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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...



Dear Parish Family,
 Where do I give support? There are two amazing opportunities to help the world in this day and age at our parish. I have some clarity to help you discern.

May Day of Giving. This is more of a short-term goal to help North American Martyrs for the 2025-2026 Fiscal Year. You see, our year ends in June. Right now, we're in a short fall. Please see the budget area in the bulletin that shows where we're at right now. We still have a couple months of tuition coming in, so don't panic. But May Day of Giving goes right to us directly. We had a LOT go on this year. Our organ broke right before Christmas. We've hit around the 30-year mark on some facilities and if you've owned a home that long ... you know that's kind of the magic number when things break down. But the main thing is, we really want to keep funding all the good things happening in Youth Ministry and Communications:

1. Connection and cooperation with the Youth Ministry groups of St. Joseph and St. Peter churches. We've had events where multitudes of our teens throughout the city can get together for support, drawing closer to our Lord, and community.
2. Our Youth Minister leads "Lectio Lunches" at the school, Jr. and Sr. High events just for our parish, and is a point of contact for any of our young parishioners who are seeking Truth in the midst of this world.
3. Communications now involve an up to date, well managed Parish App. In addition, a new website with more capability of connecting anyone and everyone to our small groups and ministries. The best way to make such a large parish feel more intimate and communal.

May Day of Giving: QR Codes and website OR go directly to the office to participate.

The Pius X Campaign. This is a long-term goal of helping future generations of Catholics. The amount of priests and religious vocations that came from Pius X is staggering. While we don't have the perfect understanding of why our diocese is so very blessed with vocations, we can't underestimate what it means that we have so many priests and religious that teach at Pius X. I know when I taught as a priest, that was the time when we could demonstrate that the call is not some far off possibility ... our Lord genuinely can call anyone. Giving to this campaign is a 5-year process. What you pledge is split over 5-years. You worried that \$5,000 pledged is too big? Well, then break it down:

1. Pledge = \$5,000
2. Each year = \$1,000

Each month = \$83.33 - Or donating not going out to eat with the family once per month. You can even make it like a First Friday sacrifice. You stay home to cook and offer that sacrifice for the future.

Pius X Campaign: QR Codes and website OR go directly to the office to participate.

In Christ,
 ~Fr. Hall

MASS INTENTIONS

Weekday Masses

Monday, May 4

- 6:40am Bob & Rose Codr Family, Living and Deceased
- 8:10am Jared & Kaylynn Michl

Tuesday, May 5

- 6:40am Chance Unger
- 8:10am Givens Family, Living and Deceased

Wednesday, May 6

- 6:40Am Joyce Lanik
- 8:10am †Joe & Mary Fiedler

Thursday, May 7

- 6:40am Lescher Family, Living and Deceased
- 8:10am †Kathryn Casper

Friday, May 8

- 6:40am Sharon M. Nelson
- 8:10am †Stanislawa Kolodziejczk

Saturday, May 9

- 9:00am †Morgan Clark

Weekend Masses

Saturday, May 9

- 5:00pm Tim Miller Family, Living and Deceased

Sunday, May 10

- 7:00am †Jerry Boeselager
- 8:00am Our Parish Family
- 9:30am Thanksgiving Mass
- 11:00am †Carol Marinello

SCHOOL NEWS

May 13- Last Day of School for 8th Grade

May 14- No School. Holy Day of Obligation; The Ascension on the Lord.

May 15- 8th grade graduation.

May 21- Last day of school. Kindergarten Graduation. Field Day.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

<i>Received Last Week (04/26/26)</i>	
Adult Tithe Envelopes	\$ 6,490
Adult Electronic Tithe (286)	\$ 12,219
Plate	\$ 1,545
Youth	\$ 0
Total Tithe Received	\$ 20,254
Weekly Tithing Goal	\$ 36,204
Received to Date	\$ 110,7561, 1,510,478
Needed for Annual Budget	\$ 1,882,609
Annual Budget Shortage till June 30	\$ [372,131]

EMERGENCY NUMBER

402-540-0398 Please add this number to your contact list. Call in an emergency if a priest is needed.

