“Almighty ever-living God, who, when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan and as the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children by adoption, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you.”

- Today’s Collect Prayer
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**MASS SCHEDULE**

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, January 14**

8:15 AM †Ralph Freeman (Fr. Greisen)  
5:30 PM †Rosemary & Ed Koley (Fr. Soltys)

**Tuesday, January 15**

8:15 AM †Ed Ryan (Fr. Hanneman)  
5:30 PM Maria Xung – Blessings (Fr. Greisen)

**Wednesday, January 16**

8:15 AM †Christine Overkamp (Fr. Greisen)  
5:30 PM Humpal 66th wedding Ann. (Fr. Hanneman)

**Thursday, January 17**

8:15 AM †Mary Abbott (Fr. Greisen)  
5:30 PM †Rebecca Davis (Fr. Hanneman)

**Friday, January 18**

6:20 AM †Mel Ahlberg (Fr. Hanneman)  
8:15 AM †Theodore Kisicki (Fr. Hanneman)

**Saturday, January 19**

8:15 AM Communion Service (Dcn. Graef)  
5:00 PM †Doty Family (Fr. Greisen)  
6:30 PM †Jeanne Medsker (Fr. Greisen)

**Sunday, January 20**

7:30 AM †Tony Caniglia (Fr. Greisen)  
9:00 AM †Augustus Slavik (Fr. Greisen)  
10:30 AM †Raymon Koubek (Fr. Hanneman)  
12:00 PM †Ray Slawinski (Fr. Hanneman)  
5:00 PM For the Parish (Fr. Hanneman)

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**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Baptismal preparation classes are required for parents with children to be baptized. Call the Parish Office for information.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

The Archdiocese requires a minimum of six months notification for all who are to be married in order to arrange for and complete the various activities/programs associated with marriage preparation. Contact the Parish Office before setting a date.

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St. Columbkille Parish
Vacation Bible School Update

Dear Families,

As many of you know, the Capital Campaign was held to raise monies allowing the parish to construct a new parish center. With the money we have raised, the initial part of the project is scheduled to begin this coming spring. The first part of this is demolition of some existing buildings, readying the land for the future site, and moving not only the remnants of what is being taken down, but also moving dirt, concrete, and all that goes into the foundations for building a new facility. Construction is supposed to begin at the end of the school year (May) and continue on from there. With that being said, our usual summer happenings at the school have been discussed during several meetings with parish priests and staff.

Due to the timing of the demolition, the heavy machinery, workers, and space issues, we have determined that we will not be holding Vacation Bible School at St. Columbkille this year. The RE Office uses the building almost the entire month of June, with Summer RE classes the first two weeks and then VBS following, but with concern for activities, parking, and most importantly - the students' safety - we feel this is the best choice for us this year. We have an amazing Vacation Bible School with coordinators who dedicate their time and talent to this fun and busy week, but feel it is in the best interest of all to cancel VBS here this year. We are unsure as to how the demolition will impact the south side of the building, in addition to the parking lot, playground, etc.

I know many families look forward to this annual event so I contacted some other parishes to see if they might be willing to accept some St. Columbkille families who might still be interested in attending VBS with another parish. The responses I received were inviting, but the decision on whether to sign-up and attend at a neighboring parish will be up to you. I am providing the feedback I received, with contact information for each parish who responded.

Please know that our plan is to pick right back up with VBS next summer! Our hope is that we will then be able to have the space to adequately plan and carry out this fun week without the fear of large equipment, loud noises and lack of space being an issue.

The following are parishes who would welcome our families. Please be advised that many have attendance limits, but most parishes do not have the very large number of attendees like St. Columbkille. Please contact the parish directly for sign-up dates.

St. Roberts (119th & Pacific) - Kate Vazquez (kvazquez@stroberts.com) June 10-14th from 9-noon and 1-4pm. Call or email Kate for specifics because they have one camp for typically 3 years old - 3rd grade, and a new camp that is designed for 4th - 6th graders.

St. John Vianney (5801 Oak Hills Drive) - John Gencarelli (jgencarelli@sjvomaha.org) June 17-21st from 9:30- noon. No preschool VBS. They would welcome help with VBS if sending your child there - they normally only have 45-50 attendees.

St. Leo the Great (1920 N 102nd St) - Jen Fuller (reled@stleo.net) June 3-6th 9am-noon. Please email Jen for more information.

