

Lay Ministers for June 29-30, 2024				
Mass	Lectors	EMHC	Greeters/Gifts	Altar Servers
5:00PM Holy Cross, Bancroft	Alan Gatzemeyer	Kevin Bruning Tina Bruning	John Schuttler Family	Scarlett Fajardo Gisella Fajardo
7:30AM Sacred Heart, Emerson	Mike Clay	Traci Bodlak Carla Clay	Volunteer	Reece Hanson Finn Mueller
8:00AM Saint Joseph's, Lyons	Deb Ward George Fritts	Coleen Denton Kristi Arlt	Carl & Tammy Bures	Braxton Watson Skiler Watson Cali Madsen
9:15AM Saint Patrick's, Jackson	Roger Bentz	Garret Stroot Lisa Nelson Barb Fitzgerald	Chris & Jaime White	Lucas Bousquet Taven Kent
10:00AM St. John the Baptist's, Pender	John Besmer	Deb Welsh Kathy Baker	Kevin & Shelley Kirkland	Dane Bruns Collins Ferg
11:00AM St. Augustine, Winnebago	Shawn Monroe	Christina Odom Iris Payer	Volunteers	Volunteers
Lay Ministers for July6-7, 2024				
Mass	Lectors	EMHC	Greeters/Gifts	Altar Servers
5:00PM Holy Cross, Bancroft	Colleen Elsasser	Alan Gatzemeyer Anna Berg	Anna Berg Peggy Renz	Gisella Fajardo Volunteer
7:30AM Sacred Heart, Emerson	Mary Henderson	Deb Henderson Kim Rohan	Volunteers	Landyn Servine Paxton Servine
8:00AM Saint Joseph's, Lyons	Kristi Arlt Randy Johnson	Aaron Arlt Kayla Lindstrom	Larry & Mardelle Connealy	Blaise & Sutton Hartwell
9:15AM Saint Patrick's, Jackson	Laura Ney	Pam White Doug Jansen Lisa Nelson	Roger and Becky Bentz	Presley Chase Branson Chase Derek Stroot
10:00AM St. John the Baptist's, Pender	Paula Bonneau	Randy Bowder Jennifer Hansen	Charles and Quinn Kneifl	Briar Dutcher Kyler Reha
11:00AM St. Augustine, Winnebago	Samantha Eberly	Keith Mahaney Pat Bates	Volunteers	Volunteers





# HOLY APOSTLES

## PARISH FAMILY

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time: June 29-30, 2024

<https://www.holyapostlesfamily.org/>

### PARISH FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday**  
**5:00PM** Holy Cross, Bancroft  
**5:00PM** St. Michael's , South Sioux City (English)  
**7:00PM** St. Michael's , South Sioux City (Spanish)

**Sunday English Masses**  
**7:30AM** Sacred Heart, Emerson  
**7:30AM** St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
**8:00AM** St. Joseph's, Lyons  
**9:00AM** St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
**9:15AM** St. Patrick's, Jackson  
**10:00AM** St. John the Baptist's Pender  
**11:00AM** St. Augustine's, Winnebago

**Sunday Spanish Masses**  
**10:30AM** St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
**Noon** St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
**1:30PM** St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
**2:00PM** Sacred Heart, Emerson

**Daily Mass**  
**6:30AM** St. Augustine's, Winnebago  
**9:00AM Wednesday** (School Mass)  
St. Augustine's, Winnebago  
**8:30AM** St. Joseph's, Lyons  
**8:15AM** St. Michael's, South Sioux City

**Next Monthly Mass, Tuesdays at 6:00PM**  
**Masses at Churches without Sunday Mass**  
Decatur 1st Tuesday July 2nd  
Homer 2nd Tuesday July 9th  
Hubbard 3rd Tuesday July 16th  
Walthill 4th Tuesday July 23rd



### THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

St. Augustine's, Winnebago  
St. Cornelius', Homer  
Holy Cross, Bancroft  
Holy Family, Decatur  
St. John the Baptist's, Pender  
St. Joseph's, Lyons,

St. Joseph's, Walthill  
St. Mary's, Hubbard  
St. Michael's, South Sioux City  
Our Lady of Fatima, Macy  
St. Patrick's, Jackson  
Sacred Heart, Emerson

