

# ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

## FEBRUARY 5, 2012

*Congratulations to our Academic All-Stars*  
*And to all our St. Robert's students for their Academic achievements!*  
**Honors Listing from reporting Schools for First Semester 2011 ~ 2012**

**BURKE HIGH SCHOOL** High Honors: Samantha Etheredge

**CREIGHTON PREP** First Honors:

Benjamin Barrett  
 Sean Dowd  
 Peter Kiscoan  
 Nathan Matt  
 John Ratz  
 Mitchell Walker

John Patrick Barrett  
 Michael Emodi  
 Michael Koch  
 Nicholas Mullen  
 Laurence Rossi  
 Nolan Winkelbauer

Andrew Baumer  
 Ross Finocchiaro  
 Jackson Koehler  
 John Mulligan  
 Drew Rodriguez

Cameron Bessmer  
 Andrew Goddard  
 Benjamin Lueders  
 Kevin Prince  
 Vincent Sichmeller

Jacob Davis  
 Patrick Kirby  
 Joseph Mathew  
 Ryan Pritchard  
 Mark Stockdale

Second Honors:

Peter Bertolini  
 Joseph Franco  
 Alexander Knudson  
 Paul Moser  
 Thomas Pritchard  
 John-Henry Theisen

Kurt Bower  
 Robert Frederes  
 John Ludeman  
 Patrick Morrison  
 Joseph Rudino  
 Nicholas Vipond

Eric Drustrup  
 Peter Furlow  
 Jacob Mattern  
 Patrick Mulligan  
 Mitchell Rudloff  
 Connor Walz

Miles Fitzsimmons  
 Spencer Grant  
 Peter Miller  
 Thomas Owens  
 Benjamin Searl

Louis Floersch  
 William Hoy  
 Peter Monahan  
 Samuel Pickett  
 Nicholas Searl

**DANIEL GROSS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL** Honors: Kyle Kuncel

**DUCHESNE ACADEMY** Highest Honors:

Claire Blumel

Kelly Brooks

Callister Carson

Emily Dickas

Margaret Owens

High Honors:

Taylor Anderson  
 Hannah Lingo

Cayla Carson  
 Brenna Longacre

Mary Costello  
 Emily O'Donnell

Catherine Hasterlo  
 Anna Reed

Emily Knuth  
 Natalie Taylor

Honors:

Victoria Baltimore  
 Anna Knuth

Kaitlin Belitz  
 Lauren Longacre

Shannon Foley  
 Lauren Mohatt

Kathryn Goddard  
 Melissa Podjenski

Mary Hoy

**MARIAN HIGH SCHOOL**

Katherine Belitz  
 Grace Dickerson  
 Jennifer Juerk  
 Gabriella Martinez-Garro  
 Nicki Ohlinger  
 Sarah Townsend  
 Sydney Wolf

Kristin Belitz  
 Megan Frederes  
 Claire Koory  
 Erin McClellan  
 Katherine Pallesen  
 Kelly Weiler  
 Carolyn Zuegner

Laura Burnett  
 Sara Greisch  
 Chloe Kutilek  
 Alexa Moore  
 Lauren Pedersen  
 Lauren Williams

Maria Casey  
 Amelia Hansen  
 Morgan Leatherman  
 Sarah Mullen  
 Anna Pope  
 Amanda Wolf

Kara Chapman  
 Marley Hook  
 Katlyn Martin  
 Kara Murphy  
 Ann Skradski  
 Hailey Wolf

**MERCY HIGH SCHOOL** First Honors:

Second Honors:

Emma Justice  
 Nicholle Ramsey

Julia McKinley

Monica Schroll

**MILLARD NORTH HIGH SCHOOL**

Thomas Ryan

Seanna Block

**RONCALLI CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ~ High Honors:** Mary Jo Carney Bailey Preston

**V.J. & ANGELA SKUTT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL**

First Honors:

John Arkfeld  
 Michael Pieper

Brianna Desa  
 Brenna Rossi

Danielle Desa

Molly Krause

James Pieper

Second Honors:

