Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In their synagogue was a man with an unclean spirit; he cried out, “What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God!” Jesus rebuked him and said, “Quiet! Come out of him!”

-Mk 1:23-25

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 27 & 28, 2018

HOLY GHOST
5219 S. 53RD ST ∙ OMAHA, NE 68117

MASS SCHEDULE
Tuesday & Thursday:
7:00 am
Saturday:
5:00 pm
Sunday:
7:30 am and 10 am

CONFessions:
Saturdays:
4 pm—4:45 pm

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am-4 pm, Closed for lunch 12-1 pm
Parish Office: (402) 731-3176

PARISH PERSONNEL
Pastor: Rev. William E. Sanderson
Secretary: Carrie Kaczmarek—Parish Secretary@holystomahoa.org
Maintenance: Jeff Belling
Director of Rel. Ed: Mitzi Taylor—(402) 731-5174
Athletic Director: Chad Gann—(402) 953-6950—chad74@cox.net
Trustees: John Martinez and Jerry Koraleski

PARISH COUNCIL
President: Tony Widhalm
Vice-President: Diane Quaiver
Secretary: Mike Philbrick
Treasurer: Lacey Merica

DEACON CUPLES
Tom & Kathy Schulte—(402) 731-3599
Paul & Jackie Eubanks—(402) 932-8533
Al & Terri Aulner—(402) 734-4557

ST. STANISLAUS
4002 “J” STREET ∙ OMAHA, NE 68107

MASS SCHEDULE
Monday, Wednesday, Friday:
8:00 am
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am and 10:30 am

CONFESSIONS:
Saturdays:
4 pm—4:45 pm
Mon., Wed., & Fri. before Mass

Office Hours
Monday-Thursday: 8:00am-4pm, Friday: 8:00am-3:00pm
Closed for lunch 12-1 pm
Rectory/Parish Office: (402) 731-4152

PARISH PERSONNEL
Pastor: Rev. William E. Sanderson
Deacons: Mr. Daniel Saniuk and Mr. James Staroski
Secretary: Mrs. Patricia R. Vasquez—pvvasquez@archomaha.org
Grounds Maintenance & Sacristy: Mr. Mark Dusovic

BAPTISM: Please call the rectory.

MARRIAGE: Call the Pastor no less than 6 months in advance of the date of marriage. One party must be a currently registered parishioner attending St. Stanislaus for at least 1 year prior to the date of the marriage.

St. Stanislaus Parish Mission Statement
We the people of Saint Stanislaus Parish, pledge to remain a cornerstone of Catholic faith in South Omaha by sharing the responsibility for implementing the vision of Jesus and for passing it on to our children and theirs.
ststanislauschurchofomaha@gmail.com
I will be leaving for a week’s vacation on Tuesday, January 30. I will be traveling to Turks-Caicos with Bishop Paul Sirba of Duluth, MN (whom I have known since before he was a seminarian) and two other priests. We like to go someplace warm before Ash Wednesday. As it turns out Fr. Lewis will also be gone some of the same days. He will cover the Masses or funerals on the days he is available. The weekend schedule for Masses is also covered. In my absence and that of Fr. Lewis there are three priests available to cover emergency calls and funerals.

Thank you to the Holy Ghost Men’s Club for purchasing the new steam table in the church hall. It is overdue, much more functional than the old one that could no longer be repaired after ?? years? This will help all of our parish dinners run more smoothly.

What’s Happening in Poland?

“Marches of the 3 Kings” Draws 1.2 Million: Under the motto “God is for everyone”, 1.2 million Poles in more than 660 cities and towns in Poland and abroad joined in the March of the Three Kings. This year’s event was accompanied by fundraising “Kings for the East”, the income from which will be delivered to cultural and educational institutions operating beyond the eastern border as well as in Poland for the benefit of the eastern citizens.

This March of the Three Kings was one of the largest events in the year of celebrating the 100th anniversary of Poland’s regaining independence. The March’s songbook contained 14 Polish Christmas carols with their history. Participants of the Warsaw March danced at the Pilsudski Square the Polonaise to the carol “God is born”, which referred to the 100th anniversary of regaining independence. The President of the Republic of Poland, Andrzej Duda, took part in the Warsaw March for the third time.

This year, the Three Kings were not only representatives of three continents, but also of three generations: the young, those with families, and seniors.