CALENDAR

WOMEN OF MARTYRS MEETING, Monday, May 4th, 7:30pm, Kateri Room

All women of the parish are welcome to attend to discuss WOM's plans and goals for the coming year. Those interested in joining the leadership team for Fall 2026-Spring 2027 are especially encouraged to attend and/or reach out to Abigail Blaser at abigailblaser@gmail.com.

PITCH NIGHT, Friday, May 8th, Parish Hall

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.

CHURCH CLEANING, Saturday, May 9th, 7:00am, Narthex

All are welcome to come and help clean the church! Bring your family and friends! No experience necessary and hours count towards tuition assistance. See you there!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

All are invited to celebrate the Ascension of the Lord, a Holy Day of Obligation, on Thursday, May 14th, 2026. Let us come together in prayer and joy as we commemorate the Ascension of our Lord into heaven. Mass times are as follows:

Vigil Mass: Wednesday, May 13th at 5:30pm
Ascension Mass: Thursday, May 14th at 6:40am, 8:10am, & 7:00pm

SEVEN SISTER FOR FR. KOVAR

Seven Sisters Apostolate is seeking a woman willing to make one holy hour weekly for a priest every Saturday for Fr Kovar. We are also looking for someone who would be interested in serving as a substitute prayer. If you are interested in either, contact Pat Lanik at 402-429-4187. See the website sevensistersapostolate.org for details.

MAGNIFICAT

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

AROUND THE DIOCESE

MATER FILIUS LINCOLN (MFL) MATERNITY HOME SEEKING FINANCIAL SUPPORT & VOLUNTEERS

MFL is a nonprofit Catholic Lay Association of the Faithful that assists women facing an under-supported or unexpected pregnancy. At no cost to mothers, our maternity home will provide safe housing and assistance with life essentials and mentoring. MFL will operate primarily with volunteer staff. We are seeking volunteers, financial support, and prayers. Please join our weekly Rosary and mission update at Sacred Heart Church (3128 S Street), each Wednesday at 12:15pm (except for Holy Days and funerals). For more information, please visit; Website: <https://materfiliuslincoln.org/> Email: info@materfiliuslincoln.org

MARIAN MANTLE SILENT PRAYER GROUP

All are welcome to join us in prayer for the return to the Faith of our prodigal children and other loved ones. We will meet at 4pm on Tuesday, May 12th, in the lower level of the Cathedral of the Risen Christ. For more information, contact Bob McDonald, bobmkmcdonald@gmail.com.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please call the Parish office to have a name added or taken off of the prayer list: Rich Abraham, Allen Family, Courtney Chileck, Aly Clanton, Savanah Clanton, Roberta Cook, Kevin Crowe, Shawn Fitzgerald, Earl Franklin, Paige Franzluebbers, Tina Frenzel, Dennis & Dorothy Gall, Sonja Gates, Marlys Goodwater, Bree Graham, Ben Gray, Fr. Gary Gross, Billy Hall & Family, Patty Hemmer, Diane Herms, Kayla Johnson, James Klein, Cathy Korus, Harvey Kostinsky, Becki Ladina, Britt Lee, Tricia Sis Liedle, Clint Lochner, Marilyn Karmazin, Caroline Meyer, Noah Elmer Meyer, Diana Miller, Linda Pacula, Abigail Parish, William Parish, Crystal Petersen, Brad Reynolds, Charlie Rise, Elladee Ronhovde, Janice Sage, George Schaub, John Seberger, Maggie Sharrer, Jean Skrdlant, Nicole Tekippe, Raegan Thomas, Mia Vogel, & all those who are ill.