Savannah Adams  
 Matthew Miner

Nicholas Bundy  
 Kaitlyn Peterson

Scott Friend  
 Meara Sedlak

Lucas Kopietz  
 Nathan Schmidt

Ryan McKeever  
 Andrew Wright

# PARISH DIRECTORY

## PARISH STAFF

**Pastor**..... Father Donald Shane

**Associate Pastor** .....Fr. Michael Voithofer

**Weekend Celebrant**.....Fr. Andy Alexander, S.J.

**Deacons** .....

Thomas Murphy, Larry Sampier, Michael Fletcher  
Jack Miller, and Joe Laird

**Parish Secretary** .....Barb Borgeson

**Parish Receptionist** .....Mary Stevens

**Coordinator Parish Events & Activities**.....Dick Bené

**Director of Liturgy** .....Veronica Fareri

**Principal of St. Robert's School**.....Sandra Suiter

**Director of Religious Education**

**And Youth Ministry** .....Debbie Marcil

**Business Manager**..... Dennis Zimmerman

**Director of Stewardship**.....Mary Buttell

## WEBSITE

To add/change information go to: [strweb@stroberts.com](http://strweb@stroberts.com).

## BULLETIN

SEND ITEMS TO:

BULLETINS@STROBERTS.COM AND BARBB@STROBERTS.COM.

## OFFICES

Parish (11802 Pacific St.) ..... 402-333-8989

School (11900 Pacific St.)..... 402-334-1929

Religious Education (11900 Pacific St.)..... 402-333-1959

Extended Care (11802 Pacific St.)..... 402-334-4842

FAX (Church) ..... 402-333-5489

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**February 5, 2012**

**Sunday:** Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

**Monday:** 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56

**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13

**Wednesday:** 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23

**Thursday:** 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30

**Friday:** 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37

**Saturday:** 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10

**Next Sunday:** Lv 13:1-2, 44-46/1 Cor 10:31-11:1/Mk 1:40-45



When it was evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were ill or possessed by demons. The whole town was gathered at the door. He cured many who were sick with various diseases, and he drove out many demons, not permitting them to speak because they knew him. - Mk 1:32-34

# PARISH INFORMATION

## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday ..... 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. (vigil)

Sunday.....7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

Weekday ..... 6:30, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

## DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Adoration ..... 24 hours

In the Adoration Chapel

Nocturnal Adoration ..... 10:00 p.m. - 6:45 a.m. on Saturday

before the first Sunday of the month

Perpetual Help.....Tuesday after the 8:30 a.m. Mass

Rosary ..... Monday-Friday 7:55 a.m.

## CONFESSIONS

Saturdays..... 4:00-5:30 and 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Thursday (before 1<sup>st</sup> Friday)...4:30-5:30 and 7:00-8:00 p.m.

## BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 1:30 p.m. We are happy to make special arrangements to baptize any time to accommodate your family. To make arrangements, please call the parish office at 402-333-8989.

## MARRIAGES

A date must be set at least eight months before the wedding.

If either party is under 19, more notice must be given.

## SICK CALLS

Communion calls will be made to those confined at home.

Notify the priests at once in case of serious illness.

The priests will visit members of the parish in the hospital if informed of their confinement.

## PERPETUAL ADORATION

### ADORERS NEEDED:

**Sunday: 2 - 3 a.m.**

Joann Holtz - 402-630-2702 ~ [jholtz6@cox.net](mailto:jholtz6@cox.net)

**Monday:**

Joan Hautzinger - 402-445-0303

**Tuesday: 4 - 5 a.m.**

Suzie Lawler - 402-492-9749

**Thursday: 2 - 3 a.m.**

Beth Jareske - 402-431-0505

**Friday: 8 - 9 a.m.**

Regina Minton - 402-333-7274

Kate Brennan - 402-333-6086

**Saturday: 8 - 9 p.m.**

Cathy Piotrowski - 402-333-9333

*Come spend this hour with Me.*

*Substitutes always welcome.*



**Pray for  
Our Nation**

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
For the Week of  
**February 6 through February 12**

