

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



**15th Week in Ordinary Time**

**Monday July 13**

6:40 AM John & Donna Bode  
8:00 AM Donald Casper†

**Tuesday July 14**

6:40 AM Irene Rezac† & Loretta Epp†  
8:00 AM Altar Society Members—  
Living & Deceased

**Wednesday July 15**

6:40 AM Mary Ngu Nguyen†  
8:00 AM Bernadt Family—Living &  
Deceased

**Thursday July 16**

6:40 AM Jacob Rademacker  
8:00 AM Phyllis Newell†

**Friday July 17**

6:40 AM Fr. Luke Fleck  
8:00 AM Diann Kroos

**Saturday July 18**

9:00 AM Ellen Stephens

**Weekend Masses**

**Saturday July 18**

6:00 PM Rita Bishop†

**Sunday July 19**

7:00 AM Sr. Janelle Buettner  
8:00 AM Bill Waltemath†  
9:30 AM Elven J. Sullivan†  
11:00 AM Our Parish Family

**July 14, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Feast Day**

**Prayer to Saint Kateri Tekakwitha**

By: Harold Caldwell

O Saint Kateri, Lily of the Mohawks,  
Your love for Jesus,  
so strong, so steadfast,  
pray that we may become like you.  
Your short and painful life  
showed us your strength and humility.  
Pray that we may become  
forever humble like you.  
Like the bright and shining stars at night,  
we pray that your light  
may forever shine down upon us,  
giving light, hope, peacefulness  
and serenity in our darkest moments.  
Fill our hearts, Saint Kateri Tekakwitha  
with your same love for Jesus  
and pray that we may have the strength and  
courage to become one like you in Heaven.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



**Parish Calendar**



**Spirituality 101** class will meet on **Sunday, July 12th** at 7:00 pm.  
**Bible Study** class meeting on **Monday, July 13th** at 7:00 pm.  
**Knights of Columbus** will meet on **Monday, July 13th** at 7:00 pm.  
**GIFT Committee** meets on **Monday, July 13th** at 8:00 pm.  
**Philosophy 101** class meets on **Wednesday, July 15th** at 7:00 pm.  
**Church Cleaning** is **Saturday, July 18th** beginning at 7 am. The Anthony Daniel Team needs your help! Can you give one hour?  
**Men's Book Club** meets on **Saturday, July 18th** at 9:30 am.

*We pray with special love and concern for all those who are ill:* Mike Arnold, Ed Benes, Paul Bilau, Marvene Bruner, Larry Chamberlain, Cari Cobler, Cara Delp, DiAnne Donahoo, Ray Douglas, Tisha Elder, Diane Fry, Steve Gabell, Sonja Gates, Tom Goodwater, Geri Hepp, Maria Kozlowski, Jill Lee, Clint Lochner, Barbara Noll, LeAnn Obrecht, Marlys Parish, Candy Rueb, Derek Ruth, David Sedlak, Patti Simpson, Pat Steiner, Norman Sweitzer, Gilda Thompson & Lane Whitaker. Names will remain on the list for 3 months.

**CCD** at North American Martyrs is a program where you will learn about God, your Catholic Faith, and will prepare you for the sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Students in *first through eighth grade* who attend public schools or are homeschooled are invited and encouraged to participate. Classes meet on Wednesday evenings from 6—7:30 pm and will begin September 9th. You can find registration forms at the Parish Information Center or on our website. Please drop them in the Sunday collection basket or return them to the Office.

CCD: We are in need of several CCD Teachers and Assistants for the upcoming school year. If you are interested in helping in a classroom as the teacher or as an assistant, please contact Fr. Connor at 402-476-8088 ext. 3 or Beth Benes at 402-210-5718 or [beth-benes@cdolinc.net](mailto:beth-benes@cdolinc.net).

**Runborn** Steve Sousek and all those involved with Runborn would like to thank everyone for their prayers, encouragement, personal presence, and financial donations along his run across Nebraska. As of July 7 you have all contributed to raising \$37,649.38 for Runborn's pro-life mission to support women in crisis and unborn babies. These funds will greatly benefit St. Gianna Women's Homes and the Women's Care Center of Lincoln. If you would like to see info from Steve's run please visit [www.facebook.com/irunborn](http://www.facebook.com/irunborn). If you would like to donate please visit [www.runborn.org/donate](http://www.runborn.org/donate). Online donations will continue to be accepted through July 18.

Last week SCRIP sales: \$5,890 from 21 families, and a profit of \$186.  
To place your SCRIP order, please call the School Office at 402-476-7373.

| <b><u>Stewardship Received Last Week.</u> Thank You!</b> |                 |
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| Adult Tithe Envelopes (83 families)                      | \$13,498        |
| Adult Electronic Tithe (336 families)                    | \$12,716        |
| Plate  | \$218           |
| Youth  | \$0             |
| <b>Total Tithe Received</b>                              | <b>\$26,432</b> |
| (Last Year's Weekly Tithing Goal was \$30,834)           |                 |
| <b>Received to Date: July 1 - July 5</b>                 | <b>\$26,432</b> |
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| Fiscal Year Began July 1st                               |                 |

The Martyrs Mass Schedule has returned to normal and is also *live streamed Monday—Friday at 6:40 am and at 6:00 pm on Saturdays* on Facebook (group is North American Martyrs Church). It is posted on our website, [www.namartyrs.org](http://www.namartyrs.org) on Sundays. Television Masses are broadcast on Sundays on EWTN at 7:00 am and on KLLN 8 at 9:00 am. Visit the Lincoln Diocese website at [www.lincolndiocese.org/](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/) for guidelines.

