May 21, 2023 | Seventh Sunday of Easter

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Weekly Mass Schedule

Mon.-Fri.: 6:30 a.m., 8:15 a.m.

Sat.: 8:15 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

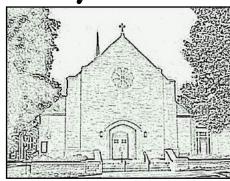
Reconciliation Schedule

15 minutes before a.m. Masses Mon. - Sat.

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

Baptisms: Baptism Instruction Class are held the 1st 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

JUNE 5-9, 2023, COR JESU REX - SUMMER CATECHETICAL PROGRAM - CHRIST THE KING SISTERS - You can start registering for our Summer Catechesis program for 1st-8th grade. The registration form will be in the back of church or on the website at www.blessedsacramentlincoln.org. The cost is \$20 per child or \$50 per family (three children and above).

- We are in need of High School volunteers or parents or anyone that can help during the day assisting the Sisters in classrooms & throughout the days.
- We are in need of **5 volunteers to provide lunches** for the Sisters. These can be simple meals or you can order & have it delivered to the school when they have lunch.





COR JESU REX

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JUNE 5-9 BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH IN LINCOLN

Ask Father or your teacher for more details

MASS INTENTIONS Saturday - May 20th

5:30 р.м. Mark & Julie Main

Sunday - May 21st

Anne Winner Anderson 8:30 а.м. 10:00 A.M. People of the Parish

11:30 A.M. † Sandy Payne

Monday - May 22nd 6:30 а.м. † Kenneth Rezac

† Francis J. (Tanny) Reinsch 8:15а.м.

Tuesday - May 23rd

6:30 а.м. † Sandy Payne † Rose Mary Baum 8:15 а.м.

Wednesday - May 24th

6:30 A.M. Allison Main

† Poor Souls in Purgatory 8:15 A.M.

Thursday- May 25th 6:30 A.M. Scott Johnson

8:15 а.м. † Nancy Kopischke

Friday - May 26th

6:30 а.м. Mike & Jeri Cunningham

† Sandy Payne 8:15 A.M.

Saturday - May 27th

8:15 а.м. † Mike McConnell

5:30 P.M. † Bill Ashenfelter Sunday - May 28st

People of the Parish 8:30 A.M.

10:00 A.M. Rev. Michael J. Morin

11:30 а.м. Sammi Lowery

Parish News

DATES & EVENTS:

THANK YOU - BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISHIONERS for your "overwhelming" response to "Celebrating the moms' at St. Gianna's on Mother's Day"! Because of your generosity we were able to give a generous gift bag of personal items to each of the 21 women residing at St. Gianna's. God bless you for sharing your gifts to spread joy & encouragement to these women.

THANK YOU - COMMITTEE MEMBERS - that took over the entire project collecting the gifts, putting the baskets together & delivering them to Catholic Social Services, who will deliver them to St. Gianna's. They are Mark Tate, Jeri Cunningham, Riley Tenopir, Audrey Ienn, Mary Baker, Paula Egging, Joan Bonkiewicz, Kathy

Wells, Michelle Bowman, Toni Montanez & Sheri King (for sharing her talent by promoting it through social media).

THANK YOU - To all of those that donated to Blessed Sacrament School for the First Give to Catholic Schools Day on May 16th. It is greatly appreciated.

May 23, 2023 - PCCW MEETING - ALTAR SOCIETY - will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, May 23rd at 6:30 p.m. Located in the meeting room. Any questions contact Katie Kudron at 402-314-2222.

May 25, 2023 – Last Day of School – Summer starts after 3:15 p.m.



JUNE 1, 2023, CHILDREN'S SUMMER ADORATION PROGRAM SPONSORED BY **K** of C - All kids ages 0-8th grade are invited to participate. Sheets are in the back of the church and attached to this

email. The program starts June 1st and ends July 31st. Once completed, place sheet in the collection basket at Mass or to the rectory. Families of kids who finish will be invited to join the Knights for a picnic & kids will be given prizes. Be a part of the Eucharistic Revival! Contact K of C Family Directors, Clem & Maggie Pella, with questions: 402-443-7343

Knights' picnic is August 5th, 2023, more info will follow. If not, we will have an alternative way for the kids to receive their prizes.

