

APRIL 7, 2019
FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Mass Intentions

Monday

6:30 A.M.

† All Souls

8:20 A.M.

† Joseph Nicolas

Tuesday

6:30 A.M.

† For Joe Walton & Employees of Eden Lawn Care

8:20 A.M.

† Mother Rose Theresa

Wednesday

6:30 A.M.

† Neel Lustig

8:20 A.M.

† Fr. Casey Porada

Thursday

6:30 A.M.

For the Priests of the Diocese

8:20 A.M.

† Anthony Binh Nguyen

Friday

6:30 A.M.

† Milo Bartek

8:20 A.M.

For Coy Kuchta

Saturday

8:30 A.M.

† Fr. Casey Porada

5:30 P.M.

† Charles F. Burda & † Charles J. Burda

Sunday

8:30 A.M.

For the Parish

10:00 A.M.

† Fr. Casey Porada

11:30 A.M.

† Cecilia Lu

† **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.

**GREETERS/GIFT BEARERS FOR
APRIL 13-14, 2019**

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. ~ Michael & Brady Bredehoff

Sunday, 8:30 a.m. - Terry & Vicki Keck

10:00 a.m. - Scott & Cindy Uhing

11:30 a.m. ~ Kama Ogden & Family

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



PARISH NEWS

DATES & EVENTS:

APRIL 6-7, 2019, TIME AND TALENT COMMITMENT WEEKEND - is Blessed Sacrament has many opportunities for you to share your talents within the Parish. Please go to www.Blessedsacramentlincoln.org to review all the available opportunities. You can also select areas that you have interest in. There will also be enrollment forms available at all Masses the weekend of April 6th-7th.

SCRIP NEWS: You spend a big portion of your monthly budget on groceries for your family. But did you know there's a way to make all that money work for you? By using Scrip to pay for your regular grocery purchases, you can earn funds for our parish every time you shop. You pay face value and your gift card is worth face value, but Blessed Sacrament earns a rebate on every gift card you purchase!

APRIL 13, 2019, HUSKER SPRING GAME SEAT BACKS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Hey Husker Fans we have an opportunity for you to earn Service Hours & a chance to see Scott Frost's Huskers in action. The game is April 13th at 1 p.m. It is the Spring Game so we will need to be at the Stadium 2 1/2 hours before the game. The game only takes around an hour and a half to 2 hours. We will need to pick up the chairs which takes another hour to

SERVERS

SAT. APRIL 13, 5:30 p.m.: Bryce Adams, Anthony Bermudez, Wyatt Cunningham, Jack Weston; **SUN. APRIL 14, 8:30 a.m.:** Koa White, John & Rogan Carey, Jean-Luc Billioux; **10:00 a.m.:** Charles & John Paul Mattem, Charlie & Owen May; **11:30 a.m.:** Hunter Anciaux, Francisco & Gabriel Balderas, Luis Bautista;

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hour & a half. Rides to & from the game are provided. We meet in the Blessed Sacrament Parking Lot. Come have fun with your Parish. If you are interested you can contact me by phone or text at (402)-416-6458 or by email at markmain65@gmail.com. Also you need to be 14 years of age.

APRIL 14, 2019, CANDY DONATIONS FOR EASTER EGG HUNT - Blessed Sacrament Altar Society is seeking donations for our upcoming Easter Egg Hunt. Please drop off individually wrapped candy in the Bride's room by Sun., April 14th. All donations would be greatly appreciated!

APRIL 20, 2019, GOD TEENS EASTER EGG HUNT HELP NEEDED – If there are any God Teens that can help with the Easter Egg Hunt at Stransky Park on April 20th at 9 a.m. we would love to have the help of spreading the Easter Eggs around and setting up and cleaning up.

APRIL 20, 2019, ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT - Please join us for the Blessed Sacrament Altar Society Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 20, 2019. The event begins promptly at 10 a.m. in Stransky Park. In case of rain, please meet in the Blessed Sacrament School Gym. All ages are welcome to attend.