**Confessions** have returned to the normal schedule, but are offered in the Kateri Room on Saturday: 5:00—5:40 pm and after the 6:00 pm Mass until finished. Also 15 minutes before each weekday Mass.

**Baptism:** We welcome those newly baptized. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in Christ. **Kolbie Scottlyn**, daughter of **Brandon & Kylee Chapek**. Congratulations!



### Martyrs Moms Connect

We want you to feel connected to our vibrant parish during this unprecedented time! Join us **Wednesday, July 15** at 8 - 9 p.m. via zoom to connect with other amazing mamas of Martyrs, share life updates and pray together. We will use zoom breakout rooms to unite women of the parish, foster connections and more importantly give you a chance to talk to somebody else besides your husband and/or kids. So grab your laptop, a cup of coffee and settle in.  
Zoom link: <https://unl.zoom.us/j/94315974517>

### Totus Tuus

If anyone would like to contribute their time or volunteer to bring snacks or meals for Totus Tuus, please sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b45acaf29a2f49-namtotus>. We are in need of High School and Adult volunteers. **Totus Tuus High School Night:** We will meet **Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>**, from 7:00pm – 9:00pm. Meet outside the rectory. We invite all incoming freshmen to recently graduated High School Seniors.  
Theme: **Surrender** with guest speakers such as Max and Molly Chapman, Christ the King Sisters, and others!!

North American Martyrs Knights of Columbus Council 11312 will be sponsoring the **8th Annual 4 Person Golf Scramble** on **Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>**. The Shotgun Start begins at 9:00 am. Registration includes: cart & green fees, range balls, lunch, one drink ticket, one raffle ticket, top team payouts and pin prizes. \$80 per person; \$320 per team. Save \$40 per team if paid in full *before June 30<sup>th</sup>*. Sign up at [Events.GolfStatus.com](http://Events.GolfStatus.com). Search “Knights 8th Annual Scramble”.  
Sponsors are needed! Contact Jeff Wiese with questions at 402-429-7827 or [jeffreywiese@gmail.com](mailto:jeffreywiese@gmail.com).

**St. John Bosco Chess Camp** will be **July 27—31**. Learn the great game of chess and further develop your skills. Quality teachers. Meet new friends and learn from others. For ages Kindergarten—8th grade. Cost is \$35. We begin with Mass at 8:00 am and conclude at 11:30 am Monday-Friday. Masks, social distancing and other protocols will be followed. *Register by July 17*. Registration forms are online or at the Parish Information Center.

Our parish has seen an increase in attempts to spoof your emails or text messages and get parishioners to send money to spammers. Be aware that these attacks are getting more sophisticated. The perpetrators have been known to either hack or spoof the Pastor’s email account and then send emails asking for gift cards or money to be sent to them. Our priests or staff would never send an email or text request for money or gift cards.

**FRAUD  
ALERT**



Register for **Online Retreats** sponsored by Good Counsel Retreat House at [www.goodcounselretreat.com](http://www.goodcounselretreat.com), 402-786-2705, [goodcounsel@cdolinc.net](mailto:goodcounsel@cdolinc.net).

**Throughout July** – “Surrender!” on-demand retreat with Fr. Larry Richards.

**July 24-25** “We are Not Alone” retreat on John:14 with Bart Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center.

### Area Events

**Undone**—Ladies, do you desire to live in greater freedom? Are you longing for an authentic encounter with your true feminine identity? Join us for the Undone women’s retreat where you will experience a weekend of truth, beauty and transformation, as the knots of Eve’s disobedience are “undone” through Mary’s model of radical receptivity. Bring yourself, your mother, your sister, your daughters and friends. This is a weekend you won’t want to miss! Undone: *Freedom for the Feminine Heart* will be held at St. Peter Catholic Parish, **September 24-26**. Register online [www.jpilhealingcenter.org](http://www.jpilhealingcenter.org). Scholarships, student and missionary discounts are available. Contact Annette Wemhoff at [JPIIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com](mailto:JPIIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com) for more information. *Sponsored by Spirit Catholic Radio.*

**Men on Fire:** Take Back What Belongs To You It’s time to live into the life that God intended for you! Become a man “ON FIRE” for God. The Men on Fire Conference, led by Bart Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center with worship led by Mark McKellar, will help you live into who you are. At Pentecost, the power of the Holy Spirit propelled each of the apostles into the fullness of their destiny. St. Irenaeus once said, “the glory of God is man fully alive.” Step into your own personal Pentecost, know who you are in Christ, live into God’s purpose for your life and take back what belongs to you and God. St. Peter Catholic Parish is hosting the Men on Fire Men’s Conference on **Saturday, October 17** from 9 am-3 pm. A Leaders Summit will also be held the evening before, on Friday October 16 from 7-9 pm. This event is sponsored by Spirit Catholic Radio 102.7 FM. Learn more and register online at [www.jpilhealingcenter.org](http://www.jpilhealingcenter.org) Invite your father. Invite your son. Scholarships are available, email Annette Wemhoff at [JPIIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com](mailto:JPIIRetreatLincolnNE@gmail.com) for more information.

**Marriage Encounter** is going Virtual Streaming. Accommodating the time we are living. Enhancing our couple communication and intimacy. Contact Pat & Janelle Benson at 308-940-0670 or 308-940-1105 for more information.

**Catholic Social Services** has funds available for rent, utilities, and emergency cash assistance help. We have funds set aside for every region of southern Nebraska, not just the towns where we have offices. So please, if you know of anyone that needs help please have them call in for assistance. There is an application process for those wanting to receive assistance. **Lincoln area**, please call (402) 327-6211 on Mondays beginning at 9 a.m. We have a bilingual English/Spanish speaker at this number.