

Theology On Tap

Community as Missionary Disciples

Reflections from My Experience with Biking for Babies

August
3rd

Presented by Fr. Schukei

Rectory Backyard

7pm - Socializing

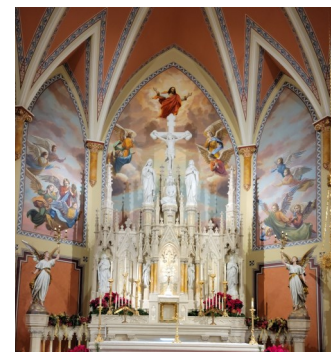
7:30pm - Talk

Come join us in the backyard of the rectory for some socializing, good
brews, and some theology! It is encouraged to bring your own
beverages, but there will also be some beverages provided.

Future Theology on Tap Dates

Possibly One More
Thursday in August
TBD

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.

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In Residence: Fr. Michael Ventre

CAO Aquinas Catholic Schools

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Parish App: text 'Stmaryccapp' to 833-245-6541

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

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's 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's 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

Aquinas 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's Cemetery: Ken Smith (367-3375)

Encounter/ CCD: Sr. Mary, MS (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@windstream.net

Knights of the Altar (altar servers)

Fr. Schukei (367-3579)

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

Lori Focher (543-2443)

Michelle Woolsey (539-2060)

Sharon Kovar (367-2646)

Perpetual Adoration Hours

Brenda Eller (367-3405) Bob Palik (367-4151)

RJ & Cortney Hein (270-0732) Dr. Jo Witter (450-6453)

St. Mary's Guild (funeral dinners)

Barb O'Connell (367-4042)

Scrap Metal: Kent Longenecker (367-4627)

Tom Reisdorff: (367-7968)

Traveling Chalice (Vocations)


Kathleen Deavers (367-8427)

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.

July 23, 2023 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - St. Mary’s Church, David City / Assumption, Appleton

MASS INTENTIONS 16TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME		
Mass Time	Intention	Requested By
Monday, July 24 - St. Sharbel		
6:20 AM	Michael & Bridget Flynn +	Kenealy Family
8:00 AM	NO MASS	
5:30 PM	Ian Willnerd	Gahan Family
Tuesday, July 25 - St. James the Apostle		
6:20 AM	Poor Souls +	Barb Belsky
8:00 AM	NO MASS	
5:30 PM	Don Howe +	Howe Family
Wednesday, July 26 - Saints Joachim & Anne		
6:20 AM	Jeremy & Bridgett Belsky	Randy Belsky Family
8:00 AM	NO MASS	
5:30 PM	Jason & Jessica Miller	Betty Betzen
Thursday, July 27		
6:20 AM	Estella Moulton	Dan Engel Family
8:00 AM	NO MASS	
5:30 PM	For Rain	
Friday, July 28		
6:20 AM	LaVerne Kozisek +	Mark Holoubek
8:00 AM	NO MASS	
5:30 PM	Jordan Wendt	Bryan Hein Family
Saturday, July 29 - St. Martha, Mary & Lazarus		
8:00 AM	Wilfred & Mary Vanderheiden +	Diane Enloe
Anticipated Mass for Sunday		
5:00 PM	John Muntz +	John Smith Family
Sunday, July 30 - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time		
8:00 AM	Pro Populo	For the People
9:00 AM Assumption	Adela & FE Jedlicka +	Karl Kovar Family
10:00 AM	Dennis Riha +	Aldeen Riha



Welcome New Parishioners:
Andra, Enrique, Dulce, Enrique, Aaron & Lexi Visoso
William Thorn
Albert “Bud” Divis
Cody, Alina & Gunner Strong

Remember to give thanks to Almighty God for the abundant rainfall we have received and to count our blessings!
July is traditionally dedicated to the Most Precious Blood. *Most Precious Blood of Jesus*, Save Us.

