

# March 20, 2022 | The Third Sunday of Lent

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**Weekly Mass Schedule**

Mon.-Fri.: 6:30 a.m., 8:20 a.m. Sat.: 8:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.

Sun.: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

**Holy Days of Obligation:** As Scheduled in the Bulletin

**Reconciliation Schedule**

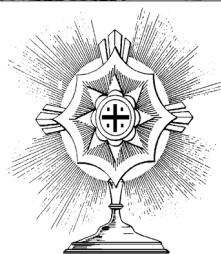
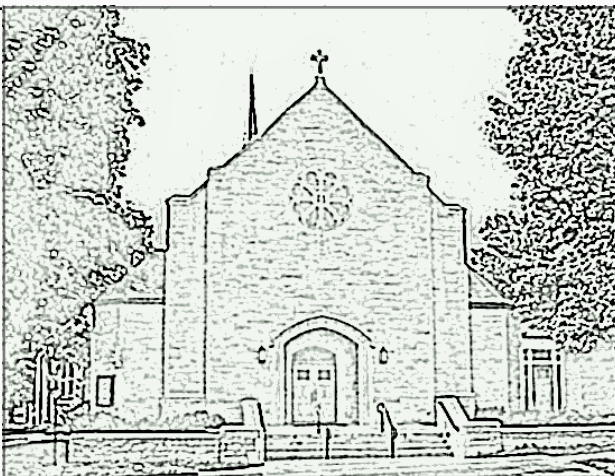
15 minutes before all the weekday Masses

Saturday: 8:00-8:25 a.m.,

4:30-5:20 p.m., 6:30-7:00 p.m.

**Baptisms:** Baptism Instruction Class are held the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the school meeting room. Call the rectory to register for the class.

**Marriage Preparation:** Please call the rectory for more information. You will need a minimum of 4 months to do marriage preparation, 6-12 months is preferred.



## Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church & School

**COMBINED COLLECTION** - Since the foundation of the Church it has been the tradition of the Christian community to share goods because the believers were all of "one heart and mind" (Acts 4:32). One of the principal tasks of the Apostles in the early Church was to collect goods and redistribute them in an equitable way: "There was no needy person among them, for those who owned property or houses would sell them, bring the proceeds of the sale, and put them at the feet of the apostles, and they were distributed to each according to need" (Acts 4:34-35). We take up this collection to help national missions in the world. You can use the envelope in your envelope packet or go online to [www.blessedsacramentlincoln.org](http://www.blessedsacramentlincoln.org) and donate to the combined collection. Please be generous.

### † STATIONS OF THE CROSS †



Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays during Lent at 2:50 p.m. & 7 p.m. Please join us for this beautiful Lenten Devotion.

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday - March 19<sup>th</sup>

5:30 P.M. Bernadette Pella

#### Sunday - March 20<sup>th</sup>

8:30 A.M. People of the Parish

10:00 A.M. † Members of Legion of Mary

11:30 A.M. † Joe Smith

#### Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>

6:30 A.M. † Fred Baxendale

8:20 A.M. † Gary Smedra

#### Tuesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

6:30 A.M. † Cal Wells

8:20 A.M. † Dorothy Pfeifer

#### Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>

6:30 A.M. † Janet Kotopka

8:20 A.M. † David Wesely

#### Thursday - March 24<sup>th</sup>

6:30 A.M. † Robert M. Garcia, Sr.

8:20 A.M. † Elaine Kay Staska

#### Friday - March 25<sup>th</sup>

6:30 A.M. † Elizabeth Kaczka

8:20 A.M. † Carrie Fielder

#### Saturday - March 26<sup>th</sup>

8:30 A.M. † Robert M. Garcia, Sr.

5:30 P.M. † Frank Duff

#### Sunday - March 27<sup>th</sup>

8:30 A.M. † Tony & Lillian Coniglio

10:00 A.M. † Elaine Kay Staska

11:30 A.M. People of the Parish

### PARISH NEWS

#### DATES & EVENTS:

**MARCH 22, 2022, ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** - The Meeting will be on Tuesday, located in the meeting room at 6:30 p.m. Are you on the email list? If not send a message to [bscaltarsociety@gmail.com](mailto:bscaltarsociety@gmail.com). Any questions contact Amy Lambert 308-636-6010.

**MARCH 25, 2021, FISH FRY** – Drive-Thru and/or Dine-In (Pending Local Restrictions) Serving Baked Fish, or Fried Fish, Fries, Coleslaw, Pickle & Dessert. \$10 per Meal – Accepting Cash, Check or Charge Card. All meals served from 5-7 p.m. at the Blessed Sacrament School Gym, 1725 Lake St., on the corner of 17<sup>th</sup> & Lake St., near Bryan West.

