

St. Wenceslaus Catholic School in Wahoo will be hosting its **Parent Information meeting for Kindergarten for the 2017-18 school year** on Tuesday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. This will be an information meeting for the parents only. Parents will have the opportunity to sign your child up to attend a two hour Preview Session Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. or 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Please call the school office at (402) 443-3336 to register for the meeting and Preview Session.

St. Wenceslaus Catholic School in Wahoo will be hosting a **Parent Information meeting for PreKindergarten for the 2017-18 school year** on Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at the School. Parents are encouraged to call the school office at (402) 443-3336 ahead of time to register for this meeting. All pupils entering PreKindergarten must be 4 years old by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

Join the Music Boosters “Waffleman” fundraiser on Febr. 25 & 26? This single event provides well over half of the support of the Bishop Neumann Music Department and also the Elementary band needs of St. Wenceslaus and St. John’s. Thank you.

What a great way to start Lent by attending one of the Days of Recollection on Ash Wednesday, March 1, in Hastings and Waverly, or March 18 in Gretna. Take the time to prepare your hearts for remembering the sacrifice Jesus made for us and to thank Him for the suffering so that we could be saved and enter heaven. Remember that a true Lenten sacrifice is not only giving something up for Lent but also doing something extra.



We are excited to announce that our parish has subscribed to a dynamic new online platform called FORMED. Every parishioner will have 24/7 access to the best Catholic content on any device, including your computer, smartphone and tablet

with internet access. With FORMED you’ll find video programs that explain the Catholic faith, explore the deepest meaning of marriage, receive Bible studies on a variety of topics and includes inspiring audio talks. And you’ll find presenters like Dr. Tim Gray, Dr. Edward Sri, Dr. Mary Healey, Chris Stefanick, Dr. Scott Hahn and a lot more. They’re all part of our parish subscription. It truly is the Catholic faith - on demand.

Here’s how easy it is to get FORMED: go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org). You should see the registration box for parishioners. Now type in the parish code: HE29MB. Now set up a username – whatever username you’ll remember - and a password. You can keep it simple now and change it later if you want. Now you are all set to use all the great programs on FORMED.org anytime by simply logging in.

**Vocation Prayer of the Week**

*Please pray for:*

Matthew Prochaska, Assumption, Dwight  
St. Gregory the Great, College 3  
Lane Barnhill, Sts. Peter & Paul, Falls City  
St. Gregory the Great Seminary, College 3

**Fr. Mike Morin, Pastor**  
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The bulletin is posted online each weekend at:  
**[www.sjamescatholicchurch.com](http://www.sjamescatholicchurch.com)**

Bulletin Submissions: call the rectory or email to: [fr.mike-morin@cdolinc.net](mailto:fr.mike-morin@cdolinc.net) by noon on Friday.

Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:30 pm and Sunday 9:00 am.  
Confessions: Saturdays 4:30-5:15 / Sundays 8:15-8:45 / By appointment  
Weekday Masses: Monday thru Friday 7:00 am

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# St. James Catholic Church

## February 26, 2017

### Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon. February 27 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Tue. February 28 Weekday in Ordinary Time

**+** Wed. March 1 **Ash Wednesday**

Thu. March 2 Thursday after Ash Wednesday

Fri. March 3 St. Katherine Drexel

Sat. March 4 St. Casimir

### Mass Intentions

Saturday	February 25	5:30 pm	†People of the Parish
Sunday	February 26	9:00 am	†Stan Kucera
Monday	February 27	7:00 am	†Fr. Jim O'Connor
Tuesday	February 28	7:00 am	†Maria Dolinski
Wednesday	March 1	7:00 am	†Gerry Mathis
		7:00 pm	†Fr. Frank Murphy
Thursday	March 2	7:00 am	†Margaret Landuyt
Friday	March 3	7:00 am	†Stan Kucera
Saturday	March 4	5:30 pm	†Robbie Grote
Sunday	March 5	9:00 am	†People of the Parish



### Stations of the Cross Fridays of Lent 6:00 pm

### Minister Assignments

#### Wed. Mar. 1, 7am Wed. Mar. 1, 7pm

Acolytes	Ed Cherovsky	Al Lutkenhaus
Readers	Marie Gruenes	Craig Quick
Servers	Landon Montanio	Cameron Quick
	Chisum Wilson	Anthony Boone

#### Saturday, Mar. 4 Sunday, Mar. 5

Acolytes	Jeff Hageman	Dan Gruenes
Readers	Bob Hagemann	Patty Benal
Servers	Jake Whitney	Jerry Hageman
	Connor Johnson	Rocco Hageman

**Lenten Bible Study:** A six week Bible study on our Blessed Mother will be offered this Lent at St. James church on Sunday mornings (10AM – 11AM) starting March 5th. This is a great way to meet other members of the parish, while you grow in your knowledge of the bible. Sign up on the back table in the church entry way. Any questions please contact Bob or Becky Sabata at 402-443-6515 or Father Morin.

## Lent begins

this week with Ash Wednesday

Masses are at 7:00 am & 7:00 pm

### All-Night Adoration

March 4-5

Consider Taking an Hour

Signup in the Vestibule



#### February 18-19 Tithe

Adults	\$ 2,751.00
Loose	181.00
Children	6.57
Catholic Press	155.00
Second Collection	99.01
Total:	\$ 3,192.58

#### Monthly Obligations

St. Wenceslaus School	\$3,116.66
Bishop Neumann	8,247.00
Total Parish Expenses:	\$11,363.66

### Regulations for Fast and Abstinence:

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence.

All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

Fasting means eating only one full meal with two smaller meals, which together do not equal the full meal. No snacking or eating between meals is allowed. Fasting obliges all Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59.

Abstinence means eating no meat, and no soup or gravy made from meat. Abstinence obliges all Catholics over the age of 14. Sickness, hard manual labor, pregnancy, etc. automatically excuses a person from these obligations. Nevertheless, it should be pointed out that these are **serious obligations**. In cases of doubt or question, consult your priest.



**Encounter Lent**— Join our parish family—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl from the vestibule today, and don't forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl app! May these 40 days better prepare us to encounter ourselves, our neighbors and our God.

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**Bishop Neumann High School is looking for an experienced bookkeeper/business manager** to assist in managing our day-to-day accounting and finance requirements. Confidentiality, excellent organizational skills and accuracy are important qualifications. This is a full time position and we ask for a minimum two years accounting experience including accounts payable, accounts receivable, payroll, financial reports and budgeting. Experience with Quickbooks is preferred. Contact Fr. Morin at 402-443-4151 or [fr.mike-morin@cdolinc.net](mailto:fr.mike-morin@cdolinc.net) for more information.

**Parish Secretary Needed** – Due to a retirement, St. John Nepomucene and St. Vitus will have a job opening for a Parish Secretary, starting in March. Those interested, please submit an application to P.O. Box 10; Attn: Fr. Vandewalle. The Church Secretary is a paid position; 20 hours per week; no benefits. Computer skills, attention to detail and discretion are requirements for this position. Along with a resume, please include a description of why you might like to be Parish Secretary. Or for more information, call Fr. Vandewalle 402-642-5245.

