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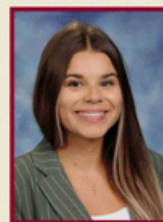
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MASS TIMES

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 North American Martyrs!

One quick note. I've been talking with other pastors about scammers whom have been using our names to ask for direct money and gift cards to be sent to them. No pastor will ever ask for such a thing! I am sorry we live in this day and age where priests' names are being used to scam, but know that we would never ask in this way. Please pray for the conversion of all people who try to scam.

A continuation from last week, we have an annual fundraiser called GIFT on February 5th, 2027. It's first and foremost a time to be social and have a fun night out. The added benefit is that this event also helps fundraise critical items for the parish. Our ask: We need a few more people to help with the planning. Brandi Brown and her crew have done an AMAZING job for years! But we're looking for your skills for the future! Join a fun, supportive team to plan this great night. Even if you're just curious, call the front office! Your skills can help this parish!

We're still investigating interest if any families want to use a morning shuttle to Pius X High School. It leaves every morning Monday through Friday. Check out the flyers! It would cost \$30 per month or less according to your need.

Next week, we're going to begin a preaching series for the rest of October with the question: "What is the Mass?" We're breaking the mass down into three parts, the Liturgy of the Word, the Offertory, and the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Beginning with Liturgy of the Word, it's important to know where the facts of our Faith originate. The apostles handed on what Jesus actually said and did through both Scripture and Tradition. St. Paul states: "stand firm and hold to the traditions which you were taught by us, either by word of mouth or by letter" (2 Thess. 2:15). In addition, any time you have the desire to learn more and ask questions about the Faith, our OCIA meets every Wednesday in the Parish Hall at 6pm!

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.

The Allen Family, Mary Belger, 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, Nora Kathe, Harvey Kostinsky, Britt Lee, Clint Lochner, John Lochner, Glenda Masek, Caroline Meyer, Noah Elmer Meyer, Ryker Moore-Svehla, Greg Morfeld, Abigail Parish, Crystal Peterson, Marlene Quest, Bette Riedel, George Schaub, Robin Swanek, Raegan Thompson, Joe Valasquez, 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, October 12

6:40am Michael J. Runyan

8:10am Jason & Paige Franzluebbbers

Tuesday, October 13

6:40am † Thelma Cutilo

8:10am † George Pfeifer

Wednesday, October 14

6:40am † Dortha L. Carraher

8:10am Bernadt Family, Living & Deceased

Thursday, October 15

6:40am PCCW Members, Living & Deceased

8:10am Lynn Gorley

Friday, October 16

6:40am † Stella VanAckeren

8:10am Holden Koenig

Saturday, October 17

9:00am Steve Walline

Weekend Masses

Saturday, October 17

5:00pm The Ruth Family

Sunday, October 18

7:00am For those who struggle with mental illness

8:00am Ormagen Lubischser Family, Living & Deceased

9:30am Lescher Family, Living & Deceased

11:00am Our Parish Family

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 for someone living or deceased. To schedule a Mass Intention, contact the Parish Office. The customary stipend is \$10.

Online Bulletin

For additional information, flyers, & parish updates, be sure to check our online bulletin! Visit our website and search for "Bulletins," or watch for our Flocknotes text each Friday for the latest news.

Financial Update

Received Last Week (10/04/26)

New Fiscal Year	
Adult Tithe Envelopes (153 Families)	\$ 24,684
Adult Electronic Tithe (278 Families)	\$ 12,306
Plate	\$ 2,276
Total Tithe Received	\$ 39,266
Weekly Tithing Goal	\$ 37,542
Received to Date	\$ 443,228
Needed for Annual Budget	\$ 1,952,200
Annual Budget: Overage/Shortage to date	\$ {82,360}

Calendar

Knights of Columbus

Monday, October 12, 7:00pm, *Parish Hall*

Seeking the Truth Bible Study

Monday, October 14, 7:00pm, *Parish Hall*

This year's study, *Wisdom*, explores Job, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon, and Sirach. All are welcome! Contact the Parish office with questions.

