



Easter Weekday

Monday April 29

6:40 AM Bode & Ruskamp Families
8:00 AM Gwen Conway†

Tuesday April 30

6:40 AM Nellie Guerra†
8:00 AM Gus & Laura Clark

Wednesday May 1

6:40 AM John Aschoff†
8:00 AM All Souls in Purgatory

Thursday May 2

6:40 AM Wanda Pautz†
8:00 AM Regina Palmer

Friday May 3

6:40 AM Mary LaPuzza†
8:00 AM Carter Nagel

Saturday May 4

9:00 AM Bob & Rose Codr & Family

Weekend Masses

Saturday May 4

6:00 PM Donald Edwards Family—
Living & Deceased

Sunday May 5

7:00 AM Mary LaPuzza†
8:00 AM Joe O'Donnell†
9:30 AM Jasper & Phyllis Newell†
11:00 AM Our Parish Family

School News

May 4 First Communion 10:30 am

CCD News

May 1 Class 6-7:30 pm—First Holy Communion practice. Parents attend.
May 4 First Communion 1:30 pm

Congratulations to Brent Benes and Megan Poe who were married at North American Martyrs Church on April 27th. *May the Lord shower you with abundant graces.*



Mark your calendars! The Knights of Columbus will host a Kids' Fishing Day on May 18. Watch for more information.

Vacation Bible School volunteers are needed the week of July 7. We are in great need of group leaders, a craft helper, and snack teacher. Please contact Dawn at ericanddawn1@windstream.net.

Witnessing to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and living the Sacramental life.



Parish Calendar



RUN FOR GOD meets on **Tuesday, April 30th** at 6:30 pm.

RCIA POTLUCK will be on **Thursday, May 2nd**.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS honoring the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be held after the 8:00 am Mass this **Friday, May 3rd**.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be held this **Saturday, May 4th** at 8:30 am.

THE SENIOR MASS date/time has been changed to **Sunday, May 5th at 11 am**.

Divine Mercy Sunday: Jesus told St. Faustina that this Feast of Mercy would be a very special day when “all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened”. (Diary 699). Our Lord made a great promise to all those souls who would go to Confession and then receive Him in Holy Communion on the Feast of Mercy, on the Sunday after Easter, which is now called Divine Mercy Sunday throughout the Catholic Church. Jesus promised that “The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain the complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.” (Diary 699). He went on to say “I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My Mercy.” (Diary 1109).

The Church allows for one to go to Confession for up to about 20 days, before or after Divine Mercy Sunday. Please look for additional information at the Parish Info Center.



Eucharistic Adoration:

He is Risen!!! Our God is alive and thirsting to share an Holy Hour with YOU!! Open Your heart to the truth and the faith that our God wants to share this time with you. He has so much love and peace to shower on YOU!!

Open Hours:

Wednesdays 2 am; Saturdays 5 am. Immediate Need.

Second Adorer Needed: Sundays noon; Mondays 4am; Tuesdays 7am, 2pm, 3pm; Thursdays 11am; Fridays 8pm; Saturdays overnight hours.

Call the Parish Office for more information on Holy Hours.

Aged to Perfection Game Night The Martyrs Grief Group is sponsoring a social event in the Kateri Room at 7:00 pm on **Monday, April 29th**. Anyone over age 50, men, women, single or married are welcome. We will have games (Mexican Freight Train dominoes, Farkel, Pitch and more with appetizers provided. Please RSVP so we have enough tables and food. Questions or RSVP to Pat 402-477-5364.



Easter Vigil Baptisms and Converts: Congratulations to **Samuel Bristol, Cara Delp, Caleb Holl, Austin Lahmon** and **Jennifer Spellman** who celebrated the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion and Confirmation at the Easter Vigil. Also, congratulations to **Brett Beal, Laura Drevo, Ramon Huber, Megan Poe, Jennifer Vaughn** and **Britton Wilson** who were received into the Catholic Church and celebrated the sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation. Children **Blayklee Lahmon** and **Tucker Willis** were baptized and **Carly Coen, Serafin Rangel, Jordan Rewolinski, Gage Spellman** and **Morgan Spellman** received the sacrament of Confirmation.

May the light of Christ shine brightly in your lives and may your faith inspire all of us to a deeper love for Christ and His Catholic Church!

STEWARDSHIP RECEIVED LAST WEEK: *Thank you!*

Adult Tithe Envelopes (262 families).....	\$ 12,791
Adult Electronic Tithe (299 families).....	\$ 9,562
Plate	\$ 1,740
Youth	\$ 279
Total Tithe Received	\$ 24,372

Average amount needed for weekly budget - \$23,732

(This amount represents what is needed for the 2018-19 fiscal year budget.)

Budget Report to Date: Fiscal Year Jul 1, 2018 - Jun 30, 2019

Received to date: July 1 - Apr. 21..... **\$ 1,037,914**

Needed to date for annual budget

\$1,020,476

Annual budget overage to date..... **\$ 17,438**

Praise God for our surplus!

