enrollment code at info-aquinas@cdolinc.net

the Class of 2024 senior retreat on May

Please pray for

Country Store Bake Sale Sponsored by First Catholic Slovak Ladies Association (FCSLA)

\$1,000 travel voucher, \$500, \$100, & Sa Hunter bolt Action 270 WIN Rifle

ans now to attend our Sunday/Funday, August 2024 §1,000 travel voucher, \$500, \$100, & Savage 110 Trail

Come and enjoy great food, great company, Country Store, "Split the Pot" and Cake Walk

Children (10 and under): \$7 \$8 Mass in Bee at 8:00 a.m.

Adults: \$15

...... Carry-outs: \$16

Serving: Pan-fried Chicken and Grilled Chicken, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Dressing, Coleslaw, Corn, Rolls, Pies & Desserts, & KOLACHES!!

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2024 States Ballroom Bee, NE Spring Chicken Dinner St. Wenceslaus Parish

10:30 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

GRADUATION GIFTS WITH Scrips

Elementary Cook Part-Time

Campus Ministry Director MS/HS

Business Teacher 7-12

2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR

TEACHER APPRECIATION WITH Scrips TRAVEL WITH Cou

Purchase physical scrip after Mass

DC Public hiring Special Ed Para (work in Aquinas MS/HS building)

Contact your coordinator with questions Aquinas Office, or St. Mary's Rectory Get the RaiseRight APP! email us for the Nancy Vrbka at 402-367-8835

Holy Family Caregivers:

HIRING NOW

Full & Part Time

Kermés following Mass with authentic Mexican food for sale and family activites SAVE THE DATES

celebrating St. Joseph the worker

Family Day

Wednesday, May 1st Mass at 5:30 PM

BACCALAUREATE MASS (AT AQUINAS)
WED, MAY 15 AT 7:00PM GRADUATION SUN, MAY 19 AT 4:30PM HS AWARDS NIGHT TUES, MAY 7 AT 6:00PM HS FINE ARTS WED, MAY 8 AT 6:30PM MS FINE ARTS NIGHT WED, MAY 1 AT 6:30PM Saint Mary Catholic Church 580 I Street David City, Nebraska 68632



To proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ by worshiping God in **Word and Sacrament.**

Pastor: Fr. Brian Connor, V.F. fr.brian-connor@cdolinc.net Parochial Vicar: Fr. Tony Schukei fr.tony-schukei@cdolinc.net In Residence: Fr. Michael Ventre CAO Aquinas Catholic Schools

Website: www.stmarysdavidcity.org Parish Email: stmarysdavidcity@gmail.com Facebook: @stmarysdavidcity Parish App: text 'Stmaryccapp' to 833-245-654

Assumption Church

1821 38th Road

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

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

City; St. Peter, Bellwood; Sts. Peter & Paul, Abie; Sacred Heart, Shelby; & St. Wenceslaus, Bee

ıy, Bruno;

St. Francis, David City;

Heart Catholic Church in Shelby

St. Joseph, Bellwood; St. Mary's,

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 Parish Council Members

Mike Eller (367-3941) Paul Gahan (430-2855) Kathy Engel (367-6183) Sharon DeWispelare (367-7991) Jennifer Hein (360-1108) Andrew Daro (367-2984)

St. Mary Finance Council Members

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

Assumption Parish Council & Finance Committee

Mike Kadlec Kevin Andel Jerome Andel

Aguinas 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 Cemetery: Ken Smith (367-3375)

CCD: Sr. Mary, M.S. (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@hotmail.com

Knights of the Altar (altar servers)

Fr. Schukei (367-3579)

Laura Cox (367-9588)

Knights of Columbus Council #1717 Grand Knight: Todd Hilfiker (499-4633)

St. Mary Parish Council of Catholic Women (P.C.C.W) Jenny Polacek (641-0405) Jean Meister (641-3709) Mindy Schawang (367-8280) Misty Havlovic (367-3726)

Assumption Parish Council of Catholic Women

Michelle Woolsey (539-2060) Judy Polacek (367-3560)

Perpetual Adoration Hours

Brenda Eller (367-3405) Bob Palik (367-4151) RJ & Cortney Hein (270-0732) Dr. Jo Witter (450-6453)

St. Mary Guild (funeral dinners) Barb O'Connell (367-4042)

Scrap Metal: Kent Longenecker (367-4627) Tom Reisdorff: (367-7968)

Traveling Chalice (Vocations) Kathleen Deavers (542-2505)

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.

