Navigator NEWSLETTER

November 2026



Upcoming Events & Opportunities

- 😄 Nominate Someone Who Deserves a Smile! Omaha Orthodontics is giving two people complimentary orthodontic treatment! Submit a nomination with your contact information and a letter sharing their story by November 13. Winners announced November 25.

- 🎁Christmas Blessings Event – North Bend: November 15 | 1–4 PM

- 🎄Tangier Shrine Feztival of Trees – Omaha: November 21–28

- 🦃Free Thanksgiving Dinner –

1. Norfolk: November 22 | 11:30 AM–1:00 PM | Westridge United Methodist Church

   AND

2. Fremont: November 26 | 11:30 AM–1:30 PM | Midland University Dining Hall. To volunteer, contact Eric at 402-720-6359.

Christmas is Coming...

- 🎄 Salvation Army Christmas Assistance– Applications are open for families! Apply as soon as possible at saangeltree.org.

- 🎅 USPS Operation Santa – Mail your letter to Santa, 123 Elf Road, North Pole, 88888. Include your return address and a First-Class stamp on the envelope. Visit uspsoperationsanta.com for details.

Help for Everyday Needs

🚚 Mobile Food Distributions:

- November 14 – West Point: Salvation Army, 200 Anna Stalp Ave. | 8:15–9:15 AM
- November 14 – Yutan: St. John's Lutheran Church | 10–11 AM
- November 16 – Wahoo: Saunders County Fairgrounds | 11 AM–Noon
- November 16 – Cedar Bluffs: St. Matthew's Lutheran Church | 2–3 PM
- Mondays – Norfolk: Salvation Army weekly produce giveaway | 9 AM–Noon. Call 402-379-4663 to confirm

*Additional food pantry information can be found at findhelp.org.



Contact Info

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EVERYONE WELCOME!

Fremont Community Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday November 26th, 2026

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

MIDLAND UNIVERSITY DINING HALL
940 EAST 9TH ST, FREMONT NE

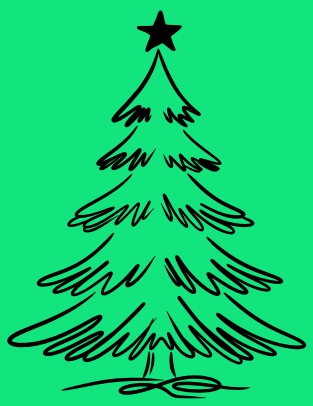
NO CHARGE - FREE WILL DONATION

NO TAKE OUT OR DELIVERIES

Volunteers welcome!

Contact Eric: 402-720-6359





Christmas blessings

Sunday, November 15, 2026

1:00-4:00 p.m. at the North Bend Auditorium

Sponsored by the churches of North Bend

United Presbyterian Church, St. Charles Catholic Church, and St. Peter's Lutheran Church

The Christmas Blessings event tried to encourage the true meaning of the Christmas spirit – giving. There might be items around your house that have been outgrown or maybe not needed any more that someone else may really need or want. This is the opportunity to exchange those items for things that you do need with other people **FOR FREE!** Now is the time to go through those closets, toy boxes, storage tubs, or basements and take out those clean, gently used items you don't use or need. It is not required to donate items to be able to come shop for **FREE** at the event.

Donations can be dropped of at the

North Bend Auditorium

741 Main St, North Bend NE

- Friday, Nov 13th 3:30-7:00 p.m
- Saturday, Nov. 14th 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

How can you help?

- Donate items
- Volunteer your time

Please contact one of the churches to sign up for a time

- Distribute flyers about the event

Items Typically Donated

Children's Toys
Clothing
Kitchen Items
Jewelry
Shoes
Coats
Winter Boots
Hats & Gloves
Holiday Decorations
Home Decorations
Christmas Trees
Homemade Holiday Cookies
and much more

All items left over will be donated to a local charity.

If you have questions, please contact

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