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MASS SCHEDULE



Saturday - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday - 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAYS

Monday through Friday - 6:40 & 8:10 a.m.
Saturday - 9:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday - 4:00-4:40 p.m.
and after 5:00 p.m. Mass until finished.
15 minutes before each weekday Mass.

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A NOTE FROM OUR PASTOR...



Hello Martyrs Family!

As we enter into April, we now begin the season of change. Many kids are receiving new Sacraments. In fact, as I write this on April 1st, we have 57 of our young ones receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Thank you so much to all the teachers who made this possible. In CCD, Jake Jenson and Tom Kathe. With all the snow-days being on Wednesday (for reasons only the Lord knows why), I thank you for your heroic efforts trying to catch up! For our homeschool community, every parent who took the time to teach the depth and beauty of the reality of Confirmation, thank you! For our Catholic School, Lily Mai and Luke Fehringer, who not only teach "the three R's," but also keep it in balance with the spiritual truths given to us by God Himself.

Also, with April comes the Easter Vigil. Many people in OCIA have been discerning God's call. While not all will enter the Church that night (we have some entering in the future), it is a joyous celebration. I encourage you to invite people to the Easter Vigil. Yes, the reality is that this liturgy does take time, but you know me ... I don't preach too long and my praying the Mass has a reflective but consistent pace. Come join us for a night of liturgy that looks like no other, April 19th starting at 8:30pm!

Lastly, March was actually a tough time for some of your brothers and sisters in the parish. The priests have accompanied people going through very tough challenges. We priests do apologize if your communications/projects might not have gotten attention this month. We had to prioritize needs. We're now trying to address requests in proper order, but we ask for your patience. May the Lord bless you all!

~In Christ,
Fr. Nathan Hall

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE (APRIL 12TH & 13TH)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
Rupp Barnes	Trausch Sousek	Bourek Lewandowski	Brown St. Hilaire	Drehs Elder
ACOLYTES				
Boesen Kathe Matulka	Bousquet Ketchmark	Streff Volkmer	Bassinger McInerney Wordekemper	Johs Haug Wemhoff
SERVERS				
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SECURITY				
Lochner McPhillips	Eastman	Kane	Feldhaus Miller	Hannon Seberger
GREETERS				
Peters		Belger	Patzel	Meyer

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekday Masses

Monday, April 7

6:40am Kelly & Pape Families, Living & Deceased
8:10am †Tom Kusek

Tuesday, April 8

6:40am Fr. Mathew Kovar
8:10am †Gary Proskovec

Wednesday, April 9

6:40am Special Intention
8:10am Bernadt Family, Living and Deceased

Thursday, April 10

6:40am †Anastasia Sousek
8:10am All Souls

Friday, April 11

6:40am †Ron Polivka
8:10am Malina Odgaard

Saturday, April 12

9:00am Fr. Jude Asitha

Weekend Masses

Saturday, April 12

5:00pm †Robert Barnes

Sunday, April 13

7:00am Dorothy Joaquin
8:00am Our Parish Family
9:30am Chad & Sherry Cederberg Family, Living and Deceased
11:00am †Maxine Aerts

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please call the Parish office to have a name added or taken off of the prayer list: Leah Bernard, Jack Breckner, Bella Cox, Earl Franklin, Tina Frenzel, Sonja Gates, Marlys Goodwater, Ben Gray, Billy Hall and Family, Diane Herms, Brenda Kroos, Britt Lee, Traci Lee, Tony Leitschuck, Clint Lochner, Gregory Mason, Deb Mazour, Becky Medina, Leo Meduna, Diana Miller, Gregg Miller, Kathy Miller, Perry Mitchell, Nancy Murphy, Will Parish, Bette Riedel, George Schaub, Neal Schlautman, Jean Skrdlant, Carol Speicher, Marshal Stephens, Adam Stitt, Reagan Thompson, Nicholas VanAckeren, and all those who are ill.