### "WE ARE STRONGER TOGETHER"

**FR. MARK BERAN**  
Pastor & Mission Director

**FR. MARK BRIDGMAN**  
Associate Pastor

**FR. KEVIN JOYCE**  
Associate Pastor

**DEACON BOB CARL**  
St. Joseph, Lyons

**DEACON DON BLACKBIRD, JR.**  
St. Augustine's, Winnebago

**PARISH FAMILY CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Parish Family Business Office**

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Summer Business Hours  
8:00 AM-3:00 PM  
Monday to Thursday

In Case of Emergencies  
Requiring a Priest:  
Call (402) 369-0907

**Parish Family Mailing Address:**  
Holy Apostles Family of Parishes  
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Winnebago, Nebraska 68071

FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK | FR. MARK BERAN



From the Pastor's Desk:

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In honor of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July being celebrated this week, I found some 4<sup>th</sup> of July trivia questions (from Reader's Digest):

- 1. Question: Who ruled England when the Colonies established independence? Answer: King George III
- 2. Question: How many people were estimated to be living in the Colonies when they gained independence? Answer: 2.5 million
- 3. Question: When was the first 4th of July celebration held at the White House? Answer: July 4, 1801, when Thomas Jefferson was president
- 4. Question: What is the location of the nation’s oldest 4th of July parade? Answer: Bristol, Rhode Island
- 5. Question: What was the first state to declare the 4th of July a state holiday? Answer: Massachusetts
- 6. Question: What year was the 4th of July declared a national holiday? Answer: 1870
- 7. Question: Which three U.S. presidents died on the 4th of July? Answer: John Adams (July 4, 1826), Thomas Jefferson (July 4, 1826) and James Monroe (July 4, 1831)
- 8. Question: Which president was born on the 4th of July? Answer: Calvin Coolidge (July 4, 1872)
- 9. Question: According to the National Hot Dog & Sausage Council, roughly how many hot dogs are eaten on the 4th of July? Answer: 150 million
- 10. Question: According to the National Retail Federation, how much money are people expected to pay, on average, for the food for their 4th of July bash this year? Answer: \$93.34
- 11. Question: According to the American Pyrotechnics Association, how much did Americans spend on fireworks in 2023? Answer: \$2.3 billion

Many blessings on you and our country this Independence Day! All the Holy Apostles, pray for us.

--Fr. Mark Beran

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time:

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

Psalm: Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

Response: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians: 8:7,9, 13-15

Gospel: Mark 5: 21-43 (or Mark 5: 21-24, 35b-43)

Online Giving



PARISH STEWARDSHIP COLLECTION

Collection Totals for the Weekend of  
June 22-23, 2024

Parish	Weekly Budget Amount	Last Week’s Collection	Year to Date Budget	Year To Date Collected
Holy Cross Church, Bancroft	\$950.00	\$748.00	\$47,480.00	\$45,401.00
Holy Family Church, Decatur	\$448.00	\$125.00	\$22,400.00	\$8,530.00
Sacred Heart Church, Emerson	\$1,960.00	\$892.00	\$98,000.00	\$82,375.00
St. Cornelius’ Church, Homer	\$460.00	\$420.00	\$23,000.00	\$22,691.00
St. Mary’s Church, Hubbard	\$511.00	\$110.00	\$25,523.00	\$13,996.00
St. Patrick’s Church, Jackson	\$2,107.00	\$1,478.00	\$105,350.00	\$96,732.00
St. Joseph’s Church, Lyons	\$1,253.00	\$1,819.81	\$62,654.00	\$61,888.81
St. John The Baptist, Pender	\$1,772.00	\$679.00	\$88,600.00	\$78,919.00
St. Joseph’s Church, Walthill	\$165.00	\$25.00	\$8,245.00	\$4,453.00
St. Augustine’s, Winnebago	\$370.00	\$1,435.34	\$18,500.00	\$34,297.34

Weekly Offering Envelopes are available by calling the Parish Family Office (402) 878-2402. 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM

ARCHBISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL REPORT as of June 17, 2024

