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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!

We have sent off our seminarians with well wishes, prayers, gifts, and full stomachs (I got to take Tom out eat at Toast and for ice cream his last day). Please continue to pray for them and their discernment for God's will for them.



This weekend, I'm gone to be at the Mother House of The Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George. My spiritual directee, Sr. Maria Consuela, is receiving her final vows! In fact, this year they have a very big class for the community! Please pray for all of these brides of Christ as they begin a beautiful life in their vocation.

This weekend is the Annual Mission Appeal in our parish. Fr. Francis Mondeddu msfs from the missionaries of St. Francis de Sales will be the speaker for this appeal. In the homily he will speak about their mission work mainly in India and several African countries. The congregation of the Missionaries of St. Francis de Sales was founded in Annecy, France in 1837 as missionaries. They are now globally present in 29 countries with membership of more than 1200 priests.

The missionaries work among the poor, disadvantaged, marginalized, and illiterate through children's homes, orphanages and schools. More than 2500 economically poor, semi orphan or orphan children are cared for and educated in their 60 children's homes both in India and Africa. Empowering of poor and voiceless women also is one of our priorities. We also need funds for the seminarians' education. There are about two hundred seminarians in different stages of formation in India and Africa. So, we ask your generous donations to continue the good work of the missionaries.

There will be a second collection AND/OR feel free to use the envelopes at the ends of the pews at any time!

In Christ,
~Fr. Hall

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 officiant to renew the request.*

The Allen Family, Fred Bergman, Anne Bombarger, Aly Clanton, Savannah Clanton, Janet Codr- Policky, Bill & Brenda Douglas, Ben Gray, Shawn Fitzgerald, Earl and Jan Franklin, Paige Franzluebbbers, Tina Frenzel, Sonja Gates, Tom Goodwater, Fr. Gary Gross, Diane Herms, Harvey Kostinsky, Britt Lee, Clint Lochner, Glenda Masek, Caroline Meyer, Noah Elmer Meyer, Greg Morfeld, Abigail Parish, Crystal Peterson, Marlene Quest, George Schaub, Robin Swanek, Raegan Thompson, Dale VanAckeren & 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.

Parish Council

namparishcouncil@gmail.com

Mass Intentions

Weekday Masses

Monday, August 3

6:40am †John "Smokey" Rink

8:10am †Ray & Stella Fiedler

Tuesday, August 4

6:40am †Mark & Hannah Golbranson

8:10am Bernadt Family, Living and Deceased

Wednesday, August 5

6:40am Kayla Koenig

8:10am Hannah & Mark Golbranson

Thursday, August 6

6:40am †Canh Van Tran

8:10am Liam Rashilla

Friday, August 7

6:40am Kelly & Pape Families, Living and Deceased

8:10am May Gose

Saturday, August 8

9:00am The Dreh's Family

Weekend Masses

Saturday, August 8

5:00pm †Jason Jenkins

Sunday, August 9

7:00am Michaela & John Goracke Family

8:00am †Marge & Jim Tepnesr

9:30am Sandy McManus

11:00am Our Parish Family

To schedule a Mass intention, contact the Parish Office. We are honored to pray with you and for your loved ones. The customary stipend is \$10.

Funeral Notifications

Want to receive funeral notifications? Simply scan the Flocknote QR code and sign up to be added to the funeral notification list.



Financial Update

Received Last Week (07/26/26)

New Fiscal Year

Adult Tithe Envelopes (162 Families)	\$	14,200
Adult Electronic Tithe (286 Families)	\$	12,219
Plate	\$	1,848
Youth	\$	28,267
Total Tithe Received	\$	
Weekly Tithing Goal	\$	130,470
Received to Date	\$	

Calendar

Church Cleaning,

Saturday, August 9th, 7:00am, *Narthex*

All are welcome to come and help clean the church! Bring your family and friends. No experience necessary!

See you there!

Announcements

Pink Sisters

Have you ever wondered about what the Pink Sisters here in Lincoln are all about? Join us for a presentation about the Holy Spirit Adoration Sisters (better known as the Pink Sisters) on Wednesday, August 12th at 6pm at the Pink Sisters Chapel building in the Aurora Room, 1040 S. Cotner Blvd. Text Jane Wemhoff to attend at 402-318-2164.

Attention Altar Server Families

We kindly ask that any borrowed surplices and cassocks be returned as soon as possible so they are available for all of our Altar Servers at weekend Masses. If your Altar Server has any of these vestments at home, we would greatly appreciate their prompt return. Thank you for your cooperation and for helping ensure that all of our Altar Servers have the vestments they need to serve at Mass.