EMERGENCY NUMBER

402-540-0398

Please add this number to your contact list. Call in an emergency if a priest is needed.

CALENDAR

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY, Sunday, April 6th, 1:30-2:30pm, *Multi-purpose Room*

Contact Krysti Michl at 402-310-2503, or Christy Bousquet at cmbousquet@yahoo.com or 402-304-0845 for questions.

BEDMAKING, Monday, April 7th, 10:30am, *Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly, NE*

Please consider making beds at Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House at 7303 N 112th St, Waverly, NE . We have 50 beds that need to be made. Contact Carol Ruskamp, 402-770-3915 for any questions.

ROSARIES OF LENT, Monday, April 7th, 7:00pm, *Church*

EMBRACE GRACE, Tuesday, April 8th 6:00-7:30pm, *Multi-purpose Room*

PARISH COUNCIL, Tuesday, April 8th 7:00pm, *Kateri Room*

CCD, Wednesday, April 9th, 6:00-7:30pm, *NAM School*

OCIA, Wednesday, April 9th, 6:00-7:30pm, *Parish Hall*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, Wednesday, April 9th, 6:00pm, *Kateri Room*

STATIONS OF THE CROSS, Friday, April 11th, 7:00pm, *Church*

CHURCH CLEANING, Saturday, April 12th, 7:00pm, *Church*

PITCH NIGHT, Friday, April 11th, 7:30-10:00pm, *Multi-purpose Room*

Do you like to play 10 point pitch? NAM has you covered! All skill levels are welcome. Bring a partner or come by yourself and we will match you up with a partner. A \$5 entry fee is suggested and prizes will be given out. Feel free to bring snacks or a party food to share with others along with your own refreshments (no alcohol). Water, lemonade, and popcorn will be provided.

EASTER EGG HUNT, Saturday, April 19th, 10:00am, *Rectory Lawn*

Join us for some family fun at our Annual Easter Egg Hunt! See flyer for more information. See flyer for details.

GENESIS TO JESUS STUDY, Sundays, following 9:30am Mass, *Art Room*

Come and explore the hidden treasure in the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. To learn more about the class, contact Ryan Bliven at rbliven@hotmail.com

RIM FORMATION, Sundays following 9:30am Mass, *Parish hall*

All are welcome! Food and childcare provided. Contact Max Chapman at (904) 536-2359 for any questions.

FAITH FORMATION, Thursday, 7:00-8:30 pm, *Kateri Room*

Interested in what the Church and the Bible teach? Join us as we survey the Catechism of the Catholic Church and the Bible from Genesis to Jesus. To register or learn more about the class, contact Ryan Bliven at rbliven@hotmail.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PCCW MEETING UPDATE

The Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW) meeting scheduled for Tuesday, April 8th has been moved to Tuesday, April 15th, 6:30pm. Meeting will start with a Rosary in the Church.

SENIOR MASS AND RECEPTION

The senior Mass and reception will be held Saturday, May 10th at 5:00pm (reception following 5:00pm Mass). All high school seniors are invited to come and celebrate all your accomplishments and be a part of this special Mass.

MAGNIFICAT SUBSCRIPTIONS

Magnificat is a monthly publication containing a short morning, evening, & night prayer, & a short daily meditation; as well as the Scripture readings for the Daily & Sunday Masses, and more. The annual group subscription rate is \$26.00/ (individual price of \$49.00). Please turn in your payment to the Parish Office. The group subscription runs from August 2025 – July 2026.

BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENTS

We are offering advertising spaces for our next year's bulletin ad layout. Bulletin advertising is not only an important source of income for our parish but is seen by thousands of people each year. On the average, 350 bulletins are printed each weekend and 1450 are sent by email each Friday. If you would like to advertise your business on the NAM bulletin or would like to renew your ad, please email Tamra Tran at Tamra-Tran@cdolinc.net.