Parish	Goal	Pledged	Parish	Goal	Pledged
Holy Cross, Bancroft	\$2,681.60	\$1575.00	St. Cornelius’, Homer	\$1,945.89	\$3,100.00
Holy Family, Decatur	\$1,484.27	\$675.00	St. John the Baptist, Pender	\$3,869.23	\$2,892.00
Our Lady of Fatima, Macy	\$75.20	\$100.00	St. Joseph’s, Lyons	\$11,093.03	\$10,935.00
Sacred heart, Emerson	\$7,775.52	\$5,980.00	St. Joseph, Walthill	\$394.65	\$1,950.00
St. Augustine’s, Winnebago	\$1,590.22	\$750.00	St. Mary’s Hubbard	\$1,947.84	\$1,235.00
			St. Patrick’s, Jackson	\$11,959.84	\$13,309.84

AS A PARISH FAMILY WE PRAY FOR:

Kyle Kouri, Rita Oligmueller, Fr. Paul Albenesius, Dennis Reinert, Sr. Deana Case, Don Blackbird Sr. Millie Gill, Clara Marie Maurice, Vicky Schrick, Barkley Payer, Elwood Hardin, Viola LaPointe, Annie Rave

Mary Jo Mayberry, Fr. Novotny, Banks Nelson, Jack LaMere, Emma LaMere, Ursula Thomas, Pat Bates Leland Parker

\* If anyone was removed in error, simply call the Parish Family Office and he or she will be placed back on the Prayer List.

**\*SPECIAL INTENTION FOR JULY:** That the Freedom of Religion, enshrined in the Constitution of the United States, may be protected and defended and that all peoples in nations throughout the world may be able to freely express their belief and faith in God.

**REQUIESCAT IN PACE: REST IN PEACE:** Let us pray for the repose of the souls of those who recently passed away in our Parish Family and that the Spirit of Consolation may heal the grief of their families: Please Remember Virgil Oligmueller, and two Archdiocesan Priests: Fr. Jim Buckley and Fr. Dave Reeson.

**A PRAYER FOR HEALING:** Lord, You invite all who are burdened to come to you. Allow Your healing Hand to heal me. Touch my soul with Your compassion for others; touch my heart with Your courage and infinite Love for all; touch my mind with Your Wisdom, and may my mouth always proclaim Your praise. Teach me to reach out to You in all my needs, and help me to lead others to You by my example. Most loving Heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve You with all my strength. Touch gently this life which you have created, now and forever. Amen.

By Default, Prayer Intentions will published for four bulletins. By Request, a loved one can be placed on the Prayer List for a longer period of time or with “No End Date” Deceased Members are published for two bulletins. Please include the parish of the request. In order to place a loved one on our Prayer List OR to have one removed: Send to: Holy Apostles Parish Family Office, Prayer List, PO Box 552, Winnebago, NE 68071 Call: Holy Apostles Parish Family Office at 402-878-2402, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM Email: [dkcase@archomaha.org](mailto:dkcase@archomaha.org) with “Prayer List” in the Subject



Anointing of the Sick	Visitation Ministry
<p>The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is appropriate for all who are hospitalized, having surgery, aged, or mentally ill. To receive an Anointing, contact the Parish Family Office (402) 878-2402, 8:00AM - 3:00PM, and a priest will contact you to set up an appointment. Requesting an Anointing from the priest after Mass is also appropriate. Emergencies: (402) 369-0907</p>	<p>For those who are in the hospital, in residential care, or are homebound, contact the Parish Family Office (402) 878-2402, 8:00AM to 3:00 , to have a priest visit. Because of today’s privacy laws, the office is no longer contacted when someone enters a hospital or residential care and the Parish Family Office needs to be contacted. Regular Visits from EMHCs (Eucharistic Ministers) can also be scheduled by calling the Parish Family Office.</p>

PARISH FAMILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY: SUNDAY JUNE 30TH: PETER’S PENCE SPECIAL COLLECTION:** A Special Collection to assist the Holy Father, Pope Francis, in his service to the worldwide Catholic Church. The funds are used to assist those in need because of natural disaster, war, oppression, or disease.

**JULY 4TH: INDEPENDENCE DAY MASSES:** Masses for Independence Day will be held at the following times and churches: 8:00 AM St. Mary’s, Hubbard; 9:00 AM Holy Family, Decatur.

