St. Columbkille Parish Directory

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——— MASS SCHEDULE ———

Monday-Thursday
8:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Saturday
8:15 a.m. (Communion Service) Vigil 5:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Sunday
8:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

———— RECONCILIATION ————

Monday-Thursday
5:00-5:20 p.m.
Saturday
3:30-4:30 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 21
8:15 AM †Charles Randone (Fr. Greisen)
5:30 PM †Robert & Rodney Humpal (Fr. Cusak)

Tuesday, January 22
8:15 AM †Ralph Freeman (Fr. Greisen)
5:30 PM †Brother Leonard Reeson (Fr. Hanneman)

Wednesday, January 23
8:15 AM †Phil & Sharon Hoiser (Fr. Hanneman)
5:30 PM †Mildred Calantonio (Fr. Greisen)

Thursday, January 24
8:15 AM †Kathleen Pettigrew (Fr. Greisen)
5:30 PM †Chester & Mildred Crail (Fr. Hanneman)

Friday, January 25
6:20 AM Poor Souls (Fr. Hanneman)
8:15 AM Steve Emodi Family Blessings/Thks(Fr. Hanneman)

Saturday, January 26
8:15 AM Communion Service (Dcn. Krueger)
5:00 PM †Margaret Janak (Fr. Hanneman)
6:30 PM †Christopher Galing (Fr. Hanneman)

Sunday, January 27
7:30 AM †Tony Caniglia (Fr. Hanneman)
9:00 AM †Loretta Pivovar (Fr. Hanneman)
10:30 AM Special Intention Marv Wemhoff (Fr. Greisen)
12:00 PM †Joan Hayes (Fr. Greisen)
5:00 PM †Steve Blum (Fr. Greisen)

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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.
An Introduction: Fr. Denny Hanneman

You may have seen me around St. Columbkille in the past couple of years. I’ve helped out with weekday and weekend Masses and Reconciliation Services several times since my retirement two and a half years ago. Now our paths will cross more frequently! As Fr. Dave begins his Sabbatical, I’m joining Fr. Tom and the staff until the end of February. Another retired priest, Fr. Gary Ostrander, follows me in March until mid-April. (Notice: I did NOT say that I would be “taking Fr. Dave’s place.” That would be impossible! On those very rare occasions when I tell a joke, they tend to be very lame.)

A little about me. I’m the oldest of the three children born to Vernon and Mildred Hanneman. My dad and mom were educators. We moved around to various parishes in the Nebraska area. I felt the call to priesthood in my grade school years. During high school, I attended St. John Vianney Seminary (now Mount Michael) in Elkhorn, Nebraska. I completed college and theology at Saint Paul Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota. I was ordained to the priesthood on May 27th, 1972 at St. Cecilia Cathedral in Omaha and have served in priestly ministry in the Archdiocese for 46 years.

My first assignment as a priest was in the small town of Elgin, Nebraska. I served as assistant pastor at St. Boniface Church and religion/humanities teacher at Pope John XXIII Central Catholic High School. I had hoped to be in an urban parish with no teaching assignment, but the Archbishop and the Holy Spirit had other ideas! After a slow start, I found myself thoroughly appreciating my time there.

In 1976, I moved to Omaha to serve part-time at Pius X Church in Omaha and part time with the Archdiocesan Religious Education Office. After one year, I became the Director of the Office of Religious Education and served there for nearly fourteen years. Our office had responsibility for parish religious education, Catechist certification, adult religious education and spiritual formation. During my time there, we were also very involved in evangelization, RCIA, RENEW, and the Archdiocesan gathering “Loved and Sent.” It was an exciting and fruitful time in ministry. This was enhanced in 1987 when I began serving as pastor for the first time at St. John the Evangelist Church in Valley.

In 1991, I become pastor of a newly formed parish, St. Vincent de Paul Church in northwest Omaha. In the thirteen years I was there, the parish grew from 75 families to 2200 families with a school serving over 800 students. There were four building projects, endless capital campaigns, lots of involvement and energy. Never before had I experienced such powerful action of the Holy Spirit! Needless to say, I was exhausted!

In 2004, I moved to St. Mary’s Parish in Bellevue. It was a different, much more relaxing experience in ministry in an older and more established parish with a rich diversity. I loved St. Mary’s and enjoyed twelve wonderful years there.

My retirement years have been graced with many wonderful opportunities. Among them:
- Participating in a thirty-day Ignatian retreat at Ignatius House in Guelph, Ontario
- Helping out in a Phoenix area parish during the winter months
- Providing spiritual direction to seminarians as part of their participation in the Institute of Priestly Formation program at Creighton University – two summers
- Providing personal spiritual direction for several retreats at Cloisters on the Platte
- Helping out with at several parishes in the Omaha area

I’ve had a wonderful and deeply graced life of ministry. And now I have this wonderful chance to spend this time with you!

