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MASS TIMES

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

We have a date for the Communion Rail: Installation March 26th. From the time of this writing that's in 16 days! Praise the Lord! However, this does present with a small difficulty. I had wanted to do a teaching mass to help us with three things:

1. Remind us that you do not have to change how you receive Communion.
2. Further meditate on how this can help us receive our Lord in the Eucharist. Practical practice of ... how do we line up? How do we use this?

However ... this is right before Palm Sunday and Easter the next week. In short, I'm discerning with our parish team: Can we roll this out, using the Communion Rail and it be a benefit rather than pulling focus from these wonderful celebrations? So, stay tuned!

Also, a lot of things coming up!

1. March 22nd at 1pm: We will have a Sunday Mass to celebrate Baptism, Confirmation, and First Communion for a large population of the youth in our parish. Please pray for them!
2. First week of April: Holy Week and Easter Sunday.
3. April 16th-18th: John Paul II - Healing the Whole Person retreat. We're extremely close to being full! If you are on the fence, my recommendation, just go. To register: <https://jpiihealingcenter.org/event/healing-the-whole-person-weekend-2026-lincoln-ne/>

God bless you all!

In Christ,

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE (MARCH 21ST & MARCH 22ND)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
Porter	Timmer	Lewandowski	St. Hilaire	Odgaard
ACOLYTES				
Novosad Verzal	Doty Miller	Smith Beying	Hugo Benes, Mark	Mazour O'Keeffe
SERVERS				
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SECURITY				
Simpson Becker	Morrow	Gose	Busboom Busboom	Hannon
GREETERS				
Korus		Bohnenstingl	Benes	Johs

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekday Masses

Monday, March 16

- 6:40am †Bruce Reichmuth
- 8:10am †Dee Westling

Tuesday, March 17

- 6:40am †Joseph Nguyen
- 8:10am †George Pfeifer

Wednesday, March 18

- 6:40Am St. Benedicts' Prayer Team
- 8:10am Isaiah Maly

Thursday, March 19

- 6:40am †Richard Higgins
- 8:10am †Kathryn Casper

Friday, March 20

- 6:40am Chad & Nikki Wemhoff
- 8:10am Bernadt Family, Living & Deceased

Saturday, March 21

- 9:00am †Terry Seidler

Weekend Masses

Saturday, March 21

- 5:00pm †Jason Jenkins

Sunday, March 22

- 7:00am Our Parish Family
- 8:00am †Tiffany Belger
- 9:30am Debbie Brandl Family
- 11:00am †Jack Gose

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please call the Parish office to have a name added or taken off of the prayer list: Rich Abraham, Allen Family, Aly Clanton, Savannah Clanton, Roberta Cook, Kevin Crowe, Shawn Fitzgerald, Earl Franklin, Tina Frenzel, Dennis & Dorothy Gall, Sonja Gates, Tom Geardino, Marlys Goodwater, Maquia Granger, Ben Gray, Billy Hall & Family, Diane Herms, Kayla Johnson, James Klein, Harvey Kostinsky, Becki Ladina, Sue Lammers, Britt Lee, Tricia Sis Liedle, Clint Lochner, Marilyn Karmazin, Patrick McBride, Caroline Meyer, Noah Elmer Meyer, Diana Miller, Linda Pacula, Abigail Parish, William Parish, Brad Reynolds, Charlie Rise, Elladee Ronhovde, Janice Sage, George Schaub, John Seberger, Maggie Sharrer, Jean Skrdlant, Raegan Thomas, Mia Vogel, & 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

ZUMBA, Monday, March 16th, 8:15pm, *School Gym*

See online bulletin and flyer on Church bulletin board for more details.

FEARLESS AND FREE BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN,
Tuesday, March 17th, 6:30pm, *Multi-purpose Room*

For more information, see flyer in online bulletin and church's bulletin board.

PCCW APPRECIATION BRUNCH, Saturday, March 21st,
follows 9am Mass, *Parish Hall*

We invite all women of the parish to join us for our Appreciation Brunch, sponsored by the Parish Council of Catholic Women, on March 21, immediately following the 9:00am Mass. We are pleased to welcome our guest speaker, Dr. Joy Martin, who will share an inspiring message with us. Reserve your seat by March 13 by contacting Jan Franklin at 402-477-5185 or Jan Hruska at 402-261-4059. You can email Jan Hruska at j.hruska@yahoo.com. With sincere gratitude, we thank all the women of our parish for so generously sharing your time, talent, and treasure. Your dedication and faithful service are a true blessing to our parish community.

MANTLE PRAYER GROUP, Saturday, March 21st 10:00am,
Multi-purpose Room

The Serendipity Bible Study Group invites you to join us in a one hour prayer for the return to the Faith of our prodigal and fallen away children, other loved ones, and all other lapsed Catholics in the world to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet, a Novena Rosary, as well as petitions and other prayers. For questions or for more information, contact Angel Ybarra at 402-802-8781 or papaman6x@gmail.com.

CCD, Wednesdays, 6:00pm, *NAM School*

OCIA, Wednesdays, 6:00pm, *Parish Hall*

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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SCAN HERE!

REQUIRED: ALL workers must be 16 years of age or older.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 \$31.00/ (individual price of \$52.00). Please turn in your payment to the Parish Office by April 10th, 2026. The group subscription runs from August 2026 – July 2027.

EASTER EGGS AND CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED

Donate a bag (or two) of candy for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt! We are also accepting individually wrapped cookies and crackers, and plastic Easter eggs this year. Donations can be dropped off in the Narthex from March 6th-April 3rd.

