price

SUNDAY FOOTBALL PRE-GAME BRUNCH
Sunday, February 12, 2023 from 9:00 to Noon
Klein Center, Brainard NE
Featuring: Pancakes & Sausage/Biscuits & Gravy/
Scrambled Eggs, French Toast/Omelets to Order/Fruit
Free Will Offering
Also including - PCCW Bake Sale
SPONSORED BY: Knights of Columbus Council #8889

To Celebrate *World Marriage Day*
Sunday February 12 at 1-4PM
Aquinas Catholic Elementary Gym
Music by the Leo Lonnie Duo Playing Polka, Waltzes, and
Country music
Bring a snack to share. Drinks will be provided

David City Deanery Weekend Mass Times

Sts. Peter & Paul, Abie Sat 5PM (1st, 3rd, 5th Sat. of the month) Sun: 10AM	St. Anthony, Bruno Sat 5PM (2nd and 4th Sat. of the month) Sun: 8AM	Assumption, Dwight Sat 5PM Sun: 10AM	St. Mary's, David City Sat 5PM Sun: 8AM and 10AM	Assumption, Appleton Sun: 9AM	Presentation, David City Sat 4PM Sun: 8AM	St. Francis, David City Sat 6PM Sun: 10AM	Immaculate Conception, Ulysses Sat 5PM Sun: 9AM	St. Wenceslaus, Bee Sun: 8AM	Sacred Heart, Shelby Sat 5PM Sun: 9AM	St. Peter's, Bellwood temporarily closed for renovation	St. Joseph's, Bellwood Sat 5PM Sun: 8 & 10AM	Holy Trinity, Brainard Sat 5PM Sun: 9AM
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AQUINAS CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN DAVID CITY, NE

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

AVAILABLE NOW	2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR
Holy Family Program Director	K-12 Music Teacher
Business Manager	MS/HS Math Teacher
MS/HS Librarian/Media Specialist	MS/HS Teacher Tech. Coord.
	K-12 School Counselor
	MS/HS Social Studies Teacher

More information and apply
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Catholic Daughters Meeting
Tues Feb. 7th at 7pm | Aquinas Chapel Meeting Room

DCCW Meeting
February 21 at 7 PM in the Dikler Room

Aquinas Catholic Schools
Seek First
2022-23 School Year Theme
Matthew 6:33

February 5, 2023 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - St. Mary's Church, David City / Assumption, Appleton

MASS INTENTIONS FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME		
Mass Time	Intention	Requested By
Monday, February 6 - St. Paul Miki & Companions		
6:20 AM	Margaret Klenda +	Greg Eller Family
8:00 AM	Alyvia Oltmer	Adam Oltmer Family
5:30 PM	Earl & Agnes Reisdorff +	Sharon Reisdorff
Tuesday, February 7		
6:20 AM	Jason Saafeld +	Don Saafeld & Yvonne Wendt
8:00 AM	Don Codr +	Codr Family
5:30 PM	Bill Vandenberg +	Fr. Brian Connor
Wednesday, Feb. 8 - St. Jerome Emiliani/St. Josephine Bakhita		
6:20 AM	Frank & Blanche Medinger +	Tom Medinger Family
8:00 AM	John & Barb Dehner	68th Anniversary
5:30 PM	Jerome Polacek +	Kurt Palik Family
Thursday, February 9		
6:20 AM	Joan Semin +	Jean Meister
8:00 AM	Mary Capadano	Shawn Koranda Family
5:30 PM	Doris Hascall +	Michael Lachance
Friday, February 10 - St. Scholastica		
6:20 AM	Jan Buhman +	Mark Chermok Family
8:00 AM	NO MASS	NO SCHOOL
5:30 PM	Corey Ostdiek +	Ann Heermann
Saturday, February 11 - Our Lady of Lourdes		
8:00 AM	Gigi Merrill +	CeCe Bechtel
Anticipated Sunday Mass		
5:00 PM	Loretta & Lyle Peterson +	Clarice Capoun
Sunday, February 12 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
8:00 AM	Pro Populo	For the People
9:00 AM Assumption	Henry & Emma Kadavy +	Mary Ann Svoboda
10:00 AM	St. Mary's PCCW	St. Mary's PCCW

3 Holy Hour Openings: [Sunday, 2am](#), [Sunday, 3am \(every other week\)](#) and [Tuesday, 3am](#). Please consider giving an hour to Our Lord or taking an extra hour in our beautiful St. Joseph Adoration Chapel. Thank you!!