**A PRAYER FOR OUR NATION:** Let us pray in thanksgiving for all that we have accomplished and for the grace to do what remains to be done to bring about peace and justice in our own country and around the world: God our Father, giver of life, we entrust the United States of America to your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded. You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for your glory and dwell among your people. Send your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation’s leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing your will. Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, patroness of our land, grant us the courage to reject the “culture of death.” Lead us into a new millennium of life. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

**CONTINUING REMINDER: SUMMER HOURS FOR HOLY APOSTLES FAMILY PARISH OFFICE:** The Family Parish Office will have the following Summer Hours until August 9th, 2024: **Monday to Thursday: 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Fridays: Office Closed. The Parish Family Office will also be closed for the following Summer Holiday: Independence Day; Thursday, July 4th.** Please note: Phone messages left on Friday may not be returned until Monday.

**Pender will have their annual alumni weekend celebration** this weekend with lots of activities throughout the weekend. Check out a schedule of events flyer on the Pender Times Facebook page.

**Dixon County Fair will host a Family Faith** Night at the Dixon County Fair Grounds. July 7th, 6:30-9:30. Admission is \$15 for adults (Kids 12 years and younger are Free). Events include Zellmer Family Ministry and performances by Ryan Stevenson and Rhett Walker. Bring your lawn chairs!

**America’s Largest Abortion Provider And Out-Of-State Interests Are Leading An Effort To Create a Right To Late -Pregnancy Abortion In The Nebraska Constitution. You’re Needed To Defeat This Effort:**

In November 2023, well-funded abortion groups certified constitutional amendment language with the Nebraska Secretary of State to create a right to late-pregnancy abortion in the Nebraska Constitution. Abortion activists are currently gathering signatures across Nebraska to put the issue before voters in November of 2024. Nebraskans need to know how this proposal is dangerous, deceptive, and demeaning, why it must be opposed, and how we can defeat it. To learn more, visit the Nebraska Catholic Conference Resources Webpage: <https://necatholic.org/resources/>





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**SIGN UP FOR FLOCKNOTE**  
**Holy Apostles Parish Family Bulletin and Important Parish Family Updates are available via email & text.**  
We love having you as part of our Parish Family Flock! Flocknote is a tool we’re using to keep you informed of events throughout our Parish Family. With Flocknote, you can choose which information you would like to receive from the various ministries and groups within our parishes. You can unsubscribe at any time.

**There are three (3) easy ways to join Flocknote:**

1. Use the QR Code to Right.
2. Visit our Family of Churches website at <https://holypostlesfamily.flocknote.com/>
3. Text “Holy 12” to 84576 from your phone to receive updates. SIGN UP TODAY!





MASSES AND INTENTIONS JUNE 29-JULY 5, 2024					
Day	Date	Church	Time	Priest	Mass Intention
Saturday	6/29	Bancroft	5:00 PM	Fr. Bridgman	† Harold Putz & Helen Bruning
Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time	6/30	Emerson Lyons Jackson Pender Winnebago	7:30 AM 8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Fr. Joyce Fr. Beran Fr. Joyce Fr. Beran Fr. Bridgman	Special Intentions † Pat Connealy † Neal Beacom People of the Parishes † Charles LaMere
Monday	7/01	Winnebago	7:30 AM	Fr. Bridgman	† Smith & Dugan Family Members
Tuesday	7/02	Winnebago Lyons Decatur	7:30 AM 8:30 AM 6:00 PM	Fr. Bridgman Fr. Joyce Fr Joyce	† Mary Lou Kroenke † Shawn McFarlane † Al & Pat Ruge
Wednesday	7/03	Winnebago Lyons	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr. Bridgman Fr. Joyce	† Katherine Drexel Society † Martin Family
Thursday	7/04	Hubbard Decatur	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr Bridgman Fr Joyce	Intentions of Jackie Hartnett † Pat Connealy
Friday	7/05	Winnebago Lyons	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr. Bridgman Fr Joyce	† Grant Wolken † Shawn McFarlane
MASSES AND INTENTIONS JULY 6-12, 2024					
Day	Date	Church	Time	Priest	Mass Intention
Saturday	7/06	Bancroft	5:00PM	Fr. Joyce	† Shawn McFarlane
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	7/07	Emerson Lyons Jackson Pender Winnebago	7:30 AM 8:00 AM 9:15 AM 10:00 AM 11:00 AM	Fr. Bridgman Fr. Joyce Fr. Bridgman Fr. Joyce Fr. Bridgman	† Jack Martin † Virginia Toth † Bob Gill † Bob & Louis Wuseler † Mark Tighe
Monday:	7/08	Winnebago	7:30 AM	Fr. Bridgman	† David Fuchs
Tuesday	7/09	Winnebago Lyons Homer	7:30 AM 8:30 AM 6:00 PM	Fr. Bridgman Fr. Joyce Fr. Joyce	† Special Intention: Makynzie A. Thurman † Martin Family † Mark Tighe
Wednesday	7/10	Winnebago Lyons	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr. Beran Fr. Bridgman	† Herman & Bertha Evers † Shawn McFarlane
Thursday	7/11	Winnebago Lyons	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr. Beran Fr Bridgman	† Millie Beran † Martin Family
Friday	7/12	Winnebago Lyons	7:30 AM 8:30 AM	Fr. Bridgman NO MASS	† Al Spader NO MASS