April 21, 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Easter - St. Mary Church, David City / Assumption, Appleton

MASS INTENTIONS FOURTH WEEK OF EASTER					
Mass Time	<u>Intention</u>	Requested By			
Monday, April 22 - Easter Weekday					
6:20 AM	Jim Birkel +	Brent Meister Family			
8:00 AM	Stephanie Stewart	Ron Gestring			
5:30 PM	Eli Carpenter	Bryan Hein Family			
Tuesday, April 23 - St. George / St. Adalbert					
6:20 AM	Bonnie Riha +	Jan DeWispelare			
8:00 AM	Don & Mary Lou Codr +	Codr Family			
5:30 PM	For Rain	John Dehner Family			
Wednesday, April 24 - St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen					
6:20 AM	Rose Marie Mlnarik +	Barb Belsky			
8:00 AM	Evelyn Prososki +	Burwell Family			
5:30 PM	Lois & Brian Bougard	Joe Hall			
6:40 PM	Norma Matulka +	Joel Kroft Family			
Thursday, April 25 - St. Mark					
6:20 AM	Patricia Kimminau +	Mark Chermok Family			
8:00 AM	Val & Cece Sypal +	Dan Sypal Family			
5:30 PM	Increase of Vocations	Bode/Ruskamp Families			
Friday, April 26 - Easter Weekday					
6:20 AM	Poor Souls +	Russ Daro Family			
8:00 AM	For Salvation	The Eudes Family			
5:30 PM	Joe Reisdorff +	Sharon Reisdorff			
Saturday, April 27 - Easter Weekday					
8:00 AM	Helen Ourada +	Terese Croghan			
Anticipated Mass for Sunday					
5:00 PM	Zita Hook +	Birkel Family			
Sunday, April 28 - Fifth Sunday of Easter					
8:00 AM	Patrick Pflum +	The Pflum Family			
9:00 AM Assumption	Irene Donoghue +	Donoghue Family			
10:00 AM	Pro Populo	For the People			

If you have not yet handed in your Feasabilty Study Survey, you can do it online: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/fssmdc2024



Feasibility Study Survey

"Let not your hand be open to receive and clenched when it is time to give." Matthew: 10:8 ST. MARY - DAVID CITY - April 14, 2024 **Sunday Collection:** \$12,157.36 \$16,923.00 Weekly Budget Actual YTD (41 weeks): \$631,867.36 **YTD SHORTAGE:** -\$61,975.64 **ASSUMPTION - APPLETON Sunday Collection:** \$911.00 Weekly Budget \$1,307.00 Actual YTD (41 weeks): \$57,846.58 YTD SURPLUS: \$4,259.58

Are you yearning for a time of rest with the Lord? Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly invites you into a time of peace and solitude with God on retreat. See our upcoming retreats: 4-Day, 5-Day or 8-Day Ignatian Directed Retreat with Fr. Coulter, Matt Simmons or Sarina Stokes May 4-8, May 3-8, or May 3-10, Let's Talk Roses! (Women); May 10-11, 2024; led by Janette Howe

<u>Pickleball</u> - No Pickleball this week.

<u>Traveling Chalice</u> will be in the <u>Michael Burwell</u> household from April 21 - April 27. Please call Kathleen Deavers to schedule the traveling chalice for your home.

Help with BINGO: The Villa & David Place are asking for volunteers to help with BINGO—men, women or families are needed Tuesdays at 2pm and Saturdays at 2pm at the Villa-Contact Lynn Hall 367-3045. Contact David Place for more info 402-367-3144 on their dates and times.

<u>The Chosen:</u> Come watch season two of the Chosen in the Didier Room **on Thursday's**. We will begin with the season finale of season 1 and then watch season 2 throughout the Thursdays of April and May and June, at 7:00pm

<u>Today is World Day of Prayer for Vocations</u>: The Church throughout the world prays for vocations on World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Will you make a special effort to ask the Lord for more vocations, especially to the priesthood and religious life?

- Keep priests and religious Sisters and Brothers, both living and dead in your prayers.
- Encourage your children to consider a vocation as a priest or religious brother or sister.
- Pray a rosary for more young men and women to respond to God's call.
- Encourage youth to pray in any way possible.
- Bring children before the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament

Religious Sister of the Week: Sr. Xuan Sang, Postulant with the Sisters of Mary, Queen of Mercy. Please keep Sister in your prayers and continue to pray for more religious vocations, especially within our diocese.

<u>Confirmation Reception</u> for all confirmands, sponsors, parents and guests will be held on Sunday, April 21 after the Bishop's Mass. All are invited to Aquinas Elementary Gym for refreshments. Hosted by St. Mary PCCW.

Liturgical Assignments: Weekend of April 27/28

Mass	Acolytes	Lector / Reader	Servers	Rosary
Saturday	Bryan	Andrew	Hunter Kobza	Camille
5:00 pm	Hein	Buresh	Tristan & Trey Davis	Dalton
Sunday	Ron	Ray	Luke Hovorka	Monica
8:00am	Lyons	Kobza	Brecken Romshek	Lyons
Sunday 10:00am	Cork DeWispelare Mike Moravec	Willow Holoubek	Lydon DeWispelare Simon & Gus Grady, Brecken Krivanek	Jim & Connie Novacek

April Assignments

St. Mary Church Cleaners:

St. Ann Circle

Gt. Mary Cassock Cleaners: Melissa Davis & Sarah Romshek

Assumption Cleaners:

Patricia Andel, Laura Cox, & Sydney Andel

Holy Hour Openings: Tuesday, 2am & Friday, 1am. Please contact Brenda Eller.



