

Sunday, March 10	8:00 a.m. Jason Yonkey 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James
Monday, March 11	No Mass Scheduled
Tuesday, March 12	No Mass Scheduled
Wednesday, March 13	6:30 p.m. Women of St. James
Thursday, March 14	No Mass Scheduled
Friday, March 15	No Mass Scheduled
Saturday, March 16	No Mass Scheduled
Sunday, March 17	8:00 a.m. Jason Yonkey 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James

Collection March 3, 2019

Envelopes	\$1435.00
Plate	\$566.50
<u>Youth</u>	\$4.00
Total	\$2005.50

Upcoming Events:
PCCW Meeting- March 13th 7:00pm
Parish Council- March 14th 7:00pm

PCCW- Mass at 6:30 P.M. Wednesday with the PCCW meeting at 7:00. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Parish Council Meeting- Parish Council meeting is Thursday at 7:00 in the Parish Hall.

Lenten Regulations for the Diocese of Lincoln

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

Fasting means eating only one full meal with two smaller meals, which together do not equal the full meal. No snacks or eating between meals allowed. Fasting obliges all Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59.

Abstinence means eating no meat, and no soup or gravy made from meat. Abstinence obliges all Catholics age 14 and over.

Father Steve Major will be our emergency contact person and administrative pastor of our parish until a new assignment is made. He can be reached at 402-326-1557 through voice and text.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be prayed Friday nights during Lent (except Good Friday) at 7:00pm. It will be necessary for a lay person to lead them when no priest is available to be here.

No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion.

Walk step-by-step with Christ from the Garden of Gethsemane to Calvary. Filmed in the Holy Land with Dr. Edward Sri, this five-part study reveals how Old Testament prophecies, messianic expectations, historical realities and powerful symbolism come together in awe-inspiring fashion to reveal God's unfathomable love for us. Starting March 19th every Tuesday night through April 16th, 6:30pm. There is a No Greater Love study pack to buy for \$24.95, through Ascension Press <https://shop.ascensionpress.com/> Contact Sandy Amen if you have any questions! 402-580-8101

Healing Hearts Support Sessions for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one are being offered to assist Catholics in the grief process. six weekly Tuesday evenings beginning March 19, 2019, 7:00-9:00 p.m., at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 37th & Sheridan Blvd. Suggested Donation: \$25 (for materials) To register, please call 402-473-0620.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE starts March 6th (Ash Wednesday) and there will be a signup sheet in the church. This is a peaceful prayerful presence at the right to life center across from planned parenthood. Every Tuesday is the rosary at 9:30am and mass at 10:00 am. Please sign up or show up sometime between 7:00am to 5:00pm Tuesdays as this is when your presence is most needed to witness for life. Families are welcome. Questions call Joe 402 830 8338

PowerSurge/PowerUp Schedule 2018-19

Pre-K-5 PowerSurge and 6-8 grade PowerUp Meals are served at 5:45 pm until 7:00 in the hall. **Mar 27.** Contact Renee Dominy at reneeandneil@hotmail.com

2-Day UNBOUND Conference: Participants will learn about Unbound through live presentations & videos and how it teaches 5 simple "keys" to break the chains of emotional, spiritual and mental bondage and unlock the doors to freedom. Join us at St. Patrick's Elementary School-McCook, NE, Friday, April 5th- 6-9pm & Saturday, April 6th- 8-5pm. All registrants are highly encouraged to read the first nine (9) chapters of the book Unbound, by Neal Lozano which is available at heartofthefather.com website or on Amazon. The event is free but registration is required. Please register by going to: lincolndiocese.org/unbound

FATHER/SON PROGRAM "In His Image"

for boys age 10-14 and their father will be held Sunday, March 17, 2019 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up and becoming a man. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$20 per father/son or \$30 per family. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/father-son-program> Questions, please call the NFP Offices 402-473-0630 or email naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net

Prayer Request – We pray with special love and concern for all those who are ill, asking the Lord for his consoling grace to strengthen the sick in times of trial: Sandi Sapp, Elvira Seeley, Shane Searcey, Rochelle Hudson, Steven Buss, Jacob Schuster, Steve Phillip, Gary Plagman, Kathy Chadek, The Ruiz family, Larry Kontos

Pray for the Dead– Let us remember in our prayers: Father Zitek, Tawny Zach, Sharon Hudson, Lucille Onisk, Vic Hudson, Robert Eickmeier, Fr. Casey Porada, Fr. James Cooper, Kenneth Barnhill, Mildred Adams, Ron Cyza, Elisabeth Wyar, father of Fr. Mark Cyza, Leo Wenzl, Fr. Mel Rempe, Rosemary DeVries, Velda Ferguson, Judy Libal, Pearl Bernadt, Terry Schroer, William Gentrup.