**Monday**

6:30 a.m. William Bilek ~ *Special Intention*  
8:30 a.m. † Sam Maggio  
5:30 p.m. † Steve Renteria

**Tuesday**

6:30 a.m. † Mary Lou Budz  
8:30 a.m. Catholic Daughters  
Living & Deceased  
5:30 p.m. † Mary Boylan

**Wednesday**

6:30 a.m. † Pat Augustine  
8:30 a.m. † Don Cavaleri  
*Unit Mass*  
5:30 p.m. † Leonard Kerasek ~ *Anniversary*

**Thursday**

6:30 a.m. † Don & Nadine McCormick  
8:30 a.m. † Sam Conti  
*All School Mass*  
5:30 p.m. † Charles & Rose Rush

**Friday**

6:30 a.m. † Walter Spanheimer  
8:30 a.m. † George Miller ~ *Anniversary*  
5:30 p.m. † Tony & Tina Cavaleri

**Saturday**


8:30 a.m. Blazek Family ~ *Special Intention*  
2:00 p.m. *Wedding: Bill Ryland & Sarah Trimble*  
4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. *Confessions*

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:30 p.m. † **Winton Redding ~ Anniversary**  
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. *Confessions*

**Sunday**

7:00 a.m. † **John Wingender ~ Anniversary**  
8:00 a.m. People of St. Robert's  
9:30 a.m. † Peggy Johnson  
11:00 a.m. † Mary Palais  
12:30 p.m. † John Grasso  
3:00 p.m. *Confirmation*

Wedding  Banns

**III Bill Ryland & Sarah Trimble**

**Confirmation**

Archbishop Lucas will be present on Sunday, **February 12**, to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on 105 of our 8<sup>th</sup> Grade and High School Youth. If there are any adults who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please join us and receive this Sacrament that is the adult response to receiving the Holy Spirit and a public profession of faith to be a disciple of Jesus according to our Roman Catholic Tradition. You will need to attend a meeting with Fr. Don at the Parish Office on **Wednesday, February 8, at 7:00 p.m.** Please call the Religious Education Office at 402-333-1959 to register.



**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**Our Sick Short Term** Ed VanAckeren

**Long Term:** Jack Wadzinski, Jean Bauldwin, Bob Cripe, Marty & Robert Scheibhofer, Samuel Ancona, Bill McEvoy, Kathleen McEvoy, Fr. Mel M, Ann Peterson, Catherine L, Donna Hoing, Debra Pham, Michael Lynne, Al Ihnen, Pam, Marjorie Boulden, Kathleen Scheibhofer, Kenneth Ohlinger, Gerald O'Donnell, Mary Boeding, Dennis Jonas, Robin C, Patricia McGovern Eilene Boettcher, Amy K, Eileen Jones, Janet Farha, Mary Clark, Shirley Franzen, Jane Harwood, Jean & Dean Rowe, Dawn Alter, Patricia Hobbs, Ann L, Janet Witson, Daniel Grant, Van Yuetter, Kristi F, Lauren F, Dick Bene, Casey Knight, Melissa Holm, Gerald Toohey, Doug H, Molli Gerstner Surdell, Eleanor McHale, Joshua, Cathy Smith, Jim Henn and all those who are in need of our prayers.

To place names on the prayer list call the parish office at 402-333-8989. Submit names by Monday p.m. to be in the following Sunday's bulletin.

**Our Deceased**

**Peggy Johnson, sister of Patti Miller**

**THIS WEEK EVENTS ~ FEBRUARY 5 TO FEBRUARY 12**

Sunday, February 5 ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Times

Donut Sunday following 7, 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Masses