Mass Intentions Reminders: suggested stipend, [\\$10 PER SOUL, per Mass](#). Please make checks out to St. Mary's or Assumption Church. We will do our best to schedule when requested or as close to the date as possible. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Stewardship: Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10

ST. MARY'S - DAVID CITY - January 29, 2023	
Sunday Collections:	\$17,204.75
Weekly Budget:	\$15,351.00
Actual YTD (31 weeks):	478,297.22
Overage:	\$2,416.22
ASSUMPTION APPLETON	
Sunday Collection:	\$915.00
Weekly Budget:	\$1,238.00
Actual YTD (31 weeks):	\$42,799.21
Overage:	\$4,421.21

Please pray for our seminarian of the week: Mr. Patrick Winter son of James & Cheryl Winter of St. Joseph Parish, Lincoln. Mr. Winter is in Theology 2 at Mount St. Mary Seminary. Please keep Mr. Winter and all seminarians in your prayers.

FLOCKNOTE: There is a text-to-join option for Flocknote -- when you follow this process, you can choose which groups you belong. Text STMARYDC to 84576 and follow the prompts!

Keep in touch with us!

TEXT [STMARYDC](#) TO 84576

OR CONNECT WITH US ONLINE AT: stmarycatholicchurch22.flocknote.com




Dinner / Variety Show: Since the theme of the Dinner / Variety Show is 'The Wild Wild Midwest...and the Not-So-OK Corral,' we are having a handlebar mustache contest! Men, get started now! Everyone is free to wear western attire as well! More details coming but for now, mark your calendar for [April 15](#) at the Aquinas Gym.

St. Mary's Lenten Parish Retreat: LIFE IN THE SPIRIT. The Disciples of the Lord Jesus, Sisters from Prayer Town, TX, will be coming March 11-12. Lent is a perfect time to grow in your spiritual life, and this retreat will provide the perfect opportunity! During Lent, we remember Jesus in the desert and we encounter the need for God and His desire to send the Holy Spirit who helps us in our weakness. Come join us for a great weekend which will include praise and worship! Cost is \$25.00 - call or email the parish office to register. There will be a Flocknote invitation and RSVP at a later date.

One Life/One Rose Campaign: The Knights of Columbus One Rose One Life Campaign is here. Those who would like to contribute can bring their donation in a "One Rose" marked envelope and drop it in the collection next weekend.

Save the date: Sunday, March 26: the Table of St. Gregory!



St. Gregory the Great seminary is holding its benefit banquet marking the 25th anniversary of the seminary. Please join us to help support the seminarians and seminarian projects that are underway or being planned. The evening will begin at 4pm with Vespers with Bishop Conley, concluding with dinner at 5:30pm. For reservations, call the seminary at 402-643-4052 or use the above QR code.

Traveling Chalice for Vocations: Please call Kathleen Deavers to schedule the chalice for your home! **Traveling Chalice** will be in the [Dan Sypal](#) Household Feb. 5 - Febr. 11

Liturgical Assignments for February 11/12

Mass	Acolytes	Lector / Reader	Servers
Saturday 5:00pm	Dan Engel Jr.	Andrew Buresh	Jonathan, Robert, & Kolbe Pytlík
Sunday 8:00am	Rob Daro	Ray Kobza	Eli Janak, Elijah Moulton Noah Polacek
Sunday 10:00am	Spencer Zysset Jim Novacek	Tony Smith	Dillon Bohuslavsky, Mason & Brecken Krivanek

GARAGE SALE TIME: St. Mary's Garage and Bake Sale is being held on Sunday, [February 5 from 8-12pm at the Aquinas Elementary Gym](#). Fill a bag for \$5. FSCLA will be matching funds up to \$600 from our sale. Come check out the bargains!!

Catholic Daughters: will meet on [Tuesday, Feb. 7](#) at 7pm in the Aquinas Chapel Meeting Room.

Widows Social Group: will meet on [Wednesday, Feb. 8](#) at 11:45am for lunch at the Senior Center. If you will be joining our group, please make a reservation with the Senior Center before 9am that morning.

Coffee and Rolls will be served on World Marriage Day, Sunday, [February 12, 2023](#) after both Sunday Masses. All are welcome!

