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May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday SH 5:00pm

Sunday SBTM 8:30am

Sunday SH 10:45am

Weekday Masses

Tuesday SH 8:00am

Wednesday SBTM 8:00am

Thursday SH 8:30am (w/ SH School)

Friday SBTM 8:00am

Sacraments

Baptism

By appointment

Reconciliation

Saturday SH 4:30-4:50pm
Sunday SBTM 9:30-10:00am
Sunday SH 10:20-10:40am
Or by appointment

Marriage Preparation

Schedule with Fr. Dave.
(minimum 6 months preparation
required by Archdiocese)

**Anointing of the Sick
(or hospital visit)**

Please call Parish Office



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Sacred Heart Church

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Parish Office

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All Parish Communications requests must be submitted by Noon on Monday.



Use our online form:

<https://forms.office.com/r/2uaV9CaysK>

(Paper copies available in the back of church.)



Sign Up for Parish Communications on Flocknote

To get started, go to

Historic24thStreet.flocknote.com



Monday, May 5

No Mass

Tuesday, May 6

8am **SH** † Leonard Frodyma

Wednesday, May 7

8am **SBTM** † Addie Hinton

Thursday, May 8

8:30am **SH** † Mary Lou Ruh

Friday, May 9

8am **SBTM** John Vogel

Saturday, May 10

5pm **SH** † Rosemary Synowiecki

Sunday, May 11

8:30am **SBTM** † Javi Betita

10:45am **SH** Parishioners of Sacred Heart

Readings for the Week of May 4

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

BIG NEWS! Our Spirit Wear Store is Now LIVE!

We're beyond excited to announce the grand opening of our Historic 24th Street Family of Parishes online store! From custom tees and cozy hoodies to hats, we've got everything you need to rep the brand in style. You can order and pay on your own, and pay for shipping or pick up from the Lawlor's store (4414 S 84th St) to avoid shipping costs. One additional option is that anyone may bring in their own item to have a logo put on it for \$15. If you have questions about this call Haley Jensby (Lawlor's) at 402-333-8610 #100 The online store will close May 12.



Start shopping now with the QR code or go to https://stores.inksoft.com/24th_street_family_of_parishes/shop/home



Congratulations to the First Communion Class

Back Row: Leo,
Fr. Dave
Front from left:
Isabel, Charolette,
David, Jordan

Colleen Robinson, Rose Leonard, Susie, Kathy Kenyon, Patty Warsocki, Marshall, Joan Ramsey, Nina, Cathy Matt, Cathy Jenkins Walsh, Pete Soby, Susan Watkins, James, Gloria, Justin Combs, Mary Thomas, Pat & Mike Bazant, Deacon Randy Park, Fr. Joe Jacobi, Barb Banner, and Greg Meier. If you have names you would like added, please email Pam at plgolka@archomaha.org





St. Benedict the Moor Mission Statement

We, the people of God of Saint Benedict the Moor Catholic Church, Omaha, Nebraska, are joined together in faith, worship and service to our community. We are called to love one another as the Father loves us and to set an example of caring compassion for everyone we meet. We are proud of our African American heritage, spirituality, and culture, which we eagerly share with one another, our church, and our country. Our goal is to reach out to those who hunger for the Word of God and seek a welcoming place to worship and grow in faith. We are determined to live up to this calling as we walk together on our journey to the Kingdom.

Novena Prayer to Venerable Father Augustus Tolton



Father Augustus Tolton, you whose life demonstrated the fruits of the Holy Spirit's gifts of fortitude and perseverance, pray for my strength and perseverance as I cry out for God's mercy for Vocations from St. Benedict the Moor Parish. Pray Father Augustus Tolton that God will hear my cry and answer me according to His will. Amen.

TROOPS AWAY FROM HOME

Andrew Washington, LT. Patrick Waldron, Duane Cunningham, Aaron Martin, and Jeanette McCall. Please continue to pray to give them strength, to continue to serve our Country and their safe return home. If you have names to add email plgolka@archomaha.org



SBTM Monthly Parish Support

Fiscal Year 7/1/2024-6/30/2025
March Collections/ACH: \$12,199
Budgeted Monthly Amount: \$12,123
 Christmas: \$1,289
 Easter: \$0



SUPPORT SBTM



The Knights & Ladies of Peter Claver are having their Annual Mardi Gras Ball on Saturday, May 10. Tickets are \$50. Please see any Knight or Lady for tickets or additional info. Thank you for your support.

On Sunday, June 8, there will not be Mass at 8:30am at St. Benedict the Moor. There will be Mass at 5 pm on Saturday night, June 7, at SBTM. Sunday Mass will be held at 10am at Sacred Heart for the Parish Festival. Mass will be indoors. The opposite will happen in September the weekend the St. Benedict the Moor Picnic.



Ministry Schedule SBTM

May 4

Celebrant: Fr. Dave Korth
Deacon(s): Randy Park
 Ernest Spicer (Retired)
 Bob Leake (Temp)
Server(s): Ezechiel Mufungizi
 Henry Gregor
 Mister Wilcox
 Charles Niyonkuru
Lector: Modwena Roach
EMHCs: Modwena Roach
 Gary Johnson
Gift Bearers: Fedi Nzaniye &
 Family
Musician: Gospel Choir

May 11

Celebrant: Fr. Dave Korth
Deacon(s): Randy Park
 Ernest Spicer (Retired)
 Bob Leake (Temp)
Server(s): Ezechiel Mufungizi
 Henry Gregor
 Mister Wilcox
 Charles Niyonkuru
Lector: Angela Hardin
EMHCs: Micaela Moriaty
 Angela Hardin
Gift Bearers: Biletta Roundtree
 & Elizabeth Velazquez
Musician: Gospel Choir



Sacred Heart 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.