APRIL ACOLYTES - Sat., 5:30p.m.: Collin Aldrich, Erich Broer; **Sun., 8:30a.m.:** Chris Beardslee, Lou Gasper; **10:00a.m.:** Mark Main, Clem Pella; **11:30a.m.:** Kirk McAndrew, James Rokke;

APRIL LECTOR/READER - Sat., 5:30p.m.: Jan Broer; **Sun., 8:30a.m.:** Mary Beardslee; **10:00a.m.:** Jason Lehr; **11:30a.m.:** Matt Richardson;

APRIL USHERS - Sat., 5:30 p.m.: David Bouc, Sheri King, **2 Volunteers Needed;** **Sun., 8:30 a.m.:** Kevin Ostdiek, Lyle Schueth, Mark Tate, Terry Keck; **10:00 a.m.:** Doug Torson, Mark Tvrdy, Chad Baker, John Larson; **11:30 a.m.:** Dick Johnson, Sam Bethune, Marv Evert, **1 Volunteer Needed;**

MAY ACOLYTES - Sat., 5:30p.m.: Chris Border, Jamie Malone; **Sun., 8:30a.m.:** Scott Clarke, Michael Steadman; **10:00a.m.:** Mark Fusco, Hai

Holy Week & Easter Schedule for Blessed Sacrament Church

Holy Week Confession Schedule

Monday through Wednesday,
6:00 – 6:25 A.M. and 8:00 – 8:15 A.M

Additional Confession times:

Palm Sunday, April 14th 7:30-8:00 P.M.

Monday, April 15th *AM Confessions only.*

No evening confessions,

Tuesday, April 16th

AM Confessions 6:00-6:30 P.M. 8:30-9:00 P.M

Wednesday, April 17th

AM Confessions 8:00–8:30 P.M.

Holy Thursday, April 18th

9-9:30 A.M. 12–12:30 P.M.

6:00-6:30 P.M. 9:00-9:30 P.M.

Good Friday, April 19th

12:30-1:00 P.M. 3:30-4:00 P.M.

6:00-6:30 P.M. 8:30–9:00 P.M.

Saturday, April 20th

12:00-1:00 P.M.

Holy Week Mass Schedule

Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday

Masses: 6:30 A.M. & 8:20 A.M

Monday, April 15th

Chrism Mass - Cathedral 5:00 P.M.

Wednesday, April 17th

Stations of the Cross 7:40 P.M.

Holy Thursday, April 18th

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 P.M.

Adoration after Mass until Midnight

Good Friday, April 19th

7 Last Words Meditation 12 Noon

Stations of the Cross 3:00 P.M.

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 7:30 P.M.

Holy Saturday, April 20th

Easter Vigil Mass 8:30 P.M.

Easter Sunday, April 21st

8:30 A.M. 10:00 A.M. & 11:30 A.M.

Tran; **11:30a.m.:** Joe Lockard, Roger Pehrson;
MAY LECTOR/READER - Sat., 5:30p.m.: Max Wesley; **Sun., 8:30a.m.:** Sheila Stewart; **10:00a.m.:** Dan Mulligan; **11:30a.m.:** Sam Bethune;
MAY USHERS - Sat., 5:30 p.m.: Gene Birkel, Mary Ann Burda, James McGrath, Nancy Fendrick; **Sun., 8:30 a.m.:** Jerry Poppe, Clem Pella, Dennis McCaugherty, **1 Volunteer Needed;** **10:00 a.m.:** Ron Brecka, Mark Onwiler, Tony Humlicek, **1 Volunteer Needed;** **11:30 a.m.:** Tom Safranek, John Paap, Mike Kelly, Dwayne Novak;

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!!
Words cannot express my (or my family's) thankfulness for the ENORMOUS generosity shown to me through the "Main Event" benefit!! I am soooooo humbled & grateful for the outpouring of your generosity. I cannot begin to thank all those who helped sponsor, bake, work & sing for this event. So many of you attended & gave generously. I am overwhelmed by this outpouring. It was BEAUTIFUL and a true work of mercy. I'm sure God will reward all of you immensely. To the junior high team, Mrs. Miller & the staff-you have all made concessions to cover when I wasn't there & are still offering to help. Your support, love, words & prayers has given me peace knowing duties are being covered & that the students lacked for nothing while I was/am gone. To Fr. Sullivan and Fr. Beardslee - thank you for all your words of love & support, the prayers & the Anointing of the Sick. This sacrament has given me great peace & hope during my cancer treatment. To the parents of my students-your words of love, compliments & prayers have helped me in ways you cannot even imagine. To the PTO & the Student Council for helping to host the "Main Event" - THANK YOU!! You have helped ease a huge financial burden. I am so grateful. To the Knights of Columbus-a second family in so many ways-you have ALWAYS had our family's back!! I never doubt your love, support & prayers. To all the parishioners - I thank you too for all your love, support, words of kindness & prayers. Finally - to

all my prayer warriors - I KNOW THIS IS WHY I have not had any pain, why I have healed so well, why I don't have to have chemo, why the cancer was found early, why I know radiation will go smoothly & why I am at peace with my breast cancer. I am thoroughly convinced of that. I know God has heard our prayers. I know he is holding me close. 3 Masses of thanksgiving to all of you will be said for your intentions on these dates: August 15, 2019 at 8:20 a.m. which is the Assumption, August 22, 2019 at 8:20 a.m. & August 28, 2019 at 8:20 am. Again, the humblest of thanks for EVERYTHING!! I am so blessed to teach at this school, with this staff, with this parish & this community. May God bless all of you!!
Julie Main & Family

