

APRIL 29, 2018
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday

6:30 A.M. For Adam & Amber Push
 8:20 A.M. † Charles & Frieda Kirwan
 5:30 P.M. † All Souls

Tuesday

6:30 A.M. † Ruth Ann Foster
 8:20 A.M. † Christina & Lucina Kaup
 5:30 P.M. † All Souls

Wednesday

6:30 A.M. † Mr. Zeno Gottula
 8:20 A.M. † Brendan Bethune
 7:15 P.M. For Tram & Baby

Thursday

6:30 A.M. † All Souls
 8:20 A.M. † Lee Butkiewicz
 5:30 P.M. † Robert O'Connell

Friday

6:30 A.M. For Tom & Deb Cabela
 8:20 A.M. For Mr. & Mrs Richard Pella
 5:30 P.M. † Ruth Ann Foster

Saturday

8:30 A.M. For Tom & Deb Cabela
 10:00 A.M. † All Souls
 5:30 P.M. † Joseph Buso

Sunday

8:30 A.M. † Joseph Buso
 10:00 A.M. † Reuben Hernandez
 11:30 A.M. For the Parish

SERVERS

SAT. MAY 5, 5:30 p.m.: Thaddeus Kucera, A.J. Masek, Jackson McClung, Jesse Phillips-Blythe,

SUN. MAY 6, 8:30 a.m.: Isaac Barnard Julian de Luna Alvarado, Christopher Puentes de Luna, Jonathan Reeb
10:00 a.m.: Ayat & Rieal Acin, Christian Arrecis, Alex Baker

11:30 a.m.: Francisco & Gabriel Balderas, Alejandro Bautista, Sharoon Bi

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

PARISH NEWS

DATES & EVENTS:



APRIL 29, 2018, HUSKER CATHOLIC CANDLE-LIT ROSARY - Blessed Sacrament will be at the corner of Salt Creek Roadway and N 14th Street. There will be parishioners there to guide you where to go from there. Please park at Devaney and take the walk way under the bypass and down the south side of Salt Creek Roadway to N. 14th Street, if you go on the north side you will have to cross over railroad tracks and the roadway. Please be in place by 7:45 p.m. Visit www.rosary.lincoln.org for a map with assigned parish locations.

MAY 4, 2018, FIRST FRIDAY HOLY HOUR at 7:15 p.m. will be held at the Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S. Cotner Blvd. The singing will be led by St. Mary's Choir - Davey (Karen Gokie).

MAY 5, 2018, FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS: Our Lady promised "to assist at the hour of death with all the graces necessary for salvation" those who make Five First Saturdays of Reparation to Her Immaculate Heart. The conditions of the Five consecutive First Saturday's in a spirit of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary are: Go to confession; Receive Holy Communion; Say five decades of the Rosary; Keep Our Lady company while meditating for fifteen minutes on the mysteries of the Rosary. Please join us at the 8:30 a.m. Mass next Saturday. Come pray the

**GREETERS/GIFT BEARERS FOR
 MAY 5-6, 2018**

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. ~ Shawn & Margy Mahler

Sunday, 8:30 a.m. - Wilmer & Linda Wilhelm

10:00 a.m. Tony & Michelle Humlicek

11:30 a.m. ~ Chris & Mary Beardslee

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



Rosary before Mass. Devotion prayers following Mass. The 15 minute meditation can be done anytime on your own and Confession within a week before or after the day.

MAY 5, 2018, GIRLS' CHOIR - Thank You to all the girls who offer their beautiful voices in worship for our parish celebrations! Thanks, too, to the parents who support our ministry! Our **FINAL GIRLS' CHOIR** event for this year is Saturday afternoon, May 5th, meeting in the choir loft at 4:15 p.m. and singing for the 5:30 p.m. Mass. All 4th through 8th grade girls are welcome to sing with the Girls' Choir -- no experience is necessary, so bring a friend to join in the fun! Watch for a reminder in your email. Any questions or concerns? Please contact Hannah Jo Smith hannahjosmith@yahoo.com or 402.525.2069 (call or text).



