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**EASTER LILIES!**

If you would like to donate (in memory of a loved one) toward the Easter Lilies for either of the parishes, please call or stop in at Everything's A Bloomin in Oakley with your loved one's name and the donation amount. THANK YOU!

**ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL NEWS:**

**St. Joseph Parents Club Pizza Hut Fundraiser** will be held on Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. 5th-grade parents deliver.

**St. Joseph School Carnival** is Sunday, April 12. If you wish to donate to the raffle, please contact the school at 785-671-4451 or email [schooloffice@sjoakley.org](mailto:schooloffice@sjoakley.org) by Tuesday, March 3. Thank you!

**St. Joseph School's participation in the Baby Bottle Campaign** is a powerful way to live out the message of Respect Life. Your support gives new and expectant mothers the help they need—like rent, utilities, and baby supplies—so they can choose life with hope and dignity. Every bottle filled is a message that they are not alone and that their baby's life matters. Baby Bottles are in the classrooms, and money can be sent with a student from St. Joseph School or given through your notated parish donations. Thank you!

**ST. JOSEPH NEWS:**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Would anyone be willing to pick up parishioners from their homes for weekend Mass? It could be Saturday or Sunday. Please call the parish office if you would like to volunteer. Thank you!!!

**AREA HAPPENINGS:**

**Sacred Heart School in Colby** invites you to join them for the annual School Carnival from 11:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m., Sunday, February 22, 2026. The Carnival is held at the school and features games for all ages, bingo, a cake walk, a kitchen/bath walk, concessions, and prizes! Game tickets are 25¢ each or 20 tickets for \$5. Lunch is served in the Church Basement, and the menu includes: bierocks, hot dogs, polish sausage, baked beans, chips, pie, cookies & drinks. Full meals are only \$6!

**The Grinnell VFW Stag-Stagette** is March 4, 2026. Doors open at 6 pm. Serving Alaskan Pollock, chicken-fried steak, lamb fries, homemade macaroni salad, potato salad, coleslaw, baked potatoes, baked beans, green beans, coffee, tea, and water. We will be serving again on April 1st, with the same menu. Any questions, just ask.

**St. Mary's Altar Society, Grinnell, will host its St. Patrick's Day Dinner & Raffle** on Sunday, March 15th, from 11:00 to 1:00, with a Free Will Offering. They will be serving roast beef, ham slices, mashed potatoes & gravy, cheesy potatoes, green beans, salads, and pie for dessert, along with coffee and tea. The Cash Raffle will also include a \$300 beef bundle from Ostmeyer Farms Seed, along with the top prize of \$1,000, 2 \$500 prizes, and 10 \$100 prizes. Your winning ticket is re-entered, so you could win multiple times. Need not be present to win. There will be a Children's Raffle for various prizes. \$20 for the Adult ticket, and \$10 for the Child's ticket. Prize drawing will begin at 12:45 PM. Please join us!

**ST. PAUL NEWS:**

Angelus K of C Meeting on Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm.

**Our Tithes from Last Week**

Oakley: \$3,610.00 Angelus: \$631.00

We welcome all our guests to our parishes. If you have moved here, we encourage you to register on our website.



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**DAILY SCHEDULE**

Sat 21 – 4- 4:45pm Confessions  
**5 pm Mass + Fr. Bill Surmeier**  
 Sun 22 – **8:00 am Mass (Angelus) - Parishioners**  
**10:30 am Mass + Steve & Vivian Ochs**  
 Mon 23 – NO MASS  
 Tues 24 – 7:30-8am Confessions  
**8:30am Mass + Pat Porter**  
 9:30 am Bible Study in the rectory  
 Wed 25 - **7:30am Mass (Angelus) + Audrey Baalman Bosely**  
 7pm CCD Classes in Angelus  
 Thur 26 – 7:30-8am Confessions  
**8:30am Mass + Ernest B. & Martha Knapp**  
 9am – 7pm Adoration  
 Fri 27 – **7am Mass + Virgil & Vonda Hecker**  
 7:30-8am Confessions  
 7pm Stations of the Cross at both parishes  
 Sat 28 – 4- 4:45pm Confessions  
**5 pm Mass + Ranny Hecker**  
 Sun 29 – **8:00 am Mass (Angelus) + Dreux Schwaiger, Boniface & Daisy Fellhoelter**  
**10:30 am Mass - Parishioners**

**Confessions** are available in Oakley: Tues., Thurs, & Fri. 7:30-8am. Saturday: 4-4:45pm. Sunday: 7:30am in Angelus and 10am in Oakley.

**ST. JOSEPH PARISH COUNCIL**

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Saturday Feb 28 <sup>th</sup> 5pm	Servers	Volunteers	Sunday Mar 1 <sup>st</sup> 10:30 am	Servers	Alexander B, Jethro & Tomas C
	Lector	Tom Halbleib		Lector	Cheri Weber
	Gifts	Jerry & Darlene Chaput		Gifts	Bob & Penny Ottley
	Hospitality	Alan & Joyce Kuhn		Hospitality	Mason & Hannah Scheetz

Sunday, Mar 1 <sup>st</sup> 8 am	Servers	Natalie Bixenman
	Lectors	Ron Lager & Barney Dickman
	Gifts	Jim & Kristy Fellhoelter
	Ushers	Larry Mense, Gary Ostmeyer, Joe Rehmer & Mark Rueschhoff