Pantry Sunday

Super Bowl Sunday

5:00 p.m. ACT Prep, Meeting Room #3

**Monday, February 6**

9:15 a.m. Heart Of Jesus Prayer Group, Guild Rooms

1:00 p.m. Prayer Group

7:00 p.m. Bible Study ~ Youth Group, Community Room

**Tuesday, February 7**

6:00 p.m. Parish Youth Catholic Formation, Meeting Room #1

6:00 p.m. Five-Day School Committee, Meeting Room #2

7:00 p.m. Total Education Board, Meeting Room #2

7:30 p.m. Catholic Daughters, Meeting Room #3

8:00 p.m. Election Committee, Meeting Room #2

**Wednesday, February 8**

6:00 a.m. 'That Man is You' (Men's), Mainelli Center

7:00 p.m. Youth Group, Community Room

7:00 p.m. RCIA, Mainelli Center

7:00 p.m. Home / School, Meeting Room #2

**Thursday, February 9**

9:00 a.m. ENDOW ~ Letter to Women, Community Room

9:15 a.m. Circle #3, Mainelli Center

9:30 a.m. Bible Study, Meeting Room #3

2:45 p.m. STAC, Meeting Room #2

5:45 p.m. Brownies (2nd Grade), Meeting Room #2

7:30 p.m. Bible Study, Meeting Room #1

**Friday, February 10**

7:00 a.m. Friday Morning Prayer Group, Meeting Room #1

8:00 a.m. Confirmation Retreat, Mainelli Center

9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary, Meeting Room #1

7:45 p.m. Adult Volleyball, East Gym

**Saturday, February 11**

7:00 a.m. Bible Study, Guild Room

8:00 a.m. ENDOW ~ Stein, Community Room

**Sunday, February 12 ~ 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Times**

3:00 p.m. Confirmation

7:00 p.m. Family Ministry, Meeting Room # 1

## A LETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP LUCAS

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

I write to you concerning an alarming and serious matter that negatively impacts the Church in the United States directly, and that strikes at the fundamental right to religious liberty for all citizens of any faith. The federal government, which claims to be "of, by, and for the people," has just dealt a heavy blow to almost a quarter of those people—the Catholic population—and to the millions more who are served by the Catholic faithful.

Earlier this month, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services announced that almost all employers, *including Catholic employers*, will be *forced* to offer their employees' health coverage that includes sterilization, abortion-inducing drugs, and contraception. Almost all health insurers will be *forced* to include those "services" in the health policies they write. And almost all individuals will be *forced* to buy that coverage as a part of their policies.

In so ruling, the Administration has cast aside the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, denying to Catholics our Nation's first and most fundamental freedom, that of religious liberty. And as a result, unless the rule is overturned, we Catholics will be compelled either to violate our consciences, or to drop health coverage for our employees (and suffer the penalties for doing so). The Administration's sole concession was to give our institutions one year to comply.

We cannot—we will not—comply with this unjust law. People of faith cannot be made second class citizens. We are already joined by our brothers and sisters of all faiths and many others of good will in this important effort to regain our religious freedom. Our parents and grandparents did not come to these shores to help build America's cities and towns, its infrastructure and institutions, its enterprise and culture, only to have their posterity stripped of their God given rights. In generations past, the Church has always been able to count on the faithful to stand up and protect her sacred rights and duties. I hope and trust she can count on this generation of Catholics to do the same. Our children and grandchildren deserve nothing less.

And therefore, I would ask of you two things. First, as a community of faith we must commit ourselves to prayer and fasting that wisdom and justice may prevail, and religious liberty may be restored. Without God, we can do nothing; with God, nothing is impossible. Second, I would also recommend visiting [www.usccb.org/conscience](http://www.usccb.org/conscience), to learn more about this severe assault on religious liberty, and how to contact Congress in support of legislation that would reverse the Administration's decision.

With best wishes and prayers, I am Sincerely yours in Christ,  
Most Reverend George J. Lucas  
Archbishop of Omaha



**JOIN US TODAY February 5<sup>th</sup>  
FOR DONUT SUNDAY**

*Fun and fellowship after the  
7:00, 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. Masses  
Everyone welcome!*



**Raffle Tickets for a beautiful homemade quilt  
Available today at Donut Sunday**

Chances are 6 for \$5.00 or \$1 for a single chance. 100% of the profits help to fund the three EPS clinics in Omaha and Bellevue.

Your support of EPS (Essential Pregnancy Service)  
is greatly appreciated!



