

Corpus Christi Procession

Welcome the CK Sisters! Community of Hope Open House Barbecue

June 2nd is a big day for our parish. It is our feast day since we celebrate Corpus Christi, the Body and Blood of Christ. On that day we have three events tied together:

1. Eucharistic Procession. Weather permitting, we will have a walk through the neighborhood with Our Lord Jesus in a Eucharistic Procession. This will begin immediately following the 11:30 Mass. If you attend another Mass, you would be able to join the procession if you waited outside the front doors of the church at around 12:25. The journey will be not more than one mile, with three stops along the way. We will finish with Benediction in the Church, and proceed to the next event, which is....
2. Welcome the School Sisters. A kind of "Open House" will be held on the new greenspace to meet and welcome the School Sisters of Christ the King, who will become an integral part of our school, beginning next year. This is an opportunity for you to introduce yourself and get to know the ones who will have a huge positive impact on our school life. In addition, also in attendance will be the sisters who will be running our Summer Catechetical program, which begins the following day, June 3rd.
3. Community of Hope Open House. The Building & Grounds Committee will be hosting an Open House. This will be your chance to take a closer look at all the great work that was accomplished through your generosity to the Community of Hope campaign. You will be able to see the work accomplished and ask questions of our members about our new greenspace, renovated school cafeteria and library, church and school roof replacements, school perimeter fencing and greenery.

While all this is happening, the Knights of Columbus are cordially hosting a hamburger cookout and ice cream.

From May 27th-30th the Priests of the diocese will be attending a Convocation in Kearney. Here is a brief Q&A about what this means.

What is this Priest's Convocation?

A convocation, by definition, is a "calling together of a group of people." In this instance, Bishop Conley is "calling together" all the priests of the diocese of Lincoln.

What is the purpose of the Convocation?

The purpose is three-fold and is summed up well in the theme of the convocation, "Flourishing as Priests: Body, Mind, and Soul."

The convocation will offer daily talks to the priests on the theme of wellness and health: physical, spiritual, and social.

With all the priests at the convocations, will there be any opportunity for the lay faithful to attend daily Mass? Yes. Larger parishes will share a priest who will offer Mass and provide coverage for emergencies. The convocation begins on Monday afternoon (Memorial Day). Most parishes will probably have Mass that morning, as usual. Tuesday and Wednesday (May 28th and 29th) will be full days at the convocation. There will still be Masses available in the larger parishes, but many of these will be consolidated with other parishes. We are hoping that the lay faithful, out of care for the priests assigned to serve them, will gladly go to Mass at a neighboring parish for just a couple of days. On Thursday, it will be up to each pastor as to whether he will offer a Mass upon his return home, or not.

Here at Blessed Sacrament, we will have the regular Masses on Monday morning, May 27th, a visiting priest will be offering the 6:30 a.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday, and No Masses on Thursday.

Priest's Convocation Emergency Coverage			
Chancery Emergency # 402-915-1206 - Operational from May 27, at 12 Noon - May 30, at 3:00 p.m.			
Hospital Coverage	Masses Available Location	Tues. - Wed. Mass Times	Priest
Bryan East	Blessed Sacrament	6:30 a.m.	Fr. Joseph Finn
Bryan West	St. Mary's Downtown	12:10 p.m.	Fr. Joseph Finn
Madonna	Madonna Chapel	4:00 p.m.	Fr. Joseph Finn
CHI Heart Hospital	Pink Sisters Chapel	7:00 a.m.	Mgr. Timothy Thorburn
	CHI Health Chapel	11:30 a.m.	Mgr. Timothy Thorburn
	Sacred Heart	5:00 p.m.	Mgr. Timothy Thorburn
All Non-Hospital Emergency Calls	Vietnamese Sisters	No Mass	Fr. Ken Borowiak
	St. Michael's	7:00 a.m.	Fr. Ken Borowiak
	St. John the Apostle	5:30 p.m.	Fr. Ken Borowiak