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE (MAY 9TH & 10TH)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
Rupp	Sullivan	Bourek	Brown	Drehs
ACOLYTES				
Boesen Matulka	Boussquet Ketchmark	Volkmer Miller, C	Bassinger Workememper	Johs Wemhoff
SERVERS				
Fernandes Hagge Reyes Sub Needed	Codr Nguyen, Thomas	Bourek, T Bourek, X Fosung, L Fosung, P	Bassinger, J Bassinger, M Hill Seip	Isley Meza Stasburg Sub Needed
SECURITY				
McPhillips Lochner	Eastman	Kane	Feldhaus	Hannon
GREETERS				
Gaspers		Peters	West	Sub Needed

In Loving Memory Easter Plants

Bailey, John and Jan, *Leon and Mayme Dostal*

Bailey, John and Jan, *Milton and Agnes Bailey*

Bergman, Fred, *Marilynne Bergman*

Bourek, Kala, Ryan, Thaxton and Xavyer, *Leslie and Rosemary Sabalka*

Bourek, Kala, Ryan, Thaxton and Xavyer, *Delwyn and Beatrice Doernemann*

Bourek, Kala, Ryan, Thaxton and Xavyer, *Jerry and Anna Bourek*

Bourek, Kala, Ryan, Thaxton and Xavyer, *Tom Ball*

Bourek, Kala, Ryan, Thaxton and Xavyer, *Tisha Elder*

Busboom Family, *Special Intention*

Claus, Laura & David, *Patricia Bourke and Family*

Claus, Laura & David, *Beth and Jerry Hoppes and Family*

Deinert, Jolene and Randy, *Larry Zadina and Ron Deinert*

Erickson, John & Tonee, *LaVerne Erickson*

Erickson, John & Tonee, *Mary Peterson*

Fiedler, Bob and Carla, *Ray and Stella Fiedler*

Fiedler, Bob and Carla, *Gena and Andy Kusek*



In Loving Memory Easter Plants

Franklin, Jan & Earl, *Ruby and Peter Gruber*

Gallant, Steve and Lisa, *Ken and Mary Frank*

Goodwater, Tom, Patti and Families, *Steven Goodwater*

Goodwater, Tom, Patti and Families, *Charles, Alice and Mike
Donner*

Goodwater, Tom, Patti and Families, *Art and Helen Goodwater,
Mary, Jeanne, Jim and Bob*

Hart, Dee, *Mary Hart*

Hellbusch, Greg & Ranee, *Ray & Doris Tarnick*

Hellbusch, Greg & Ranee, *Dennis and Kurt Hellbusch*

Hergott, Richard & Ila, *Deceased Members of the Hergott and
Ziemann Family*

Hruska, Jan, *Jerry & Blanche Podany*

Hugo, Duane and Mary, *Ken Lubischer*

Hugo, Duane and Mary, *Orme Lubischer*

Hugo, Duane and Mary, *Ambrose Hugo*

Hugo, Duane and Mary, *Nora Hugo*

Keller, Bev, *Danny Keller*



In Loving Memory Easter Plants

Ketchmark, John, Diana & Kaylynn, *Ryan Ketchmark*

Ketchmark, John, Diana & Kaylynn, *Living and Deceased
Members of the McCoy and Ketchmark Families*