**JUAN DIEGO FOOD PANTRY**  
Please return your sacks  
filled with non-perishable food items  
TODAY, February 5, by 12:30 p.m.



**GRANDFRIENDS (50 AND OVER)**

*February Luncheon*

**Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m.**

**Valentino's Pizza Buffet ~ 102<sup>nd</sup> & Maple St.**

Reservations:

Charlotte Ocken or Rose Wegman 402-334-5906

**Guests ALWAYS Welcome**

### Box Tops for Education

Clip the official coupon from participating General Mills products. Drop them in the boxes at the back of Church or turn them into your homeroom teacher.

## Ladies Guild

### CIRCLE # 3 - "BEEN THERE DONE THAT"

Our Feb. meeting will be **this coming Thursday, Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>** at 9:15 in the Mainelli Center. We will have a great speaker! Don't miss this one! At our last meeting we talked about bringing toiletries for the shelter at each meeting. They are needed and very much appreciated at the shelters.

### CIRCLE #5 - "Over 40's Singles and Couples"

Enjoy an evening of Fun, Food and Fellowship on Saturday, **February 11<sup>th</sup>** from 7-10 PM in the St. Robert's lower level Community Room. Last names of A-L please bring an appetizer type snack and M-Z bring a dessert type snack. Beer, wine and soda will be available. It's never to late to join this fun group. RSVP to Suzie at 402-492-9749 or [suzielawler@cox.net](mailto:suzielawler@cox.net) or Rita at [rrhermsen@hotmail.com](mailto:rrhermsen@hotmail.com)

### CIRCLE # 2 - "ON A WING AND A PRAYER"

Monday, **February 13<sup>th</sup>** meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. in the Guild Room. "**The Care Giving Journey**" will be presented by guest speaker, Patricia R. Callone. Her experience with Alzheimer's both as an educator and as a caregiver spans over 18 yrs.

**All Guild members are welcome to attend.**

We will also collect diapers for our Life Project.

Next weekend {Feb.12} there will be a 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection at all Masses for the annual archdiocesan Home and Foreign Missions {4 in 1} fund. Please be generous

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**  
COURT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY



**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**  
**COURT OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY**  
Tuesday, February 7, 2012  
Meeting Room #3  
7:00 pm – Rosary  
Meeting—Making Valentines for the Vets  
(Bring your scissors)

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Youth Ministry**

**High School Youth** – Meeting on Wednesday, 2/8, from 7 – 9 p.m. in the Community Room. We will finish up Confirmation Retreat Training and the other topic for the evening will be “healthy relationships”.

**Religious Education**

Regular class resume this week, 2/5.

**Recycle –**

The CanPak truck will be in the S/W parking lot this weekend. Please bring all aluminum cans to be recycled. Thank you for supporting the youth of our parish!

**Enchilada Pick Up –**

All enchilada orders may be picked up during Donut Sunday in the Mainelli Center. Extra enchiladas were made for those who did not order, limited supply.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**Congratulations** to the individual champions of the 2011 Council Championship of the St. Roberts Council #10108 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest that was held January 18. They will next shoot at the District Free Throw Contest to be held at St. Robert Bellarmine on Sunday, **February 19, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.**

AGE GROUP	BOYS	GIRLS
14	JOE ARKFELD	
13	DANIEL BLUMEL	AVERY SHEPHERD
12	BEN MURRAY	EMILY FOLTS
11	JOSEPH MCGILL	MEGAN WHEELER
10	REID BURKE	JAELYN ADAMS
9	SEAN SMITH	PAYTON KIRCHHOEFER



**DRIVERS ALWAYS NEEDED**  
Contact Arlis - 402-444-6766  
Eastern Nebraska Office on Aging

**EAST 104:** Sebby, Daeges/Engel, Shimerda/Greish, Kanne, Williams,

**WEST 105:** Wegman, Faith Christian, Catholic Daughters, Doyle, FDR

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★ Please pray for:  
★ All of Our Servicemen ~ Servicewomen  
★ Their families  
★ And those who are dedicated to serving our country  
★ and maintaining our freedoms.  
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**St. Robert's Weekly Offering**