MAGNIFICAT

For those who subscribed for 2025-2026, your Holy Week Magnificat booklet is in. Pick up your copy in the Information Desk in the Narthex of the Church.

NAM's ONLINE BULLETIN

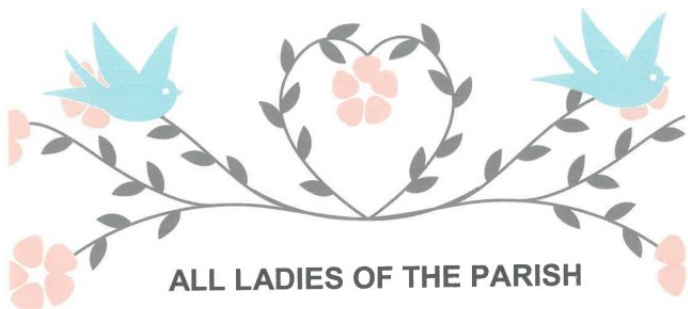
For additional flyers and more detailed information, please visit our online bulletin at: <https://www.namartyrs.org/> We encourage you to take a look and stay connected with all that is happening in our parish community.

COLLEGE & CAREER PLANNING

19 MARCH 2026 | 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
NAM SCHOOL GYM

LEARN MORE ABOUT

- Navigating through the college application process
 - UNL, SCC, Wesleyan
- The role and benefits of the Nebraska 539 College Savings Plan
 - Union Bank and Trust
- Understanding the financial aid process
 - Education Quest Foundation
- Additional ways for financial support for college
 - National Guard, Sports, etc.



ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH

PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN APPRECIATION BRUNCH sponsored by PCCW (Altar Society)

March 21, 2026 after the 9am mass

GUEST SPEAKER will be Dr. Joy Martin

please reserve your seat by March 13

you may call Jan Franklin:402-477-5185 or Jan Hruska: 402-261-4059 or e-mail:j.hruska@yahoo.com

A big THANK YOU to all the ladies of the parish for giving of your time-talent and treasure You are truly the wind beneath our wings

**WOMEN
MARTYRS**

EASTER EGGS & CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED

DONATE A BAG (OR TWO) OF CANDY FOR THE ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT! WE ARE ALSO ACCEPTING INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED COOKIES AND CRACKERS

WE ARE ALSO ACCEPTING PLASTIC EASTER EGGS THIS Year!

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**NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS
9TH ANNUAL**

**TRIVIA NIGHT
2026**

Join us
Saturday, March 14th
Doors Open at 6pm
Trivia Starts at 6:30pm
\$20 per person
Tables of 6-8 people
Cash Prizes

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All Are Welcome!

Whether you're a lifelong dancer or have two left feet, there is a place for you here. Come as you are and grow in your movements alongside a truly wonderful group! We'd love to see you there!

- **When:** Every Monday Night
- **Time:** 8:15 PM
- **Where:** NAM School Gym
- **Cost:** \$5 per person

Questions?

For more information, please contact mmiriovsky@gmail.com.



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16-18

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The Chancery is seeking a full-time Accounting and Payroll Specialist to assist with accounts payable, payroll administration, and financial reporting for the Diocese and affiliated parishes and schools. This position also serves as a resource to parish and school bookkeepers by providing guidance in accounting and payroll practices. Qualified candidates should have accounting or bookkeeping experience, strong attention to detail, and proficiency in Microsoft Office. Experience with payroll systems and knowledge of parish or nonprofit accounting is helpful. To apply, please send resume to marsha-bartek@lincolndioocese.org or Catholic Chancery 3400 Sheridan Boulevard, Lincoln, NE 68506.

Holy Week Retreat

The Marian Sisters invite you to their annual Holy Week Retreat. This private silent retreat will provide an opportunity for single young women (19-32 years of age) to enter more deeply into the Passion and Death of our Lord through the Sacraments, Scripture, and daily spiritual direction. The retreat will be held at Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly, NE, on April 2-4, 2026. The cost is \$30 for students and \$40 for non-students. For more information or to register, please visit their website at mariansisters.org or contact Sr. Amy Marie at marian-vocations@cdolinc.net or by phone (402)786-2750.



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**FOR MORE DETAILS & TO REGISTER
MARIANSISTERS.ORG**



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

SPRING 2026 CAMPAIGN: February 18–March 29

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

NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS FISH FRY

EVERY FRIDAY
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FEB 20TH - MAR 27TH
4:30PM - 7:30PM

North American Martyrs School
1101 Isaac Dr, Lincoln, Nebraska 68521

Fried Pollock, Baked Tilapia, Mac & Cheese, Spaghetti,	Adults Meals	\$15.00
French Fries, Cole Slaw, Pickles, Bread, Lemonade, Coffee & Tea*	Seniors (62 and older)	\$12.00
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Saturday, March 21 | 11:00 AM–5:00 PM

There is a \$15 fee to cover the cost of the workbook and training expenses.



Please register in advance:
Contact Lisa McInerney at
lisapal24@aol.com or 402.525.9360

sidewalkadvocates.org

ADORATION HOLY HOUR

North American Martyrs
Sunday, March 22nd
4:00–5:00 p.m.

JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL HOLY HOUR WITH SOME PRAISE AND WORSHIP MUSIC DURING ADORATION, PRAYING FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE UPCOMING HEALING THE WHOLE PERSON EVENT AT NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS CHURCH, APRIL 16-18, 2026.

FR. WAHLMEIER WILL BE OFFERING CONFESSION

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