Our current inventory indicates that we are missing the following:

Surplices:

- Size 10 (1) & Size 20 (1)

Cassocks:

- Size 14 (2), Size 15 (1), Size 16 (1), Size 19 (1)

Magnificat

August & September copies have arrived! If you purchased the subscription, pick up your copy in the Magnificat drawer at the Information desk in the Narthex of the Church.

Volunteers Needed!

Volunteers needed to help steam freshly washed Cassocks, Surplices and Albs. If you can help, please contact Tamra Tran in the Parish office. Hours count towards tuition hours.

Stay Connected with NAM!

Use the QR codes below to easily access the NAM website, NAM App, and Flocknote. Want to receive funeral notifications? Simply scan the Flocknote QR code and sign up to be added to the funeral notification list.



Website



App



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Questions

LayMinistry Schedule (August 8th & 9th)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
Rupp	Sullivan	Bourek	Brown	Drehs
ACOLYTES				
Boesen Matulka	Bousquet Ketchmark	Volkmer Miller, C	Bassinger Wordekemper	Johs Wemhoff
SERVERS				
Ortiz Ortiz Peters Strasburg	Nguyen, Thomas	Bourek, T Bourek, X Urkoski, B Urkoski, B	Bassinger, J Bassinger, M Guenther Sindelar	Anderson Meza Turek Sub Needed
SECURITY				
McPhillips Lochner	Eastman	Brockhaus Hergott	Busboom Busboom	Hannon Simpson
GREETERS				
Peters		Seidl	Ermisch	Meyer



AUGUST 16, 2026, 5PM

YOU'RE Invited!

Come honor **Our Lady of La Vang** with an evening of prayer, devotion, and celebration! Everyone is welcome! Invite your family and friends!

Rosary • Procession • Reception

North American Martyrs Church
1101 Isaac Dr.
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OUR LADY OF LA VANG

Across the Diocese

Holy Hour for Diocesan Priests

Join us at the Holy Hour to Pray for our Diocesan Priests ~ "In the Upper Room", John XXIII Diocesan Center Chapel, Thursday, August 6, Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. All are invited to join us to pray for our Priests before Jesus in His Most Blessed Sacrament with Exposition and Adoration. Father Joseph Steele will preside. A Rosary will be led by the mothers of Priests, there will be a short Meditation St Pope John Paul II book "On the Fiftieth Anniversary of my Priestly Ordination", Music, and time for silent personal prayer. Material to purchase, also at no cost to assist you in praying for our Priests. Contact coordinator Rhonda Litt by text at 402.525.6396 for further information.

Seven Sisters Apostolate Day of Renewal

Save the date! Seven Sisters Apostolate Day of Renewal at St Gregory the Great Seminary on Saturday, August 22. Janette Howe, Apostolate Foundress, will be speaking along with our priests and others. Information, including registration instructions, to follow next weekend. Questions can be directed to Diocesan Coordinator Rhonda Litt at 402.525.6396.

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, Aug. 11, 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.

Job Opportunities

Accounting & Payroll Specialist

The Diocese of Lincoln is seeking a full-time Accounting & Payroll Specialist to support parish and school accounting, payroll, financial reporting, and training throughout the Diocese. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in Accounting, Finance, or related field; 3-5 years of accounting or payroll experience; strong organizational and communication skills; proficiency with Microsoft Office (Sage Intacct experience preferred); ability to support the mission of the Catholic Church. To apply, please send your resume to marsha-bartek@lincolndiocese.org

Part-Time Accounts Payable Specialist

The Diocese of Lincoln is seeking a part-time detail-oriented Accounts Payable Specialist to join the Finance Office. Responsibilities include processing invoices, reimbursements, vendor payments, ACH transactions, credit cards, and maintaining accurate financial record. Schedule: 20 hours per week. Applicants should have a high school diploma/GED and two years of applicable accounting experience or an associate's degree in accounting. Strong attention to detail and Microsoft Office skills required; Sage Intacct experience preferred. To apply, please send your resume to marsha-bartek@lincolndiocese.org



FALL 2026 CAMPAIGN:

September 23–November 1

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



We need both sidewalk advocates and prayer partners for our ministry!

Join us at our next training where you will learn how to be the hands and feet of Christ, offering loving, life-affirming alternatives to all present at Planned Parenthood of Lincoln, thereby eliminating demand and helping end abortion in Nebraska.

September 19 or November 7 | 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



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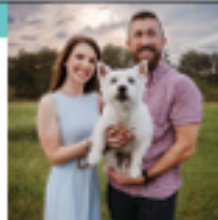
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