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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 PASTOR...

Dear Martyrs Family,

IMPORTANT: ***We have Totus Tuus coming up NEXT WEEK! Our summer youth program. Honestly, feel free to invite neighbors and friends of other faiths! We still need help with volunteers for small tasks. Please see the sign-up in the Narthex or just ask Jaz!***

With the Summer in full swing, I wanted to let you know some interesting facts about the parish!

I wanted to give some statistics from the year (in the diocese, our years go from July 1st-June 30th). It's not all about the numbers but wanted to share how active and growing this parish is. Especially the areas of adults and families coming into the Church. So many who are seeking Christ are assisted by your guidance. Thank you all for making this a welcoming place where people can come back to the Faith or investigate it for the first time!

1. We are the third largest parish in the diocese. This statistic fluctuates, but for registered parishioners we have 1646 households and 4,353 souls.
2. The average age of a parishioner is 30.2 years old.
3. We celebrated a total of 350 Sacraments of Baptisms, First Communions, Confirmations, and Marriages. The next parish had 268.
4. We had 30 weddings, the second most in the diocese. The Newman Center had 33 and then the next parish after us had 19.
 - a. Thank you to all help make that many weddings possible! Especially all the couples who help with the FOCCUS meetings. It's already a lot of work for the priests and Jill the wedding coordinator, please continue to pray for us. But with the FOCCUS couples, you guys make the formation possible!
 - b. In addition, the diocese is moving to a new model of marriage prep called Witness to Love. Big thanks to Alison Ermisch who is going to be our coordinator.
 - c. We had the most Adult Baptisms in the diocese with 12.
 - d. We had the second most Adult Receptions into the Faith with 10. This number is for those who were baptized in other Faiths. Catholics believe if they were baptized "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit," they have a 100% valid baptism. St. Joseph in Lawrence had 11 which is amazing!

While the diocesan statics don't parse it out, we had so many adults come back to the Faith and receive their Confirmation. Total Confirmations this year (combined with the 5th graders in parish): 115.

Anyway, please keep up the wonderful work. I've been approached by individuals who received an invite to simply come and see. Through your invites and way of lives, more people are coming to find Jesus. May God bless you!

In Christ,
~Fr. Nathan Hall



MASS INTENTIONS

Weekday Masses

Monday, July 6

6:40am Fritz & Bernie Batenhorst Family, Living and Deceased
8:10am Taylor Monk

Tuesday, July 7

6:40am †John "Smokey" Rink
8:10am †George Pfeifer

Wednesday, July 8

6:40am Special Intention
8:10am †Mary Bates

Thursday, July 9

6:40am Special Intention
8:10am All Souls

Friday, July 10

6:40am The Ruth Family
8:10am Billy Hull

Saturday, July 11

9:00am Scott & Karla Hartz Family

Weekend Masses

Saturday, July 11

5:00pm Boeselager Family, Living and Deceased

Sunday, July 12

7:00am Marlys Goodwater Parish Family and Ron
8:00am Our Parish Family
9:30am Scott & Allyson Donovan
11:00am Lescher Family, Living and Deceased

Mass intentions may be offered for many reasons — in loving memory of someone who has died, for the health and healing of a loved one, or for any special intention for someone living or deceased. To schedule a Mass intention, please contact the Parish Office. We are honored to pray with you and for your loved ones a Mass. The customary stipend is \$10.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Received Last Week (06/28/26)	
Adult Tithe Envelopes (117 Families)	\$ 20,062
Adult Electronic Tithe (286 Families)	\$ 12,219
Plate	\$ 1,776
Youth	\$ 0
Total Tithe Received	\$ 34,057
Weekly Tithing Goal	\$ 36,204
Received to Date	\$ 1,799,161
Needed for Annual Budget	\$ 1,882,609
Annual Budget Shortage till June 30	\$ <83,448>

EMERGENCY NUMBER

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

PARISH COUNCIL

namparishcouncil@gmail.com

CALENDAR

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, Wednesday, July 8th,
6:00pm, Kateri Room

CHURCH CLEANING, Saturday, July 11th,
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

CALLING ALL WEDDING

PROFESSIONALS!