MAY 5, 2018, CK SISTERS OUTDOOR SPRING WORKDAY – Sat., 1:30-4:30 p.m. we will be planting our vegetable garden and cleaning up flowerbeds, as well as cutting down trees. Helpful items to bring include gloves, pruning shears, clippers, wheelbarrows, shovels, rakes, pickups, chain saws and energy! Children are also welcome! Mark your calendars now and contact Sister Mary Angela at sr.mary-angela@cdolinc.net if you would like to come and help. Villa Regina Motherhouse, 4100 SW 56th St., about 2 miles west and south of Pioneers Park.

MAY 6, 2018, FIRST SUNDAY ADORATION: Come pray before our Lord in the Eucharist. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will begin at **4:00 p.m. and will conclude at 6:00 p.m.** Benediction will be at 5:45 p.m. Questions? Contact Fr. Beardslee at 402-474-4249.

MAY 6, 2018, BAPTISM INSTRUCTION CLASS at **6:30 p.m.**, in the school meeting room. Pre-registration is not required.

MAY 31, 2018, GIVE TO LINCOLN DAY - Blessed Sacrament School is trying to raise funds

to replace the playground surface. Over 18 years ago, the current playground was installed. Unfortunately, today, pieces of the eco-friendly rubber surfacing, made from recycled tires, has started to wear away. To protect the safety of our students as they enjoy the fresh air while playing on the playground, we need to act now to make the playground safe and hazard free for our children. If you are interested in donating to this important project, please consider an **ONLINE DONATION ANYTIME DURING THE MONTH OF MAY**, during **GIVE TO LINCOLN DAY**, when all gifts will be matched by generous Lincoln area donors, and are fully tax-deductible. Go to <https://givetolincoln.com/nonprofits/blessed-sacrament-school> and donate. If you would like to donate by check, your gift will still be matched if you take your check before or on May 31st, 2018 to:

* Blessed Sacrament School or Rectory by 3 p.m., and we will take them to the Lincoln Community Foundation (Checks must be payable to Lincoln Community Foundation with Blessed Sacrament School in memo)

Only on May 31st, 2018 to:

* Lincoln Community Foundation, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.. (215 Centennial Mall, downtown). (Checks must be payable to Lincoln Community Foundation with Blessed Sacrament School in memo)

* Tower Square, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. (13th & P, downtown)

* West Gate Bank, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. (6003 Old Cheney Rd)

For more info call Stacy at the school office at (402) 476-6202 or Cindy or Jennifer at the Rectory at (402) 474-4249. With your generous support, **WE HOPE TO RAISE \$38,000** by May 31st so that we can resurface the playground during the summer months to ensure a safer playground when school begins in August. We thank you for your prayerful consideration and please ask your family and friends to donate also!

PARISH FUNDRAISER LUNCH UPDATE & THANK YOU - to everyone who came out to join us for the parish fundraising lunch. **Due to everyone's generosity we were able to raise \$2,645** to help with the cost of recovering the kneelers in the church. If you were unable to attend and would still like to make a donation to this project, please drop it by the rectory during business hours by Friday, May 4th. The estimated cost to recover the kneelers is \$4,000. We would also like to congratulate the **winner of our 50/50 raffle, Fr. Sullivan, who will receive \$183!** A Big Thank You to all of those that donated salads and desserts. For those of you who helped provide salads and desserts, if you have not done so already your dishes are available for pick up in the kitchenette in the school gym. Please pick these up at your earliest convenience.

RAISING CANE'S FUNDRAISER UPDATE - Here's the rundown of what we made from the fundraiser last Thursday, April 19, 2018:

- * **\$2,450** - in sales from those who mentioned Blessed Sacrament.
- * 20% PTO kickback of - **\$490**
- * Scrip calculated a **\$530** rebate
- * SO 72% of those who ordered used scrip, and our total benefit to school and church is **\$1,020**.