St. Matthews (12210 S 36th St) - Deacon Mark White (mwhite@archomaha.org) July 20-26th. St. Matt’s does Totus Tuus (different than our VBS kits). Please email Mark directly or go to http://www.stmatthewbellevue.org/totus-tuus-vbs-

Thank you for your understanding! I wanted to give you ample notice for planning ahead since our registration usually begins in April. The theme this year is "Roar" and generally the neighboring parishes are all on-board with the same theme.

The Summer RE classes will be held as usual, but there will be important changes coming out later this spring in regard to drop-off and pick-up since the south side of the building will be impacted by the demolition and land preparations.

Blessings, Lori Long, Director of Religious Education

Farewell from Fr. Dave!

I’m going away on Sabbatical for about three months and won’t be back until April 15th. While I’m gone, Fr. Denny Hanneman and Fr. Gary Ostrander are going to take good care of you, along with Fr. Tom, of course, who will be the acting pastor.

I appreciate your prayers while I’m gone and I’m going to try to find a souvenir for everyone while I’m over there!

When I was in Washington D.C., I brought each of my parishioners back a copper engraving of one of our nation’s monuments. It happened to be a penny, but it was copper and it featured an engraving of the Lincoln Memorial!

While I’m away from the Archdiocese of Omaha, I will actually be connecting better with three seminarians from Omaha studying over in Rome, Fr. Vitalis who was previously at this parish who will be studying on sabbatical, as well, and even Archbishop Lucas will be there to welcome me for my first two weeks!

Pax,
Fr. Dave
ART & ENVIRONMENT THANK YOU
The beautiful Christmas decor we have enjoyed over the last 3 weeks will soon be just a memory. Thank you all who helped make these memories possible. The task of liturgical beautiful Season decor is only possible by the work and hands of many.

Thank you to those who worked all throughout December in the garage to organize, refurbish and create the items which transformed our worship space. The community is grateful to many individuals who showed up for several days prior to Christmas for install indoors and out, tidying the space, and those who tend to the live florals each day throughout the season. None of our Christmas memories of this season at St. Columbkille Parish would have been possible without those many hands.

The support of the parish community for donations for flowers is vital to the work of the Art and Environment team. Thank you to all who made donations in honor or memory. We will have a small amount of left if you wish to take home some Christmas. The red poinsettias will be available on a first come, first serve basis beginning after 8:15 Mass on Monday 1/14. The white poinsettias will continue to be used for a time in our winter liturgical arrangements.

Help is needed to take down the Christmas decor and store for next year, on Monday 1/14 from 9:00-11:00, and again in the evening from 6:00 until complete.

THANK YOU!
Thank you to all who prayed for and thought of Samuel Bass during his surgery. He is doing well, and we are thankful for your prayers!
- From Zach & Erin

STEWARDSHIP CORNER
PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES
Did you know that parishioners regularly gather after the Tuesday 8:15 a.m. Mass to prayer the Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion? Or that we pray the Rosary before the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday and the 7:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday? Join us for these devotions and strengthen your prayer life!

JOB OPPORTUNITY
St Columbkille Parish is seeking to hire a full-time Director of Communication. This position is responsible for the development and dissemination of a consistent parish message of missionary discipleship using multimedia platforms. The position provides leadership and collaborative support to the work of parish staff, volunteers, and groups. A complete job description and application instructions are posted online at www.saintcolumbkille.org/communication. If you have questions, please contact Phil LaSala, Director of Pastoral Services, at pjlasala@saintcolumbkille.org or 402-339-3285.

CONVERSATION DINNERS
The Parish Center welcomes you on Sunday, January 13th after the 10:30am Mass for a Sunday Brunch Potluck with Silly Games to follow. Sign up by contacting Mindy Pelton at 402-291-3802 or dinnersfor8@gmail.com.

REMINDER: AUTOMATIC DOORS
We have installed new, automatic handicap-accessible doors on the north end of the church. Please make use of these doors anytime you need to, and remind others who may need assistance to utilize these doors.

