



Custer County Catholic Communities

St. Joseph, Broken Bow
St. Anselm, Anselmo
Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary,
Sargent

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And raising his eyes
toward his disciples
[Jesus] said: "Blessed are
you who are poor, for the
kingdom of God is yours."

Luke 6:20

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



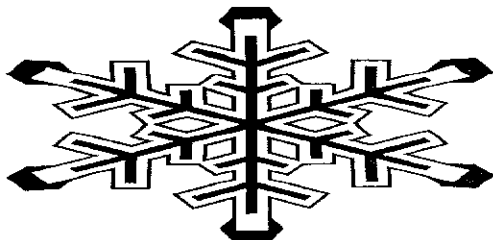
Contribution Statements are available for your 2018 donations to any of the three churches. Please call or email the parish office and we will prepare your statement to mail to you or you may come and pick it up. Thanks for your continuing support of your church.

Mass Schedule: Febr. 18th to Febr. 24th

Mon. 5:00 pm — Anselmo *Janet Finney†*
Tues. 9:00 am — Broken Bow *Don Denesia*
Wed. 5:00 pm — Sargent *Ben Barnhart†*
Thurs. 9:00 am — Broken Bow *Mike McGinn Family*
Fri. NO MASS
Sat. 5:00 pm — Broken Bow *People of the Parishes*
Servers: Dylan Schmidt, Evan Cyboron
Sat. 7:00 pm — Sargent *Karen O'Neill†*
Servers: Elissa Kipp, Cassidy Grint
Sun. 8:30 am — Anselmo *People of the Parishes*
Servers: MaShayla Burnett, Mackenzie Burnett
Sun. 10:30 am — Broken Bow *Mike Christen†*
Servers: Chauncey Watson, Cash Watson

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:30 pm at Broken Bow
or Any Time by Request



Events This

Week

Febr. 17th

Coffee & Rolls after Mass at
St. Anselms
St. Mary's Potluck &
Family Game Night—5:00 pm

Febr. 18th

Catholic Daughters Mtg
7:00 pm

Febr. 19th

BBow Men's Bible Study
7 pm—Church Basement

Febr. 20th

Religious Education Classes
Anselmo-6:30 pm
Sargent-6:30 pm
Broken Bow-7:00 pm

Febr. 21st

BBow PCCW Meeting
9:30am—Judy Fehringer home
419 S. 22nd

Febr. 24th

Sister Parish Bake Sale
St. Anselm—after Mass

Stewardship

Last

Weekend's Collections

St. Joseph:

Regular: \$2,505.06
Mission Fund: \$5.00
Utilities: \$15.00

St. Anselm:

Regular: \$521.00
Sister Parish: \$40.00

Blessed Virgin Mary:

Regular: \$822.00

Thank you very much
for your generosity
each week!



Congratulations to Lydia Claire Smith, daughter of Jack and Jill (Deaver) Smith, who was baptized at St. Mary's Church last weekend. We welcome you and we rejoice with you!!!

Yearly dues for members of St. Mary's Altar Society and St. Joseph's PCCW can be paid at this time. Dues are \$20. In Sargent dues can be given to your circle chairman, Marlene Sasek or direct deposited in the Altar Society account at the Sargent bank. In Broken Bow please feel free to put your check or cash in an envelope labeled PCCW and place it in a weekend mass collection.



Confirmation Retreat

Twelve confirmation candidates from St. Joseph and St. Anselm attended a retreat last Sunday presented by Michael Christen. Through this experience students discovered ways to continue their mission as confirmed Catholics using the gifts given by the Holy Spirit.

Front row: Traiven Campbell, Teagan Kennel, Alyssa Cyboron, MaShayla Burnett, BaiLee McMillan, Tashia Burnett, Courtney Kastens. Back row: Falan Ryan, Tim Finney, Destry Miller, Jace Leibhart and Drew Drake.



2018 Diocesan Appeal Update

St. Joseph/Broken Bow-Parish Goal: \$15,270.00

Total Raised: \$20,490.58

Total Received: \$18,720.58

St. Anselm/Anselmo-Merna-Parish Goal: \$6,416.00

Total Raised: \$7,175.16

Total Received: \$6,975.16

Assumption of BVM/Sargent-Parish Goal: \$4,701.00

Total Raised: \$6,865.00

Total Received: \$6,648.00

A Message from Fr. Jim: Jesus said, "Blessed are you who are poor, for the kingdom of God is yours." Jesus announced that the blessings of the kingdom are already present to his disciples. In the Beatitudes Jesus sets forth the ideals of the kingdom and gives a model for thinking and acting as we await the fullness of God's reign. How do I measure "success" in life? How does my yardstick for success measure up to the Beatitudes?

* **St. Mary's Family Game Night and Potluck Dinner**
Sunday February 17th—5:00 pm—
Potluck Dinner followed by a Night of Games—
SAVE THE DATE and make plans to attend
Call Janice Beran at 527-4104 for more information.

Letters of Recommendation—Now is the time of year when many of our high school seniors and college students are in the process of applying for scholarships. Fr. Jim will be happy to write letters of recommendation for any of our students. Please ask him right away.

Burnett Scholarship Application Forms may be picked up at the Parish Office or use <https://goo.gl/MthTiw> to download the form off Google Drive on the internet. 2019 graduating Seniors and all undergraduate college students who are parishioners at any Custer County parish are eligible for this scholarship. The application and all supporting documents (including letters of recommendation) must be submitted to the office by March 1st, 2019.

Food Pantry: During the month of February, St. Joseph parishioners are asked to contribute to the Food Pantry. Any non-perishable food items and paper products will be gratefully accepted. Donations can be left in the designated area in the back of church.

OPERATION LUNCHBOX

Q: Who will be treated to pop floats at St. Joseph?

A: Whichever Faith Formation class donates the most items for the Broken Bow Food Pantry and the Ansley Backpack program during February! Here are the totals so far: PS - 12; K - 8; 1st - 0; 2nd - 1; 3rd - 1; 4th - 0; 5th - 13; 6th - 2; 7th - 2; 8th - 10; 9th - 1; 10th - 1; 11th - 7; 12th - 1. There are only 2 weeks left in the competition, so remember to bring your non-perishable food items and paper products to class by Feb. 27th!

The Grand Island Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will present 3 Lenten Retreats:

Sat. Mar. 2nd- 8:30 am-2:00 pm Mountain Time

All Saints Church in Hyannis—Speaker: Fr. Lou Nollette

Sat. Mar. 9th—8:30 am Central Time

St. Ann's Church in Lexington—Speaker: Deacon Neil Baquet

Sat. Mar. 23rd—8:30 am-12 pm Central Time

St. Joseph's Church in Broken Bow—Speaker: Fr. Vidya Sagar Arikotla