Way to go everyone who went to eat at Raising Cane's. Thank you to all of you and Thank you to Raising Cane's for the donation.

YOUTH, SCHOOL & CCD NEWS

MAY 1, 2018, MAY CROWNING – will be done at the 8:20 a.m. Mass, 2nd Grade and 5th Grade will process up to Mary with a flower that they have brought in honor of her. The whole parish is invited to join in the celebration.

MAY 1, 8, 15, & 24, 2018, ROSARY – will be said at 2:50 p.m. in the church and any parishioners are

welcome to join in. Note: The rosary on the 24th of May will be at 10:40 a.m. before the children are dismissed for the summer.

MAY 10, 2018, ASCENSION OF THE LORD, NO SCHOOL – please plan accordingly.

MAY 12, 2018, UNIFORM ORDERS - are due at the office for next year. This is for the 2018-19 school year. These will be available for pick up during the Back to School Open House in August!

MAY 16, 2018, FINAL CCD SESSION 2017-18 TERM – CCD will say the Divine Mercy Chaplet and Catechesis at 6:45 p.m. followed by classroom presentations.

MAY 18, 2018, 1 P.M. DISMISSAL – no extended care, please plan accordingly.

MAY 23, 2018, FIELD DAY - is on Wednesday, May 23rd. We are in need of 40 volunteers. This is an easy way to gain 3 Stewardship hours. We also want to make this opportunity available to any Blessed Sacrament students that are at Pius X High School. If your schedule allows, we would love to have you volunteer! Use the link below to sign up!
www.SignUpGenius.com/go/9040D48A5AC2EA75-field2

MAY 24, 2018, LAST DAY OF SCHOOL – dismissal at 11:00 a.m., please plan accordingly.

ACOLYTE/LECTOR/USHER SCHEDULE

MAY USHERS - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Nancy Fendrick, Gene Birkel, Mary Ann Burda, James McGrath
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.: Jerry Poppe, Clem Pella, Dennis McCaugherty, Volunteer
10:00 a.m.: Tony Humlicek, Chris Dimmitt, Volunteer,
11:30 a.m.: Dwayne Novak, Tom Safranek, John Paap, Mike Kelly

MAY ACOLYTES - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Andy Barry, Lou Gasper
Sunday, 8:30 a.m.: Chris Beardslee, Mark Fusco
10:00 a.m.: Collin

Aldrich, Scott Uhing **11:30 a.m.:** Joe Lockard, Kirk McAndrew

MAY LECTOR/READER - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Max Wesely **Sunday, 8:30 a.m.:** Don Demars **10:00 a.m.:** Mark Gdowski **11:30 a.m.:** Matt Richardson

JUNE USHERS - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Dick Williams, 3 Volunteers Needed **Sunday, 8:30 a.m.:** Jerry Wright, Ron Miller, Steve Folmer, Wilmer Wilhelm **10:00 a.m.:** Mark Fusco, Kurt Ramaekers, Paul Hammel, Perry Demma **11:30 a.m.:** Greg Colombe, Doug Knight, Pat Lowery, Stephen Lowery

JUNE ACOLYTES - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Chris Border, Shawn Wilke **Sunday, 8:30 a.m.:** Scott Clarke, Randy Kaup **10:00 a.m.:** Ben Mattern, Clem Pella **11:30 a.m.:** Jerry Kruger, James Rokke

JUNE LECTOR/READER - Saturday, 5:30 p.m.: Mary Lockard **Sunday, 8:30 a.m.:** Dan Mulligan **10:00 a.m.:** Anne Winner Anderson **11:30 a.m.:** Mary Beardslee

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



BLESSED SACRAMENT COUNCIL 11001

MAY 2, 2018, OFFICERS MEETING - Wednesday, May 2nd at 8:00 p.m. Kraemer Hall.

