

FEBRUARY 17, 2019
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PARISH NEWS

DATES & EVENTS:



FEBRUARY 26, 2018, BSS PTO
“EAT OUT” - The 3rd quarter PTO ‘Eat Out’ fundraiser will be held on February 26th from 4pm-10pm at **Don and Millie's** on 56th and hwy. 2. Please mention Blessed Sacrament upon ordering and we will receive 20% of the total sale. Thank you for supporting PTO and Blessed Sacrament School!

SCRIP NEWS: Scrip will not be available on Sunday 2/17 due to the LOTW retreat. You may purchase Scrip in the school office during office hours, or call ahead and they can help get your order ready for you.



FEBRUARY 19, 2019, PIUS X BAND FUNDRAISER - Join us for one more dine out night to benefit the Nashville trip! This final one will be at **Jimmy John's** at 6891 A Street from 5-9 p.m. on Tuesday, February 19th. They will give us 20% of sales. Please tell your family and friends! Thanks for always supporting the band!



FEBRUARY 23, 2019, MUSIC NOTES - Huge thanks to the girls who offer their love of singing to enhance our worship! Thanks, too, to all the families supporting

Mass Intentions

Monday

6:30 A.M. † Jim LaFollette

8:20 A.M. † Robert Eickmeier

Tuesday

6:30 A.M. † Wallace Podwinski

8:20 A.M. † Walter & Katherine Broer

Wednesday

6:30 A.M. † All Souls

8:20 A.M. † Hindman Family

Thursday

6:30 A.M. For the Priests of the Diocese

8:20 A.M. For John Rokke

Friday

6:30 A.M. For Kevin Clark & Family

8:20 A.M. † Fr. Casey Porada

Saturday

8:30 A.M. † Barbara Metz

5:30 P.M. † Fr. Casey Porada

Sunday

8:30 A.M. For Beth Livingston

10:00 A.M. For Bonnie & Marv Evert

11:30 A.M. For the Parish

“BLESSED ARE YOU WHO ARE POOR, FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS YOURS.” LUKE 6:17

SERVERS

SAT. FEBRUARY 23, 5:30 p.m.: John Hudgens, Thaddeus Kucera, Aaron Le, A.J. Masek; **SUN.**

FEBRUARY 24, 8:30 a.m.: Julian De Luna Alvarado, Dahrin Hernandez, Angel Huerta, Lane Kallhoff, **10:00**

a.m.: Hayden Larson, Isaac Hughes, Isaak Hogeland, Tayden Gentrup; **11:30 a.m.:** Sharoon Bi, Mitchell Champoux, Anthony Gonzalez, Justin Leggott;

****Please find a sub if you are unable to come at your appointed time.**

GREETERS/GIFT BEARERS FOR FEBRUARY 23-24, 2019

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. ~ William & Andrea Peterson

Sunday, 8:30 a.m. - Mark Tate

10:00 a.m. - Dennis & Heather Leschinsky

11:30 a.m. ~ Sam & Sharon Bethune

Please find a sub if your are unable to come at your appointed time.



our music ministry -- we'd be lost without you! Girls' Choir sings again Sat., Feb. 23rd. We'll meet in the choir loft at 4:15 p.m. & stay to sing for the 5:30 p.m. vigil Mass. All 4th through 8th grade girls are always welcome to sing with the Girls' Choir, so invite a friend! If you'd like to receive email updates about Girls' Choir, please contact Hannah Jo Smith at hannahjosmith@yahoo.com.



MARCH 2, 2019 – TABLE FOR TEN
– Join us on March 2nd at the Lincoln Firefighters' Reception Hall for an

evening of fun and entertainment to benefit the Blessed Sacrament endowment fund.

Tickets are \$75 per person. Table for Ten features a catered dinner, open bar, silent auction and a live action "whodunit?" mystery game with improv actors from Farce & Foolery Productions. We are assigning registrants to tables now. Seats are still available! Please register online at blessedsacramentlincoln.org to join us for a fun and festive night to celebrate our parish and support our school.