Coffee & Rolls: St. Mary Coffee and Rolls will be served on Sunday, April 21 after both Sunday Masses. All are invited to stop by the school gym and enjoy some goodies and fellowship.

<u>Scrap Metal Drive:</u> April 21-27 in St Mary's parking lot. No refrigerators or freezers, please. All other metal accepted. Questions or pickup: Kent Longenecker 402-367-4627 or Tom Reisdorff 402-367-7968.

Graduation Reception There will be a reception for all graduates after the 10:00 Mass on Sunday, May 5. There will also be a bake sale with coffee and rolls. Join the parish in congratulating all high school graduates in the gym.

<u>Bake Sale:</u> Sunday May 5th after both Masses. All ladies asked to donate \$10 or a dozen baked items.

<u>Thank you</u> to <u>Greg and Brenda Eller</u> for donating the new white and red altar frontal cloths. These will be used for the appropriate liturgical seasons/celebrations throughout the church year. Also, to <u>Ralph Hein</u> for donating the beautiful Paschal Candle.

<u>TOTUS TUUS (Totally Yours)</u>, a summer catechetical youth program, is being held June 16 - 22; Registration forms available soon. All youth of the deanery are invited.

We are currently looking for a volunteer to help in coordinating this program. Please contact Heather or Sister Mary if you are willing. Responsibilities could include:

- Setting out snacks & meals for the evening program
- •Overseeing volunteers to help during the day program
- •Organizing and promoting the potluck, including set-up and clean-up
- •Helping the team set up facilities
- •Being available during the parish's Totus Tuus week to deal with any issues that arise.

Can you take a day? Volunteers are essential to a successful week of Totus Tuus! Volunteers are an extension of the missionaries - extra hands & eyes. Adults, College aged, & high school aged welcome. Journey with the campers throughout the week - pray for them! Witness! Contact Parish Office for more detailed information or go to:

 $https://forms.gle/zrFLs8hT5Mx6GhLe7 \quad (QR\ code)\ to\ sign\ up!$

Pastor's Corner

Dear St. Mary's parishioners,

Best news of the week was no changes for priests in Butler County this year. Most at risk was Fr. Schukei who dodged loading (and possibly toppling again) the Tacoma after two fast years here. We are thrilled and celebrate daily. Fr. Schukei does everything well and keeps us laughing and on our toes around here.

This weekend we are blessed to welcome Deacon Bob Viergutz to preach at St. Mary's. Deacon Bob was ordained a permanent deacon for the Archdiocese of Omaha in October of 2010 by Archbishop George Lucas. He is currently in his 38th year overall of teaching music, and his first year teaching music and theology at Aquinas Catholic Schools. He is married to his wife Reyne, and has four children – Amanda and Son-in- law Dennis of Elkhorn, NE; Katie of Wilmington, NC; Brandyce, Residing in Lakeville, MN; and Ben who lives in Anderson, SC. He has four grandchildren – Bridger, Grace, Madelyn, and Wesley. Deacon is also the son-in-law of the late Eugene and Darlene Divis of David City. In his free time, he enjoys travel, time with family and friends, and attending live performances. Deacon Viergutz feels very blessed that God has led him to David City and truly appreciates the warm welcome he has received here

Next Tuesday, after the 8 a.m. Mass, we will have breakfast in the Didier Room for whoever can come. I will bake an egg casserole and people can bring something if they have time. The weather has been beautiful and it's time to socialize.

I am happy that the Variety Show was a huge success again this year. Many thanks to the Fun-raising crew who coordinated this 8th annual talent show and social entertainment event. What a blessing to have a venue to showcase some of our local talent in a fun manner. Thanks to those on committee Deb Dinkelman, Ryan Dinkelman, Heather Oltmer, Gabi Comte, Sean Kovar, Vickie Kerkman, Jack Timoney, Chuck Oborny, Cork DeWispelare, Michael LaChance, Kevin Stara, Rick Comte, Michelle Dailey and Fr. Schukei. Also to all entertainers, cooks, bakers, donors etc. I am looking forward to next year. And we will follow the Church Lady's commandment this weekend: "Thou shalt not have pickle ball on Sunday."

My family had a beautiful wedding weekend. It was a beautiful Nuptial Mass at the Cathedral downtown. My nephew's bride is also Catholic and such a lovely young lady. They have dated since their prom 10+ years ago, so everyone was stoked for their marriage. They did marriage prep in Chicago where they live, but also accepted my offer to do some "bonus" zoom classes. The mother of the bride said "My favorite part was the Mass". See the Flocknote which went out earlier this weekend for a nice family picture.

God bless you all! Have a great week. **FBC**