

Sunday, May 5 8:00 a.m. Bailey Clements 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James
Monday-Saturday-No Daily Mass
Sunday, May 12 8:00 a.m. Jason Yonkey 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James

Collection April 28, 2019

Envelopes	\$1277.00
Plate	\$194.60
Youth	\$6.25
Total	\$1477.85

Upcoming Events:

- May Crowning Sunday, May 5th both Masses
- PCCW Wine and Salad Supper, May 8th 6:30pm
- Senior Recognition Mass- May 12th 10:30am
- Happy Mother's Day, May 12th -rolls provided by Knights after both Masses

Father Steve Major is our emergency contact (402-326-1557) and administrative pastor until a new assignment is announced in May. The new priest will begin June 17th. Thank you for your devotion and patience with the transition—it truly inspires me! Fr. Steve Major

CHARITY AND STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2019

begins today. Each year people from all 134 parishes in the Diocese of Lincoln pledge to support Diocesan institutions like: Catholic Social Services, Family Life Office, Youth Ministry, Evangelization Office, Religious Sisters' retirement, etc. Once we have given our share, everything else we give comes back to us in rebates. **NOW YOU CAN SKIP THE LINE WAITING FOR YOUR CARD & USE YOUR CELL PHONE TO PLEDGE!** This new option lets you simply text "Give \$" to 531-233-1022 and right away you'll get a link that lets you use an ATM, debit or credit card for your pledge. You can also go back later and change the way you give if desired. More information is at www.lincolndiocese.org/diocese/charity-and-stewardship-appeal

IT'S THE DEADLINE If you have a Rice Bowl donation, please turn it in by today Sunday, May 5th.

Saturday morning discussion group forming- We will meet on Saturday mornings from 6:30-8:00 AM to discuss our faith. Rolls and coffee will be provided and all are invited. We will start out watching the UNBOUND Freedom in Christ DVD series. For more information contact Neil Dominy, Ron Eisenbarth, Tom Hottovy, Mike Mitchell, Renae Mitchell or Joe Vinton. We will start meeting on May 11th and meet each Saturday morning throughout the summer so come whenever you can!

		5/5/2019	5/12/2019	5/19/2019
		Third Sunday of Easter	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Fifth Sunday of Easter
8:00 AM	Reader	Chris Hytrek	Larry Etmund	Jerry Lentfer
	Acolyte	Pat Milke	Chris Hytrek	Randy Eickmeier
	Server 1	Zach Van Brocklin	Austin Oelke	Zach Van Brocklin
	Server 2	Eli Van Brocklin	Michael Bean	Eli Van Brocklin
	Greeters	Slim & Janet Ragland	Oren & Genny Heusinkvelt	Oren & Genny Heusinkvelt
	Usher 1	Cam Oelke	Cam Oelke	Blain Johnson
	Usher 2	Robert Braden	Robert Braden	John Vrbka
	Offertory	Grace Benes	Nicole & Steve Boon Family	Rick & Linda Bouc Family
10:30 AM	Reader	Frank Pytlik	Diana McCown	Karl Gramann
	Acolyte	Scott Osterhaus	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth
	Server 1	Marcus Osterhaus	Connor Price	Brady Troxel
	Server 2	Grant Ehmen	Ayden Davidson	Nate Eisenbarth
	Greeters	Denise & Scott Clements	Denise & Scott Clements	Myron & Jeanette Heusinkvelt
	Usher 1	Scott Clements	Scott Clements	Don Hinds
	Usher 2	Ed Zach	Ed Zach	Ron Boden
	Offertory	Scott & Denise Clements	Graduating Seniors	Neil & Renee Dominy
Collection	Jeanne Egger / Grace Benes	Jim Fuhrman / Theron Troxel	Kassie E. / Susan Van Brocklin	

Steubenville Mid-America Youth Conference

will be July 12-14. There is an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, to challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world. Keynote this year is nationally known speakers Fr. Mike Schmitz and Katie Prejean McGrady. For more info or to register go to lincolndiocese.org/pilgrimages/steubenville-youth-conference. Perhaps the Knights or Altar Society would consider helping sponsor one or more youth from the parish; the cost is \$400 per student.

Lawn Care/Mowing: We are looking for at least 3 individuals/families that would be willing to rotate weekends to take care of mowing the lawn with the Jelinek family for the approximate months of May through September, 2019. The church has a zero turn mower that can be used so you don't need your own equipment. If available to help, please contact Ginger at 402-525-0663 or gingerhartman78@yahoo.com and we will get a schedule set-up for the lawn to be taken care of throughout the summer months. Thank you!

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.

Diocesan Canoe Trips are coming up! This three-day outdoor adventure includes daily Mass, confessions, talks, private reflection time, and other opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ. A Campfire and rosary fill the evening hours. Dates are July 14-16 and July 16-18, cost is \$100. To register, go to lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-trip.