THE LIVING ROSARY: "If you say the rosary faithfully unto death, I do assure you that, in spite of the gravity of your sins, you will receive a never fading crown of glory."-St. Louis de Montfort. Call Jan at 402-438-2506. NO MEETINGS. NO DUES.

THE TRAVELING MADONNA: The Legion of Mary is pleased to make available to you a Fatima Statue, which you can have in your home for a week or two. We know that devotion to Mary will bring us closer to her Son. If you or family members are ill or you have problems of any kind, or have no problems at all but have a desire to grow closer to Jesus through Mary who is better to turn to than the Mother of Jesus? Please call Betty at (402) 423-6236 to make arrangements to have the Fatima statue in your home. There is NO FEE.

BLESSED SACRAMENT PRAYER LINE: Call Lynn at 477-6252 to have parish prayer line members intercede for your intentions.

FORMED.ORG - Please remember that the parish has paid for the Formed.org subscription. So please go and log on to the following link www.blessedsacramentlincoln.formed.org and set up an account if you have not done so yet. There are many great informative items about the catholic faith on the website.

ONLINE GIVING & TEXT TO GIVE TO BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH & SCHOOL - You Don't Have to Take a Rain Check on Your Tithe. Even when the weather is bad and you can't make it on Sunday, you can still tithe! With ParishSOFT Giving, you can give from anywhere and even set up contributions in advance. This creates a safer flow of cash for Blessed Sacrament Church and School because we know when we can expect your support, and it allows you to participate in giving even when you can't make it here. Look for the link on www.blessedsacramentlincoln.org or you can **Text-to-Give the \$ amt.** you want to give to **1-402-347-4295** and they will text a form to you and you fill that out with your info and it will be done.



KNIGHTS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST -

We are pleased to announce the launch of our redesigned, expanded prayer downloads page! Choose from over 100 prayers, including prayers for the intercession of particular saints, prayers by saints, the Stations of the Cross, the Stations of the Resurrection, daily prayers, prayers for adoration, novenas, chaplets, Marian

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS:

KARI SAWYER, COLE BARNES, SETH &
KAREN VONTZ, TASHA & GARRETT
RUBENDALL, JESSE & DAO
STARITA

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR

NEWLY BAPTIZED:

BAKER TIMOTHY BEAL,
LEAH CATHERINE FLORIAN



prayers, prayers for various needs and intentions, and more. There's something for everyone, Catholic and non-Catholic alike! You can view the prayers online, or you can download and print them in a PDF format. Please spread the word so that as many people as possible can take advantage of this wealth of traditional prayers! Let us all join together in prayer for those in need, for the Church, and for our world, which needs Our Lord so much. God bless you as we await the beginning of the holy season of Lent. <https://www.knightsoftheholyeucharist.com/prayer-downloads/>

YOUTH, SCHOOL & CCD NEWS

FEBRUARY 18, & MARCH 1, 2019, NO SCHOOL
- Please plan accordingly.



FEBRUARY 20, 2019, TUITION CHANGES – Learn about the new Diocesan Scholarship, Blessed

Sacrament's Parish Scholarships, and how they will affect the tuition you will pay for the 2019-2020 school year. Join us **Wednesday, February 20th at 7:00 p.m. in the school gym.**

MARCH 3, 2019, MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM - "Fearfully and Wonderfully Made" for girls age 10-13 and their mother will be held Sunday, March 3rd, from 1 - 4 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$20 per mother/daughter or \$30 per family. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/mother-daughter-program>. Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email jmdavis17@gmail.com.

MARCH 17, 2019, FATHER/SON PROGRAM - "In His Image" for boys age 10-14 & their father will be held Sun., March 17th, from 1:30-4:30 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up & becoming a man. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$20 per father/son or \$30 per family. To reg.,

visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/father-son-program>. Questions, please call the NFP Offices 402-473-0630 or email naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net.