June 29 – July 1, 2023, Parish Garage Sale – **SAVE THE DATE -** We will be doing a garage sale in the Blessed Sacrament School Gym on Thursday, Friday and Saturday coming up at the end of June. Hosted by Altar Society & PTO. They will be allowing parishioners to bring items to the garage sale, but the proceeds will go to Altar Society and PTO. We will need you to help set out your items and prepare them for the garage sale. Items will all be thrown in a roll off when the garage sale is done. More information coming soon.



SCRIP / RAISERIGHT - Scrip sold after the 8:30 a.m. & 10 a.m. Masses today. Did you know that if every adult in the Blessed Sacrament parish bought a \$100 gift card to purchase groceries just once we would raise over \$7000 for our church and school? Just like that! What if they did it every month for a year? It is a quick and easy way to support Blessed Sacrament without spending any extra money! Scan the QR code to get set up with an account or contact Jennie Korth at jenniekorth@gmail.com if you want to learn more! Scrip is always available at the rectory and on select Sundays between mass (watch the school or church Facebook pages for dates).

BLESSED SACRAMENT PRAYER LINE - Call Lynn at 402-477-6252 to have parish prayer line members intercede for your intentions.

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 Jeri at 402-423-1650 to make arrangements to have the Fatima statue in your home. There is NO FEE.

THE LIVING ROSARY: Hundreds of thousands are praying the rosary every day throughout the world, all 20 mysteries! That's the Living Rosary. Members offer their daily decade for these intentions: that those who have never had the faith may receive it and that those who have abandoned it may return to the faith. Call Jan at 402-438-2506, to receive your daily decade assignment. No MEETINGS. No Dues.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - ST. JOHN'S, LINCOLN, SCHOOL MAINTENANCE - PART-TIME POSITION - This position will be year-round. Flexible summer hours will be 9 a.m.—3 p.m. School year hours will be 3:30 p.m.—7 p.m. (15-22 hours/week). Duties include, but are not limited to vacuuming, emptying trash, general clean-up of classrooms, mopping bathrooms, & other duties as assigned. Deep cleaning facility in summer. To apply, please email Tony Arens, Principal, at tony-arens@cdolinc.net.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - CHILDCARE DIRECTOR - CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES - seeks a person who has a passion for working with and caring for young children to fill the position of Childcare Provider for the children of the staff of CSS in Lincoln. This person will be responsible for creating & maintaining a Christ-centered childcare program. Visit <u>csshope.org/careers</u>.

Gospel Meditation - Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture - Traditionally, the four writers of the Gospels are symbolized by four creatures that make their way into Church art & architecture: Matthew, an angel; Mark, a lion; Luke, an ox; & John, an eagle. These images can be found in churches across the world, a nod to those who recorded the stories of Jesus for us, thousands of years ago.

Today's Gospel was written by John. There are a few reasons why John is symbolized by an eagle, but my favorite explanation is that his writings soar like an eagle into the sky with their beautiful, poetic language. The prayer we hear today is no different - Jesus invokes God in a long discourse that might seem mystifying at times, the same way that a poem can be perplexing to understand when we are unfamiliar with the pacing or format.

Consider holding onto the shortest sentence in this prayer: "I pray for them." Jesus prays for us. For me. For you. Let that sink deep into your being. Jesus is on your side. He is aware of what you are holding at this moment. He is aware of your pain, your faith, your mission. And He's rooting for you. This prayer was recorded thousands of years ago, far before you were born. Since before you were born, you were held in prayer. With that certainty, we live. — Fr. John Muir





SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

PERPETUAL ADORATION

"O what treasures of grace you would receive, devout soul, if you only entertain yourself with Jesus [in the Holy Eucharist] for an hour." -St. Alphonsus Liguori

Adorers are needed for these open hours: Sun. - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 4 a.m., 5 a.m., 12 Mid.; Mon. - 1 a.m. (three times a month), 2 a.m., 3 a.m., 4 a.m., 7 a.m., 1 p.m.; Tues. - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m. 1 p.m.; Wed. 2 a.m., 12 mid; Thurs. - 2 a.m., 4 a.m., 10 p.m.; Fri. - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 3 a.m. (twice a month), 4 a.m. (twice a month), 7 a.m., 8 p.m.; Sat. - 1 a.m., 2 a.m., 4 a.m., 6 p.m., 11 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.