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

YOUTH DISCIPLESHIP / EDUCATION

**We Give Thanks: Supporters of The Steubenville Conference in Denver:** Thank you for all the support given to make the trip to Denver for the Steubenville Conference a raving success: Paula Wendte; Chaperones; Financial Contributors; and anyone who participated in making the experience possible for our youth! Continue to pray that our youth will continue to grow in their faith and spread the Good News of the Gospel in their daily lives!

**Catholic Social Teaching :** Catholic social teaching calls us to live like Jesus and work for justice and peace.

*Principles of Catholic Social Teaching*

1. Life and Dignity of the Human Person
2. Call to Family, Community and Participation
3. Rights and Responsibilities of the Human Person
4. Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
5. Dignity of Work and Rights of Workers
6. Solidarity of the Human Family
7. Care for God's Creation

**Prayer to Our Guardian Angel:** Angel of God, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

The Following are Opportunities to practice Good Stewardship by sharing one’s Time and Talents with one of our Parish Communities:

**ST. AUGUSTINE’S, WINNEBAGO: SHARE THE GIFT OF YOUR VOICE BY LEADING PEOPLE IN SONG AT MASS:** St. Augustine’s is looking for one or more vocalists to share their talent by leading singing as a Cantor at Mass. Training can be provided. Contact Lois Harris (712) 389-6525 or the Family Parish Office (402) 878-2402 if the Lord is calling you to share your gift of song.

**THE NOOK THRIFT STORE, MACY NEBRASKA: WE NEED DISCIPLES OF CHRIST WHO HEAR THEIR CALL TO SERVE:** Benefit the needy by sorting clothing once or twice a month at Our Lady of Fatima Center in Macy. And / Or Once a month, You may help set up the thrift store on a Friday and help run it on a Saturday. Families are invited to serve together. Contact Sr. Deana to learn more about the ministry. Call: (402) 922-3969 or the Parish Family Office: (402) 878-2402.

**ST. JOSEPH, LYONS: USE YOUR GIFT OF PLAYING THE GUITAR BY PLAYING AT MASS:** We are looing for a talented steward to play the guitar at the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass at St. Joseph’s Church in Lyons on the fourth Sunday of the month. If God’s voice is calling you, call Jill Carl: (402) 720-9827

**SACRED HEART PARISH IN EMERSON: HAS GOD ENTRUSTED YOU WITH THE GIFT OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP?** The Holy Apostles Family Finance Council needs of a representative from Sacred Heart, Emerson on the 4th Thursday of the Month at St. Augustine’s School Conference Room, Winnebago. Listen for God’s voice to use your time and financial talent and then call Fr. Mark Beran or Deb Henderson.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Confession Times**

**Saturday**

Holy Cross, Bancroft 4:15PM to 4:45PM

**Sunday**

Sacred Heart, Emerson 7:00AM-7:15AM

St. Joseph’s, Lyons at 7:30AM-7:45AM

St. Patrick’s, Jackson 8:55AM-9:10AM

St. John the Baptist, Pender 9:30AM-9:45AM

St. Augustine’s, Winnebago 10:40AM -10:50AM

An appointment with a priest for a confession outside scheduled times can be made by calling the Parish Family Office (402) 878-2402, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

MASS STIPENDS

Recommended Mass Stipend is \$10.00 per request.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletin information should be in by Wednesday morning of each week with printing on Wednesday Evening. Please remember that we have limited space because eleven churches use this bulletin.

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