YOUTH, SCHOOL & CCD NEWS

APRIL 10, 2019, PTO MEETING, MUSIC PROGRAM, ART SHOW - On Wednesday, April 10th, directly following the 7 p.m. PTO meeting will be the PK – 5th grade Music Program and PK – 8th grade Art Show. Please plan to join us for the meeting at 7 p.m. with your student(s) & stay for the performance. This will be a showcase of the musical and artistic talent & hard work of our students. We look forward to seeing you there!

APRIL 17, 2019, CCD STATIONS OF THE CROSS – begins at 7:40 p.m. Everyone is welcome to join in with the children.

APRIL 18-23, 2019, EASTER BREAK - Looking ahead to the Easter Break for Blessed Sacrament School, we are off Thurs., April 18th, Fri., April 19th, Mon., April 22nd & Tues., April 23rd. Classes will resume on Wed., April 24th.

APRIL 26 & 28, 2019, 1ST COMMUNION PRACTICE & 1ST COMMUNION – 1st Communion Practice is Fri., April 26th at 6:30 p.m. in the church. 1st Communion is Sun., April 28th at 2 p.m., 1st communicants will meet in Kraemer Hall at 1 p.m.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

BLESSED SACRAMENT COUNCIL 11001



APRIL 10, 2019, GENERAL MEETING - Wed., April 10th at 7 p.m. Kraemer Hall.

APRIL 12, 2019, ANNUAL ALL YOU CAN EAT SPAGHETTI DINNER WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 11001 - Serving Homemade sauces, including Red Sauce, Red Sauce with Shrimp, Sicilian with Clam, & Beer Cheese, garlic bread, expanded Salad Bar & Beverages. Adults \$8.00, Children (3 to 12) \$4.00, Under 3 Free. Tax included. Cash, Check or Visa, Discover, MasterCard & American Express accepted, Take Out available. All meals served from 5 to 7 p.m. Blessed Sacrament School Gym, 1725 Lake St., corner of 17th & Lake St., near Bryan West. Everyone that brings a can of food per person for the Food Pantry will receive a coupon for \$1.00 off each purchased meal. See you there!

PRO-LIFE NEWS



40 DAYS FOR LIFE - WHY WE PRAY -

Please consider joining your fellow parishioners praying for an end to abortion in our community. Planned Parenthood is located at 5631 S. 48th St. Sign-up sheets are in the Adoration Chapel & in the back of church or just come. Blessed Sacrament's hours are from 6 a.m. – 2 p.m. on Wed. All parish participation is on Tues. when abortions are being performed or Sat. from 1 p.m. – 8 p.m. Call Mary at 402-617-2769 for more info.

APRIL 16, 2019, EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION SURROUNDING PLANNED PARENTHOOD - Bishop Conley will again lead a Procession bringing the Eucharistic Jesus around Planned Parenthood on an Abortion Tues., April 16th starting at 2 p.m. Catholics should arrive by 1:45 p.m. and “Surround Planned Parenthood”. In

case you don't know where this place of “Death” is located, it is at 5631 S 48th Street, Lincoln. Last year we had an estimated 2,000 & this year organizers are hoping for even more! For more info. concerning this event, contact Mike Davis at davism72@gmail.com or text 402-480-0404.

SUPPORT GROUPS & EDUCATION

APRIL 9, 30, 2019, NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING - Creighton Model Introductory Sessions, Tues., April 9th, Thurs., April 30th, 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.

SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

PERPETUAL ADORATION

The Holy Eucharist is the fruit of Our Lord's Passion.

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., 6 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:**

- **APRIL 12-14, 2019,** Look upon Him: Misery, Mercy, and a Week called Holy -

Bishop Ronald Gilmore & Jacqueline Loh - will lead retreatants to understand of how God works in their lives, & experience spiritual, mental, & physical healing.

- **MAY 10-11, 2019** - In Quiet & Trust your Strength Lies (Isaiah 30:15) - Jeanette Howe (Seven Sisters Founder) Women's Retreat

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 & 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 April 2019:

April 7th-13th: Daniel Joseph St. Hilaire

April 14th-20th: Anthony Hoang Thai Tran-Le

April 21st-27th: William David Vogel

April 28th-May 4th: Joseph Claussen Wahlmeier

APRIL 9, 2019, MARIAN MANTLE SILENT STRENGTH PRAYER GROUP - Hope and help for those who hurt because a loved one is no longer a Practicing Catholic. If you feel isolated and believe only a few Catholic families have this problem; are trying to figure out what you did wrong and how to fix it, only to find it gets worse, and others tell you there is nothing to do but accept the situation, come join the Marian Mantle Silent Strength Prayer Group. We meet Tuesday, April 9th at 3 p.m. in the Lancaster Room at the Madonna Hospital. For more information call Kathy at 402-423-3810.