TOTUS TUUS FOR 2019 - the Totus Tuus Dates are as follows - June 16-21, 2019. We will have a sign up available in the future for that. Please put on your calendars now.

CAMP KATERI SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION - Registration is now open for SKY Camp (Grades 5-7), SKY Teens (Grades 8-9) and Leadership Camp (Grades 6-9). For more information, or to register for these camps, go to www.campkateri.org.

SKY CAMP & LEADERSHIP CAMP VOLUNTEER COUNSELORS NEEDED - Camp Kateri is now accepting applications for high school volunteer counselors for SKY and Leadership Camp. For more information, or to download an application, please go to www.campkateri.org.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



BLESSED SACRAMENT COUNCIL 11001

FEBRUARY 20, 2019, HINDMAN FAMILY MEMORIAL ROSARY - held in the Church starting at 6:15 p.m.

FEBRUARY 24, 2019, Coffee and Rolls – will be hosted by the K of C in the gym. Come join in fellowship and some donuts.

ATTENTION - THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - have a kiosk in the back of the Church with several educational booklets to help strengthen the domestic church (our families). Take a look and feel free to take any booklet(s) of interest.

PRO-LIFE NEWS

MARCH 6, 2019, 40 DAYS FOR LIFE - 40 Days for Life will begin on Ash Wed., March 6th & go



to April 14th at Planned Parenthood, 5631 S. 48th St. To date 99 abortion centers where 40 Days for Life vigils have been held have gone out of business. Pregnancy resource centers now outnumber abortion providers 3-1. Sign up will be available in the back of church, on the website 40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/Lincoln, or by contacting Mary at 402-617-2769. Please consider participating in this powerful witness by signing up for an hour as a means of prayer & fasting (from your time & comfort) during Lent. Blessed Sacrament has been assigned the hours between 6 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Wed. Join other parishes in prayer if those times do not work with your schedule. Their lives depend on us.

SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

PERPETUAL ADORATION

"Do you realize that Jesus is there in the Tabernacle expressly for you, for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart." - St. Therese of Lisieux

Adorers are needed for these open hours: **Sun.** - 3 a.m., 4 a.m., 5 a.m., 2 p.m., 11 p.m., 12 Mid.; **Mon.** - 1 a.m. (three times a month), 2 a.m., 3 a.m.; **Tues.** - 3 a.m.; **Wed.** 2 a.m.; **Thurs.** - 2 a.m., 3 a.m.; **Fri.** - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m. (twice a month), 4 a.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m., 12 mid. (twice a month); **Sat.** - 4 a.m., 11 p.m., 12 Mid.

If interested in becoming an adorer or a sub, or for more information, contact one of the coordinators listed below: Lois Korinek-402-423-1949, Cathy Rokke-402-423-6844, Kathy Wobig-402-423-1883



OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE - With the world in

such turmoil we all ask, is **MY** heart at rest or is God calling me to "come away to a quiet place and abide with Him". Hear **His** soft & serene voice in the still silence of a retreat. He wants to give you **HIS** Love & **HIS** Mercy and the Peace that only **HE** can give!

UPCOMING RETREATS:

- * American Saints & Heroic Virtue - **Feb. 22nd-24th, 2019**, Fr. Angelus Montgomery, CFR, Franciscan Friars of the Renewal
- * St. Teresa of Avila in Light of the Joy of the Gospel- **March 8th-10th, 2019**, Fr. Karl Millis, Lenten Retreat w/Carmelite Spirituality

You can register at www.goodcounselretreat.com and receive immediate confirmation or call Good Counsel Retreat House at 402-786-2705.



THE BISHOP'S LAY COMMITTEE FOR VOCATIONS has produced a Seminarian Prayer Calendar for parishes and Catholic schools in the Diocese. Each seminarian is given a specific week during which we are encouraged as a parish to pray for that specific seminarian. The following is a list of the seminarians to pray for during Feb. 2019:

Feb. 17th-23rd: Louden Daniel Redinger
Feb. 24th-March 2nd: Augustine Xavier Reimers

MARCH 11-APRIL 8, 2019 SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES LENTEN SERIES—The theme for the 2019 Lenten Series is Spiritual Disciplines & will be held at St. Teresa's, 36th & Randolph St. in Lincoln from 7:30-8:30 p.m. on the Mons. of Lent, March 11th-April 8th.