ESSENTIAL PREGNANCY SERVICES RAFFLE
Have you heard of Essential Pregnancy Services (EPS)? They serve expectant women and parenting families in a variety of ways. St. Columbkille’s Respect Life group will assist in selling raffle tickets for EPS during the Knights of Columbus pancake breakfast on Sunday, January 13. Winners of the raffle will be announced at EPS’s annual benefit dinner held on Sunday, January 27. You do not have to attend the dinner to be eligible to win. Prizes are: 1st cash prize: $1500, 2nd cash prize: $500, 3rd cash prize: $250. Tickets are 1 for $20, 3 for $50 and 10 for $100. You can also email Lrice@essentialps.org or call 402.554.0121 to purchase tickets. Please consider supporting EPS in their efforts to provide life-affirming pregnancy options and free services for women facing unplanned pregnancies.
VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE CATHOLIC SCHOOL, ST. COLUMBKILLE!
Spirit Catholic Radio presents the annual Superstar Catholic School Contest to shine a light on Catholic education in our communities. All Catholic elementary and high schools are eligible to receive your vote. This year’s contest is Jan. 28 - Feb. 8. Winning schools in each category receive $1,000 of free on-air promotion on Spirit Catholic Radio; a “live” interview on Spirit Mornings, prayer cards for all students, a customized banner for inside and outside the school; and a trophy! Vote Jan. 28 – Feb. 8 at spiritcatholicradio.com/superstar!

HOPE AFTER ABORTION
Are you the mother, father, grandparent, family member, medical professional or counselor involved in an abortion? Are you suffering from an abortion experience? Project Rachel offers spiritual and psychological healing. Call 1-888-456-HOPE (4673) for a referral for private, sensitive and confidential counseling and/or reconciliation. More information is available online at www.hopeafterabortion.com

RESPECT LIFE
The Respect Life Group will meet on Monday, January 14, at 7 PM in the parish office. Join us in making our parish a center of life!. One upcoming event is Nebraska’s Walk for Life at the state capitol in Lincoln on Saturday, January 26. Questions? Please call Cathy Badura 402-592-3765.

HOSPITAL STAY
If you or someone you know is in the hospital, please call the Parish Office at 402-339-3285 to let the parish know so we can visit and minister to them.

ROAD TO EMMAUS
Once again this year, our parish is offering a series of presentations to the entire community called Road to Emmaus. These sessions focus on topics that new and lifelong Catholics alike have found helpful as they have learned about the Catholic Church and her traditions. All are welcome, whether you’re a cradle Catholic, a new member, or a non-Catholic interested in learning more. Our next session will meet in the church from 7:00-8:30 p.m.
- January 23rd – Church Tour, this session will meet in the church
- February 21st – Rome Beneath the Surface
- March 27th – Encountering Jesus through the Liturgy

FORMED PICK
Living Life by Design Not by Default
By Fr. Michael Schmitz
Live This Year Intentionally
Fr. Michael Schmitz explains why and how we need to live an intentionally Christian life within this technological age. Discover how, with a few small steps, you can stop going with the flow and live by design.

Listen on formed.org

“Father Mike always hits me in the gut with the simplest and most beautiful logic. So so good.”
—Ryan H.

www.saintcolumbkille.formed.org
Welcome back, preschoolers! We will be collecting donations of $4-$5 to help in preparing our preschool basket for the silent auction. We have a great project planned! If you would like to learn more about this fun parish celebration and fundraiser, please visit the Ceili website at www.ColumbS Ceili.org.

Teen Faith Christmas Break: Teen Faith will not meet December 20th-January 8th. We will see everyone again on January 9th for Small Group Faith Sharing.

CRUSADERS SELECT BASEBALL 2019
Our 2019 9U, 10U, and 11U select baseball teams are still looking for 1-2 more players for next season. If you are interested in trying out for those teams or have any questions please contact St. Columbkille Baseball Commissioner Jim Horacek at crus8rbaseball@gmail.com.

2018-2019 ACTIVITY SPORTS PASS SALE!
Pay $25 and get admission to all home basketball games. Good for immediate family defined as parents and children. Purchase your sports pass at the your next home basketball game!

CRUSADERS WINDOW DECALS
Only $5.00! New designs in stock. Show your school spirit and support St. Columbkille Athletics! Available to purchase at all home basketball games and through the Athletics office. Questions? Contact Sarah Yarpe at sayarpe@saintcolumbkille.org

YOUTH CHOIR IS GROWING AGAIN!
Want to have fun, earn service hours, and experience Mass in a powerful new way? Join us for rehearsals on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8 in the church. Not a singer? We need musicians, too! We have room for 1 electric bass player, 1 drummer, and 1 acoustic (6 string) guitarist. We aren't looking for perfection, just enthusiasm! Contact Tiffini at: 402-315-7449 or teamcoveney@1791.com

Free Throw Contest
The Knights of Columbus Council #6429 Free Throw Contest will be held on Friday January 25th in the St. Columbkille gym. The contest is open to boys and girls age 9 – 14. Ages 9, 10 and 11 registration will end and shooting will begin at 6:00. Ages 12, 13 and 14 registration will end and shooting will begin at 7:00. Registration forms will be available at the event and there is no fee. Please contact Dick Van Haute at 402-871-4647 if you have questions.