The biggest March of the Three Kings passed through the streets of Warsaw already for the tenth time. Traditionally, it started at Castle Square. Each of the Kings traveled differently to Bethlehem: the African King on a camel, the Asian King on a platform and the King of Europe on a throne placed on a rickshaw. The March was accompanied by alpacas led on a leash by children. The colorful March proceeded to Pilsudski Square, where the Kings bowed down and handed the gifts to the Infant Jesus.

“Jesus Christ is the center. We are going to the crib, we are going to bow down to Christ. The second feature is openness. This is an apolitical event, we invite everyone. This is a peaceful walk, full of fun. It’s a theatre, dances, music, a beautiful colorful show”, explained the idea of the March its Piotr Gierytch.

Food for Thought: “The birth of Christ changed the concept of time, as He became the ‘central point’ of time, but the fundamental question for each person: ‘Is Christ also the center of my life?’”

Capuchin Father Raniero Cantalamessa

Please prayerfully consider remembering our parish with a payable on death designation on your investment/brokerage account.

• with a payable on death designation on your certificates of deposit.
• with a payable on death designation on your savings account.
• with a life estate agreement on your home

For assistance contact Ron Worthington, Estate Planning Officer in the Archdiocese of Omaha, at (402) 557-5650 Ext. 1901.

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intention for February:

Evangelization: Religious Minorities in Asia: That Christians, and other religious minorities in Asian countries, may be able to practice their faith in full freedom.

Fr. Sanderson

Catholic Directories News

Religious Education Class is
Wednesday Jan 31st from 6:30pm—7:45pm.

Yes, I would like to become a member of:

☐ St. Stanislaus  ☐ Holy Ghost

Please circle one

Mr./Mrs./Miss/Ms. ____________________________
Address ____________________________
City ____________________________ State ______
Zip ____________________________
Phone (H) ____________________________ (W) ____________________________

Please drop in the collection basket.
**ST. STANISLAUS NEWS**

**MEN'S CLUB  SUPER BOWL CHILI FEED 2018**

When: Saturday, February 3rd  
4pm to 8pm  
and  
Sunday February 4th  
11am to 1pm

Beer and Soda available.  
TAKE OUT IS AVAILABLE both days.

Where: School social hall  
Menu: All you can eat homemade chili, Enchiladas from El’ Bee’s, Tamales, Hot Dogs and homemade desserts.  
All beverages: Pop, Beer (Saturday only), and water come with the meal.

We are NO LONGER collecting HY-VEE receipts. Please continue to bring in Box Tops, Our Family UPC labels, and Family Fare.

**COMMUNITY NEWS/REFLECTION**

**Hospice Volunteer Education—March 2018**

Hospice Volunteers provide companionship for individuals living with terminal illnesses and their families. Volunteers choose the hours they are able to serve and determine the geographical location in metro Omaha/Council Bluffs and surrounding area. Volunteer education will take place in March and is sponsored by CHI Health at Home Hospice, Methodist Hospice, VNA Hospice, and Hospice House—The Josie Harper Residence. Please call one of the agencies below to request an application. Space is limited.

VNA Hospice: Celeste Feuerbach 402-930-4143  
Methodist Hospice: Roz Merrick 402-354-3200  
CHI Health/Home Hospice: Mary Pendell 402-989-8239  
Hospice House: Brittany Dymm 402-343-8600

**Support for People with Cancer and Their Caregivers:** Did you ever notice how cardiac and stroke patients are offered a rehabilitation program to help them get well again but that there is nothing for folks with cancer? Now there is. **A Time to Heal** is a non-profit foundation that offers FREE classes for people affected by cancer and their caregivers:


2) **Ongoing support groups** for people who have recurrent or metastatic cancer.

For more information or to enroll: [www.atth.org](http://www.atth.org), email us at info@atth.org, or call 402-401-6083. Classes are FREE.

**Magnificat-Omaha invites area women** to a Brunch with Dr. Mary Healy on Saturday, February 24th from 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM at St. Robert Bellarmine Church Mainelli Center. Mary will share her faith journey and a message from her newest book, Healing: Bringing the Gift of God’s Mercy to the World. Cost: $20. Reservations Required by 2/17/18. Go to [www.MagnificatOmaha.org](http://www.MagnificatOmaha.org) or email Magnificatomaha@gmail.com. Or Contact Terri Aulner 402-734-4557.

**Word of Life:** If a friend confided in you tomorrow that she had an abortion, would you be able to respond in a way that brings her closer to healing? Learn what to do and say in “How to Talk to a Friend Who’s Had an Abortion”: [www.bit.ly/friend-had-abortion](http://www.bit.ly/friend-had-abortion). USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities “How to Talk to a Friend Who’s Had an Abortion.”

