



Mass Intentions

Holy Week

**Monday March 29**

6:40 AM Bogumil Spicha†  
8:00 AM Dan Benes†

**Tuesday March 30**

6:40 AM Dominic Ling Nguyen†  
8:00 AM Joan Douglas†  
5:15 PM Nathan Krick

**Wednesday March 31**

6:40 AM John Lochner, Jr.†  
8:00 AM Michelle Miller  
5:15 PM Ted & Evelyn Coufal Family-  
Living & Deceased

**Holy Thursday, April 1** (no morning Mass)

Mass of the Lord's Supper  
7:00 PM Fr. Connor, Fr. Fleck and  
Fr. Wahlmeier

**Good Friday, April 2** (no morning Mass)

7:00 PM Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

**Holy Saturday, April 3** (no morning Mass)

**Weekend Masses**

**Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 3**

8:30 PM Our Parish Family

**Easter Sunday, April 4**

7:00 AM Leonard & Ramona Roberts  
Family—Living & Deceased  
8:00 AM Joanne & Robert White†  
9:30 AM Kim & Rick Stockman & Family  
11:00 AM Gene & Barb Roth†

*We welcome* all visitors who have joined us for the celebration of the Mass. If you have moved into the area and would like parish registration information, please call the Parish Office at 402-476-8088 ext. 5.

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Last Week Sales: Total: **\$6,380**  
Total Profit: **\$236** Number of Families: **21**

**Holy Thursday Operation Rice Bowl:**

Please bring your Rice Bowl donations to Holy Thursday Mass or within the next 2 weeks. There will be a basket on a table in the Church for you to place your Rice Bowls or envelopes.

**Good Friday Holy Land Collection:**

On Good Friday, our parish will take up the collection for the Holy Land. Your contribution helps to support the struggling Christian community and to protect Christianity's holiest places. God bless your generosity!

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



Parish Calendar



Please note: There will be no 5:15 pm Mass on Monday, March 29th.

**THE BIBLE & THE MASS** class meets on **Mon., Mar. 29th** at 8:30 pm.  
**OPENING THE WORD** class concludes on **Tues., Mar. 30th** at 6:30 pm.  
**OUR STORY** class will meet on **Tuesday, March 30th** at 8:00 pm.  
**DIVINE MERCY** last class will be **Wed., March 31st** at 7:00 pm.

Bedmaking at the Retreat House is Monday, Mar. 29th at 6:15 pm. Please come!

**Sacred Triduum:** These three days are the most sacred time of the church year, as we celebrate the events of the Last Supper, Good Friday and the Resurrection. *Everyone is encouraged to come to the liturgies of the Sacred Triduum.*

**North American Martyrs  
Holy Week Schedule  
Confessions**

**Palm Sunday, March 28** 4:00 - 5:00 pm (5 priests)  
7:00 - 8:00 pm (3 priests)  
**Tuesday, March 30** 7:00 - 8:00 pm (2 priests)  
**Wednesday, March 31** 7:00 - 8:30 pm (3 priests)  
**Holy Thursday, April 1** 9:00 - 10:00 am (3 priests)  
8:30 pm—until finished (3)  
**Good Friday, April 2** 9:00—10:00 am (3 priests)  
3:30 pm—until finished (3)  
8:00 pm—until finished (3)  
**Holy Saturday, April 3** 10:00 - 11:30 am (3 priests)

**Sacred Triduum Schedule**

**Holy Thurs., April 1** Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7:00 pm  
**Good Friday, April 2** Stations of the Cross, 3:00 pm  
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion, 7:00 pm  
**Holy Saturday, April 3** Easter Vigil Mass, 8:30 pm  
**Sunday, April 4** 7:00 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am & 11:00 am

**Eucharistic Adoration**

March 30-31, Tuesday—Wednesday, 9:00 am—5:00 pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040D4AABAD22AA8-adoration>

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| <b>Stewardship Received Last Week. Thank You!</b> |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| Adult Tithe Envelopes (149 families)              | \$20,372           |
| Adult Electronic Tithe (321 families)             | \$13,757           |
| Plate   | \$263              |
| Youth   | \$0                |
| <b>Total Tithe Received</b>                       | <b>\$34,392</b>    |
| Weekly Tithing Goal                               | \$30,599           |
| <b>Received to Date: July 1 - March 21</b>        | <b>\$1,270,034</b> |
| Needed for Annual Budget                          | \$1,162,762        |
| <b>Annual Budget Overage to Date</b>              | <b>\$107,272</b>   |

### Martyrs School News

The **Kindergarten and Preschool Previews** will be virtual this year. To receive the link and registration materials, please send an email to [carol-ruskamp@cdolinc.net](mailto:carol-ruskamp@cdolinc.net).

### CCD News

**March 31st** Class 6-7:30 pm, Stations of the Cross

**Baptism:** We welcome those newly baptized. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in Christ. **Tracker Jeffrey Joseph**, son of **Jeff & Terra Papik**. Congratulations!