Religious Education Classes Resume
Class: Monday, January 14th
Class: Wednesday, January 16th
2nd grade and RCIC-Communion students will not have class, they will attend the Reconciliation Centers instead.

Reconciliation Centers
for all 2nd graders and RCIC-Communion students and a parent
Monday, January 14 or Wednesday, January 16 between 3:30-6:30 pm in the Parish Center
The centers take approx. one hour to complete.

Parish Athletics
Questions? Contact Sarah Yarpe at sayarpe@saintcolumbkille.org or 402-592-1533.

High School Youth Group: Teen Faith
Questions? Contact Nicole Cook at 402-339-0990 or ncook@saintcolumbkille.org.

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YELLOW RIBBONS
Please pray for the following men and women from our parish who are now serving in war zones:
- SSgt. Michela Dahm
- MSgt. Jonathan Draper
- Capt. Angel Briseno

Heavenly Father,
Watch over our military fighting in harm’s way. Set your Blessed Mother, the Saints and all the Angels around them to keep them safe. Give them hope, courage and faith as they give of themselves so unselfishly for us. May they be divinely protected and guided, given peace in their hearts, and may they be brought safely home to us. Amen.

PARISH NURSE NEWS—RADON RISKS
You can’t see, smell or taste radon, but it could be present at a dangerous level in your home. Radon is the leading cause of lung cancer deaths among nonsmokers in America and claims the lives of about 21,000 Americans each year. In fact, the EPA and the U.S. Surgeon General urge all Americans to protect their health by testing their homes, schools and other buildings for radon. Exposure to radon is a preventable health risk and testing radon levels in your home can help prevent unnecessary exposure. If a high radon level is detected in your home, you can take steps to fix the problem to protect yourself and your family.

Five Things You Can Do During National Radon Action Month (January)
1. **Test your home** - EPA and the U.S. Surgeon General recommend that all homes in the U.S. be tested for radon. Testing is easy and inexpensive.
2. **Attend a National Radon Action Month event in your area** - Look for radon events in your community.
3. **Spread the word**
4. **Spend time during National Radon Action Month encouraging others to learn about radon and test their homes.**
   Tell your family and friends about the health risk of radon. Encourage them to test their homes.
5. **Buy a radon-resistant home** - If you are considering buying a new home, look for builders who use radon-resistant new construction.

Submitted by Shelley Hill, BSN R.N.
UPCOMING EVENTS

Parish Calendar

Legend:
C. Church
S.H. Social Hall
P.C. Parish Center (formerly Steinhausen)
P.O. Parish Office
Ed. C. Education Center

Monday, January 14
9:15 a.m.  Senior Exercise (SH)
5:00 p.m.  Religious Education Class (EdC)

Tuesday, January 15
9:30 a.m.  Zumba Fitness (SH)
3:30 p.m.  Children's Choir Rehearsal (SH)
7:00 p.m.  RCIA (Parish Center)

Wednesday, January 16
9:00 a.m.  Bible Study (PO)
9:00 a.m.  Spirituality Alive (SH)
9:30 a.m.  Tai Chi (PC)
1:00 p.m.  Bible Study (PC)
1:30 p.m.  Rosary Makers (SH)
5:45 p.m.  Religious Education Class (EdC)
6:30 p.m.  Youth Choir (C)

Thursday, January 17
6:00 a.m.  That Man is You (PC)
7:00 p.m.  Boy Scouts (SH)
7:00 p.m.  Legion of Mary (PO)
7:30 p.m.  Adult Choir Rehearsal (C)

Friday, January 18
9:15 a.m.  Line Dancing (SH)

Saturday, January 19
7:00 a.m.  Yoga Fitness (PC)
9:00 a.m.  Bible Study (Ed C)
9:30 a.m.  Tai Chi (PC)

Sunday, January 20
3:00 p.m.  Prayer Group (C)

Knights of Columbus Breakfast
The Knights of Columbus Breakfast is Sunday, January 13th, from 8:00 a.m. to noon. Come to the Social Hall for delicious, made-to-order omelets, sausage, scrambled eggs, biscuits & gravy, and pancakes. Coffee and orange juice will also be served.