Know that I’m here to serve you. And if I can be of any help or assistance, don’t hesitate to contact me.

Fr. Denny Hanneman

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time • January 20th, 2019
**PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**
Did you know that parishioners regularly gather after the Tuesday 8:15 a.m. Mass to pray 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!

**On the Cover:** St. Columbkille school children celebrate the feast of the Epiphany with the Epiphany blessing over their classroom doors!

**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 that transformed our worship space. The community is grateful to the many individuals who showed up for several days prior to Christmas to beautify our spaces indoors and out, as well as those who tidied up and those who tended to the live florals each day throughout the season. None of our Christmas memories from 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 flowers left if you wish to take some home with you. The red poinsettias are available on a first come, first serve basis. The white poinsettias will continue to be used for a time during our winter liturgical arrangements.

**PARISH GROUPS: RECYCLING REMINDER**
Please remember to break down boxes before putting them in our parish recycling bin. This will help to ensure we have enough space in the bin for all our recycling needs. Thanks to all who are making the effort to keep our grounds and planet beautiful!

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**PICK UP YOUR PHOTO DIRECTORY!**
If you had your picture taken within the last two years and have not yet picked up your new photo directory, they are available in the Parish Office! The office is open Monday-Friday from 8:30-4:30 p.m.

Help us welcome new families to the parish by visiting them in their homes! Would you be willing to visit one new family a year? How about welcoming a new family to your neighborhood?

If you’re interested in being a part of our expanding welcome ministry in this way, please come to our introductory meeting on **Sunday, February 10th** at 4:00 p.m. in the Parish Center to receive instructions and welcome packets that you can give out. Contact Tess Sousek with questions at 402-339-3285 or mtsousek@saintcolumbkille.org.
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 January 28th - February 8th. 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 January 28th – February 8th at spiritcatholicradio.com/superstar!

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

BAPTISM HOSPITALITY MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of people to help set up for Baptisms at Mass and greet families as they arrive to have their children baptized. Those who volunteer would be asked to serve 3-4 times throughout the year. If you are interested in learning more or volunteering your time, please contact Nicole Cook at ncook@saintcolumbkille.org or (402) 339-0990.

CHURCH TOUR

ADULT FORMATION OPPORTUNITY

Have you ever wondered what’s in that room behind that brick wall behind the altar? Or wanted to see the chalice used at Mass up close? Join us Wednesday, January 23rd at 7:00 pm in the church for a church tour. We’ll go through the church, learning the different names for the items used during liturgies and seeing all the pieces it takes to bring together liturgies at St. Columbkille.

FEMINISM MISUNDERSTOOD

By Jane Brennan

Journey into Truth

Jane Brennan shares her powerful story of abortion and her final conversion to the Catholic Church. Men and women alike will be moved as they listen to the reconciliation, healing, and hope Jane found in Christ and his Church.

Listen on formed.org

www.saintcolumbkille.formed.org
SACRED HEART PRESCHOOL

There are no preschool classes Monday, January 21st. Don’t forget Pajama Day on Thursday, January 24th and Friday, January 25th!

Sacred Heart Preschool

Religious Education Class Information
No Class: Monday, January 21st
Class: Wednesday, January 23rd

Sacrament of First Reconciliation
for all 2nd grade and RCIC-Communion students

Saturday, January 26th
Group 1: 10:00 am
Mon & Wed RE, Summer & RCIC-Communion students
Group 2: 12:30 pm
St. Columbkille School 2A & 2B

Parish Athletics

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

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.

WHAT’S NEXT?
Recreational Baseball 2019 Registration
Track 2019 Registration

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 6:30-8:00 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
22 aquariums across the country - including Omaha’s Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium - have come together to take action against the plastic pollution that’s endangering the health and habitats of aquatic animals. This is a complex problem, but there are simple actions we can take to help protect these incredible animals. And even a tiny change is a step in the right direction. Make your last straw the first step to plastic-free waters.

