St. Joseph Church
PO Box 623
1318 Ave G West
Wisner, NE 68791
Parish Office: 529-3891
www.stjosephwisner.org
Reconciliation: Sundays after Mass or by appointment

All Saints Day
November 1st , 2026

Pastor: Fr. James Weeder
402-372-2188
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Holy Cross Parish
PO Box 212
517 N Fraisier
Beemer, NE 68716
Phone: 528-3475
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Reconciliation: Sundays 8:00-8:20 am or by appt.

Associate Pastors: Fr. Joseph Broudou and Fr. Walter Jong-a-Kiem

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Announcements for:

ST. JOSEPH FAMILY OF PARISHES

WEBSITE: The St. Joseph Family of Parishes' website which includes all 10 Parishes in our Family is:
https://stjosephfamilyofparishes.org/
St. Joseph and Holy Cross websites remain the same, but may now also be accessed thru this new website.



ST. JOSEPH FAMILY OF PARISHES
Weekend Mass Schedule:

Weekend Mass	Sat.	Sun.
St. Boniface-Monterey	4:30 pm	
Sts. Peter and Paul-Howells	5:00 pm	
St. Mary-West Point	6:00 pm	
St. Aloysius-Aloys		7:30 am
Holy Cross-Beemer		8:30 am
St. Wenceslaus-Dodge		9:00 am
St. Joseph-Wisner		10:00 am
St. Mary-West Point		10:00 am
St. John Nep.-Howells		10:30 am



Blessing for All Saints

God, Bless us as we journey in faith, a journey marked with twists and turns. Bless us with the inspiration and friendship of those who have gone before us, the saints. May their lives serve as guiding lights, beckoning us through the darkness to safety and rest. Amen.

NOTES FROM FR. WEEDER:

During November, the Holy Church promotes prayers for the souls in purgatory. The souls in Purgatory are members of the Church like us, but of the Church "Suffering". We are members of the Church "Militant" where we are like soldiers on the march through the world on the way with our Great Captain, Jesus, towards our heavenly home to join the members of the Church "Triumphant," the saints. We can help the souls in Purgatory through our good works as assigned by the Church, who has the authority from Christ to apply to them the merits of His Passion and death, and the merits of the saints. One of the ways we can help the souls in purgatory is through prayer which can gain them a plenary indulgence.

A plenary indulgence, which removes the temporal punishment due to sin, applicable only to the souls in purgatory is granted to the faithful who:
1. on All Souls Day (November 2) devoutly visit a church or an oratory and pray one "Our Father" and the "Creed"
2. on any and each of the days from November 1-8, devoutly visit a cemetery and pray for the departed

Along with the above works one must also fulfill the following:
· Say one "Our Father" and one "Hail Mary" for the intention of the Holy Father
· Worthily receive Holy Communion within 10 days of November 2nd.
· Make a sacramental confession within 10 days of November 2nd
· For a plenary indulgence one must be free from all attachment to sin, even venial sin (otherwise, the indulgence is partial).

A single sacramental confession suffices for gaining several plenary indulgences; but Holy Communion must be received and prayer for the intention of the Holy Father must be recited for gaining each plenary indulgence.



MASS INTENTIONS				
Mon	02	—	—	**NO MASS**
Tue	03	8:00 AM	HC	+ Norbert & MaryAnn Ruskamp
Wed	04	9:30 AM	WCC	+ Tom Prussa
Thu	05	8:00 AM	SJ	+ Lvng & Dec'd Mbrs of Ron & MaryAnn Wemhoff
Fri	06	9:00 AM	CHB	+ Rita McNamara
Sat	07	—	—	**NO MASS**
Sun	08	8:30 AM	HC	+ Fred Gentrup
Sun	08	10:00 AM	SJ	+ Jayda Oligmueller + Herb Albers

SJ—St. Joseph's HC—Holy Cross
WCC—Wisner Care Center CHB—Colonial Haven Beemer

Liturgical Ministers—Holy Cross, Beemer
Weekend of November 8th

WORD: Tom Peatrowsky
EMHC: Dawn Peatrowsky
SERVER: Noah & Asher Borgmann
USHER: Gerald Gentrup