HEALING THE WHOLE PERSON

presented by the John Paul II Healing Center Team on July 11-13. This seminar provides the opportunity to learn about and experience the healing power of God in the wholeness of body, soul and spirit. St. Peter Church, 4500 Duxhall Dr, Lincoln, NE. Register at: www.JPIIHealingCenter.org. Early registration is open now and ends on April 29. For scholarships, student and missionary discounts email LincolnHealandEquip@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: Debra Cumro, Willow Marinovich, 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, father of Fr. Mark Cyza, Elisabeth Wyar, Leo Wenzl, Fr. Mel Rempe, Rosemary DeVries, Velda Ferguson.
Prayers for those serving our country in harm's way. *Thank you for all of your prayers!*

Here are two very valuable retreat opportunities I'd like you all to consider. I made a week's retreat with Bart & Bob Schuchts and found it very beneficial to me. **Father Major**

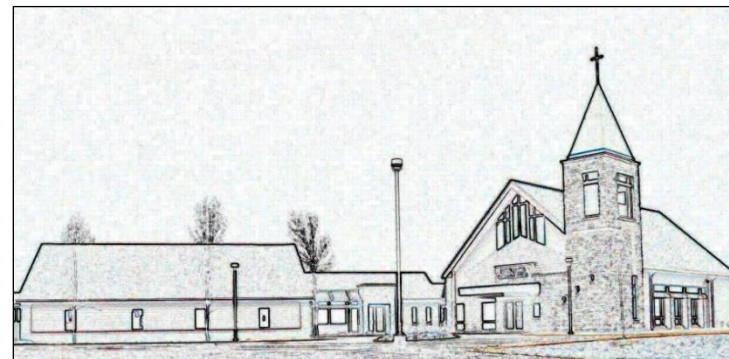
Do you desire to be equipped to live in the fullness that Christ intended for each of His followers? If so, this **DAY OF EQUIPPING**, led by Bart Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center, is for you! During this training, you will learn the foundations of abiding in Christ, hearing His voice and becoming empowered to pray for others as Jesus did. If you desire the Holy Spirit operating in your life as described in John 14:12 and Ephesians 4, we invite you to attend. This Day of Equipping takes place at St. Peter Church in Lincoln NE on Friday, July 12, 2019.

JESUS STILL RESPONDS TODAY to your brokenness, disease and pain with transformative love and restoration. Through three days of teaching, worship, prayers and testimony, you'll encounter God in a powerful way, and experience deeper freedom as the Father speaks to you in the depths of your heart, and through the supernatural graces of the sacraments. Whether you're struggling with life, or you just want "more" in your walk with God, this conference will empower you with tools, revelations, and a greater desire to live your life passionately on fire to God. Grounded in Church teaching, you'll engage in topics of "Facing our Brokenness," "Encountering the Father's Love," and "Living in Freedom." St. Peter's Church in Lincoln, NE is hosting a Healing the Whole Person retreat led by the John Paul II Healing Center on July 11-13, 2019.

Day Long Retreat Today for couples experiencing primary or secondary infertility held in Lincoln on May 5th from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., led by Fr. Tim Danek with others. Cost is \$40 and includes Mass and brunch. Sign up/more information at: <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/infertility-retreat>

UNPLANNED May 15 and May 19th. Wednesday, May 15th @ 7pm will be FREE to the public through a generous donation from the Fairbury Baptist Church at the Bonham Theatre in Fairbury. On Sunday, May 19th @ 6 pm this will also be a FREE showing from a generous donation from The Parish Council of Catholic Women of Saint Michael's Catholic Church at the Bonham Theatre in Fairbury. Hope to fill the Bonham Theatre!

The EUCHARISTIC FAMILY ROSARY CRUSADE's FINAL EVENT IS TONIGHT Sunday, May 5th at 7pm at Haymarket Park Stadium in Lincoln. All are invited and welcome to participate in a procession, Rosary and adoration & benediction of the Blessed Sacrament with Bishop Conley. The Rosary will consist of large beads arranged along the baselines; the first half of each Hail Mary will be prayed in various languages with the second half always in English. Gates will open at 5:30pm and TAILGATING (non-alcoholic) is welcome in the parking lot prior to the Crusade; food cannot be brought in to the stadium but free bottled water will be distributed. See www.lincolnrosary.com.



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May 5, 2019

Third Easter Sunday

“God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins.”

Acts 5:31

May 6 Mon:

Acts 6: 8-15; John 6: 22-29

May 7 Tue:

Acts 7: 51 -- 8: 1a; John 6: 30-35

May 8 Wed:

Acts 8: 1b-8; John 6: 35-40

May 9 Thu:

Acts 8: 26-40; John 6: 44-51

May 10 Fri:

Acts 9: 1-20; John 6: 52-59

May 11 Sat:

Acts 9: 31-42; John 6: 60-69

May 12 SUN:

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 13: 14. 43-52; Revelations 7: 9. 14b-17; John 10: 27-30

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.