

Sunday, March 24 8:00 a.m. Chad Kohout 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James
Monday, March 25- Saturday, March 30 No Masses Scheduled here
Sunday, March 31 8:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. James 10:30 a.m. Esther Mae Winter

Collection March 10, 2019

Envelopes	\$5132.00
Plate	\$238.00
<u>Youth</u>	<u>\$5.50</u>
Total	\$5375.50

Upcoming Events:
Powersurge/PowerUp Wed. 27th @ 5:45pm

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

PCCW Scholarship breakfast sign-up is in the back of church. It will be April 7th after both masses. Proceeds provides scholarship money for our graduating seniors.

Seniors: Scholarship applications are available for the PCCW and K of C scholarships on the bulletin board.

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

Stations Of The Cross will be prayed Friday nights during Lent (except Good Friday) at 7:00pm. A lay person will lead when no priest is available.

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. No Greater Love study pack \$24.95, at Ascension Press <https://shop.ascensionpress.com/> Contact Sandy Amen with 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. *The first is this Tuesday 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

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

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 Friday evenings for a Fish Fry. Remaining dates are Friday 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)

Single Ladies Introductory Session is 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>

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

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.

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: Chad Kohout, 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.

Prayers for those serving our country in harm's way

		3/24/2019	3/31/2019	4/7/2019
		Third Sunday of Lent	Fourth Sunday of Lent	Fifth Sunday of Lent
8:00 AM	Reader	Chris Hytrek	Larry Etmund	Michelle Milke
	Acolyte	Pat Milke	Randy Eickmeier	Chris Hytrek
	Server 1	Zach Van Brocklin	Dawson Burenheide	Cody Larkins
	Server 2	Eli Van Brocklin	Carter Burenheide	Austin Oelke
	Greeters	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas	Ray & JoAnn Vrbka	Ray & JoAnn Vrbka
	Usher 1	Cam Oelke	Cam Oelke	Blain Johnson
	Usher 2	Robert Braden	Robert Braden	John Vrbka
	Offertory	Joseph & Marcia Vinton	Slim & Janet Ragland	Ray & JoAnn Vrbka
10:30 AM	Reader	Diana McCown	Shirley Yates	Karl Gramann
	Acolyte	Scott Osterhaus	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt
	Server 1	Marcus Osterhaus	Gabe Eisenbarth	Connor Price
	Server 2	Grant Ehmen	Nate Eisenbarth	Ayden Davidson
	Greeters	Denise & Scott Clements	Myron & Jeanette Heusinkvelt	Don & Julie Hinds
	Usher 1	Scott Clements	Don Hinds	Don Hinds
	Usher 2	Karl Gramann	Roger Miller	Roger Miller
	Offertory	Justin Mueller Family	Jeff & Jennifer Oberg Family	Lindsay Peterson Family
Collection	Julie Pflugsten / Laureen Ehmen	Jeanne Egger / Grace Benes	Jim Fuhrman / Theron Troxel	

LDCCW Spring Full Board Meeting The Spring Full Board meeting of the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW) is April 13th at St. Mary's in Aurora, beginning with 'Mary's Way of the Cross' at 8:30 a.m. All women in the Lincoln Diocese are members of the LDCCW and encouraged to attend. Please email ldccwpresident@gmail.com if you plan to attend.

Group / Bulk Subscription to MAGNIFICAT ... MAGNIFICAT is a monthly publication containing a short morning, evening, & night prayer, & a short daily meditation; as well as the Scripture readings for the Daily & Sunday Masses, essays on the lives of the saints, and spiritual insight into masterpieces of sacred art. Magnificat is a good way to learn more about your faith & deepen your prayer life and your relationship with God. The annual group subscription rate is **\$23.00/each for regular size**. That is a savings of \$24.00 off regular (individual price of \$47.00). The annual group price for **large print is \$41.00/each**. If you would like to be a part of the group / bulk subscription, please turn in your payment in the collection in an envelope marked "Magnificat Subscription." Include your name, whether you want regular or Large print and money. The group subscription runs from August 2019 – July 2020. Those in our Group may also read Magnificat either online or on their iphone or ipod. **Orders are due by April 7th**.

Holy Week services will be at 7:30pm for Holy Thursday and Good Friday and 8:30pm for the Easter Vigil. Easter Sunday Mass will be 9:00am.

Hall Reservations-If you would like to reserve the hall for an event (ex. graduation) or would like to borrow the wood tables and metal chairs (plastic are **not** to be removed from the hall), please email stjamescortland@gmail.com with your request.



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March 24, 2019 Third Sunday of Lent

“Whoever thinks he is standing secure should take care not to fall.”

1 Corinthians 10:12

Mar 25 Mon:	ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD <i>Isaiah 7: 10-14; 8: 10; Hebrew 10: 4-10; Luke 1: 26-38</i>
Mar 26 Tue:	<i>Daniel 3: 25. 34-43; Matthew 18: 21-35.</i>
Mar 27 Wed:	<i>Deuteronomy 4:1. 5-9; Matthew 5: 17-19</i>
Mar 28 Thu:	<i>Jeremiah 7: 23-28; Luke 11: 14-23</i>
Mar 29 Fri:	Day of abstinence from meat (age 14 and up). <i>Hosea 14: 2-10; Mark 12: 28-34</i>
Mar 30 Sat:	<i>Hosea 6: 1-6; Luke 18: 9-14</i>
Mar 31 SUN:	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT. <i>1 Samuel 16: 1b. 6-7. 10-13a; Ephesians 5: 8-14; John 9:1-41.</i>

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.