<i>“Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing.” Luke 6:38</i>	
ST. MARY’S - DAVID CITY - July 16, 2023	
Sunday Collection:	\$8,632.00
Weekly Budget (last year’s budget number)	\$15,351.00
Actual YTD (3 weeks): YTD SHORTAGE:	\$31,595.35 -\$14,457.65
ASSUMPTION - APPLETON	
Sunday Collection:	\$885.00
Weekly Budget (last year’s budget number)	\$1,238.00
Actual YTD (3 weeks): YTD SHORTAGE:	\$3650.00 -\$64.00

Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat Schedule:
Day for Dads: Saturday, July 29: Day of Reflection
Priest, Prophet, King: August 18-20: Fr. Adam Sughroue
FOR MORE RETREAT INFORMATION: call 402-786-2705.
St. Mary’s will pay half the cost - use code "SMDCHALF" when you register. To register or read more about the retreats, go to www.goodcounselretreat.org or email the retreat house at office@goodcounselretreat.org

Holy Hour Opening: Thursday, 6pm. Please come spend an hour with Our Lord.

Religious Sister of the Week: Please pray for young women to discern a vocation to the Sisterhood at the Franciscan Sisters of the Sorrowful Mother in Nebraska City.

Traveling Chalice will be in the Mark Masur household July 23 - July 29.

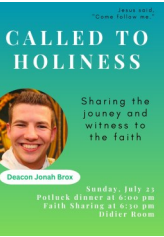
Brant Pitre Book Study: held in Didier room with 2 options:
Deacon Jonah Brox will lead the study on Sundays at 7:30 -8:30 p.m. on **July 23** in the Didier Room. He will cover two chapters per week. Please join him if you are able and **Fr. Connor** will lead his study on Tuesday, **August 1** at 7:30pm in the Didier Room. His other classes will be held on Tuesdays, August 8 & 15. All are invited!

- Future Funraising Events, put these dates on your calendar!**
- Garden of Eatin** stand is in the back of church, Donate your excess produce here, and/or take what you need. Free will donations appreciated!!
 - Free Family Pool Party Night:** **Sunday, July 23** from 8:30-10:00pm. Games, diving contest, etc. All are welcome!!
 - NEW: Parade of Churches** will be held on Sunday, **September 17th**. Watch the bulletin for more details.
 - Bohemian Tractor Pull:** **Friday, July 28** during the S-150 Town Celebration. Registration starts at 7pm, The Pull will be held at 7:30pm. Get your 4 person team ready. Also, help is needed to run this event. Call or text Deb at 402-270-1983.
 - Pickleball Tournament:** **Sunday, July 30** from 3-6pm. David City Auditorium. No entry fee, Registration: contact Fr. Brian Connor at fr.brian-connor@cdolinc.net or see attached flyer.
 - Chess Tournament:** **Sunday, July 30**, from 2-5pm, West end of City Park. No Entry Fee. Registration: Contact Fr. Brian Connor at fr.brian-connor@cdolinc.net or see attached flyer.

Come celebrate David City’s 150th Birthday on July 28, 29, & 30th and have some fun with the special events listed above.

*St. James the Apostle, pray for us.
Saint Anne and St. Joachim, pray for us.*

Liturgical Assignments: Weekend of July 29/30			
Mass	Acolytes	Lector / Reader	Servers
Saturday 5:00pm	Bryan Hein	Ann Heermann	Emmett Kadavy Brecken Romshek & Eli Janak
Sunday 8:00am	Spencer Zysset	Patty Vaca	Elijah Moulton Noah Polacek & Isaac Hoelscher
Sunday 10:00am	Paul Gahan Kevin Stara	Jim Novacek	Simon & Gus Grady Kyle Coufal & Landon Pohl



Called to Holiness: Deacon Jonah Brox will speak **Sunday, July 23** sharing his faith journey to the Catholic faith. Each installment will begin with a potluck dinner in the Didier Room at 6pm followed by the faith sharing of the given speaker at 6:30pm. All St. Mary’s and Assumption parishioners are invited to come and hear these amazing stories and conversion experiences.

Marriage Encounter: “Experiencing a heart-to-heart exchange inside our couple-love” Marriage Encounter Experience **Sept 22,-24** in Hastings. Call right away to reserve your spot. Space is limited. Contact Gary & Brenda Granger 303-604-6202.

Holy Land Pilgrimage: A pilgrimage to the Holy Land is a special time of spiritual journey for Christians. Join Fr. Rand of North Platte St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish for a Holy Land Pilgrimage. Leaving from Lincoln: **April 8-18, 2024**. Fr. Rand, who holds a degree in Travel & Tourism and Business, has worked with Tekton Ministries to make the trip more affordable and friendly to older pilgrims. To view the brochure, see pricing and learn more-visit TetkonMinistries.org and click view pilgrimages-scroll down to Holy Land April 8 from Lincoln and click view details.