“A Christian steward is one who receives God’s gifts gratefully, cherishes and tends them in a responsible and accountable manner, shares them in justice and love with others, and returns them with increase to the Lord” *US Bishops’ Pastoral Letter on Stewardship*

**Weekly Parish Operations Goal \$45,000**  
Weekly Sunday Envelopes Received **\$33,232**

**Weekly Established Gifts and Special Collections**

Catholic University	\$ 1,592
Building Fund	\$ 723
Seminary Collection	\$ 160

**Gift and Memorial Acknowledgements**

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to families and individuals for memorials and financial gifts to Saint Robert Bellarmine Parish. May God continue to bless you and your families for sharing your gifts and in remembering your loved ones by giving to our parish.

**We would like to acknowledge the family and friends of Paul Safranek for memorials given in his loving memory.**

**We would like to acknowledge the family and friends of Bud Subject for memorials given in his loving memory.**

**Catholic Schools Week**

As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week and the outstanding Catholic education being provided throughout the Archdiocese, especial our own St. Robert’s School, please consider visiting our parish website, [www@strobarts.com](http://www@strobarts.com) under **Gifts to StRB**. Click on **Opportunities to Give** and **Wish List** for ideas to support St. Robert’s School, Religious Education Programs, and Youth Ministry. Consider providing for an item on the wish list, sponsor a student to attend a mission trip or youth conference, or give to the Tuition Assistance Fund. Help us celebrate the wonderful youth of St. Robert’s during Catholic Schools Week, January 30, 2012 through February 5, 2012.



**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

**We are in urgent need** of several people to visit the families who contact St. Robert’s with financial needs. Training will be provided and all visits are made by two people. No one goes alone. This is a very rewarding and much needed ministry. For more information, Contact Cindy Fletcher at 402-670-7023 or call the Parish Office at 402-333-8989 to leave a message and someone will return your call.

**Nonperishable Food items** will be collected during February for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul food pantry at all local Godfather’s Pizza restaurants in Omaha, Lincoln, Council Bluffs, and Blair. In exchange for your food donation, you will receive a **FREE DESSERT** with your Godfather’s meal.

The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry located at 2101 Leavenworth St., Omaha, serves more than 15,000 people each year and is open year round.

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a lay Catholic organization dedicated to serving those in need throughout the world. The Society serves without regard to race, national origin, faith, gender, age, sexual preference, or economic status.**

For more information, please contact the main office at 402-689-3301, or email [svdpomaha@hotmail.com](mailto:svdpomaha@hotmail.com).

**CHURCH SECURITY PATROL** The patrol schedule is now on the website under "schedules".  
**Call Pat Dugan at 334-1993 if you have any questions. The Black Patrol Bags are in the Ushers Closet.**

February 11, Saturday	5:15 p.m. 'till lot empties	Richard Kuepper	Daniel Koch
February 12, Sunday	7 a.m. - 9 a.m.	Michael Jutsch	James Kozel
	9 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Joseph Shield	James Kurzak
	11 a.m. 'till lot empties	Brian Schuett	Art Langer

**VOCATIONS '31' CLUB: February**

These members offer their prayers for Vocations on the days indicated.

6 <sup>th</sup>	Julie Beers Ginger Bieber Shirley Franzen Larry Taylor	John Lingo Pat & Al Menghini Vern Ohlinger Jan Ohlinger
7 <sup>th</sup>	Joyce Duffy Judy Hall Paul McCandless Judy Sampier	11 <sup>th</sup> Dick Bene Helen Cook Jim Hyland
8 <sup>th</sup>	John Clark John Eden Taylor Sterba	12 <sup>th</sup> Helen Cook Larry Sampier Susan Willrodt
9 <sup>th</sup>	Dick Hautzinger Cathy Piotrowski	13 <sup>th</sup> Joanie Hautzinger Ellie Wingender
10 <sup>th</sup>	Mary Ann Horkan	Dick Hautzinger Dan & Jenni Owens

**31 CLUB ~ A Unique Club**

**No rules ~ No meetings ~ No fees**

You are invited to join ~ Just choose one day in the month to offer your prayers for vocations. Call Mary Ann at 402-333-7420 and leave a message. She'll return your call.