CRS RICE BOWLS

CRS Rice Bowl is a Lenten program of Catholic Relief Services, and through CRS Rice Bowl, faith communities in every diocese throughout the United States put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Rice Bowls are available in the Narthex.

SCHOOL NEWS

April 11–1pm dismissal

April 17-23–Easter break

JOB OPENINGS:

- Full-time Janitor
- Music teacher for the 2025-26 school year

Resumes can be sent to tracy-plautz@cdolinc.net

JOIN THE EASTER VIGIL CHOIR & ORCHESTRA!

Calling all high schoolers, jr high, and adult musicians! If you have a gift for music and aren't already in a choir, we'd love for you to join us in celebrating the Easter Vigil. Choir members arrive at 5:00 PM on Easter Vigil for a final rehearsal. Mass begins at 8:30pm and Orchestra members arrive at 6:30pm on Easter Vigil for tuning and run-through. Mass begins at 8:30 PM.

Choir Rehearsals (choose one):

April 13 | 4:30-5:30 PM

April 14 | 7:00-8:00 PM

Orchestra Rehearsals:

April 13 | 2:00-4:00 PM

April 19 | 10:30 AM-Noon

Dinner will be provided for all choir and orchestra members before Mass! Interested? To join, contact Meagan Heimbrecht at meagan-heimbrecht@cdolinc.net. Come share your musical talents as we celebrate the joy of Easter!



NAM Parish Council of Catholic Women invites you to join our Leadership team to enjoy fellowship while helping in the ministry of maintaining the altar and providing for the needs of our priests in the celebration of Mass.

Contact Terri Murray

at 402.890.2563

if interested.



GOLF SCRAMBLE

It's time to think about GOLF!

DATE: July 11th, 2025 TIME: 9 a.m. PLACE: Highlands GC Celebrating the 13th Year of the Knights of Columbus Golf Scramble!!! Hope you can join us. Please tell all of your golfing friends! (Keep watching the Bulletin for updates!)

ADORATION

The purpose of adoration is to adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, who is present in the tabernacle and who, in His infinite goodness, gave Himself to us in the Holy Eucharist. Through time spent with Him, we receive blessings and gifts not only for ourselves, but also for our parish family. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the adoration chapel Monday-Thursday, 7am-9pm, & Friday, 7am-5pm. To sign up for adoration, please use this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0848A9A92B0-perpetual>

Hours of the day in need of an adoror:

Monday: 12pm, 1pm & 3pm

Tuesday: 8am & 5pm

Wednesday: 8am, 10am & 12pm

Thursday: 8am

CATHOLICS AT THE CAPITOL

Join us for the 11th Annual Catholics at the Capitol on Wednesday, April 9, 2025, 8am-3pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church in downtown Lincoln! This is your chance to live out your faith in action, learning how to advocate effectively for policies that protect life, uphold family values, and promote justice for the common good.

Register at <https://necatholic.org/register.html>

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40 DAYS FOR LIFE

SPRING 2025 CAMPAIGN: March 5–April 13

TAKE PART IN 40 DAYS FOR LIFE IN LINCOLN:

- **Prayer vigil location:**
Planned Parenthood
5631 South 48th Street
- **Vigil hours:** 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM daily
- **Contact:** Catherine Turner, 402.202.1614
- **Learn more, get involved, and sign up** for prayer times by visiting our campaign at the web address below!

40daysforlife.com/Lincoln

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(PLEASE, NO SUCKERS)

DONATION BOX WILL BE IN THE NARTHEX
MARCH 5TH TO APRIL 13TH



WANT TO HELP STUFF THE EASTER EGGS?
SUNDAY, APRIL 13 FROM 3 PM - 5 PM IN THE KATERI ROOM (SIGN UP TO COME)

WOMEN MARTYRS


Easter EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, APRIL 19
10:00 AM SHARP



NAM RECTORY FRONT LAWN
~FT. HARBOR COFFEEHOUSE (9:30 AM)~

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