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Scrip workers for May 4-5

6:00 PM Goodwater/Nebesniak **7:00 AM** T. & C. Seidl

8:00 AM Huber/Busboom **9:30 AM** Reisdorff/Ketchmark

11:00 AM Fredrick/Drehs



Save the Date! Come Worship the King of Kings! The **Rosary Crusade Grand Finale** for the Lincoln Diocese will be **Sunday, May 5th** at 7:00 pm. Join us at Haymarket Park for the Eucharistic procession into the stadium lead by Bishop Conley, a Living Rosary and Adoration with the Holy Eucharist. Watch for more information. The parking lot is open for tailgating

first thing in the morning on May 5th until the beginning of the event at 7:00 pm.

Calling All Mothers of the Parish: It is time to *Spring Clean* and *Donate* in preparations for our annual **Spring Garage Sale** on **Saturday, May 18th** from 8:00 am-4:00 pm. You can drop donations off at the rectory garage on May 17th after school until 7:30 pm. For larger items, like furniture, please contact Amanda Long at aklong85@yahoo.com. All left over donations will be donated to CSS. Please consider signing up to volunteer to set up, work the sale or load the trailer after the sale is over! Thank you for your generosity!

Lay Ministry for May 4-5

	Acolytes	Readers	Servers	Greeters
6:00 PM	J. Benes Boesen		J. Benes Fuchs Wisnieski (2)	
7:00 AM	Shonka Sub needed	R. Shonka	Wilson, Meyers Codr Dondlinger	
8:00 AM	Hartz Bousquet	Unger	Hartz, Trausch Novosad Le	Brian Ohnoutka Family
9:30 AM	Warday Kozakiewicz Schepers	Bourek	Bode, Boehle Regnier Prakapchuk	Travis Morris Family
11:00 AM	Arndt Haug McInerney	SENIOR MASS	Standish (2) Odgaard Sousek	SENIOR MASS

Prayer Requests

We pray with special love and concern for all those who are ill: Gary Aerts, Cindy Anderson, Janis Bauer, Elaine Baum, Matthew Benes, Edwin Benes, Barbara Bothe, Larry Chamberlain, Cari Cobler, Sheree Danaher, Ray Douglas, Maryls Goodwater, Catia Guerrero, Bruce Haller, Gene Helget, Pam Hill, Darci Homan, Maria Kozlowski, Tony Leitschuck, Clint Lochner, Kenneth Menard, Joyce Niedbalski, Barbara Noll, Regina Palmer, Abby & Will Parish, Barb Roth, Candy Rueb, Derek Ruth, Theresa Sears, John Sedlak, Grady Simants, Connie Skoglund, Rose & Rich Stehno, Patricia Steiner, Jolene Stern, Norman Sweitzer, Lori Wake, Lane Whitaker & Jeanine Worley.

YOUTH MINISTRY

The Steubenville Mid-America Youth Conference will be July 12-14. There is an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, to challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world. Keynote this year is nationally known speakers Fr. Mike Schmitz and Katie Prejean McGrady.

The Diocesan Canoe Trips are coming up! This three-day outdoor adventure includes daily Mass, confessions, talks, private reflection time, and other opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ. A Campfire and rosary fill the evening hours. Dates are July 14-16 and July 16-18, cost is \$100. To register, go to lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-trip.

Follow: **Instagram:** @youth_NAM & **Facebook:** North American Martyrs Youth Ministry (@NAMyouthministry)"
Nicole Olson, Youth Minister, 402-413-8576.

AREA EVENTS

Magnificat Spring Prayer Meal is **May 4**, 9:30 am, Hillcrest Country Club, 9401 East O Street. Special guest is Fr. Michael Voithofer, associate pastor at St. Gerald's, and began a Ministry in Omaha called Ablaze in 2012. Send \$25 check payable to Magnificat c/o Tina Colgan, 521 N. 56th St., Lincoln, NE 68504. *Deadline is Apr. 26.* Questions, Rhonda, 402-525-6396.

CK Sisters Outdoor Spring Workday is **May 4**, 1:30-4:30 pm. Helpful items to bring: gloves, pruning shears, clippers, wheelbarrows, shovels, rakes, pickups, chain saws and energy! Children are welcome. Contact sr.mary-angela@cdolinc.net if you would like to come. Villa Regina Motherhouse, 4100 SW 56th St., about 2 miles west and south of Pioneers Park.

Retreat for Couples with Infertility **May 5**, 9 am—3:30 pm, John XXIII Diocesan Center, \$40. Call the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 for more information.

One Day Pilgrimage led by Fr. Hottovy to historic churches of SE Nebraska and NE Kansas will be **May 7th**. The bus will leave from St. Teresa's at 7:45 am and return around 6:00 pm. \$42. Space is limited. Please call Mary Ann Fitzpatrick at 402-486-1120.

Emmaus Institute for Biblical Studies will offer its final introductory session on **May 7**, 7-8:30 pm at Gianna's Java. The presentation will include short talks on Scripture and Christian living by the Emmaus instructors.