SH Monthly Parish Support

Fiscal Year 7/1/2024-6/30/2025

March Collections/ACH: \$38,789

Budgeted Monthly Amount: \$39,667

CUES Schools: Year to date total: \$42,436

Heart Ministry: Year to date total: \$9,483

Christmas: \$10,399

Easter: \$87



Prayer for the Canonization of Nicholas Black Elk

Heavenly Father, Great Spirit! Behold us who stand before you singing our song of thanksgiving for Nicholas Black Elk.

Faithfully he walked the Sacred Red Road and generously witnessed the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ among the Native American people.

We humbly ask you to hear the prayers we plead through his intercession for the healing of Greg Meier.

We ask Holy Mother Church to recognize his sanctity by acknowledging his presence among the company of Saints, and as one to imitate in his zeal for the Gospel.

Open our hearts also to recognize the Risen Christ in other cultures and peoples, To your glory and honor, Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Volunteers Needed for Flower Garden Beds!

Do you have a green thumb—or just a love for fresh air and flowers? We're looking for volunteers to help care for our beautiful flower garden beds! Whether you can commit to a regular schedule or just help occasionally, your time and effort will keep our gardens blooming and welcoming for everyone. No experience needed—just a willingness to lend a hand! To sign up or learn more, please contact Pam at the office 402-451-5755 or email plgolka@archomaha.org Let's grow something beautiful together!

From The Green Team On Care For Our Common Home Information From Goodwill

EPA has estimated that 11.3 million tons of textile waste are being discarded annually in the United States. Those textiles can take up to 200 years to decompose in the landfill and as they breakdown they emit methane, a greenhouse gas. Goodwill accepts items that are too worn out to donate to a shelter or someplace else. Goodwill can recycle single socks, any shoes, even old garden shoes, dented or scorched pots and pans, stained and torn clothing, ripped or torn clothing. goodwillomaha.org/sustainability



Next Weekend Ministry Schedule SH

5 pm Saturday, May 10

Greeters: Marty Beecham
Mary Clare McQuade

Welcome Letter: Linda Duckworth

Server: Daniel Holm

Lector: Lori Spanbauer
Rod Ulfers

EMHCs: Debra Burkholder
Jeanne Hauser

Music: Gene Klosner

10:45am Sunday, May 11

Greeters: Luigi DiRuocco, Mary Lynn Focht, Karl Kehm

Welcome Letter: Michael Thorfinnson

Server: Alice Smith

Lector: Dan Jackson
Tracy Wernsman

EMHCs: Kristin Caniglia, Kory Delkamiller, Michelle Logsdon, Wendy Rustad

Sound Board: Cedric Gakiza

Parish Bible Study

St. John's will offer a three-session Bible Study on the post-resurrection Gospel narratives. We will gather on Mondays: May 5, 12 and 19, from 4:30-5:45pm in Lower St. John's.

Visiting the parish from the Kohima Region in India, Fr. Paul Coelho, SJ, will guide this study.

Participants are encouraged to bring a contemporary translation of the Bible. If any participant's first language is other than English, they are welcome to bring a copy of the Scriptures in the language of their choice.



The annual Sacred Heart Parish Festival will be Sunday, June 8.

The festival will include:

- INDOOR Mass @ 10 am
- Festival Activities 11:30 – 2:00pm
- Live Music by NOMA from 11 am to 1pm
- BBQ, Brats & Burgers with side dishes, desserts & a drink
- Beer Garden
- KidZone games, face painting and a bounce house
- Silent Auction – 11:30 – 1:30pm

Also needed: Donations of \$\$\$ or items for the Silent Auction – please drop off at the Parish office. Silent auction forms are available in the back of church.

Vacation Bible School is Coming!

June 23–26 | Theme: *Trusting Jesus in a Wild World*



Get ready for a week of faith-filled **discoveries, music, and epic adventures** as we explore what it means to trust Jesus—no matter where life takes us!

Kids will have a blast growing in faith through hands-on activities, uplifting songs, and unforgettable stories from the Bible.

Dates: June 23–26 Time: 9am to Noon

Location: 2205 Binny Street Omaha, NE 68110

Questions or to register? Contact Michella Blankman at **531-466-1789**

Don't miss out—it's going to be a *wild* week of fun and faith!

The Historic 24th Street Family of Parishes

Our Historic 24th Street Family of Parishes is completed by St. John's Church at Creighton.

Formed in 2023 as part of the Archdiocese of Omaha's Journey of Faith pastoral planning effort, the Historic 24th Street Family of Parishes is made up of three North Omaha parishes, each with their own unique but intermingled histories. Located along Omaha's historic North 24th Street corridor, the three parishes represent much of the history of the Catholic Church in North Omaha.

Under the new Family of Parishes organizational structure, St. Benedict the Moor and Sacred Heart share one pastor, Fr. David Korth, while St. John's retains its Jesuit leadership with Fr. Matt Walsh, SJ as its pastor.



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