MAY 9, 2018, GENERAL MEETING - Wednesday, May 9th, at 8:00 p.m. Kraemer Hall.

Are you using your gifts to build the community and to serve others?

SUPPORT GROUPS & EDUCATION

MAY 10 & 22, 2018, NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CREIGHTON MODEL INTRODUCTORY SESSIONS, Thursday May 10th, & Tuesday, May 22nd at 7:00 p.m. Pre-registration is required. For more information call 402-488-

2040 or go online to register or download a registration form at www.lincolndiocese.org/nfp.

MAY 8, 2018, CATHOLIC BUSINESS WOMEN MAY MEETING – will meet Tuesday at 11:30 a.m. at John 23rd Diocesan Center in the conference room at the top of the stairs. (3700 Sheridan Blvd) Our speaker will be Katie Hile – she will speak about her work with the communities in Congo, the artisan cooperative she started and the history of Congo. Lunch will be provided! Come and enjoy lunch and fellowship – bring a friend! Please R.S.V.P. to Krista Kuenning at kristakuenning@yahoo.com call or text at 402-429-8778.

JULY 20-22, 2018, IN OMAHA, OR JULY 20-22, 2018 AND OCTOBER 26-28, 2018 IN KANSAS CITY, RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT - Still suffering from the shame of a past abortion? Attend a confidential healing Rachel's Vineyard retreat July 20th-22nd in Omaha. Partial scholarships available. Information? Helpingrachel@yahoo.com or 402-253-9936.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreats are also offered in Kansas City, MO on both July 20th-22nd, 2018 and October 26th-28th, 2018. KC contact info is (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com for confidential information and to start the healing, or to learn more visit www.rachelsvineyardkc.org or www.rachelsvineyard.org. If you have questions, please email me at fr.jonathan-haschke@cdolinc.net.

PRO-LIFE NEWS

PRO-LIFE CENTER ROSARY & MASS - Join us in celebrating the Mass at the Pro-Life Center across the street from Planned Parenthood every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. The Rosary is recited in front of Planned Parenthood at 9:30. Please come to pray anytime between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. There is a special need for more people praying between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

"We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the culture of death and the culture of life." We find ourselves not only faced with but necessarily in the midst of this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life." Evangelium Vitae, 28

SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

PERPETUAL ADORATION

This time of the year brings new growth into the world. Bring a wonderful new life into your Soul by accepting an hour a week to spend in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Adorers are needed for these open hours: **Sunday** - 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 4 a.m., 5 a.m., 12 Midnight; **Monday** - 1 a.m. (twice a month), 2 a.m., 3 a.m.; **Tuesday** - 2 a.m., 3 a.m.; **Wednesday** 2 a.m., 12 Midnight; **Thursday** - 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 11 p.m.; **Friday** - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m. (twice a month), 4 a.m., 12 midnight (twice a month); **Saturday** - 1 a.m., 4 a.m., 11 p.m., 12 Midnight

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:

- * Men & Women **May 4-6, 2018**-Fr. Anthony Baetzold, CFR-Totus Tuus; A Retreat with Mary, Mother of the Church
- * Laity & Priests **May 17-25, 2018** - Silent

Directed Ignation 8 day Retreat

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

ADDITIONAL NEWS

APRIL 29, 2018, OPEN HOUSE FOR FATHER KOSCH'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION - this Sunday, April 29th, 2-4 p.m. at Cornhusker Bank lower level community room, 8310 "O" Street. (North side of "O" next to Aldi). Access is from the North side of the building, handicapped accessible. Parking is also on the North side of the building.

