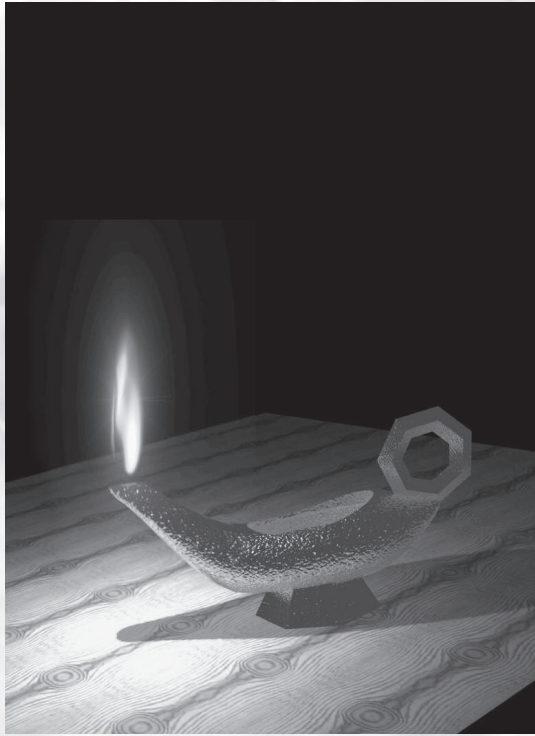


Sacred Heart Parish

2204
Binney
Omaha
NE
68110



Mass Schedule

Saturday
5:00 PM
Sunday
8:30 AM
10:30 AM 

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First
Sunday
Of
Advent

Parish Offices

Parish Office, 2207 Wirt, 68110
451-5755, Fax 451-1731
www.sacredheartomaha.org
Sacred Heart School, 2205 Binney
455-5858 sacredheart-cues.org
Matt Ossenfort, Principal
Heart Ministry Center
451-2321 heartministrycenter.com
Rectory, 2218 Binney, 68110
451-7897

Sacraments

Baptisms
By appointment or at the 10:30 AM Eucharist celebrated on the first Sunday of the month.
Reconciliations
Saturday 4:30-4:50 PM
Sunday 8:00-8:20 AM, 10:00-10:20 AM
Marriage Preparation
Please schedule with Fr. Tom, minimum six months preparation required by Archdiocese
Anointing of Sacrament of the Sick or hospital visit: Please call Parish Office

Parish Staff

Fr. Tom Fangman
Pastor

Joyce Glenn
Pastoral Assistant

Sue Vavak
Pastoral Minister/
Director of Religious Education

Carl Wirth
Director of Youth Ministries
551-0375

Nancy Kelly
Administrative Assistant/
Bulletin Editor

Sara Hohnstein
Director of Heart Ministry Center
451-2321

William Tate
Gospel Choir Director
558-4673

James Boggess
Freedom Choir Director
453-3872

Rev. Mr. Charles Weskirchen
Rev. Mr. James Chambers
Rev. Mr. Rick Crotty
Permanent Deacons

Mission Statement

We, the people of Sacred Heart, believing in God, and guided by the Holy Spirit, dedicate ourselves to forming a vibrant Christian community by: celebrating the presence of Jesus, serving the needs of the people, affirming the gifts of each person, and sharing lives and prayer, in love.

I will honor Christmas in my heart
and try to keep it all the year.
~ Charles Dickens

Prayer Requests

Please pray for the members of our parish who are ill or in need of prayer:

James Ahmit

Susan Ahmit

Ashley

Binney Street Residents

Laurie Berry

Rose Bohnenkamp

Mary & Don Daley

Inez DeLeon

Mary Dooling

J.C. Ellerbeck

Jim Harris

Lindy Hoyer

Family of Aura Whitney Jackson

Colleen Johnson

Jeff Johnston

Liz Karpf

Joe Korth

Bob Matt

Chester Pijanowski

Macy Stevens

Kathy Suhr

Joey Thompson

Adeline Valentine

Capital Campaign Volunteers

Andy Von Wachter-Rodriguez

Prayer Line Request:

mfennell1@cox.net

This Week's Readings

Week of November 30, 2008

Sun: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/1 Cor 15:20-26,28/Mt 25:31-46

Mon: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Lk 21:1-4

Tues: Rv 14:14-19/Lk 21:5-11

Wed: Rv 15:1-4/Lk 21:12-19

Thurs: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Lk 21:20-28

Fri: Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2/Lk 21:29-33

Sat: Rv 22:1-7/Lk 21:34-36

Next Sun: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

Parish Events & News

**SACRED HEART 2008
CHRISTMAS
ORNAMENTS
ON SALE
NOW
\$11.00 Each**



Welcome Your Baby

Welcome Your Baby Class for Baptism will be held on Sunday, December 14, following the 10:30 Mass. Please call Sue Vavak at 451-5755 to register. This class is required before Baptism if this is your first child.



