



Saint Agnes

CATHOLIC CHURCH

June 8, 2025

Rev. Rayappa Konka
Pastor

Susan Flohr
Pastoral Minister

Mass Schedule:
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 am
Monday - Friday
8:15am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays one hour prior to Mass
or by appointment (632-2541)

Sacrament of Baptism
Please call the Parish Office

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday-Friday, 9am - Noon
& 1pm - 4pm



PENTECOST SUNDAY

"We will come to him and make our dwelling with him."
- Jn 14:23

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Today's Readings

Acts 2: 1-11

Psalm: 104

First Corinthians 12:3b - 7, 12-13

John 20:19-23



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Pentecost Sunday

Do You Speak Stewardship?

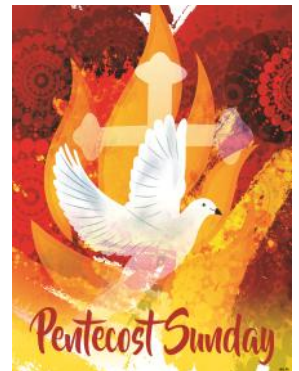
If you are married, I'm guessing that you know the best way to break bad news to your spouse, whether you realize it or not. Maybe it's simply that you know not to talk about the budget after your wife's football team has lost. Maybe you know your husband will take the news that your sister is coming to stay a little easier if you tell him over his favorite dinner. We do the same thing with our children, our friends, our coworkers — we have all learned the language of the people we love.

The truth is the same in every language, but it's important for us to convey that truth graciously. That's what Pentecost teaches us. The gift of being able to speak in tongues afforded the Apostles a practical skill to spread the Gospel message, but it also served as a powerful symbol of the importance of effective communication. Evangelization can only happen when you're speaking in words a person is able, ready, and willing to hear.

Let's ask ourselves: what is the language we need to speak to share the truth with the person who is standing in front of us? Is it the language of quality time? The language of concern? The language of laughter and friendship? The language of authenticity, of plain talk and frankness?

The Holy Spirit gave the Apostles the ability to speak in tongues, and it seems miraculous when we read about it in the Gospels — but only consider that we all have this same ability, in a certain way. The Holy Spirit can and will show us how to speak the truth, if we only ask.

Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS



This Week's Schedule

Monday, June 9, 2025

Daily Mass (11:15am)
Intention: Fr. Matthew Nash by Dave & JoAnn Nash
Liturgy of the Hours (5:15 pm)

Tuesday, June 10, 2025

Daily Mass (11:15am)
Intention: †Mary Carson by The Carson Family
Liturgy of the Hours (5:15pm)

Wednesday, June 11, 2025

Daily Mass (11:15am)
Intention: Brenda Pszanka by Margie Rood
Liturgy of the Hours (5:15pm)
Contemplative Prayer (6:00pm)

Thursday, June 12, 2025

Morning Mass (11:15am)
Intention: †Leona Rochon by Connie McDonnough
Liturgy of the Hours (5:15 pm)

Friday, June 13, 2025

Daily Mass (11:15am)
Intention: †Mary Carson by The Carson Family
Liturgy of the Hours (5:15 pm)

Saturday, June 14, 2025

Weekend Mass (5:00pm)
Intention: For Our Parish

Sunday, June 15, 2025

Weekend Mass (8:00am)
Intention: Tom Montague by Lynda Montague
Weekend Mass (10:00am)
Intention: Rebecca Hort by Connie McDonnough

This Week's Readings



Monday	Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/ Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday:	2 Cor 1:18-22/Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135/Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday:	Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 (580)/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday:	2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 5:20-26
Friday:	2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18/Mt 5:27-32
Saturday:	2 Cor 5:14-21/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12/Mt 5:33-3
Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (2a)/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Server Schedule

June 14	5pm	Ryker Dendinger Kensington Suhr
June 15	8am	Kaden Blaylock Andrew Peck
	10:00am	Holly Polk Nina Polk

Lector Schedule

June 14	5pm	Jennifer Hiltgen
June 15	8am	David Nash
	10:00am	Mark Loose

Rosary Leader Schedule

June 14	5pm	Connie Kirchner
June 15	8am	JoAnn Nash
	10:00am	Jackie Seymour

Finance Corner

Sunday Collections & ATW Giving

June 2025 Totals

Actual	\$4118.90
ATW	\$3695.00
Online Giving	\$1115.50
Budget	\$10000.00
Surplus (Deficit)	\$1070.60

Next Sunday's 2nd collection is for
Haiti/Uganda

Thank you for your continued
giving!