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

Parish Calendar

Monday, January 21
9:15 a.m. Senior Exercise (SH)
5:00 p.m. NO Religious Education Class (EdC)
7:00 p.m. Safety & Security Meeting (PO)

Tuesday, January 22
9:30 a.m. Zumba Fitness (SH)
6:00 p.m. Crusingers Concert (SH)
7:00 p.m. RCIA (PC)

Wednesday, January 23
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. American Heritage Girls (SH)
6:30 p.m. Youth Choir (SH)
7:00 p.m. Road to Emmaus Church Tour (C)

Thursday, January 24
6:00 a.m. That Man is You (PC)
8:00 a.m. Youth Frontiers (SH)
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 25
9:15 a.m. Line Dancing (SH)

Saturday, January 26
7:00 a.m. Yoga Fitness (PC)
9:00 a.m. Bible Study (Ed C)
9:30 a.m. Tai Chi (PC)
10:00 a.m. First Reconciliation (C)
12:30 p.m. First Reconciliation (C)

Sunday, January 27
3:00 p.m. Prayer Group (C)
6:00 p.m. Educational Trust Meeting (PO)

Knights of Columbus
Planning meeting is the third Tuesday each month; General Membership meeting is the fourth Tuesday each month. Meetings are at 7:15 pm in the Parish Center. All Knights are invited and welcome to attend both meetings. If you are interested in joining or want more information, please contact Brett Connot, Grand Knight, at 402-291-1206.

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 StColumbkillePapillon.

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.

Eucharistic Adoration
Spend an hour with the Lord in prayer! You are welcome to stop by the Adoration Chapel (behind the tabernacle) at any time. To sign up for a weekly Holy Hour, contact Anthony Flott at aflott@cox.net.
**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.

**GUATEMALAN MISSION TRIP**
The Archdiocese of Omaha began a mission project in 2003 called Ixim: Spirit of Solidarity. Trip #16 is being planned for summer 2019! If you would like to learn more, please attend the first Formation Session on Sunday, January 20th at 1:30 pm. at St. Frances Cabrini Parish Center. Questions? Call Ixim Director Charlie Petro at 402-934-7706 or visit www.ixim.org.

**H O P E A F T E R A B O R T I O N**
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

**G U I T H S A N D A R O U N D T H E A R C H D I O C E S E**

**PARISH GIFTS**
January 13th, 2019
Budgeted Weekly Operating Costs $50,390
Sunday Tithe - Collections ........................................ 25,412
Sunday Tithe - Online Giving (monthly) ......................
Sunday Tithe - Automatic Withdrawal ..................... 16,981
Children’s Collection .................................................. 384
Christmas ......................................................................... 25
Solemnity of Mary .................................................... 100
Immaculate Conception ............................................... 50
Sunday Tithe - Total .................................................. $42,952

Year-to-Date Budgeted Tithing ........................ 1,461,310
Year-to-Date Total Tithing ................................ 1,406,942
Year-to-Date Overage/(Shortfall) ...................... (54,368)

Other Collections:
Debt Reduction ....................................................... 565
Votive Lights .......................................................... 391
Building Rental ......................................................... 85
St. Columbkille Education Trust ......................... 110
St. Vincent de Paul ............................................... 625
Future Fund ........................................................ 621
Seminary .............................................................. 1,249

**A B L A Z E W O R S H I P N I G H T**
St. Mary’s Parish is excited to welcome Ablaze Worship Ministries to on Friday, January 25th, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Fr. Michael Voithofer and his team will lead a spirit-filled evening of prayer, music, and worship inspired by the words of Jesus in Luke 12:49 - “I have come to set fire to the earth and how I wish it were already ABLAZE!” All ages are encouraged to come.

**Y E L L O W R I B B O N S**
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
- A1C Anthony Connot
- A1C Joseph Connot

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.

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Preschool Registration

The 2019–2020 school year will mark the transition from Sacred Heart Preschool to St. Columbkille Preschool. While our new Parish Center is being built, preschoolers will move into a classroom in the main school building. Classes have a maximum of 15 children, staffed by a teacher and a teacher's aide.

Early registration for parish families is underway. A completed registration form and a non-refundable registration fee must be received in the school office by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 5 to be included in the early enrollment period. Look for registration forms, tuition information and session times on the parish website www.SaintColumbkille.org

Kindergarten Registration

- In order to register for kindergarten, your child must be 5 years old by July 31, 2019.
- Registration for current school families begins on Tuesday, February 5 (for registration purposes, Sacred Heart Preschoolers are considered current school families).
- Enrollment forms may be submitted at any time but must be received in the school office by the end of the day on February 22.
- Kindergarten Roundup, a day designed for our future kindergartners, will be held on Thursday, February 21 and Friday, February 22. All prospective kindergartners are invited to Roundup! Please call the office at 402-339-8706 to register your child for either Thursday OR Friday.
- A Kindergarten Roundup Parent Meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 18 at 6:30 PM in the school gym.
- New school families are required to pay a deposit of $250.00. The deposit will be applied to your tuition.
- To be considered for enrollment in our 2019–2020 Kindergarten class, please submit your Enrollment Form and deposit (if applicable) to the school office on or before Friday, February 22.