**MARCH 25, 2021, DESSERTS & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** – Altar Society will be providing desserts and will need volunteers for the KOC Fish Fridays March 25<sup>th</sup>, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>. We provide desserts and help K of C serve & clean up. All desserts welcome: pies especially popular & requested. Up to five helpers are needed each Friday.

**MARCH 26, 2022, GIRLS' CHOIR:** Girls in 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades are welcome to sing with the Girls' Choir anytime - no previous experience necessary. Rehearsal begins in the choir loft at 4:15 p.m. & we stay to sing for the 5:30 p.m. vigil Mass. Deepest thanks to the girls' who share their beautiful voices with our worshipping community; our parish is blessed by your gift of music. Contact Hannah Jo Smith for more info. at [hannahjosmith@yahoo.com](mailto:hannahjosmith@yahoo.com).

**APRIL 9, 2022, EASTER EGG HUNT** - The Altar Society is sponsoring an Easter Egg Hunt on April 9<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. in Stransky Park. Kids 10 & under are welcome. The Easter Bunny will be present for photo opportunities! **We are asking for candy donations for the eggs. Please drop the candy off in the bride's room by March 27<sup>th</sup> to allow time to stuff the eggs.**

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY – BLESSED SACRAMENT SCHOOL – FULL-TIME COOK** - This position involves cooking in a school cafeteria 5 days a week. Hours will be about 6:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Contact Jennifer Tran at 402-476-6202 or [Jennifer-Tran@cdolinc.net](mailto:Jennifer-Tran@cdolinc.net).

### SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

#### **PERPETUAL ADORATION**

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta said, "If people spent one hour per week in Eucharistic Adoration, abortion would be ended."

Adorers are needed for these open hours: **Sun.** - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 4 a.m., 4 p.m., 12 Mid.; **Mon.** - 1 a.m. (three times a month), 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 5 a.m., 3 p.m., 11 p.m.; **Tues.** - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m.; **Wed.** 2 a.m.; **Thurs.** - 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 10 p.m.; **Fri.** - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m. (twice a month), 4 a.m.; **Sat.** - 1 a.m. (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> weeks open), 2 a.m., 4 a.m., 5 a.m., 6 p.m., 8 p.m., 12 Mid;

If interested in becoming an adorer or a sub, or for more info, contact one of the coordinators listed

below: Lois Korinek-402-423-1949 - Cathy Rokke  
- 402-423-6844 - Kathy Wells - 402-840-7732.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**APRIL 22, 2022, RISEN!** - Cathedral of the Risen Christ would like you to join us at RISEN on Friday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Pla Mor Ballroom. The evening will include: ballroom dancing lessons, LIVE MUSIC by The Bobby Layne Orchestra and The Reflections Big Band, and a heavy hor d'oeuvres buffet and cocktails. To purchase tickets, go to [www.risencathedral.eventbrite.com](http://www.risencathedral.eventbrite.com) or stop by the Cathedral parish office.

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT POSITION** - St. Mary Church in Denton, NE is seeking a part-time Administrative Assistant. Duties include office tasks & bookkeeping. More information available on the parish website [www.dentonstmarys.com](http://www.dentonstmarys.com).

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - St. Joseph School—Multiple Positions** - St. Joseph School, is seeking faith-filled, dynamic teachers for full-time teaching positions in:

- ♦ **Jr. High English** – Requires the ability to empower students with excellent writing & grammar skills.
- ♦ **Jr. High Social Studies** – Requires a desire to assist students in viewing all aspects of human history through the light of Christ & the truth of His Church.
- ♦ **PE** – Requires proficiency in educating ages PreK-8 in lifelong fitness & activity skills. Some coaching opportunities available & potential AD duties.

Candidates need a passion for the formation of young people, along with strong leadership & team-building skills. The positions involve furthering the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a positive learning environment. Please send resume & references to [kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net](mailto:kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net).

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY- St. JOSEPH SCHOOL -PART-TIME COOK** - This position involves cooking in a school cafeteria 3-4 days a week. Hours will be

6:00 or 7:00 a.m - 2:00 p.m. Contact Dorothy Urbanovsky at 402-560-3192 or [Dorothy-Urbanovsky@cdolinc.net](mailto:Dorothy-Urbanovsky@cdolinc.net).

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY-ST. MICHAEL SCHOOL** -in Lincoln is seeking a **Special Education Para-educator** for the 2022-2023 school year. Experience with children and in special education is preferred. Responsibilities may include working with students one-on-one, or in groups, assisting teachers in the classroom, lunch and recess duties, and production room tasks. Hours are 7:45 a.m.-3:45 p.m. when school is in session. Must be flexible, accommodating, & love working with students with diverse & special needs. This is a full-time position. Please send your resume to [Ashley-rockey@cdolinc.net](mailto:Ashley-rockey@cdolinc.net).