MAY 23, 2023, MARIAN MANTLE SILENT STRENGTH PRAYER GROUP - All are welcome to join us in prayer for the return of our prodigal children to the Faith. We meet at 4 p.m. on May 23rd at Cathedral of the Risen Christ; 35th & Sheridan Blvd. in Rectors Hall in the lower level of the Cathedral. The Divine Mercy Chaplet and a Rosary will be said as well as petition prayers for our prodigals and members. Mass is at 5 p.m. for those who wish to attend. Contact kneugeba@gmail.com for more information.

ADDITIONAL NEWS

MAY 24, 2023, DEDICATION DAY CELEBRATION – OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE – Come celebrate our 60th Anniversary on Wed., May 24th at 7303 N. 112th St., Waverly, NE. We will have Mass at 8:30 a.m. with a social hour following and an Ice Cream Social from 3:30-5:30 p.m. Please RSVP to Dedication Day (regfox.com).

MAY 26, 2023, DEACONATE ORDINATION - The bishop will also ordain five new deacons at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ at 7 p.m. Fri., May 26^{th} – Jonah Brox, Santiago Izquierdo, Augustine Reimers, Mitchell Schleiss and Ranil Weerackoon. A Holy Hour for the ordinandi will take place at the St. Thomas Aquinas Newman Center, 320 N. 16^{th} St., at 7 p.m., Thurs., May 25^{th} . All are invited to attend.

MAY 27, 2023, ORDINATION - Bishop James Conley will ordain three new priests for the Lincoln Diocese on Sat., May 27th – Deacons Scott Nemec, Louden Redinger & Matthew Schilmoeller. The ordination Mass will be celebrated at the cathedral of the Risen Christ, 3500 Sheridan Blvd., at 11 a.m. A livestream of the ordination Mass will be available on the Catholic Diocese of Lincoln YouTube Channel. https://youtube.com/live/ZNE4xeoFnfk.

MAY 28, 2023, MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND – The Catholic Diocese of Lincoln Mass for the



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Homebound on Sunday, May 28th will air at 11:30 a.m. on KLKN-TV in Lincoln instead of at its usual time at 9:00 a.m. due to network programming conflict. The Mas for the Homebound airs at its normal time at 9:30 a.m. on KSNB -TV in Hastings that day.

JUNE 11, 2023, THREE HOUR HOLY HOUR – MARIAN SISTERS CHAPEL - In light of the ongoing Eucharistic Revival, the Marian Sisters have graciously opened their chapel to the lay faithful for a three-hour holy hour on June 11th. People are welcome to stop by & pray at any point during those three hours.

JUNE 20, 2023, EUCHARISTIC ENCOUNTER - Spirit Catholic Radio invites you to a Eucharistic Encounter June 20th at Cathedral of the Risen Christ! This diocesan event will celebrate and deepen our Faith in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. Hear from speaker Fr. Malachy Napier, CFR, and Bishop James Conley. Participate in adoration, eucharistic piety, dynamic teaching, & powerful sacred music. View the Vatican International Exhibition, Eucharistic Miracles of the World display created by Blessed Carlo Acutis, who was named patron of the National Eucharistic Revival initiative & watch a video about his life. Doors will be open for Eucharistic Events from 5-10 p.m., & the Liturgical Program will take place from 6:45-9 p.m. The event is free, & registration is not needed. Visit spiritcatholicradio.com/encounter for details.

CAMP KATERI: SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION & CAMP COUNSELOR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Registration is now open for SKY Camp (current grades 4th-8th), Catholic Adventure Camp (grades 3rd -5th) & the Tekakwitha Games (grades 4th-8th). Also accepting applications for volunteer HS counselors (grades 9th-12th) for SKY, Catholic Adventure Camp & the Tekakwitha Games. For more info., or to register for camp, go to www.campkateri.org.

PIUS X SUMMER CAMPS - Athletes and Performers! Use your summer to perfect your skills! Numerous camps are being offered by coaches at Pius X High School. Camps range from athletics to performing arts, and from grades kindergarten to high school. Learn more and sign up at PiusX.net/camps.

JULY 13-17, 2023, MISSION TRIP TO MEXICO interested in going to Mexico City, Mexico to work with Hope of the Poor? Unable to join the diocesan trips in October? Consider joining Fr. Corey Harrison on a mission trip/pilgrimage from July 13th-17th. We are looking for a few more people to join us. Scott Watts - a missionary with Hope of the Poor - will be our pilgrimage/mission trip leader. The cost will be \$750 plus flight. Flights will be in the \$600-700 dollar range. For more information or to join, please call Fr. Harrison at 402-756-6251 or email at fr.corey-harrison@cdolinc.net.