Prayers for those serving our country in harm's way

		3/10/2019	3/17/2019	3/23/2019
		First Sunday of Lent	Second Sunday of Lent	Third Sunday of Lent
8:00 AM	Reader	Joe Vinton	Jerry Lentfer	Chris Hytrek
	Acolyte	Chris Hytrek	Tony Sullivan	Pat Milke
	Server 1	Dawson Burenheide	Austin Oelke	Zach Van Brocklin
	Server 2	Carter Burenheide	Michael Bean	Eli Van Brocklin
	Greeters	Oren & Genny Heusinkvelt	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas
	Usher 1	Mike Egger	Mike Egger	Cam Oelke
	Usher 2	Mike Mitchell	Mike Mitchell	Robert Braden
	Offertory	G & S Van Brocklin Family	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas	Joseph & Marcia Vinton
10:30 AM	Reader	Karl Gramann	Frank Pytlik	Diana McCown
	Acolyte	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden	Scott Osterhaus
	Server 1	Connor Price	Brady Troxel	Marcus Osterhaus
	Server 2	Ayden Davidson	Sam Troxel	Grant Ehmen
	Greeters	Neil & Renee Dominy	Denise & Scott Clements	Denise & Scott Clements
	Usher 1	Ron Boden	Scott Clements	Scott Clements
	Usher 2	Ed Zach	Ed Zach	Karl Gramann
	Offertory	Don & Julie Hinds Family	Roger & Lillian Miller	Justin Mueller Family
Collection	Kassie E. / S Van Brocklin	Randy & Colleen E / Amy Argo	Julie Pflingsten / Laureen Ehmen	

Creighton Model FertilityCare System

Creighton Model is a natural system that allows users to learn more about their fertility and in conjunction with NaProTECHNOLOGY treat many health conditions without the use of harsh chemicals, devices, or surgical procedures. NaPro TECHNOLOGY identifies problems with fertility and helps correct the condition, maintain human ecology, and sustain procreative potential. For more information, contact Kealey Butler directly at kealey.butler@gmail.com or 402-601-7529.

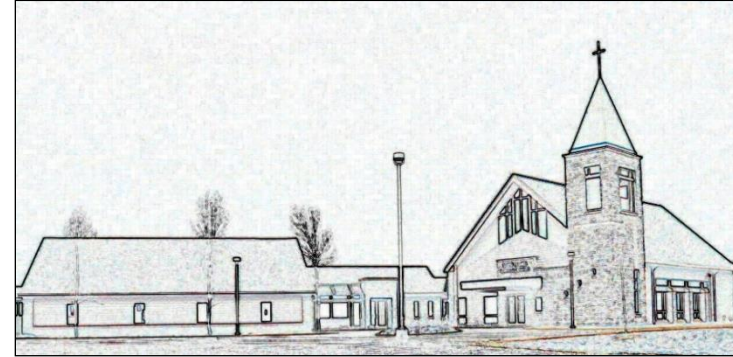
Fish Fry-The Hickman American Legion Post 105 is hosting three Friday evenings for a Fish Fry. Dates are Friday March 15th; March 29th and April 12th. Serving time is from 5:00 – 8:00 at the Post located downtown Hickman. Suggested donation is \$10.00 and \$5.00 for children 12 and under

Serving: Pollock Fish, Ham, Baked Potato, Baked Beans, ColeSlaw, Dessert, Drink (Tea/Coffee/Water)

Immaculee Ilibagiza Retreat: Immaculee Ilibagiza, a survivor of the 1994 Rwandan Genocide and author of the book “Left to Tell”, will bring her message of forgiveness, healing, and hope to all who attend her retreat at St. Mary’s Catholic Church 343 N Monitor St. West Point, NE, March 22-23, 2019. Doors open at 4:00 pm on Friday, with retreat beginning at 5:00 pm and ending at 9:00 pm, continuing again at 9:00 am on Saturday and concluding at 12:30 pm. All that will be required of attendees of all faiths is a listening ear and an open heart, as Immaculee will be giving four separate talks throughout the two-day period. Cost is \$57 for one person or \$76 for two people. For details, tickets, and registration, visit www.immaculee.com and click on "next retreat", or contact RaNae O’Brien at ranaeobrien1@gmail.com.

Single Ladies Introductory Session is being held April 4, 2019 at 7 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. Learn how to chart with Creighton Model; includes a particular emphasis on reproductive and gynecological health. Must preregister at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/single-ladies>

Worldwide Marriage Encounter 2019 Weekend March 29-31 in Hastings, NE. Contact Matt and Becky Howe for more information call 308-379-4895 or email mbhowe09@gmail.com.



Mass Schedule
Sundays: 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Confessions
30 minutes before Sunday Masses
Holy Days Masses
and by appointment

CCD
Sundays 9:05-10:20 a.m.

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March 10, 2019 First Sunday of Lent

“If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord
and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead,
you will be saved.”

Romans 10:9

Mar 11 Mon: *Leviticus 19: 1-2. 11-18; Matthew 25: 31-46*

Mar 12 Tue: *Isaiah 55: 10-11; Matthew 6: 7-15*

Mar 13 Wed: *Jonah 3: 1-10; Luke 11: 29-32*

Mar 14 Thu: *Esther C: 12. 14-16. 23-25; Matthew 7: 7-12*

Mar 15 Fri: **Day of abstinence from meat (age 14 and up).**

Ezekiel 18: 21-28; Matthew 5: 20-26

Mar 16 Sat: *Deuteronomy 26: 16-19; Matthew 5: 43-48*

Mar 17 SUN: **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

Genesis 15: 5-12. 17-18; Philippians 3: 17 -- 4: 1 or 3: 20 -- 4: 1;

Luke 9: 28b-36