MARCH 15-16, 2019, 2-DAY UNBOUND CONFERENCE - Participants will learn about Unbound through live presentations & videos and how it teaches 5 simple "keys" to break the chains of emotional, spiritual and mental bondage and unlock the doors to freedom. Lourdes Central Catholic School- Nebraska City NE, Fri., March 15th- 6-9 p.m. & Sat., March 16th, 8-5 p.m. The event is free but reg. is required. Please register by going to lincolndiocese.org/unbound.

MARCH 22-23, 2019, IMMACULEE ILIBAGIZA RETREAT - Come to a weekend retreat to be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church in West Point, March 22nd-23rd. Immaculee Ilibagiza, a survivor of the 1994 Rwandan Genocide & author of the book "Left to Tell", will bring her message of forgiveness, healing, & hope to all who attend. Give the

gift of experiencing her powerful journey & remarkable message. Cost is \$57 for one or \$76 for two. For details, tickets, and to register visit www.immaculee.com, or contact RaNae O'Brien at ranaeobrien1@gmail.com.

SUPPORT GROUPS & EDUCATION

FEBRUARY 20, & 26, 2019, NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING - Creighton Model Introductory Sessions, Wed., Feb. 20th, or Tues., Feb 26th, at 7 p.m. Pre-registration is required. For more info. call 402-488-2040 or go online to register or download a registration form at www.lincolndiocese.org/nfp.

FEBRUARY 24, 2019, CALIX SOCIETY - Are you in a 12-Step Recovery Program and want to relate your recovery to our Catholic Faith? You are invited to join The Calix Society of Lincoln on Sun., Feb. 24th at Madonna, 5401 South St., in Ryan Memorial Chapel. Mass is at 5:15 p.m., followed by refreshments & discussion. Call Larry at 402-419-9058 if you have any questions.

MARCH 19, 2019, HEALING HEARTS SUPPORT SESSIONS - for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one are being offered to assist Catholics in the grief process. The sessions will be held on 6 weekly Tues. evenings beginning March 19th, 7-9 p.m., at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 37th & Sheridan Blvd. Suggested Donation: \$25 (for materials). To register, please call 402-473-0620.



MARCH 29-31, 2019, MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER - A GET-AWAY WEEKEND - Do you need a vacation? Give yourself & your spouse time away from the pressures of work & everyday responsibilities. Enjoy a chance to talk & listen to that special someone who loves you! Enrich your relationship by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Our next weekend is in Hastings, NE at Comfort Inn. For more info. call Pat & Janelle Benson (308) 940-1105. Or visit WWME.org. *Deadline to register is 1 month prior to the date of the weekend*

ADDITIONAL NEWS

FEBRUARY 23, 2019, RECHARGE: A DAY FOR CATHOLIC MEN – at St. Mary Church, Sutton, NE, from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. “Recharge” is an opportunity for men to take a day away from all the other things going on in their lives and dig into the meaning and methods of being the leader God has called each man to be. It will be led by Fr. Michael Zimmer, Vern Steiner, Jon Marcotte, and John Lillyman. The suggested donation is \$50, which includes breakfast and lunch. To RSVP or to get more info., contact Bob Sullivan at 402-469-5149 or bobsullivan402@gmail.com.

FEBRUARY 25, 2019, INTRODUCTION TO DELIVERANCE - Have you ever wondered... exactly what **IS** deliverance & how does it fit into our Catholic Faith? The Diocesan Office of Evangelization/Unbound Ministry will be hosting an evening consisting of four 20 min. talks. This is open to **ALL**: laity, religious, clergy, members of the Christian community & anyone who would like a better understanding of the meaning of deliverance & how each person can benefit from it. Join us at Sehnerts Café, 312 Norris Ave. McCook, NE on Mon., Feb. 25th, from 6-7:30 p.m. Questions? Contact Annette at annette-wemhoff@cdolinc.net or call 402-473-0619.