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY-ST. PATRICK SCHOOL** - in Lincoln is currently accepting applications for a dynamic, faith filled **6<sup>th</sup> grade Homeroom + Jr. High Religion teacher** for the 2022-23 school year. This hybrid position combines 6<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom, instructing in Math, English, Social Studies, & Religion with the additional opportunity to instruct 7<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade students in religious studies & nurture their faith formation. Send resume & references to Principal Kristine Placek [Kristine-Placek@cdolinc.net](mailto:Kristine-Placek@cdolinc.net) or call the school with questions at 402-466-3710.

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - St. JOSEPH SCHOOL - Special Ed One-on-One Para** - Seeking a faith-filled, experienced Special Education Para for a full-time position. A passion for assisting students to excel at meeting their learning goals is essential. The position involves partnering one-on-one with a 6th grade student having high special needs, including behavior & instruction, in a full-inclusion classroom setting. Excellent communication skills will also be necessary for collaboration with an educational team. A degree in special education would be helpful but is not essential. Please send resume & references to [kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net](mailto:kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net).

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collections (March. 13, 2022)	
Envelopes	\$ 16,654.50
Plate	612.90
Online Giving	6,400.96
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 23,668.36</b>

## SUPPORT THE BULLETIN W/ADS -

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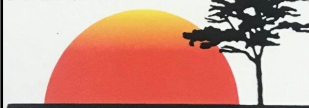
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## **Knights of Columbus Council 11001**

### **Drive-Thru Fish Fry**

**Dine in available pending local restrictions**

March 11th, March 18th, March 25th, &

April 1st

All meals served From 5:00 PM—7:00 PM

Baked or Fried Fish, Fries, Coleslaw, Pickles, and Dessert.

### **Meatless Spaghetti**

April 8th

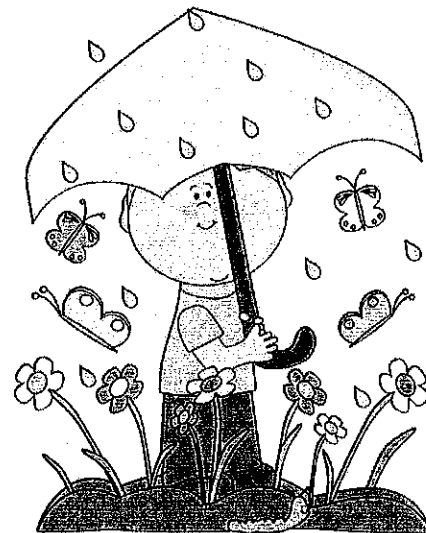
\$10 Per Meal—Accepting cash, check or card

Blessed Sacrament School Parking lot, 1720 Lake street

Corner of 17<sup>th</sup> & Lake Street, near Bryan West.



# *Spring Soup Dinner*



## **Assumption Parish**

**Sunday, March 27, 2022**  
**Dwight, NE**

**Serving 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM**

**Chili & Chicken Noodle soup,  
Sandwiches, Pies and Desserts**  
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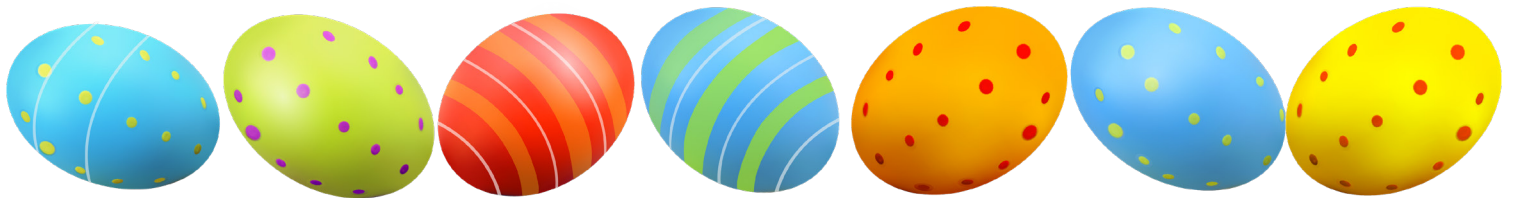
Join us in celebration of the Mass at 10:00 am

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# Easter Egg Hunt

AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR PHOTOS WITH

## The Easter Bunny



## Sat. April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**10:00am at Stransky Park**  
(17th St & Harrison Avenue, Lincoln, NE)

**Age divided sections (0-2, 3-5, 6-7, 8-10)**

**Free Admission**

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# LIFE IS A HUMAN RIGHT

## A BETTER NEBRASKA WITHOUT ABORTION

### IT'S TIME FOR CHANGE

Surgical and medication abortions take an average of 2,000 preborn lives in Nebraska every year, and victimize a similar number of post-abortive women and men. Since 1973, a total of at least 195,000 lives have been lost to abortion in Nebraska alone. That's 10% of our state population. For almost 50 years, abortion providers have profited from the manipulation of our neighbors, and from a lack of protections for all human life. Enough is enough. We envision a better Nebraska, where every life is celebrated, valued, and protected.