APRIL 12, 2019, AFLAME - will take place at North American Martyrs from 7-9 p.m. Praise and worship music, prayer teams, adoration, and confessions. Come for the whole time, or just a few minutes. Great way to prepare for Holy Week and

Easter. It a great experience and all are welcome!

APRIL 18-20, 2019, MARIAN SISTERS HOLY WEEK RETREAT – the sisters would like to invite you to the silent retreat at the GCRH in Waverly, NE. The retreat will provide an opportunity for single women (18-32 years of age) to enter more deeply into the Passion & Death of our Lord. The cost is \$30/ students & \$40/ non-students. For more info. or register, please visit their website at www.mariansisters.org or contact Sr. Serena at marian-vocations@cdolinc.net or by phone 402-786-2750.

ADDITIONAL NEWS

APRIL 7, 2019, ST. LUKE CZECH SHRINE -Mass will be celebrated at St. Luke Czech Shrine in Loma on April 7, at 2 p.m. The Ostry Family Singers will provide the music.

APRIL 9, 2019, CATHOLIC BUSINESS WOMEN APRIL MEETING – held at John XXIII Diocesan Center – top of stairs first room on left. Lunch will be provided at 11:30 a.m. Our Speaker is Maureen Bausch and will be presenting on Laudato si' the 2015 Encyclical of Pope Francis (come and learn something new). Come and enjoy lunch and fellowship – bring a friend! Please R.S.V.P. to Krista Kuenning at kristakuennig@yahoo.com call or text at 402-429-8778.

APRIL 12, 2019, BAKED POTATO BAR - Bring the Family to our Baked Potato Bar! Fri., April 12th at Sacred Heart School gym, 31st & T St., 4:30-7 p.m.. Numerous toppings to choose from; choice of desserts & coffee or punch. Free will offering; proceeds to Sacred Heart Building Fund.

APRIL 13, 2019, LDCCW FULL BOARD MEETING - The Spring Full Board meeting of the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW) is April 13th at St. Mary's in Aurora, beginning with 'Mary's Way of the Cross' at 8:30 a.m. All women in the Lincoln Diocese are members of the LDCCW

and encouraged to attend. Please email ldccwpresident@gmail.com if you plan to attend.

MAY 4, 2019, CK SISTERS OUTDOOR SPRING WORKDAY – Sat., 1:30-4:30 p.m. We will be planting our vegetable garden, planting shrubs and cleaning up flower beds 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.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - THE EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT FOR THE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS in the Diocese of Lincoln & Hastings Catholic Schools have an immediate opening for a Technology Integration Specialist. Applicants must have a Bachelor's degree or higher in education; hold a current Nebraska teaching certificate; have at least three years of successful full-time experience as a classroom teacher. This new, full time position will assist classroom teachers to integrate mobile devices into the classroom curriculum & develop teacher guidelines for the

responsible & intentional use of mobile devices in classroom instruction, in accord with the vision & philosophy of the Diocese of Lincoln. The position will work out of Lincoln, but approximately 1/3 time will initially be spent in Hastings, NE, later transitioning completely to St. Cecilia School in Hastings. For more info., see the full job description at <https://www.lincolndioocese.org/school-employment>. To apply, send letter of interest & resume to jobs@cdolinc.net. No calls, please.



**WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS: BECKY TOPIL
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
NEWLY BAPTIZED: EVELYN RENE
BOSTELMAN, EMMIT PARKER RUBENDALL,
& LIAM BRENT RUBENDALL**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection (March 31, 2019)	
Envelopes	\$ 9,431.25
Plate	5247.18
Online Giving	5,559.00
Total Stewardship:	\$15,514.43
Total Weekly Parish Need:	\$18,095.00



Easter Flower Order Form

The deadline for ordering flowers is April 16th, 2019.

If you wish to place an Easter Flower on the Altar to honor or remember a loved one, please fill out this form and place it and your payment of **\$10.00 per plant** in the collection basket or mail it to the rectory. Please make checks payable to Blessed Sacrament Church.



In honor of: _____

or

In memory of: _____

Given by: _____

Total enclosed: _____ (\$10 per plant) _____ Cash _____ Check

Your name: _____