Are you a photographer, florist, videographer, musician, baker, DJ, or other wedding vendor? We'd love to feature your business in our NAM Wedding Packets! These packets are given to every couple preparing for marriage at NAM, making them a great way to connect with engaged couples in our parish community. Best of all—it's FREE advertising! Interested? Contact the Parish Office for more information and to be included in our wedding packet.

WORD AMONG US

Subscribers, your July issue is here! Renew and new orders now. Visit Parish office or Bob & Rose Coder for questions or more information.

CSA UPDATE

We have 86 pledge cards turned in for a total of \$43,765. Thank you for your donation.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Is there a loved one, friend, or member of our community in need of prayer? To have a name placed on the weekly Bulletin Prayer List, please contact the parish office. *Please note: Names will remain on the list for 3 months, after which you may contact the office to renew the request.*

The Allen Family, Fred Bergman, Anne Bombarger, Aly Clanton, Savannah Clanton, Ben Gray, Shawn Fitzgerald, Earl and Jan Franklin, Paige Franzluebbbers, Tina Frenzel, Sonja Gates, Diane Herms, Kayla Johnson, Harvey Kostinsky, Britt Lee, Clint Lochner, Glenda Masek, Caroline Meyer, Noah Elmer Meyer, Crystal Peterson, George Schaub, Robin Swanek, Raegan Thompson, Dale VanAckeren & all those who are ill.

LDCCW ARTICLE FROM TRISH SEIDL

SERVICE COMMISSION

Let's talk about Martha and her call to help and serve others for a minute. While I was ambitious - planning the care of my garden to feed my family over the summer months, I often stopped and thought about those that don't have this life of mine.

The life I have and what I can give. The service to others that feeds my soul. Intention about the plants that go in the ground, how I am caring and nurturing them until harvest, and celebrating how I ACTUALLY did all of that! It made me and continues to make me stop and think how I can help those around me with what I can produce and how BLESSED this life of mine really is.

Martha is a lot like us. We are called to serve. Maybe that's bake sale after bake sale, donations, helping at the event after Mass, or maybe that's dropping off your prize heirloom tomatoes for others to enjoy this summer. Take a minute to think about how blessed you are and how you can leverage your passions to enrich another's life along the way.

The call to action is simple, ask yourself how can I help? It may just be waiting in your garden.

Trish Seidl
LDCCW Service Commission Co-Chair

Use these links to learn more about the Lincoln Diocese Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW):

<https://www.lincolndiocese.org/LDCCW>
www.facebook.com/LDCCW

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE (JULY 11TH & 12TH)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
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GREETERS				
Gaspers		Peters	West	Sub Needed

AROUND THE DIOCESE

MARIAN MANTLE SILENT STRENGTH 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 4 p.m. on Tuesday, July 14, at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ, 3500 Sheridan Blvd. We meet in the lower level of the Cathedral (enter on east side). The hour will include the Divine Mercy chaplet and a rosary, as well as petitions and other prayers. Mass at the Cathedral is at 5 p.m. for those who wish to attend. For more information, contact Bob McDonald, 402-203-6947 or bobmkmcdonald@gmail.com.



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ON SUNDAY, JULY 12



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Q&A DISCUSSION

8PM WEDNESDAYS

DATES

~~6/10 IVANNA GONE~~

~~6/24 Q&A DAIRY SWEET~~

7/8 (402) CREAMERY (FALLBROOK)

7/22 ST. PETER (GELATO)
**includes concert*

7/29 ST. JOSEPH (DAIRY QUEEN)

ALL incoming 9th graders to graduated seniors and beyond are invited!

TOPICS THIS SUMMER

UNITY
"COMPETING" TRUTHS
SHOWING UP
ISOLATION
GOD & WEATHER

**Please bring money for ice cream and a lawn chair/blanket to sit on!*

1 We will rank each location to see who is the #1 ice cream place in town!



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!

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Cost \$30.

Volunteers needed!
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jacyoborny@gmail.com



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

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

a summer catechetical youth program

SCAN TO REGISTER

Please contact jaz-ocampo@cdolinc.net for ways to volunteer for the week!

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