**WE ENVISION A NEBRASKA WHERE EVERY LIFE IS CELEBRATED, VALUED, AND PROTECTED.**

The Nebraska legislature has the opportunity to bring this vision to life with the *HUMAN LIFE PROTECTION ACT*. While the Supreme Court considers the historic case, *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization*, we pray for a decision that restores the state's authority to protect preborn life. In anticipation of this decision, *Senator Joni Albrecht introduced LB933, the Human Life Protection Act*, to guarantee the right to life for all Nebraskans.

**THE HUMAN LIFE PROTECTION ACT** **LIFE IS A HUMAN RIGHT AND IT'S TIME TO MAKE IT OFFICIAL**

LB933 is designed to guarantee the right to life of each human being in Nebraska. Taking effect if and when *Roe v. Wade* and *Planned Parenthood v. Casey* are overturned, this bill would extend legal protection from abortion to every person at the moment of conception. Twelve states have passed similar measures protecting life from the moment of conception in the event this issue is returned to the states.

### PREPARING FOR A POST-ROE NEBRASKA

If the precedent protecting abortion is overturned, current Nebraska law won't protect all human life. While there are robust regulations on abortion in place in Nebraska, including informed consent, parental notification, and more, current law allows abortion up to 20 weeks post-fertilization. The *Human Life Protection Act* will close that gap, and will ensure all Nebraskans are celebrated, valued, and protected from conception.

### WOULD LB933 PENALIZE WOMEN?

NO, women won't be penalized under the Human Life Protection Act. LB933 states that no woman upon whom an abortion is performed shall be liable for performing or attempting to perform an abortion. Criminal penalties apply only to abortionists and providers who violate the law.

### WHAT ABOUT EXCEPTIONS FOR LIFE-THREATENING CIRCUMSTANCES?

The Human Life Protection Act allows for life-saving interventions when a mother's life is in danger of serious harm or death. The act also provides that physicians do everything medically reasonable and necessary to save the life of the mother and child.



# A BETTER NEBRASKA WITHOUT ABORTION

## What will the Human Life Protection Act DO?

**LB933 will make Nebraska abortion-free post-Roe, and will protect preborn life by:**

- Prohibiting abortionists from providing or carrying out any form of abortion on preborn humans in the state of Nebraska. This protection applies to each human being from the moment of conception, making Nebraska abortion-free.
- Taking immediate effect if and when *Roe v. Wade* is overturned, eliminating concerns about the constitutionality of the act.
- Providing for criminal penalties, applicable only to abortionists or providers—never vulnerable women—who are in violation of the law. A violation of this act would be classified as a Class IIA felony, with penalties including prison time and fines.
- Providing for life-saving medical intervention when the life of a mother is in danger of serious harm or death.

## BECOME AN ADVOCATE



### SHARE YOUR STORY

If you have a personal story about an unexpected pregnancy or an abortion, you can have a powerful impact by sharing it with others. Maybe you wanted a real advocate for your health. Maybe you want to share a message of hope through a challenging experience. Share with friends and family why LB933 matters to you.



### CONTACT YOUR ELECTED OFFICIALS

Elected officials want and need to hear from you, especially on crucial issues like the right to life! Call, email, or write your State Senator and Governor Ricketts to convey why LB933 is necessary and important to you. Find your State Senator at [www.NebraskaLegislature.gov](http://www.NebraskaLegislature.gov)



### MEET WITH YOUR STATE SENATOR

Senators appreciate hearing directly from their constituents. Personal testimonies and personal conversations about life-changing public policy go a long way. Call your senator's office and set up a meeting, or talk to them in the Capitol Rotunda during floor debate.



### VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME & TALENTS

Contribute to building the culture of life! Get educated and involved in community efforts to serve abortion-vulnerable men, women, and families. Volunteer at a local pregnancy center or shelter, or become a Sidewalk Advocate to share help and hope with clients entering abortion facilities.



### JOIN OUR ADVOCACY NETWORK

Stay in the know about important legislation like LB933, & how you can help through the Catholic Advocacy Network of Nebraska (CANN). Join our network at [necatholic.org](http://necatholic.org) or by texting the word **LIFE** to 50457.



### PRAY

We ask advocates to pray for the passage of LB933, as well as for state senators, pro-life advocates, preborn children, and women and men in vulnerable situations.



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