



# ST. JOAN<sup>OF</sup> ARC

*Catholic Church*

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His love is  
*everlasting.*  
PSALM 118

APRIL 11, 2021 - 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

# Liturgical Ministers

April 17th, 2021 and April 18th, 2021

## EMHCs

5:00 pm - Renae Vorland  
 8:00 am - Georgia Goltl  
 Crown Pointe - Linda Boyer  
 10:30 am - Rose Koch

## Lectors

John McKinstra  
 Anthony Manno  
 Rick Koch

## Sunday, April 11th - Divine Mercy Sunday



Celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, April 11, 2021, at St. Thomas More Church, 4804 Grover St.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be at 11:30 am. The day will include confessions from 12:30-3:00 pm, rosary at 1:00 pm, Divine Mercy Chaplet at 2:00 pm, followed by Benediction, Procession, and Solemn Mass at 3:00 pm. Celebrant will be Fr. Jeff Lorig.

For more information, contact Mary Beth McKee, 402.556.1672 or Connie Johnson at 402.339.8253.

## Catholic Funeral Rites and Pre-Planning

Catholic Cemeteries will be hosting a workshops discussing Catholic Funeral Rites, final arrangements, and cost on April 17, 2021. The workshop will be held in the Calvary Office at 78th and West Center Road from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. The workshop will demonstrate how faith, liturgy, and practical cemetery planning can assist you in the immediacy after death. Space is limited, so please RSVP by Monday, April 12th to Deacon Jim Tardy (402-391-3711) or [jtardy@catholiccem.com](mailto:jtardy@catholiccem.com).

Catholic Cemeteries  
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	Mass Attendance	Contributions
March 2021	1,225	\$30,215
February 2021	887	\$29,051
March 2020	-	\$39,600
February 2020	-	\$35,702



*Abuse can happen  
 in families, churches, and community...*

*Prayer for Healing  
 Dedicated to survivors of all abuse  
 and those who love them*

*April 15, 2021  
 7:00 pm, St. Leo Parish, Omaha NE  
 Archbishop George Lucas presiding*

*Archdiocese of Omaha  
 Victim Outreach and Prevention Office*

## PARISH PERSONNEL

**Pastor: Rev. Jeffrey Lorig**  
 402-556-1456, ext. 207  
 Email: [jplorig@archomaha.org](mailto:jplorig@archomaha.org)  
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 402-551-4330

**Deacon Tim & Ruth Leininger**  
 402-731-7474

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 402-210-5407

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## Prayer Assistance Line

Melinda Kenton 402-390-9470

Kim Large: [prayer@sjaomaha.org](mailto:prayer@sjaomaha.org)

## Holy Communion to Homebound

Deacon Tim 402-731-7474

## Food for The Francis House

Mary Kentch 402-593-8703

**Funerals:** Please call the Parish Office

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

Contact Patty at St. Thomas More Office, 402-556-1456, or [psettles@stm.omhcoxmail.com](mailto:psettles@stm.omhcoxmail.com) 3 months prior to baptism.

### Marriage

Please call Fr. Lorig at least 9 months in advance for date and instruction information. Always verify priest and church availability before reserving reception venue.

### Penance

Saturdays, 4:00-4:50 pm.

Anytime by appointment

*Si necesita alguna información o tiene preguntas acerca de la iglesia por favor comuníquese con Martha Nevárez Saettele al 402-393 2005 ext. 4*

## Mass/Confession Times at St. Thomas More



Monday - Friday: 7:00 am

Saturdays: 8:00 am & 5:00 pm

Sundays: 8:00 am & 10:30 am

(Note: 10:30 am Mass is livestreamed via [stmomaha.org](http://stmomaha.org))

Confessions on Saturdays: 4pm-4:40 pm

## 500 Confraternity

April 11, 2021 - Marvin Schulz



### Are you TAGGing?

No, not on the playground or with spray paint. Instead of giving us a discount on gift cards (which HyVee no longer does), several businesses have gone to using

the TAGG system. TAGG (Together A Greater Good) is a simple app you can download on your phone. After a purchase at a participating store (HyVee, The Bookworm, Runza, etc.), just use the app to select St. Joan of Arc School, take a picture of your entire receipt, click submit, and you are done. No more saving receipts. At the end of the month, the school will receive the donated amounts from each of the businesses. This is an easy way to make money for our school. Won't you help and start TAGGing? See [togetheragreatergood.com](http://togetheragreatergood.com) for more information.

### Divine Mercy Sunday - April 11, 2021

Jesus told us "whatever you do for the least of my brothers, you do for me." Every day we have the opportunity to see the face of Jesus in others and be the face of Jesus to others. St. Joan of Arc and the archdiocese steward a portion of your gifts in many ways. Numerous charities are the beneficiaries of your goodwill. Please continue to keep "the least of our brothers" in your prayers and pray for the wisdom and strength to recognize those needs when presented to you and do your part through a gift from a) your will or trust, b) retirement assets, c) life insurance policies, or d) a life income gift which will provide you with payments for life and ultimately will benefit our parish.



