

St. Francis Altar Society

Duties for the month of February 1-29th

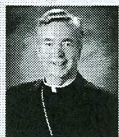
Funeral Dinners—7; Albs—9

Coffee Hour—10; No Duty—6

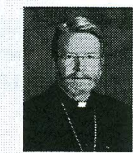
Lent starts this week with Ash Wednesday. Upcoming events will be the Rite of Election on February 21, 2016 with reception for candidates.

If you are interested in joining the Altar Society, contact Jody Sherman, Sandy Fontana, Mary Ellen Daughtery, Jill Myatt or Ann Kniesel for more information.

Northwest Catholic Men's Conference



Most Rev. Peter Christensen
Bishop of Boise



Most Rev. Liam Cary
Bishop of Baker



Fr. Kumar Udagandia
Pastor, St. Mary's, Pendleton



Mark Shea
Author



Fr. Theodore Lange
Oregon State Chaplain of
Knights of Columbus

Conference Speakers:

Conference begins Friday at 4 p.m. with registrations and ends Saturday at 5 p.m. with a final blessing.

Cost is \$40 includes 3 meals

Fathers and sons, ages 15 and up, are welcome

Registration forms and additional information available at www.nwcmg.com or call St. Mary's Parish (541) 276-3615

Pendleton Convention Center
Pendleton, Oregon

Religious Education

Lent which starts February 10, on Ash Wednesday our Religious Education youth will again participate in Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl. It is a faith-in-action program that will help the youth and their family experience Lenten spirituality by living in solidarity with people in need around the world.

They will receive a cardboard CRS Rice Bowl and Lenten Calendar to guide them in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Some things they can do during Lent are read stories of Hope and daily reflections, they can also prepare simple meatless meals on Fridays, and watch videos of the people and communities whose lives have been changed by Lenten gifts (visit crsricebowl.org).

Join our youth and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States-in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. If you have questions or concerns about the program call Tammy at the parish office. Remember, what you give up for Lent changes lives.

**No RE on Wednesday, February 10
Ash Wednesday Mass at 9AM and 7PM.**

Knights of Columbus

Ladies!!

ARE YOU WONDERING WHAT TO GET YOUR HUSBAND or SON FOR VALENTINES??

A ticket to the Northwest Catholic Men's Conference, February 26-27th in Pendleton, Oregon?? It is a 'powerful feeling' to be with a bunch of men packed in a Conference Center, all praying the Our Father together. Your husband may not be able to explain when he comes home; I wasn't either; But I'm glad I went; **I'm going again.**

Covenant of Love - February 20, 2016

Date Night Saturday, February 20th @ 7:00 PM Old Antler's Building, Corner of 1st & Washington.

Couples of all ages are welcome to attend. Come enjoy a relaxing evening with other couples

Please bring an appetizer to share and a beverage of your choice. Ben and Cynthia Norton will be hosting.

Contact Cynthia Norton at 541-523-5652 for more

2015 St. Francis Food Bank Receipts

	Total Visits	Adult	Child
1st Quarter	115	1.25	.69
2nd Quarter	106	1.14	.63
3rd Quarter	131	1.08	.59
4th Quarter	161	1.84	1.02
Total	513		