**Stewardship Reflection:** “Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties.” - 1 Corinthians 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word “pray” instead of the word “worry” in the future.
Tags for the Raffle Baskets for the June Jamboree can be found hanging on the walls in church. If you are able to help out please take a tag. If you have an idea for a $25 basket you would like to donate please contact Carrie in the parish office 402-731-3176. Thank you!

Thank you to everyone that donated their time, desserts or joined us for the Chicken Dinner. We had a record breaking dinner, serving 434 meals. We raised $2,363.03 for the parish.

Please join us Sunday, February 11, following 10am Mass in the Social Hall (We will plan to eat at 11:30.) Please bring your favorite meat, jello, fruit, pasta salad, or devilled eggs to share. The Women’s Club will provide dessert.

Your kind RSVP would be appreciated by Friday, February 9th so that we can have a place setting for you. Any questions or to RSVP Marita can be reached at 402-677-2310. If you need a ride, please let someone know and we can pick you up and take you home.

Congratulations to Zoey Huckins who received Honor Roll status at Duchesne Academy for the 2nd Quarter!
MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, January 27
5:00 pm † Genevieve Swatek
Sunday, January 28
8:00 am † Florian Milczki
10:30 am People of St. Stanislaus and Holy Ghost

Masques and Holy Ghost
Saturday, February 3
5:00 pm † Genevieve Swatek
Sunday, February 4
8:00 am † Florian Milczki
10:30 am People of St. Stanislaus and Holy Ghost

LITURGICAL ROLES

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Saturday, February 3
5:00 pm Tony/Terrie Martin
Sunday, February 4
8:00 am Maura Duffy/M Kinsella
10:30 am S Walls/B Adam

Lectors
Saturday, February 3
5:00 pm Lisa Borer
Sunday, February 4
8:00 am Mike Miller
10:30 am Stephen Walls

Mass Servers
Saturday, February 3
5:00 pm Victoria/Amanda Placzek
Sunday, February 4
8:00 am Grant/Trevor Harvat
10:30 am M Nowak/J DeGeorge

JANUARY 21 COLLECTION—THANK YOU!
ADULTS........................................ $ 3,871.00
YOUNG ADULTS.............................. $ 6.00
CHILDREN..................................... $ 0.00
PLATE........................................... $ 338.00
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS.................. $ 156.00
FUEL.......................................... $ 221.00

HOLY GHOST

MASSES THIS WEEK

Saturday, January 27
5:00 pm † Larry Rudol Sr. – Paul & Peggy Stoysich
Sunday, January 28
7:30 am † Esther Polityka – SVDP
10:00 am † Mary Whitney – Henry & Janice Whitney
Tuesday, January 30
7:00 am † Margaret Brick – Mary Fenton
Thursday, February 1
7:00 am COMMUNION SERVICE ONLY

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, February 3
5:00 pm † Sally Krance – Family
Sunday, February 4
7:30 am † Tom Farrell – Margaret Nicola
10:00 am † Sophie Johnson – Family

LITURGICAL ROLES

Saturday, February 3, 5:00 pm
Sacristan: Nellie Hadley
Lector: Deb Ray
EMHC: M Martinez, K Smith, M Townley, K Tweedy
Altar Server: A Baber, Z Baber, C Rodriguez
Gift Bearer: Dee Hurlbut and Melissa Morford
Greeter: Phyllis McIntosh

Sunday, February 4, 7:30 am
Sacristan: Cathy Colgan
Lector: Frank Barone
EMHC: B Neal, T Riskowski, M Savine
Altar Server: Mark Mapes
Gift Bearer: Mike and Pat Makara
Greeter: Larry Dyer

Sunday, February 4, 10:00 am
Deacon: Al Aulner
Sacristan: Terri Aulner
Lector: Sarah Aulner
EMHC: C Kaczmarek, R Sempek, G Sempek,
D Steffensmeier
Altar Server: I Beach, J Kaczmarek, J Taylor
Gift Bearer: Rey and Teresita Ventenilla
Greeter: Ann Thompson

WEEKLY OFFERINGS—JANUARY 21, 2018
(NEW FISCAL YEAR BEGAN JULY 1, 2017)

Weekly Needs......................... $ 4,275.00
Collection................................. $ 3,095.00
Automatic Withdrawal............... $ 0.00
YTD Needs............................. $ 128,250.00
YTD Collection...................... $ 129,942.01
Overage............................... $ 1,692.01