Women's Guild News
Welcome to the new year with the Women's Guild. Our meeting will be Tuesday, January 15th at 7pm in the Parish Office meeting room. We have no dues and encourage any ladies in the parish to join us. We love new members. Questions? Contact Dee Iske, 402-734-3762.

Blood Drive
The Knights of Columbus and American Red Cross are teaming up to host a Blood Drive on Sunday, January 20th from 7:00 a.m.-Noon in the Parish Center. To schedule an appointment, please call Joe Bixler at 402-250-7258 or visit redcrossblood.org and enter StColumbkillePapillion.

Catholic Relief Services
Ethical Trade
Cook with the best Olive Oil, Balsamic Vinegar, Spices, and Soups! Get it all!

Fair Trade Sale
Sunday, January 13th
Social Hall
8:00 a.m. - Noon

The Fair Trade Team promotes the sale of foods and crafts purchased at a fair price from farmers and artisans around the world. The Fair Trade Team sponsors a fair trade sale the second Sunday of each month, excluding June and July.
## Parish Gifts

### December 23rd, 2018

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Year-to-Date Budgeted Tithing: 1,310,140
Year-to-Date Total Tithing: 1,186,511

**Year-to-Date Overage/(Shortfall):** *(123,629)*

### December 25th, 2018

| Sunday Tithe - Collections | 5,540   |
| Children’s Collection      | 605     |
| Christmas                  | 51,091  |
| Immaculate Conception      | 40      |
| **Sunday Tithe - Total**   | **$57,276** |

### Other Collections:
- Debt Reduction: 20
- Votive Lights: 387
- Christmas/Easter Flowers: 358
- Campaign for Human Development: 2
- Retirement Fund for Religious: 20

### January 1st, 2019

| Sunday Tithe - Collections | 1,178   |
| Sunday Tithe - Online Giving (monthly) |          |
| Sunday Tithe - Automatic Withdrawal |          |
| Children’s Collection        | 61      |
| Solmity of Mary              | 2,994   |
| **Sunday Tithe - Total**     | **$4,233** |

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<td>Christmas/Easter Flowers</td>
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<td>Retirement Fund for Religious</td>
<td>751</td>
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<td><strong>Sunday Tithe - Total</strong></td>
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Year-to-Date Budgeted Tithing: 1,307,596
Year-to-Date Total Tithing: 1,310,140

**Year-to-Date Overage/(Shortfall):** *(52,934)*

### January 6th, 2019

| Sunday Tithe - Collections | 38,466  |
| Sunday Tithe - Online Giving (monthly) |          |
| Sunday Tithe - Automatic Withdrawal |          |
| Children’s Collection        | 315     |
| Christmas                    | 255     |
| Solmity of Mary              | 420     |
| **Sunday Tithe - Total**     | **$57,095** |

Year-to-Date Budgeted Tithing: 1,410,920
Year-to-Date Total Tithing: 1,368,926

**Year-to-Date Overage/(Shortfall):** *(41,994)*

### Other Collections:
- Debt Reduction: 336
- Votive Lights: 179
- Building Rental: 463
- St. Columbkille Education Trust: 1,831
- St. Vincent de Paul: 698
- Future Fund: 176
- Christmas/Easter Flowers: 50
- Seminary: 5,293

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Let us pray together, trusting that where two or more are gathered in His name, Jesus is present:

L: May the God of all consolation make us one in heart and mind, after the example of Christ:
R: *to give glory to the Father with one voice.*

L: In Your wisdom, You have given particular gifts to each member of Your Body, the Church,
R: *to serve the common good in freedom and charity.*

L: You gave us a new commandment,
R: *that we would love one another as You have loved us.*

L: You prayed that we would be perfectly united,
R: *so that the world may believe You were sent by the Father.*

L: You have called us to Your table,
R: *so that Your Word and Your Body and Blood might generate a new people.*

L: Pour out Your Spirit on us and give us peace,
R: *and make us quick to forgive our brothers and sisters, never paying back evil for evil.*

L: Lord Jesus, You have called us Your friends. Refresh those who are weary and oppressed. Give us the courage to help each other to seek Your face, correcting one another in charity, and bearing each other’s burdens in humble service. You reign for ever and ever.

R: *Amen.*