

ANNOUNCEMENTS – June 10, 2018

Take time during the month of June to pray for the Deanery Planning Committee as they plan and make decisions for the *Rural North Central Deanery*. There is a prayer you can use in the Parish bulletin.

Rosary prayed for *favorable weather and protection from storms* at Beaver Creek Cemetery (rural Crofton) on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. If needed, please bring your own chairs. All are welcome.

A PAID cleaning position is available at St. Andrew's, Bloomfield. Hours will vary throughout the year. If interested, call Andrea Abbenhaus.

NEW - EMHC / Lector training offered in Norfolk on Sunday, August 26, 2018 for anyone interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister of Holy Communion or a Lector. Please contact Mary Thoene at the church business office to register (402) 388-4814. Must be a practicing Catholic in good standing, at least 16 years of age, and a junior in high school or older to participate.

There will be a St. Andrew's School and Parish Reunion casual Meet and Greet in St. Andrew's Parish Hall on Saturday, June 16th from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. More information can be found in the online parish bulletin at strosestandrew.com

All ladies are invited to the OACCW Spirituality Day for Women held on Tuesday, June 12th at Sacred Heart Parish Center, Norfolk. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. with program at 10:00 a.m. Registration fee is \$10 and includes morning coffee and rolls and lunch.

Father James McCluskey (Father Mac) is celebrating his 50th Anniversary of Ordination this year. He will celebrate June 10, 2018 with 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's in Wayne (412 E 8th Street) followed by a short reception. There will also be an Open House at the Wayne Volunteer Fire Hall at 510 Tomar Drive in Wayne from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome! *Father Mac's address is: 311 East 7th Street, Wayne, NE 68787.*

REFLECTION – 10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We return today to Sundays in Ordinary Time. In a sense “Ordinary Time” is time that falls outside the major holy seasons of the year: Easter, Christmas, Advent, and Lent. But Ordinary Time is not just the absence of a major season any more than our lives are ordinary on days that are not holidays.

Ordinary Time forms the foundation of the liturgical year; after all, it comprises almost two-thirds of the calendar. May we appreciate the heft of Ordinary Time as we settle into the longest season of the year.