Catholic Daughters of the Americas®

All ladies ages 18 and older are welcome!

We meet the 2nd Sunday of each month at 2:45 for the Rosary and 3:00 for the meeting in the Garden Level Room. Interested in joining us? Please come to our meeting and find out more about Catholic Daughters! Do you have one hour to give? Our next meeting will be June 8th.

The Parish Office will be open from
9-noon on Tuesday,

June 9th thru

Friday, June 13th.

Please conduct any
office business in
the mornings.

Thank you.



Kidney Donor Needed

Father Arul Innaiah, who is the pastor of the Catholic parishes in Crawford and Harrison, Nebraska, has End Stage Renal Disease and needs a kidney transplant. He has been going to dialysis three times a week for more than three years. Father Arul has not been able to travel home to visit his mother since he started dialysis.

If you are interested in learning more about donating a kidney to help Father, please call 308.665.5175, or go to NKR.org/MAE825

Mass Intentions & Special Requests



Requesting a Mass to be said for a loved one is a special way to honor either someone still living, or one who has gone ahead of us to the next stage of life in Christ. If someone dear to you is having a birthday, anniversary, or a new baby, what better way to honor them? The suggested donation for a Mass is \$10. For more information, contact the parish office (632-2541).

May 2025 100 CLUB WINNERS

\$200: Ed/Ann Connelly;
\$100: Brian/Angie Hilbert,
Larry Gion, Andrew/Robyn
Dendinger; **\$60:** Jodene
Burkhart; **\$50:** Beth Harvitz,
Rick/Denise Forsstrom,
Maggie Skiles, Megan
Hafner, Willa Kosman, Steve/
Janice Hamburger,
Steven/Tiah Alvizar

CONGRATULATIONS!

Come, let us Adore.



*Benedictine Sisters
of Perpetual Adoration*

CURIOUS ABOUT RELIGIOUS LIFE?

JOIN US FOR A MONASTIC EXPERIENCE

FOR SINGLE WOMEN, AGES 18-40.

JULY 18-20, 2025 | OCTOBER 17-19, 2025

- JOIN OUR SISTERS FOR DAILY MASS, THE DIVINE OFFICE AND ADORATION
- HEAR PRESENTATIONS ON BENEDICTINE WISDOM, PRAYING WITH SCRIPTURE AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
- ENJOY THE QUIET BEAUTY OF OUR MONASTERY GROUNDS

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Contact me!
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To Love and Be Loved

July 25-27, 2025

The Great Commandment, to "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind" and "love your neighbor as yourself" is the foundation of our faith. We have been created to love and be loved. This is reflected in St. Benedict's Rule who recommends the principles of stability, conversion of life, obedience, and hospitality. Benedict can inspire our love, whether we are monks or in a marriage or any other walk of life. His spirituality helps us to discover our "inner monk".

Father Mauritus Wilde, OSB, PhD, is the author of several books, including *Be Yourself: The Call of a Christian* (Paulist), and directs retreats regularly. For his reflections on the Holy Rule of St. Benedict, listen to Spirit Catholic Radio or visit www.DiscerningHearts.com. He teaches at Sant' Anselmo, the Benedictine study house in Rome. Visit his blog: www.wildemonk.net

Jodi Blazek Gehr is a wife and mother, Benedictine Oblate, certified SoulCollage® and Boundless Compassion Facilitator. Recently retired after 27 years of teaching high school Business, Marketing, and Information Technology, her passion is writing for her websites: Being Benedictine and Soulfully You, and leading retreats in creativity and spirituality.