FEBRUARY 22 – MARCH 4, 2024, PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND WITH FATHER CHRIS ECKRICH - Fr. Eckrich will be leading another pilgrimage to the Holy Land, starting in Jordan with the Old Testament where Moses stood on Mt. Nebo overlooking the Jordan River and the Promised Land. We will also visit the lost city of Petra before going to Israel to follow in Jesus' footsteps, ending with the Via Dolorosa. See full itinerary at https://executivetravel.com/lincoln-diocese, request a brochure at 402-435-8888 or call Barb Wallingford at 402-430-5811 for more information.



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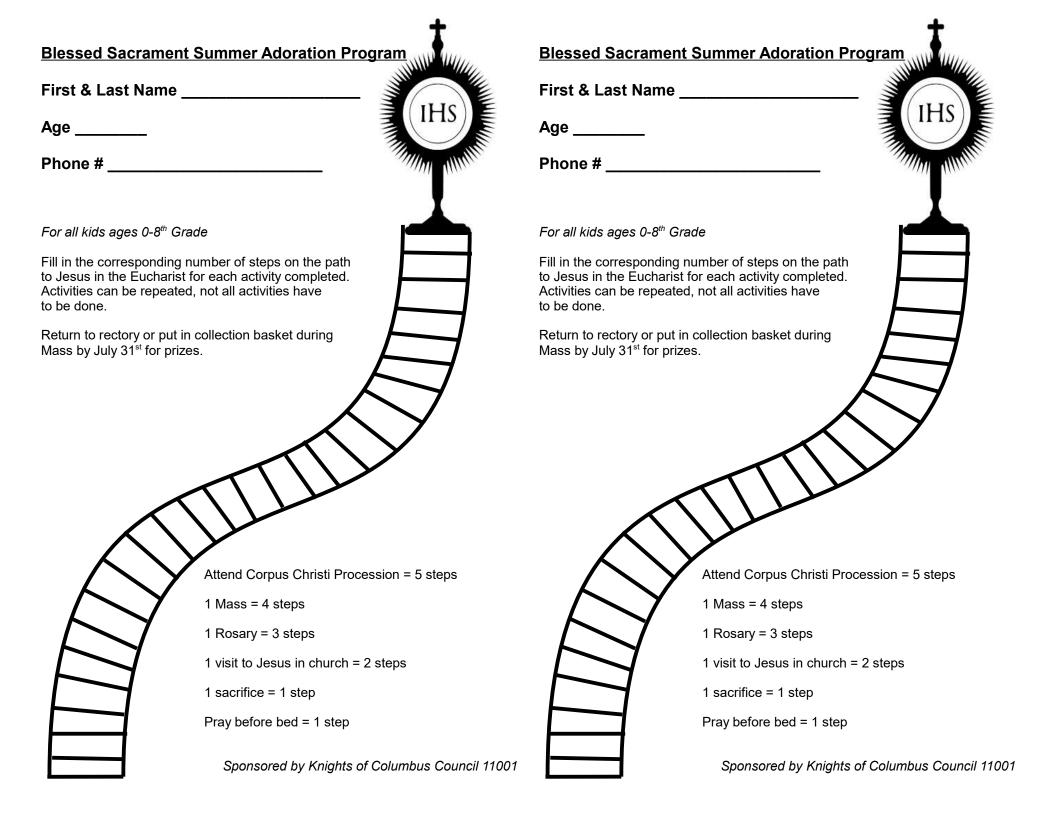
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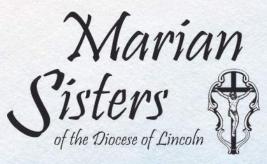
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Saturday, June 17th, 11:45am-6 PM Specific location in Lincoln provided upon registration.



Learn how to be the hands and feet of Christ, offering loving, life-affirming alternatives to all present at Planned Parenthood of Lincoln, thereby eliminating demand and ending abortion in Lincoln.

Please bring \$15 training fee to cover cost of workbook and other SAFL-Lincoln expenses. Snacks and drinks provided. More details upon RSVP.



Please register in advance:

Contact Lisa McInerney: lisapal24@aol.com or 402-525-9360

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JUNE 23-29, 2023

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