Saint Vincent de Paul,

Wednesday, October 14, 6:00pm, *Kateri Room*

Bedmaking at Good Counsel,

Monday, October 19, 10:00am, *Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly, NE*

We would love your help! Hours count towards tuition assistance. Contact the Parish office for questions.

CCD

Each Wednesday, 6:00-7:30pm, *NAM School*

For questions, please contact Tammy Eymann at Tammy-eymann@cdolinc.net.

OCIA

Each Wednesday, 6-7:30pm, *Parish Hall*

Questions, contact NAMOCIA25@gmail.com.

World Priest Day

A very special thank you to everyone who shared a prayer, kind word, or message of encouragement for our priests as part of their Spiritual Bouquet for World Priest Day!

Thank you for taking the time to let them know just how much their ministry means to you. They give so much of themselves each day in service to Christ and His Church, and we are truly blessed to have them here at North American Martyrs. Please continue to keep our priests—and our retired priests—in your prayers.



Announcements

Invest with Integrity, A Catholic Financial Seminar

Join us on Oct 26th for a Catholic Financial Seminar – Invest with Integrity. Did you know that you can invest in alignment with your Catholic faith? Learn more about pursuing growth without compromising returns or your faith. Join parishioner David St. Hilaire of Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors as he provides an educational workshop about faith-based investments. Event will take place in the Parish Hall on October 26th at 7:00pm. All parishioners are invited. Food and drinks will be provided, as well as free babysitting for your children if needed. Please visit tinyurl.com/namkofcseminar to RSVP. Email david.st.hilaire@kofc.org for more information.

Pumpkin Painting

It's pumpkin season! Join us October 19 in the Parish Hall at 7:30pm to paint decorative pumpkins and enjoy snacks and community with other women in the parish. RSVP to ensure we have enough materials via QR Code or follow the link:

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Magnificat October & November Issues have arrived!

The orders have arrived in multiple shipments, so some parishioners have already picked up their copies while others are still arriving. If you see your name on a copy and have already picked yours up, please cross your name off the label so someone else knows it is available.

We apologize for the confusion and truly appreciate your patience and understanding! We are hopeful everything will be back to normal with the December issue. Thank you for your help!

LayMinistry Schedule (October 17th & 18th)

5:00pm, Sat.	7:00am, Sun.	8:00am, Sun.	9:30am, Sun.	11:00am, Sun.
READERS				
Sub Needed	Timmer	Lewandowski	St. Hilarie	Odgaard
ACOLYTES				
Novosad Verzal	Doty Miller, N	Smith Beying	Hugo Benes, Mark	Mazour O'Keeffe
SERVERS				
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26th

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7:00 PM

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DEPARTURE TIMES

- Monday:
Departs NAM at 8:20 AM
- Tuesday–Friday:
Departs NAM at 7:20 AM

DROP-OFF TIMES

- Parents may drop off as early as 8:15 AM on Mondays
- Parents may drop off as early as 7:15 AM on Tuesdays–Fridays

SEATS AVAILABLE

7 seats available

COST

- \$30.00 to ride every day.
\$30 per month

LIMITED
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IMPORTANT NOTES

- Shuttle service will begin once four families have committed.

Questions? Contact Melissa Peters | Melissa-Peters@cdolinc.net

NAM PTO Presents

TRUNK OR TREAT

NAM Parking Lot
Sunday, October 25 4-6pm

**CANDY, COSTUMES
& COMMUNITY FUN!**

Host a Trunk!

Pizza Boxing at Husker football games **Valentino's**



What to Know:

- Get a Food Handlers' permit
- Plan to arrive at the game 3 hours before game time.
- Wear RED/WHITE/BLACK/GREY or HUSKER shirt with shorts or pants.
- Wear CLOSED-TOE shoes

Sign up here

NEW QR code!!



Money you earn can be used as a credit on your NAM or Pius tuition!

Email: dketch@yahoo.com (Diana) or mrsbert1@gmail.com (Kristin/Bert) with questions.

You're Invited!!

Save the dates for our
events this year!