Mass Intentions Reminders: suggested stipend, \$10 per soul, per Mass. Please make checks out to St. Mary’s or Assumption Church. We will do our best to schedule when requested or as close to the date as possible. It is also possible that some Masses may be sent out to priests requesting additional Masses to fill their schedules. Thank you for your understanding.

CAMPUS SAFETY-If you are a student moving away from home for the first time or the parents of a student, please join Genesis House and DC Police staff for a no-nonsense campus safety precaution review on Tuesday, August 8th at 6:30p.m. at the Library. There is no charge for this one hour presentation.

Aquinas Catholic Schools is looking for bus drivers for the 2023-2024 school season. Please contact Cliff Kovar at 402-367-3175 if you are interested.

St. Mary's Parishioners prepare and serve the evening meal at the Columbus Rescue Mission Homeless Shelter on the 1st Tuesday of every month. We need volunteers to provide all the fixings of a home cooked meal to those staying at the mission or coming in off the streets for a warm meal. Food for the meal is usually prepared at home by the providers and brought to St. Mary's Rectory by 4:00 pm. The servers then transport the food to the shelter, set up and serve from 5:30 to 6:30. If you would like to join this ministry in any way, please contact the parish office, Heather Oltmer or Kelly Koranda. We are always looking for more cooks and servers. Students can now earn service points for the school year. Please consider helping out those who are not as fortunate. Thank you!

July 2023 Assignments
St. Mary's Church Cleaners: St. Francis Circle
St. Mary's Cassock Cleaners: Vicki Hain & Beth Moulton
Assumption Cleaners: Mary Ann Svoboda & Jill Pokorny

Pastor’s Corner

Dear St. Mary’s Parishioners,

Last weekend was the Butler County Fair and that certainly had something for everyone. The last event that we took in was the parade as it came by the rectory. It is nice to see so many people that we know.

On Wednesday was the dedication of the new chapel in the new addition and remodel of *david place*. I learned that Vedder Senior Living owns *david place* and 32 other nursing homes in Nebraska. I met Jack Vedder (and several others from VSL) and congratulated and thanked him for his dedication and efforts to visibly improve the facilities. The new entrance, remodeled rooms, parking, landscaping, office spaces, gathering space, fitness area and chapel are very attractive. The chapel has nice stained-glass windows (came from a Catholic Church in Denison, Iowa), seating, lighting, vaulted ceiling and décor to make for a prayerful atmosphere. They have renovated two of the three residential wings and plan to complete the third wing and dining hall in the near future.

As you may know, we have Mass nearly every week at david place, St. Joseph’s Court and at the Villa. Usually, there are about a dozen people at each location. From my earlier years here, I know many of the residents. We are blessed in a small town to have such nice options for seniors.

I am going on vacation to Michigan this week. I will be with my brother and his family and hope to get in a lot of outdoor exercise. Now, that is the perfect segway to hear from my assistant. God bless you all, **FBC**

Assistant Pastor’s Corner

It is great to be back in Butler County after being gone for the week participating in Biking for Babies National Ride. Biking for Babies is a non-profit who’s mission is aimed at building and promoting a pro-life world and supporting pregnancy resource centers who do such great work serving women in the midst of unplanned pregnancies. I was on one of the eight routes across the country starting in Rochester, MN and ending in St. Louis, MO. After the 600+ mile ride through parts of MN, IA, IL, and MO I came to understand in a deeper way the great mission and impact Biking for Babies has for both the missionaries involved in riding the hundreds of miles, but also for those that they encounter along the way.

Participating in Biking for Babies National Ride was a great reminder that we all have our own unique gifts and talents which are not simply for ourselves, but for the greater glory of God and building up His kingdom by using them. It seems silly to think or say that I can use my gift of being able to bike long distances as a way to promote God’s Kingdom, but there is truth to it. So, what are your gifts and talents? And how are you using them to build up the Kingdom of God? If you would like to hear more about my experience or the work for Biking for Babies, come to the next Theology on Tap on August 3rd as it will be a part of our discussion for the evening.

In Christ,
Fr. Schukei