

**PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE WEEK**

For the sick: Joyce Cockerill, Kathy Ewing, Pauline Washtek, Helen Stepanek, Robert Weiler, Stella Buris, Edith Kantor, Frank Riha, Carolyn Reiling, Mike Dougherty, Amy Green, Mary Beth Grundman, JoAnn Ostransky

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES IN THE PARISH**

Monday, Apr. 30, Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.  
 Tuesday, May 1, K of C Mtg. 7 p.m.  
 Wednesday, May 2, RE, 6 p.m. & 7 p.m.

**WEEKLY MINISTERS****SATURDAY, MAY 5, 5:00 P.M.**

Lectors: Marla Kildow-Linda Christensen  
 EMHC: Deacon Christensen-Connie Middleton-JoAnn Shepler  
 Servers: Brooke Karnik-Sabrina Starks  
 Greeters: Al Thibault-Frank Kolar  
 Music: Sue Smith-Kathy Kaiser-Brenda Jones

**SUNDAY, MAY 6, 9:00 A.M.**

Lectors: Teresa Belter-Kathy Biernbaum  
 EMHC: Don Siner-Leigh Ann Amerine-Joe Boro  
 Servers: Weston Pratt-Isaiah Cacka  
 Greeters: Phil White-Tom Svagera  
 Music: Junior Choir-Candy Connery

**MOWER SCHEDULE**

Week of April 30 thru May 5  
 Steve Murphy

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

April 21 & 22	\$ 4448.50
Educational Bldg. Fund	\$ 375.00

**MOWERS NEEDED!**

Please sign up for mowing. If every physically able person signed up once, no one would have to do it repeatedly. It only requires one time a week so your efforts would be appreciated. Please help keep our grounds as beautiful as our church.

**MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST**

The Knights of Columbus will host the annual Mother's Day Breakfast May 13th immediately after 9:00 Mass. All parishioners are invited to attend

**VFW BREAKFAST**

Springfield VFW Post 9558 extends an invitation to join them for the monthly community breakfast. Held at the Legion Hall in Springfield, breakfast is served from 8:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. the last Sunday of the month from October through April. This Sunday, April 29, is the last one for this season. The cost is \$6.50 (\$5 for breakfast and a donation of \$1.50) for adults and kids aged 5 to 12 eat for \$3.00. The breakfast includes pancakes, French toast, scrambled eggs, hash browns, ham and sausage (links and patties. Also included is coffee, orange juice and milk.

**K OF C MEETING**

Knights of Columbus May meeting will be held in the Social Hall at 7:00 PM on Tuesday May 1st.

**SEND A CARD**

Helen Stepanek has been moved to the Life Care Center in Elkhorn. If you would care to send a card to her, the address is Life Care Center of Elkhorn, 20275 Hopper St., Elkhorn, NE 68022.

**RELIGIOUS LIFE NOT FOR THE FAINT OF HEART**

The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration, the makers of your communion hosts, invite single women, ages 18 - 47, who are considering religious life, to attend a week long Summer Monastic Experience at their monastery in Tuscon, AZ on May 24 - 30 or in Clyde, MO on June 30 - July 7. Experience life in a contemplative monastery, learn about discernment and prayer, and meet others who are discerning a call to religious life. For more information visit our website at [www.benedictinesisters.org](http://www.benedictinesisters.org) and click on *Come and See* under Vocations. To register: contact Sr. Ruth Starman at 660-944-2221, ext. 127 or e-mail: [vocation@benedictinesisters.org](mailto:vocation@benedictinesisters.org).

**TOTUS TUUS**

Totus Tuus (Totally Yours) is a summer catechetical program for children and youth. The Archdiocese gathers together college students and seminarians onto teams of four (two men and two women) and sends them out to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ in various parishes. St. Joseph's is one of the parishes this year that will be hosting Totus Tuus from June 16-22 and we are in need of two host families (one for the men and one for the women.) We need host families that are willing to provide a place for them to sleep, a morning continental breakfast, dinner, and possibly snacks to refuel (the church will help pay for food.) Housing of the team members takes place from their arrival Saturday afternoon/evening until their departure the following Friday Evening or Saturday morning. If you are interested in being a host family, please contact Father Gutowski or Sherry Huntwork at 402-253-2949.