Stewardship of God's Gifts Holy Cross—October 25th, 2026	
Sunday Envelopes:	$636.00
Plate:	136.00
Children:	9.00
Tithely Online:	100.00
Total:	$881.00



Celebrations:

Holy Cross Parish wishes happiness and God's blessings to the following:

Birthdays
Brooke Combs November 2
Emmet Praest November 7

Anniversaries
Dan and Karen Spenner November 3

ST. JOSEPH & HOLY CROSS

THE BOOKS OF REMEMBRANCE

have been set out at both parishes.

St. Joseph's is located at the front of church in front of the Virgin Mary statue and Holy Cross' is at the entrance of church. Please write the names of those who have died that you would like to remember for this November. Along with All Saint and All Souls Day, we will pray for them throughout November.

Mass intention envelopes are also there. The usual stipend is $10.

TITHE.LY

Online Giving with Tithe.ly
Both St. Joseph and Holy Cross parishes have an online giving option. For additional ways to contribute, QR codes have been made for both parishes, or you may still sign up under the parish websites. If you have any questions, call the parish office at 402-529-3891.

Holy Cross Beemer

St. Joseph Wisner

ST. JOSEPH'S TREASURES THRIFT SHOPPE:
Please join us at The Thrift Shoppe (by Bomgaars) in West Point for A Treasure Filled Christmas. Our Christmas Open House, is Nov. 7 & Nov. 14, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Come discover Christmas Treasures and enjoy some holiday cheer while supporting the Mission of St. Joseph's Elder Services.

GRIEFSHARE: SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS will be held at St Joseph's Retirement Community, 320 E Decatur in West Point, in the Stevens Room.

Monday, November 9th 6:00-8:00pm
Tuesday, November 10th 2:00-4:00pm.

Reserve your spot by contacting Chaplain Tom Manhart at 402-372-6708 or tmanhart@franhealth.org.

Flyers are posted in the back of church.

Liturgical Ministers—St. Joseph, Wisner
Weekend of November 8th

LEC: Diane Davies
EMHC: Anne Ausdemore
EMHC 2: Steve Ausdemore
SERV: Jace Hansen, Edgar Vallejo, Kreely Lueken
OFF: Ron Machacek
USHER: Nov. Men's Group

MONEY COUNTERS
Sunday, Nov. 1st—Team #3 Steve McGuire, Chad Ludwig, Dave Oligmueller, Kris Brahmer
Sunday, Nov. 8th—Team #4 A.J. & Lindsey Burki, Chris & Brenda Liermann

MEN'S WORK GROUP—November 2026
Chair: Terry Soden
Co-Chair: Ron Machacek
Members: Shawn Davie, Doug Oertwich, Bernie Ruskamp, Adam Brahmer, Tyler McBride, Jeff Ricker, Dan Kane

Stewardship of God's Gifts St. Joseph—October 25th, 2026	
Sunday Envelopes:	$645.00
Plate:	167.00
Children:	9.00
Tithely Online:	293.34
Rel Ed:	50.00

ST. JOSEPH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Grades K-6: 3rd - 6th graders had reconciliation and 1st grade learned the sign of the cross and are working on their prayers.

Just a reminder that prayers are next week so keep practicing.

Grades 7-12: The students celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation with Fr. Weeder and Fr. Joseph.

This week, we will take the students to Norfolk and see Joe Heschmeyer speak about the Eucharist. Field trip forms were sent home. This is mandatory and in place of class. Students need to be at church by 5:30p.m. for we can give them food to go and leave at 5:45p.m. Will return by 8:30p.m.

FOR ALL STUDENTS: **Reminder** that If you have not paid your Rel Ed registration fee, please do by Nov. 11th ($25 per student). You may drop it in the basket, or send to the parish office. Please put to the attention of Amber or Sarah. Thank You!