This Program begins on Friday at 7:30pm and ends on Sunday after lunch.
Program Fee: \$80

Rooms per night, Single: \$52, Double: \$43 per person, per night

Breakfast: \$9.00 Lunch: \$13.30 Supper: \$12.30

(sales and lodging tax are additional)



St. Benedict Center, 1126 Road I, PO Box 528, Schuyler, NE 68661-0528
To Register: please go online to StBenedictCenter.com,
email Retreats@StBenedictCenter.com, or call 402-352-8819, ext. 360



MEET THE MAN WHO MAKES KINDNESS

His plan!



FATHER JIM SICHKO

"60 Minutes for Jesus"
General Themes are Kindness, Trust, and Leadership. Fr. Jim is a priest of the Diocese of Lexington, storyteller, Papal Missionary of Mercy.

Each night of the mission is a stand-alone talk. You'll laugh, you'll cry, you'll sing, you'll be inspired!

Save the Dates

August

24th, 25th, and 26th

More Information Coming!

Religious Education Program

Email—dre@st-agnes-church.com

Religious Education Office—308-635-1362

Celebrating Sunday Pentecost Sunday

Gospel: John 14:15-16, 23b-26

On the Way to Mass:

Today we celebrate the gifts of the Holy spirit. How do you imagine the Holy Spirit?

On the Way Home From Mass:

Jesus said the Holy Spirit will teach us and defend us - defend us from what, do you think?

Living the Word:

In your family prayers this week, add this simple line invoking the Holy Spirit to dwell in your hearts and home: *Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your spirit, and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.*

*Celebrating Sunday for Catholic Families
2024-2025*

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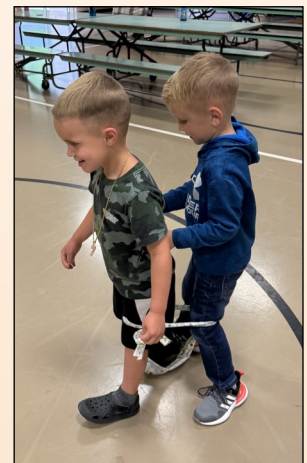
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A great time was had by all at Vacation Bible School this past week! A record number of children and youth attended and learned about Prayer through the Faith, Music, Crafts, and Game stations. Each day was ended with the Celebration of Mass. A special thank you goes to the Station Leaders: *Faith* - Kristin Schiff, *Music* - Meghan Calvert, *Games* - Rachael Ascherl, and *Crafts* - Theresa Ascherl. Thank you also to the *Group Leaders*: *St. John Bosco* - Owen Engel, Lilly Seymour, and Asher Wilson; *St. Juan Diego* - Kaden Blaylock, Zoe Calvert, and Ruby Schiff; *St. Faustina* - Reagan Schiff, Solarah Gould, and John Songco; and *St. Raphael the Archangel* - Claire Ascherl, Bella Songco, and Carson Windhorst.





This Week on Formed

Week of June 08, 2025



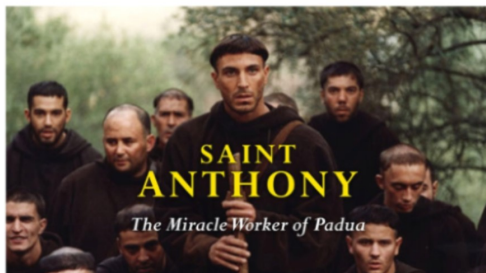
Mary | What Catholics Believe

Join Dr. Edward Sri as he answers some of the internet's most asked questions about Mary. Who is Mary? Why do Catholics pray to Mary? How could she be a virgin if Jesus had brothers and sisters according to the Bible? Find out answers to these and more questions in this episode of What Catholics Believe.



The Wild Goose

In this Easter season, join Fr. Dave Pivonka in the Wild Goose, a 14-part series on living a life inspired by and with the Holy Spirit.



Saint Anthony: Miracle Worker of Padua

This beautiful Italian film depicts the life of St. Anthony of Padua, including his preaching, his love for the poor, and the wonders of his miracles. It will doubtless help you cultivate devotion to this beloved saint.

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PUZZLE

How many spirits can you count?



THE ANSWER IS FOURTEEN



MISSION

Pray to the Holy Spirit. Ask him to help you learn more about Jesus.



PUZZLE

Circle the things that help you learn more about Jesus.



MISSION

I will ask the Holy Spirit to help me remember things from the past.