ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADULT EDUCATION / RCIA CLASS

Next Class -Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 7:00 pm St. Ann's Social Hall Learn what the Catholic Church teaches. Classes are recorded. The links may be found under "RCIA" on the St. Ann's website: www.stannsdoniphan.org.





Confessions will be offered 20 minutes before Daily Masses, Mon.-Thurs. starting Dec. 9 for the Year of Mercy.

Part Time Associate-St. Joseph Gift & Thrift Store

Primary responsibilities will include cashiering and pricing/stocking household items, antiques, clothing and furniture. Retail experience a plus. Some lifting may be involved. Position would be 20-24 hours a week with a flexible schedule. Wage negotiable. To apply, please pick up application at St. Joseph Gift & Thrift Store (325 W 2nd St, Hastings). No phone calls please.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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can be picked up in the vestibule.

Christmas Cards available in the back of church – free will offering.



THERE WILL BE NO DECEMBER COUNCIL MEETING

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

Please pick up your envelope for the **ANNUAL BAKELESS BAKE SALE.** This is the main fundraiser for the Altar Society. Extra

envelopes are available for non-Altar Society Members. Thank you for your generosity!

Altar Society will be collecting **baby items** for the Hastings Pregnancy Resource Center. A baby crib can be found in the vestibule where we will be collecting the baby items the whole month of December. Thank you for your contributions.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS



You may help purchase Christmas poinsettias to decorate the altar in memory of a loved one or in honor of someone living. Envelopes may be turned in at the office or placed in the regular collection. Please make checks payable to St. Ann's Altar Society.

CCD/CYO NEWS

FAMILY FORMATION/CCD/CYO CLASSES

Wednesday, Dec. 16 *5th-12th grade – 7:00 pm*

Teachers still needed:

5th Grade: 1 Teacher – 1st Wed of Month 7th/8th Grade: 1 helper: 1st, 2nd & 4th Wed. of month

3 Prayer Warriors needed - Pray for God's blessings for all families involved in religious instruction at St. Ann's. In church on 1^{st} Wed, of the Month for $\frac{1}{2}$ hour time slot.



St. Ann's Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. Joseph J. Faulkner

Third Sunday of Advent

December 13, 2015

202 N 5th Doniphan NE 68832 Mailing Address: P O Box 407 Office Phone: 402-845-2707 Social Hall: 402-845-2713 Father's Phone: 402-730-5262 stanns@cdolinc.net www.stannsdoniphan.org Rectory: 404 Cedar Office Hours: Mon-Thurs, 8:30-11:30 am



CONFESSIONS: Friday 5:30-5:50 pm; Saturday 3:00-3:50 pm

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS				
Monday (14th)	7:00 am	Erwin Lilienthal +		
Tuesday (15th)	7:00 am	Margaret Langan +		
Wednesday (16th)	7:00 am	Fr. Shane Tharp +		
Thursday (17th)	7:00 am	Carissa Poppe +		
Friday (18th)	6:00 pm	Marie Keefer+ / Ken Caraway +		
Saturday (19th)	4:00 pm	Marge Langan +		
Sunday (20th)	9:00 am	Pro Populo		



SATURDAY–Ministry Assignments December 19th – 4:00 pm				
READER / LECTOR	Pat O'Donnell			
HEAD SERVER	Grant Williams*			
SERVERS	Jayden DeVries / Volunteer			
MUSIC	Lucy Neneman			
GIFT BEARERS	Volunteers			
USHERS	Volunteers			

SUNDAY - Ministry Assignments				
December - 20th - 9:00 am				
ACOLYTE	Michael Bykerk			
READER / LECTOR	Katty Sinner			
SERVERS	Ambrose Bykerk			
	Braeden Mlinar / Tony Bykerk			
MUSICIAN	Kristen Semerad			
GIFT BEARERS/GREETERS	Jody LaBrie / JoAnne Lambert			
USHERS	Volunteers			
Rosary before Mass 8:40 am	Celeste Ley			

STEWARDSHIP: (12/6/15)

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Adult:	\$1484.00	Weekly Budget:	\$2,254.81
Plate:	\$141.00	YTD Budget:	\$51,860.63
Children:	\$2.54	YTD Actual:	\$50,411.80
Building:	\$260.00	YTD Surplus/(Shortfall)	(\$1448.83)
TOTAL:	\$1887.54		

Thank you for your donation!

Immaculate Conception Donations: \$219.00

JOY OF THE GOSPEL 3rd QUARTER REBATE – \$9081.96 Thank you for honoring your pledges!

PLEASE PRAY FOR THIS WEEK"S DIOCESAN VOCATIONS:

Douglas Daro is a Theology 2 student at Mount St. Mary Seminary. He is from David City, NE.

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PARISH COUNCIL MEETING – will be held on Monday, Dec. 14 at 7:00 pm.

NEEDED: Someone with a woodburning stove or burn pile to dispose of the 2015 Missalettes. Please contact the office if willing to help in this area.

CHRISTMAS PENANCE SERVICES

St. Ann's – 2:00 p.m. – Sunday, Dec. 20 (2 priests available) St. Michael's – 4:00 p.m. – Sunday, Dec. 20 (Several priests)

Christmas Mass Schedule

Thursday – December 24th 5:00 p.m. – Sacred Heart

Friday – December 25th Midnight Mass – St. Ann's Friday – December 25th 9:00 a.m. Mass – St. Ann's

Mary, Mother of God Mass Schedule Thursday – December 31st 5:00 pm - Sacred Heart

Thursday – December 31st 6:30 p.m. – St. Ann's Friday– January 1st 9:00 a.m. - St. Ann's

> **TEMPORARY THURSDAY OFFICE HOURS** 7:30 am – 9:30 am

"A humble soul does not trust itself, but places all its confidence in God." - St. Faustina

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join Ann's Choir in singing praises to God.



The Choir will sing at Midnight Mass on Friday, Dec. 25. Practices will be on Wednesdays: Dec. 16 and Dec. 23 at 6:00. New members are welcome!

Altar Server Banquet

When: January 10th, 2016 @ 5pm Where: Parish Hall Why: To thank our Altar Servers for their service!!! What: Pizza, drinks, dessert, and table service provided Prizes will be drawn Please RSVP to me by January 6th, 2016 Christine Quist- 402-984-8110 or <u>criquist@gmail.com</u>

Turkeys and Hams for Holiday Food Baskets

Catholic Social Services is asking for 5 lbs. hams and 12-15 lbs. turkeys to include in our holiday food baskets. These will be given to struggling families and elderly who want to prepare a holiday meal in their home.



Please drop off any meat donation to Catholic Social Services at 333 West 2nd Street during regular office hours.

<u>St. Cecilia Health Ministry</u> Annual Fundraiser Banquet

Saturday, Jan. 9, 2016 Lochland Country Club Social Hour-Cash Bar– 6:30 p.m. Dinner and Program – 7:00 p.m. Please return RSVP to *St. Cecilia Catholic Church Health Ministry*

Hastings, NE 68901-0792



_____ I am able to attend. Enclosed is my check for ______ tickets at \$75 per ticket ______ I am unable to attend. Enclosed is my donation of \$ ______ in support of St. Cecilia Health Ministry.

Make checks payable to St. Cecilia Catholic Church - Health Ministry

Please select one entrée per guest:

Chicken Florentine Bacon Wrapped Filet Mignon Atlantic Grilled Salmon

All entrées are served with a cranberry salad, rosemary roasted red potatoes, warm dinner rolls with butter and a Lemon Tiramisu for dessert.