For more information, please contact Tony LaMar, Legacy Planning Officer, Archdiocese of Omaha at 402-557-5650 or email him at [ajlamar@archomaha.org](mailto:ajlamar@archomaha.org).

### Honor Roll Recognition



#### Duchesne Academy

Karsyn Barrow  
Grace LaCrosse  
Ella McGrath  
Teagan Rossitto  
Gabiella Saettele

Congratulations to these students and their families.

### Join the SJA Prayer Line

*"Prayer is not asking. Prayer is putting oneself in the hands of God, at His disposition, and listening to His voice in the depths of our heart."* - St. Teresa of Calcutta



If you are interested in becoming a member of the SJA Prayer Line, please email [prayer@sjaomaha.org](mailto:prayer@sjaomaha.org). We will be happy to add your name to our list and send you the prayer requests of our parishioners. Prayer requests received are anonymously distributed and each individual prayer line member's email is not shared within this chain. Requests received are also added to the prayer request notebook that is available to those doing devotional hours.

### Garden Angels Needed

St. Vincent de Paul Society *Garden Angels* grow fresh produce for our food pantry. Experience is not necessary. [Learn about the garden and volunteer duties at the opening of the garden season on Saturday, April 17th at 10:00 a.m.](#) The garden is located on the south side of the SVDP Main Store & Pantry, 21st & Leavenworth, Omaha. Email [volunteers@svdpomaha.com](mailto:volunteers@svdpomaha.com) to register.



## Mass Intentions

### Monday, April 12, 2021

8:30 am † John Farrell  
*School Mass for Christendom Academy\**

Requested by  
(Leone Farrell)

### Tuesday, April 13, 2021

8:30 am † Paul Dworak (Mary Anne Dworak)  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena after Mass  
*School Mass for SJA Kindergarten, and 3rd thru 5th Grade\**

### Wednesday, April 14, 2021

8:30 am † Poor Souls  
Litany of St. Joseph after Mass  
*School Mass for SJA 1st and 2nd Grade\**

### Thursday, April 15, 2021

8:30 am † Ronald McClellan (McClellan Family)  
*School Mass for SJA 6th thru 8th Grade\**

### Friday, April 16, 2021

8:30 am † Marie Favara Jacobson and  
Sebastiana Favara (Paul Favara)  
*School Mass for Christendom Academy\**

### Saturday, April 17, 2021

5:00 pm † Gabriel Scalise (Scalise Family)  
**Fr. Greg**

### Sunday, April 18, 2021

8:00 am SJA Parishioners  
**Fr. Lorig**  
10:30 am † Patrick Bystrek (Terese & Shon Thielen)  
**Fr. Greg**

*\*Students will use the entire section of pews to the right of center aisle.*

**Please remember those who are sick in our parish, and those who have been asked to pray for:** Rosemary Hays, Dolores Nevarez, Julie Johnson Hamick, Father Greg's family members, Sherry Smisek Nickel, Jill Elston, Jim Caniglia, Josynne Sherlock, Anna Maria Leo, Jerry Hogya, Bev Sladovnik, Shirley Bardsley, Connie Wade, Maxine Kantor, Maria Menjivar, Ken Renkenberger, Sam Marchese, Nadine Hansen, Anto Kinsley, Steve Hamill, Andrew Ascherl, Bob Mercier, Grace Fascianella, Roger Pedroza, †Edward M. Burns, †Constance Durkan

### Perpetual Eucharistic

#### Open Hours

Sundays: 5am - call Rick, 402-599-3152  
Mondays: 2pm, 11pm - call Rachel, 402-658-8418  
Tuesdays: 9am, 10am - call Rachel, 402-658-8418  
Wednesdays: 1pm - call Rebecca, 402-991-4497  
Thursdays: 1am, 9am, 4pm - call Rachel, 402-658-8418  
Fridays: 3am - call Rebecca, 402-991-4497  
Saturdays: 2am, 8pm - call Deacon Tim, 402-731-7474



### Pantry at the Divine Mercy Center is Open

**SVDp** The Divine Mercy Center and Pantry is open and is offering pre-bagged items for individuals and families for those in need of assistance. The Pantry is located at 14330 Eagle Run Drive, near 144th and Maple. The Pantry offers a drive thru process at the doors leading to the Divine Mercy Center (west end of St. Vincent de Paul Church parking lot). Volunteers assist with traffic flow and the loading of bags into vehicles. The Pantry is open every 2nd and 4th Monday of the month from 9am to Noon, and from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. All you need to bring is a photo id. More information? Contact [pantry@svdpomaha.org](mailto:pantry@svdpomaha.org) or call 402.496.7988.

### Garage Sale - June 3-5, 2021



June will be here before we know it! So, as you are doing your spring cleaning, remember to set aside those items that will be perfect for the SJA Garage Sale ( please, no TV's, desks, or bookcases). More specifics later.