**St. Robert Bellarmine** and *TeamMates* Mentoring Program encourage **YOU** to join their team! Right now there are children at St. Robert's and other area Catholic schools who would love to have a caring adult spend time with them during the school year. Dr. Tom and Nancy Osborne founded *TeamMates* in 1991 in an effort to provide support and encouragement to school aged youth. *TeamMates* asks for 1 hour a week during the school year at the school the mentor chooses. Scheduling is flexible and resources are available to you to use during your time with your mentee. Mentors come from all walks of life and all ages. Would YOU be interested in making a difference in the life of a child? Go to [www.teammates.org](http://www.teammates.org) or call 1-877-531-8326 for more information and how to apply to be a mentor. "The best expression of your values is the way you spend your time." Thank you for valuing mentoring enough to give your most valuable asset-your time.

**Fr. Robert Barron's Catholicism DVD Series**  
**Monday, Feb. 6 7:00-8:00 p.m. St. Thomas More Church**

**Episode 2 "Happy Are We: The Teachings of Jesus"**

Father Barron highlights the Beatitudes, the path of non-violence and lessons of forgiveness, care for the poor and our relationship with God as presented in the parables. Questions? For a complete episode guide visit our website at [www.stmomaha.org](http://www.stmomaha.org). For those interested, there will be a discussion group in the school Library following each episode.

Contact Elizabeth Murphy at  
**402-551-9816 or [elmmurphy@schools.archomaha.org](mailto:elmmurphy@schools.archomaha.org).**



**TABLES FOR TWO**

**Save the Date ~ February 17, 2012**

Family Ministry is hosting an evening to remember...with good food, drinks and plenty of time to focus on you marriage! Fr. Michael will be our guest speaker. Questions?

**Contact Kevin or Julie Kaminski [kampal@cox.net](mailto:kampal@cox.net).**

**Marriage Enrichment 2012**

**Thursday, February 9** at Christ the King Parish-Omaha  
**February 10** at Sacred Heart Parish Center-Norfolk  
 Mass begins the evening at 5:30 p.m. with Archbishop George J. Lucas presiding in Omaha and Fr. Dan Andrews in Norfolk. A candlelit dinner, wine, and dessert will follow. This year's topic, *In the Beginning: Human Love in the Divine Plan*, will be presented by Damon Owens, nationally known speaker and 2011 Men's Conference presenter.

Cost is \$50/couple. Limited seating. Call 402.551.9003, 888.800.8352 or visit [www.archomaha.org](http://www.archomaha.org)

This event is co-sponsored by the Family Life Office, Christ the King Family Life Committee and KVSS.

**BE NOT AFRAID HOURS...**

Christ the King Catholic Church, 654 S. 86<sup>th</sup> St.

**EVERY SUNDAY...6:00 - 7:00 p.m.**

Confessions available.

**February 5: Week 5**

Theme: **Presentation to the Lord**

Sacrament Theme: **Holy Orders**

*The Marriage vow includes the question: Will you accept children lovingly from God and bring them up according to the law of Christ and the Church? We present our children to the Lord in Baptism, because our child belongs to the Lord. We are chosen to procreate children, nurture them with nutrition, faith, and love and then offer them to God.*

**February 12: Week 6**

Theme: **Healing from the Loss of a Child**

Sacrament Theme: **Anointing of the Sick**

*Despite all of our trials in life, sometimes we must cope with terrible experiences, including the loss a child. Our Catholic Faith helps us cope during these times, especially when we make a Holy Hour before Our Lord to seek His healing.*

**Kvss CONCERT by Donna Cori Gibson!**

Donna Cori Gibson will be in concert on Thursday, **March 15**, at 7:00 p.m. in our church. Tickets for the concert are \$5. Proceeds will benefit St. Robert Bellarmine Church. Tickets may be purchased through the Youth Ministry Office or the Parish Office.