HMC Thanks You

As you know, families in need and individuals in our community go without proper food every day due to a variety of factors including low wages, job loss, injuries, illness, age, domestic violence, or divorce. With the generous support and the gracious **Food Drive Donations**, we will be able to help many of these families and individuals meet essential daily needs. The staff and volunteers of the Heart Ministry Center would like to thank you for the donations. It enables us to practice our mission by supplying support to the families and individuals in North Omaha and surrounding areas.



HMC Holiday Program Volunteer Schedule

Friday, Dec. 19, 6:30- 7:30PM

Christmas Program Set-up

- Packing of the Christmas Food
- baskets and Christmas gifts
- Calling families to confirm delivery (Please contact Yolanda Robinson for info, 451-2321)

Saturday, Dec. 20, 8:45AM-Noon

Christmas Basket Delivery

- Stocking of food bags on carts
- Traffic directors
- Basket runners
- Delivery drivers

Saturday, Dec. 20, Noon-5:00PM

Toys for Tots Set-up

- Packing and organizing of the toys from the US Marine Corp

Monday, Dec. 22, Noon-7:00 PM

Toys for Tots Distribution

- Sign in table helpers
- Personal shoppers
- Toy table stockers
- Gift bag runners

Any of these dates and times you are able to assist by volunteering would be much appreciated!

Thank you. ~ Sara



New Website

Sacred Heart is now on the world wide web!

We invite you to visit

www.sacredheartomaha.org

The site includes photos, a calendar of events, as well as other sections to check out.

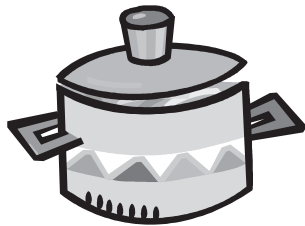
You can even download the weekly bulletin.

We are constantly updating the website so stop by often!



Need Pots & Pans

The Heart Ministry Center is in need of pots and pans! If you have pots and pans that you do not use anymore that are in good shape, would you consider donating them to the HMC? You can bring your donations down to the HMC during the week, or to church with you on Sunday. Thanks~Sara



Baby Cameron

We wish to thank all who prayed for Baby Cameron, our great grandson, who was born three and a half months prematurely on 7/17/08. After several medical procedures and surgeries he is now able to take most of his food by mouth. He weighs about 9 pounds and is still on oxygen but on Friday he was finally able to come home. Praise God!

~Bernie & Evelyn Stremmlau

Holiday Child Care

Need some time to shop without the kids? Need time just to be together? The Youth Group will provide free child care for anyone over three on Sunday, December 14, Noon to 3PM in the School. Games, activities and lunch provided. For more info, call Carl, 451-5755.



Community

Morning With St. Nick

Join the Family Life Office for a morning with St. Nick! Stop by for a chance to meet St. Nick, enjoy a Wheatfield's cookie, participate in activities, stories and raffles and learn about the history and tradition of St. Nick. You may also help the Catholic Charities pantry holiday collection by donating money or fresh or canned fruit. Stop by Wheatfield's, in One Pacific Place, on Saturday, December 6 anytime from 10 AM to noon.



Make a Difference

Would you consider becoming a mentor to a young mother? Catholic Charities, Elizabeth Ann Seton Mentoring Moms Program, is looking for "Mentoring Moms" to provide one-on-one mentoring support to pregnant and parenting women. The Mentor's role is to be a friend, someone who listens, encourages, supports and models positive parenting skills. Catholic Charities invites you to consider giving of your time and talents to make a difference in the life of a child. If you are interested please call Kathy at 820-9289 or e-mail kathym@ccomaha.org

Mass Intentions

Monday, Dec. 1

No Mass

Tuesday, Dec. 2

8:00 AM † Rose Ann

Sonderbloom

Wednesday, December 3

8:00 AM † Charlie Kay

Thursday, December 4

8:00 AM † Robert Brandt

Friday, December 5

8:00 AM † Victims of Von Maur

Saturday, December 6

8:00 AM † Helen Haan

Sunday, December 7

8:30 AM Sacred Heart Parish

10:30 AM † Mr. & Mrs Amedio

Mandolini

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday, Dec. 6 at 5:00 PM

Lector: Mary Claire Sheridan

EME: Anne Clark, Ken Dudek

Server: Brigid Hutson

Sunday, Dec. 7 at 8:30 AM

Lector: Tom & Mary Baker

EME: Theresa Levy

Susan James

Server: Luigi & Sebastiano

DiRuocco

Sunday, Dec. 7 at 10:30 AM

Opening Prayer: T. Wernsman

Lectors: Mary Pat Raynor

Ed Aken

EME: Cathy Katzenberger,

Susan Kalina, Johnnie Shaw, Amy

Miller, Sandy Pihlgren, Teresa

Clark

Server: Courtney & Jonathan

Chambers

Greeters: George Kleine

Randi & Chuck Caniglia