MAY 5, 2018, MOMS' MORNING IN MAY - Please join us for a special moms' morning on May 5th! As we honor our mother Mary and all mothers during the month of May, Lincoln MOMs group invites you to enjoy a recipe exchange and some fun social time with fellow moms, while also giving back to moms in need at St. Gianna Women's Home www.stgian-nas.org. You can make a huge impact for Lincoln's most vulnerable mothers and their families by supporting St. Gianna Women's Home with your donations of:

- * Queen-size Comforters and Sheets
- * Baby Wipes
- * Big Trash Bags
- * Dishwasher Gel Packs
- * Monetary Gifts (any amount is a blessing!)

In addition to any of the items above that you feel called to give, please also bring 10 copies of your favorite recipe to participate in the recipe exchange. (Both activities are optional but highly encouraged!) Lincoln Mothers on a Mission (MOMs) is a group of Catholic mothers searching for fellowship, hope, & joy in our ever-changing vocation. Monthly meetings are held every first Saturday, 8:30-10:30 a.m. at Gianna's Java &

Gelato, in The Guadalupe Center. Your free-will donation helps cover the cost of speakers, reserved babysitting, and coffee/snacks (\$5 suggested). Before the meeting, moms and kids are also invited for 8:00 a.m. Mass at the Gianna's Chapel. Let us know in advance if you need babysitting (available after Mass), and please bring a friend! Contact us at lincolnmoms@outlook.com or our Facebook page.

MAY 5-6, 2018, SACRED ART SHOW AND SALE – will be held at John XXIII Diocesan Center at 3700 Sheridan Blvd. in Lincoln, NE., from 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 5th, with wine and hors d'oeuvres starting at 5:30 p.m. On Sunday, May 6th from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. There will be many mediums of Catholic Christian art and music! Sponsored by Gloria Deo, Gianna's Java & Gelato, & Supper4You.

JUNE 4, 2018, CATHOLIC'S DIVORCE SURVIVAL GUIDE - For Men & Women seeking healing from Divorce - The Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide was created to bring hope and healing to divorced and separated Catholics. This 12 week program will be leader facilitated & features 30-minute DVD segments that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, kids, annulment, and much more. The next session will begin June 4th, and is held at John XXIII Diocesan Center, Lincoln, NE from 7-9 p.m. Classes are kept small. Cost is \$50. Register by calling the Family Life Office at, 402-473-0620, or catholicflo@cdolinc.net.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL is looking to hire a full-time special education teacher/coordinator for the 2018-19 school year. Candidate must have a current Nebraska Teaching Certificate, be well-versed in research-based, data-driven interventions, and work with teachers to provide for the needs of the students within their classrooms, including working in small groups with students, one-on-one with students, as well as supporting teachers within the classroom environment. The position

also includes coordinating our special education program, maintaining accurate records of students receiving services, and working with parents and teachers to meet the needs of students throughout the intervention process. Send cover letter and resume to Sister Mary Cecilia, St. Joseph School, 1940 S 77th St., Lincoln, NE 68506, or email sr.mary-cecilia@cdolinc.net.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - Saint Mary's School is looking for a Music Teacher/Liturgy Coordinator for the 2018/2019 School Year. Duties include liturgy planning, accompanying music (either keyboard or organ) for school Masses. Either PT or FT; duties could be expanded to include teaching music in classrooms. Contact Fr. Dietrich at 402-435-2125.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - The Education Technology office for the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Lincoln has an opening for a part-time student intern. Applicants must be college students not graduating before May, 2020. For more information, see <http://www.lincolndiocese.org/employment>. To apply, send a letter of intent and resume by April 26th, to jobs@cdolinc.net. No calls, please.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - VILLA MARIE SCHOOL is in need of a Special Education Teacher for the 2018 – 2019 school year. Please contact Sr. Jeanette Rerucha at 402-786-3625 or at sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net for more info.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - Catholic Social Services has full time openings in the stockroom at St. Louise Gift & Thrift. Contact Curt at (402) 327-6223.

<u>THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP</u>	
Sunday Collection (April 22, 2018)	
Envelopes	\$ 7,539.00
Plate	732.71
<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>3,739.00</u>
Total Stewardship:	\$12,010.71