MARCH 19, 2019, OUT OF THE DARKNESS IS BORN THE LIGHT- ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA - This Lent you're invited to an evening of prayer & reflection with a backdrop of the arts taking place in the natural beauty of Holy Family Shrine on Tues. evening, March 19th from 6-8:30 p.m. Music by Nikolas Barger & Karla Fitz beginning at 6 p.m. Mass starting at 6:30 p.m. An art exhibit will follow in the atrium & a brief presentation & book signing by artist & author of [Light Collection](#), Diane Reiber. Holy Family Shrine is located at 23132 Pflug Road, Gretna, NE. For those wishing to purchase [Light Collection](#) please bring cash or check.

APRIL 6, 2019, 13TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY CONFERENCE – held at St. Thomas More Parish in Manhattan, KS. The presenter for this year is Sarah Hart, who is one of the leading figures in contemporary Catholic music today. Conference is from 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., & there is childcare available. Please register at <http://bit.ly/WomConference> or email Rosie Rundell at formation@sevendolors.com.



APRIL 7, 2019, TABLE OF ST. GREGORY BENEFIT BANQUET - Save the Date for Sun., April 7th! St. Gregory the Great Seminary is holding its 1st

Benefit Banquet to help support the seminarians & various projects at the Seminary. The “Table of St. Gregory” will begin at 5 p.m. with sung Vespers (evening prayer) presided by Bishop Conley, followed by cocktails & Open House, & concluding with a plated dinner at 6:30 p.m. served by the seminarians. To make reservations or to find out more info, please call the Seminary at (402) 643-4052 or email us at events@sggs.edu. We hope to see you there!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY - Our diocesan newspaper, the Southern Nebraska Register, is looking for more volunteer proofreaders. The team meets Tues. at 10 a.m. at the John XXIII Center in Lincoln to edit the week’s newspaper. Experience or knowledge of newspaper styles is appreciated. If interested, please email register@lincolndiocese.org.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - STUDENT SUPPORT INTERN - The Education Technology department for the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Lincoln have an immediate opening for a Student Support Intern. Applicants must be college students who do not graduate before May 2021, is at least 21 years old, and able to work 15-30 hours a week. This student intern position will prepare equipment for deployment to the schools, including assembly, disassembly and configuration of various hardware components, as well as installation and configuration of software. This position will also be

responsible for maintenance of said equipment at the schools. For more information, see the full job description at <https://www.lincolndiocese.org/school-employment>. To apply, send letter of interest and resume to jobs@cdolinc.net. No calls, please.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - Villa Marie School is seeking to hire an after-school helper from 3:15 – 8:15 p.m. on Tuesday evenings (and possibly to sub on other nights.) Must be a high school graduate willing to work with and supervise special needs children. For more information, please call the school at 402-786-3625 or email sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL, PRINCIPAL - St. Joseph School will be hiring a Principal beginning with the 2019-20 school year. The Principal of St. Joseph School takes the lead on all academics, instruction, & programming within St. Joseph School, preschool-8th grade. The Principal reports directly to the Pastor of St. Joseph School with regard to the daily operation & academic performance of the school. Working with other members within the school, the Principal participates fully in the life of the school, & maintains a strong, rigorous curriculum that is relevant & challenging. In cooperation with the School Sisters of Christ the King, the Principal will bring faculty, staff, students & parents together in ways that reflect St. Joseph School’s commitment to build up the Kingdom of God thru faith, knowledge & loving service. Interested applicants may send a cover letter & a resume to Sr. Mary Cecilia sr.mary-cecilia@cdolinc.net.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection (February 10, 2019)	
Envelopes	\$ 8,121.00
Plate	667.42
<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>5,685.32</u>
Total Stewardship:	\$14,473.74
Total Weekly Parish Need:	\$18,095.00