Pickleball: Come and join us in some fun...Pickleball [THIS Sunday from 3-5pm \(No Pickleball on Sunday, Feb. 12\)](#) in the Aquinas Elementary Gym, All are welcome!!

Valentine Dance: Celebrate St. Valentine's Day with your parish family and attend the [free dance](#) in the school gym on [Sunday, February 12](#) from 1 to 4 pm. Leo Lonnie Duo will be playing old country music, polkas and waltzes. Drinks provided. Bring snacks to share. Bring family and friends. The more, the merrier! Spons. By the FunRaising Committee.

Desert Day Retreat: All are invited to make a desert day retreat on [Monday, March 6](#), from 8:00 am to 4:45 pm, at the St. Benedict Center, north of Schuyler. Come for a day of retreat on your own with help available from Father Connor or Sr. Mary. It's a great way to celebrate Lent and prepare for Easter! The cost is \$40/per person and includes lunch and a private room for the day. (\$20 if you don't want a room). [Register by Feb. 17](#) by calling or emailing the parish office.

Teens for Life: will be will be taking names for spiritual adoption. \$2 per name for your adopted baby to be listed on the poster that will be displayed in the church. Thank you!!

Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House near Waverly offers weekend retreats both in-person and online, see the schedule of retreats at www.goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705. [The parish will pay half the cost](#) - use code "SMDCHALF" when you register.

Are you in need of some spiritual refreshment? Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly has several retreats in which you can drink deeply of His Love.

[Feb. 10-11](#) for our women's "Winter Symposium" with LDCCW,

[Feb. 22](#) "Meeting God in the Desert: Ash Wednesday day of reflection" with Deacon Matthew Hecker

[Feb. 24-26](#) "I+You=We Marriage Workshop" with Fr. Jarosław "Jay" Szymczak.

February 2023 Assignments

St. Mary's Church Cleaners:
[St. Agnes Circle](#)

St. Mary's Cassock Cleaners:
[Sarah Zook](#)
& [Jean Hovorka](#)

Assumption Cleaners:
[Michelle Andel & Nicole Sylvester](#)

Pastor's Corner:

Dear St. Mary's and Assumption Parishioners,

In the back of both Churches is a letter for every parishioner with your annual 2022 record of giving to the Church. I hope everyone who comes to church can take time to pick theirs up. Thank you for your sacrificial giving. With your generosity we are paying our bills, but will have a battle this springtime with cash flow. As with every parish, there are some very generous parishioners and many who could give a lot more. It is my hope that we help people to grow in gratitude to Almighty God for his superabundant gifts that abound. From this attitude of gratitude, we become good stewards of what he has entrusted to us. This includes our mind, body, spirit, work, home, recreation, leisure, relationships, talents, time, finances and all.

Along those lines, I can report that I have gone to physical therapy three times in the last week for my shoulder to find out what the problem has been (over a year). I have "shoulder impingement" where it doesn't move freely in the socket. Now, in one week, it is much better (and I can serve in tennis again) and I have exercises to help loosen and strengthen. Praise God.

Also, as you know it was Catholic Schools week. I was invited to offer a chess club intro class and about half those who came are interested in continuing. I am grateful for the chance to share my love for the game with our elementary students. I was attracted to the game as I watched Mark Masur playing speed chess with his son Nick in the summer of 1997 in the building trades classroom. I guess I am just giving back to Aquinas full circle.

My leisure led me to see the movie "My Name is Otto" on my day off in Lincoln. Several had recommended this movie with Tom Hanks about a grumpy old man. I laughed a lot, had tears and really enjoyed the message of the importance of community, neighbors and the healing power of love.

We had confessions for the second graders which was a big step for them and their families. I was so happy that many parents took the chance to go to confession also.

This weekend is the garage sale. I can see that it is a big church and community event. It is a chance for all of us to declutter and clean out from our excess things at home. I don't have a lot to contribute because I did a lot of that before coming to town. I look forward to seeing a lot of people coming and going.

Lastly, thanks for the prayers and greetings for Fr. Schukei and myself on our common birthday this past week. We had beautiful kolache brought in, chocolate cake, some cheesecake, breakfast and dinner (way plenty calories and sugar). It was a festive, prayerful and still productive day for both of us.

Thank God it is going to be in the 40s for most of this up coming week. And [Go Chiefs!](#) God bless you all, **FBC**