Join us in the Church for 30 minutes of **prayer** on **Sunday, March 28th** and **Monday, March 29th** at 7:55 pm. We will pray the Rosary and Chaplet for our church, our country and our families. March 29th is the last date scheduled at this time.

Women of Martyrs is partnering with Martyrs Men for **Stations of the Cross According to Mary** on **Tuesday, March 30 at 8 p.m.** in the Church. These stations present the viewpoint of Mary, the Mother of Jesus, as she walks the road to Calvary. Join us as Mary teaches us how to take up our cross and follow Jesus in a spirit of limitless love and undying hope. All are welcome!

**Thank you** to everyone who donated the delicious desserts for the Fish Fry Dinners and all who worked at the table and purchased desserts. Special thanks to **Jan Franklin** for coordinating and working this event each week. You all helped to make this a big success!

**Martyrs Craft Fair will be Saturday, October 2, 2021** Please contact Cindy Seidl or the Parish Office for more information on participating as a vendor.

### Lay Ministry for Holy Thursday & Good Friday

|                | Reader                 | Acolytes          | Servers                        |
|----------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| 4/1<br>7:00 PM | Odgaard                | Bousquet<br>West  | Gueret, Odgaard<br>Ortiz, West |
| 4/2<br>7:00 PM | Shively<br>Lewandowski | McInerney<br>Johs | Shively (2)<br>Johs, Burress   |

### Lay Ministry for Easter, April 3-4

|                     | Reader   | Acolytes               | Servers                             | Security             | Greeters                 |
|---------------------|----------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 8:30<br>PM<br>vigil | Barnes   | Kathe<br>Korus         | Wemhoff<br>Korus, Iburg<br>Costello |                      |                          |
| 7:00<br>AM          | Matulka  | Verzal<br>Hellbusch    | Hellbush<br>Oglesby (2)             | Eastman              |                          |
| 8:00<br>AM          | Kuta     | Tanner<br>Ruhl         | Huynh<br>E. Nguyen<br>Tanner        | McPhillips           | Keith<br>Rupp<br>Family  |
| 9:30<br>AM          | Timmer   | BSchlautman<br>McManus | King<br>McManus<br>Odom             | Simpson<br>Brockhaus |                          |
| 11<br>AM            | Schepers | Gose<br>Hartz          | Donato<br>Need 2                    | Hannon<br>Ruskamp    | Blaine<br>Johs<br>Family |

You are invited to a **Concert for Christ** with Catholic Singer-Songwriter **Jacob Rudd** on **Sunday, April 18<sup>th</sup>** at 3:00 pm. Jacob is from Green Bay, Wisconsin. His wife, Calena, is from Omaha and they have three children. Jacob is going to share unique original music about Jesus, the Saints, and family life with finger-style guitar.

**Grace Volkmer** from our parish will be the opening act! Free will offering.

### Youth Ministry - all NAM parish youth 6-12th grade

**Come to Aflame, Stay for the Game!**

**Friday, March 26th;** 7-8:00pm. Aflame in the Church and 8-9pm Board games in the Parish Hall. 6-12th grade. Masks required during the games.

**Bowling at Lanes 'N Games** (East Campus Student Union)

**Sunday, April 11th;** 3:00 to 4:15 pm-

6-8th grade students and 4:45 to 6:00 pm- 9-12th grade students. Cost: \$5.00 payable at the door. Space is limited.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B45ACAF29A2F49-namparish>

The Knights of Columbus and the American Red Cross are sponsoring a **Blood Drive** at North American Martyrs Church on **Monday, April 5th**, 8:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Register at 1-800-733-2767 or visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter NorthAmericanMartyrsLincoln.

Join us for our fourth annual North American Martyrs **Trivia Night Saturday, April 10th** beginning at 7:30 pm. Tables of 6-8—\$20 per person to play. Get your friends together or let us place you and make new friends! Bring your own food and beverages. Cash prizes. Registration forms available at the Parish Information Center or [Registration Form](#). Forms can be returned to the School or Parish Office. Limited number of tables available - *registration ends March 28*. Contact Jen Trausch or the Parish Office with any questions.

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life.

During the first quarter of the year, through your gifts, our Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring the mercy of Jesus into the hearts of the poor by assisting 58 people, providing \$200 in food, \$2,485 in rent, and \$2,479 in utilities.



**Magnificat** is a monthly publication containing daily prayers and meditations, as well as the Scripture readings for Masses and much more. The annual group subscription rate is \$23.00/each. (Regular price of \$47). If you would like to be a part of the group / bulk subscription, please turn in your payment to the Parish Office *by April 9th*. The group subscription runs from August 2021 – July 2022. Those in our group may also read Magnificat either online or on their iPhone or iPad.

**HELP WANTED:** The **GIFT committee** is looking for a **committee chair or co-chairs** to lead the group of volunteers dedicated to planning and organizing the annual GIFT fundraiser gala. The chair/co-chairs are responsible for overseeing all aspects of planning and coordinating meetings for the committee. No experience necessary; you will be trained by the previous chair! For more information, please contact Fr. Connor or the Parish Office at 402-476-8088.