**WOMEN
of
MARTYRS**



Knowledge Leads to Love:

A deeper theological study of Christ's saving work
Talk given by Fr. Hall

Monday, Sept. 21 at 7:30 pm | NAM Parish Hall

DOOR PRIZE: Fish Fry Fast Pass and Meal for 4!



Pumpkin Painting

Monday, Oct. 19 at 7:30 pm | NAM Parish Hall



Charcuterie Board Tutorial

Sunday, Nov. 15 at 2:00 pm | NAM Parish Hall



Christmas Cookie Exchange

Sunday, Dec. 13 at 2:00 pm | NAM Parish Hall



Win door prizes at every event!

All women of the parish and their friends
are welcome to attend!

Check the bulletin and bulletin board in the
narthex each month for more details!

PARISH MEAL TRAINS



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- RECENTLY HAD A BABY?
- GOING THROUGH A HARDSHIP OR ILLNESS?
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- KNOW SOMEONE WHO HAS?



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REQUEST SUPPORT OR SIGN UP FOR NOTIFICATIONS



*Pumpkin
Painting*

All women of the parish and their
friends are welcome!

Monday, Oct. 19, 2026 | 7:30 PM

NAM Parish Hall

All materials provided.

Win this month's door prize!

RSVP by October 10



Free will donation at the door.

**WOMEN
of
MARTYRS**

October 10th- 25th
North American Martyrs

**FOOD
DRIVE**

Supporting

Catholic Social Services



MOST NEEDED ITEMS

- Protein Granola Bars
- Ready-to-Eat Meal Options
- Pasta
- Oil
- Sugar
- Oatmeal
- Jelly
- Rice (1 lb bags)
- Pasta or Tomato Sauce
- Canned Vegetables
- Brownie, Cake Mixes, & Baking Items
- Green Tea & Coffee
- Conditioner
- Bar Soap
- Body Wash
- Women's Deodorant

Thanks for your generous support!

Follow the QR code
to learn more!



2026 17th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive

Sponsored by your Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW)
Benefiting Nebraska Pro-Life organizations &
Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska
(which includes St. Gianna Program)



This is an opportunity for all of us to show support for the women that chose not to have an abortion and now needs our help in supporting that baby. **Our goal is to collect over 125,000 diapers!**

The most requested diaper size is 6. Monetary donations accepted. Checks should be payable to LDCCW and mailed to: LDCCW, 3600 W Wittstruck Rd, Martell, NE 68404

Your assistance is greatly needed and appreciated.

Create a challenge within your CCD or between your grade school or high school classes. If you have questions, please contact Kay Wessel at (402) 817-8842.

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Outdoor Workday School Sisters of Christ the King

Who: Adults and children who like to work outdoors.
(Great for service hours!)

Where: Villa Regina Motherhouse
4100 SW 56th Street

****West of Pioneers Park on Van Dorn,
turn south on Southwest 56th Street****

When: Saturday, Oct. 17, 2026

Time: 1:30-4:30 p.m.

Projects: Planting shrubs, fall clean-up of vegetable garden and flowerbeds, cutting trees, etc.

***Supplies to bring:** shovels, work gloves, wheelbarrows, pickups and chain saws (*Please make sure all tools are marked with your name.)

RSVP via email if you can.

sr.mary-angela@cdolinc.net

"Walk-ins" are also welcome.



Thank you for your generosity and God bless you!

NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS



Remembrance Mass

MONDAY
OCTOBER 19, 2026
6:00 PM

Reception to follow in Narthex

The Remembrance Mass is for parents, grandparents, family members and friends of those who have lost a child from pregnancy through adulthood.

CHAPTER LEADER:

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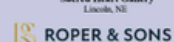
October 23rd, 24th,
26th, and 27th

Times: 6:15pm, 6:30pm,
6:45pm, 7pm, 7:15pm, and
7:30pm

INDOORS (NO WALKING)

St. Charbel Chapel
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at 2:30 and 4:30pm

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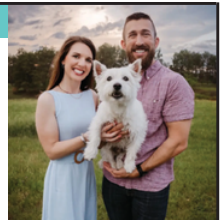
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