Kozisek, Dianne, *Louie Kozisek*

Lochner, Liz and John, *John Lochner, Jr.*

Marsh, Robert and Janelle, *Gene and Sally Bartunek*

Marsh, Robert and Janelle, *Bob and Nona Marsh*

Mazza Family, *Rosario*

Mazza Family, *Pepa*

McIntyre Family, *Terry & Chad Mailander*

McIntyre Family, *Mark Mailander*

Pearson, Kathy, *Joe Rezac, Fred Pearson, & Alecia Kaiser*

Ragland, Kurt, Jina, Kinsley & Kellen, *McKenna Ragland*

Reisdorff, Dan, Sandy Augustin, *Ben Reisdorff Family*

Reisdorff, Dan, Sandy Augustin, *Glen Augustin Family*

Rezac, Joyce, *Larry Rezac*

Riedel, Rich, *Mary Lea Riedel*

Rink Family, *John and Arlene Rink*

Runyan, Mark, *Joan Runyan*



In Loving Memory Easter Plants

Runyan, Mark, *Michael Runyan*

Seidl, Tom, Cindy and Family, *Alice and Glenn Harlow*

Seidl, Tom, Cindy and Family, *Bernice and Ralph Seidl*

Shaffer, Sherry, *Wilbur & Lavaine Doerneman*

Sloup, Mark & Patti, *Cy & Rose Sloup*

Sloup, Mark & Patti, *Alex Sloup*

Sloup, Mark & Patti, *George and Marcy Lackovic*

Small, David, Nikki, & Family, *Frank Bialas*

Tagart & Crist Family, *John and Marge Morrissey*

Tagart & Crist Family, *Pat & Bob Tagart*

Tagart & Crist Family, *Josh Meyer*

Tuma, Bryan and Judy, *Alvin Ottis*

Verzal, John and Deanna, *Mr. & Mrs. Oville Hitchcock*

Verzal, John and Deanna, *Mr. & Mrs. Lew Verzal*

Verzal, John and Deanna, *Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Malsbery*

Wiechman, Brian & Gina and Family, *Lou Ann Wiechman*

Wilcox, Mary, *John and Marjorie Kopf*

Wordekemper, Lori & Rick, *Richard Barkmeier*

Wordekemper, Lori & Rick, *Braedon Timm*



NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS
SENIOR SCHOOL MASS
MAY 15TH | 8:10AM

WE INVITE ALL NAM GRADUATES TO WEAR YOUR GRADUATION CAP AND GOWN AND CELEBRATE HOW FAR YOU HAVE COME SINCE BEING AT NAM!

SCAN TO RSVP: 

**SEATING WILL BE IN THE BACK LEFT SIDE OF THE CHURCH*

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COST per child **\$25**
COST for families 3 or more **\$60**

SAVE THE DATE

GRADES 1ST-8TH:
JULY 13TH-17TH
9:00AM-3:00PM

HIGH SCHOOL:
JULY 12TH-16TH
6:30PM-8:30PM

a summer catechetical youth program

REGISTRATION COMING SOON!

We had a ROCKIN' time at GIFT2026

SHARE THEME IDEAS FOR GIFT2027



1. Submit **theme**/costume ideas
2. We're looking for **businesses** and individuals to partner with for sponsorships and donated items
3. Need 10 school **volunteer** hours, or looking for a way to **get involved?** Join the committee to get all hours covered!

DATE: FEBRUARY 5, 2027

A WEEK TO WALK WITH THE SAINTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 13-17 | 9-11:30AM

AGES 3-ENTERING 1ST GRADE

Please join us this summer to enjoy songs, crafts, and play while learning about virtues and the Saints!

REGISTRATION COMING SOON!
Cost \$30

Volunteers needed!
Please reach out to Jacy Oborny jacyoborny@gmail.com

North American Martyrs FALL SHOPPING Extravaganza

Our annual Fall Shopping Extravaganza is the perfect place for crafters, artisans and direct sellers to showcase their products to a crowd that loves to shop small and support local. With a NEW built-in activity to keep guests moving through the event, you'll enjoy great foot traffic, lots of interaction, and a fun community vibe. If you're looking to grow your customer base and make some sales heading into the holidays, we'd love to have you join us!

Vendor spots are limited, so don't wait to register!



Saturday, October 10th

9 am - 3 pm

Vendor Set Up Available

Friday, October 9th - 5:30 - 7:30 pm



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\$35 per table and/or space

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OR when all spaces are filled.

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All vendors are expected to follow event guidelines and comply with directions from event organizers and volunteers to ensure a safe and successful event for all.



To see event guidelines and reserve your space(s), please scan the QR code or follow this link: <https://bit.ly/2026NAMFSE>

For more information, contact:

☎ Christine, 402.560.0337 **OR** ☎ Trish, 402.768.1798

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