

Sunday, May 26 8:00 a.m. Jason Yonkey 10:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. James
Monday-Saturday-No Daily Mass
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Collection May 19, 2019

Envelopes	\$1832.00
Plate	\$138.00
Youth	\$5.50
Total	\$1975.50

OUR NEW PASTOR is Father Joseph Walsh who comes to us from Hastings, St. Cecilia after eleven years as pastor there. He will begin June 17th. Our parish council decided to have a welcome lunch for Fr. Walsh Sunday June 23rd at noon; details in next week's bulletin. We'll also thank the priests who have filled in these past five months.

ASCENSION THURSDAY—HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION There will be one Mass offered here that day at 7:00pm Thursday, May 30th.

FIREWORKS STAND -signup sheet in the back for working at the fireworks tent, paid positions and volunteers. Please sign up and indicate what you would like to do. Families welcome. Set up begins the week of June 16th and open June 25th –July 4th. Contact Joe Vinton 402 798 7002 Brad Wilken 402 943 8422 or other KC members.

MATT TALBOT KITCHEN St. James will be serving supper on Thursday, May 30th. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church. If there are any questions contact Kassie Ebbers at (402)787-2385 or ebbers@windstream.net.

CHARITY AND STEWARDSHIP APPEAL 2019 is progressing very well. We'll have numbers and totals next week. Please take time to pick up your pledge card and prayerfully consider what you would like to do to further the Church's mission. Remember, Jesus will welcome into Heaven those who fed the hungry, visited the sick, gave drink to the thirsty (Matthew 25:35). Our CSA contributions go a long way to making those things happen through Catholic Social Services, the Evangelization Office and other Lincoln Diocese institutions. GO PAPERLESS 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. More information is at www.lincolndiocese.org/diocese/charity-and-stewardship-appeal

		5/26/2019	6/2/2019	6/9/2019
		Sixth Sunday of Easter	Seventh Sunday of Easter	Pentecost Sunday
8:00 AM	Reader	Joe Vinton	Michelle Milke	Chris Hytrek
	Acolyte	Kurt Larkins	Tony Sullivan	Pat Milke
	Server 1	Dawson Burenheide	Austin Oelke	Michael Bean
	Server 2	Michael Bean	Eli Van Brocklin	Zach Van Brocklin
	Greeters	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas	Darrel & Rosie VerMaas	Ray & JoAnn Vrbka
	Usher 1	Blain Johnson	Mike Egger	Mike Egger
	Usher 2	John Vrbka	Mike Mitchell	Mike Mitchell
	Offertory	Robert & Amy Braden Family	Mike & Pat Egger	Randy & Colleen Eickmeier
10:30 AM	Reader	Shirley Yates	Frank Pytlik	Diana McCown
	Acolyte	Myron Heusinkvelt	Scott Osterhaus	Ron Boden
	Server 1	Trey Yates	Marcus Osterhaus	Connor Price
	Server 2	Sam Troxel	Grant Ehmen	Ayden Davidson
	Greeters	Don & Julie Hinds	Don & Julie Hinds	Neil & Renee Dominy
	Usher 1	Karl Gramann	Karl Gramann	Ed Zach
	Usher 2	Ron Boden	Roger Miller	Roger Miller
	Offertory	Ron & Lori Eisenbarth Family	Sara Flanagan Family	Karl & Mary Gramann Family
Collection	Randy & Colleen E / Amy Argo	Julie Pflugsten / Laureen Ehmen	Jeanne Egger / Grace Benes	

Saturday morning discussion group – a group 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 info, contact Neil Dominy, Ron Eisenbarth, Tom Hottovy, Mike Mitchell, Renae Mitchell or Joe Vinton. We will meet each Saturday morning throughout the summer so come whenever you can!

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 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: Michelle Walker, Debra Cumro, Willow Marinovich, Sandi Sapp, 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: Elvira Seeley, 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 Remppe.

Prayers for those serving our country in harm's way. *Thank you for all of your prayers!*

Healing Hearts, a grief ministry providing support for those who have lost a loved one, is offering a summer program on 3 Wednesdays, **June 12, 19 and 26th**- 6:30-8:30p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 37th & Sheridan Blvd. Issues discussed will be the fundamentals of grief, how it affects our relationships & skills necessary to manage grief. Cost is \$15. To register, please call 402-473-0620.

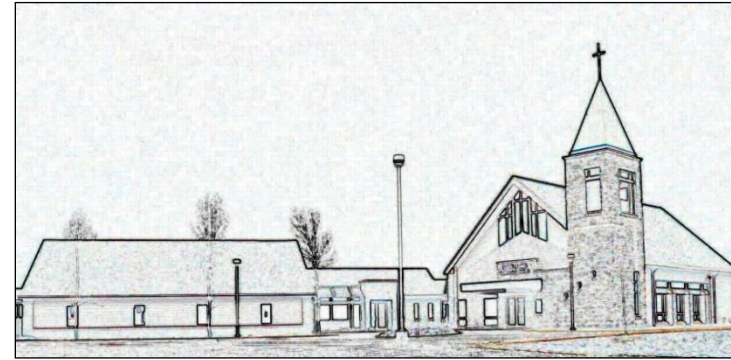
Here are two very valuable retreat opportunities I'd like you all to consider. I made a week's retreat with Bart & Bob Schuchts and found it very beneficial to me. I'm very glad to see that a group of men will meet this summer to watch videos of the "Unbound" program—also very effective!
Father Major

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.

Lord Teach Me To Pray. Deepen Your Prayer Life; Help Others Do The Same! Are you a woman or man of prayer? Are you comfortable working with small groups? On **Saturday, June 15, 2019** at John XXIII Diocesan Center, Lincoln NE there will be a Facilitator *Training-Retreat* for the "Lord Teach Me To Pray" (LTMP) Ignatian prayer series. There is no charge for the retreat or materials. Come & discern if God is calling you to become a facilitator! Or, if you are simply interested in finding out more about Ignatian Prayer and the "Lord, Teach Me To Pray" prayer series, you are also invited! For info and registration please go to lordteachmetoprayer.com click on Training-Retreats, scroll down to Lincoln, NE for registration form or call 504-439-5933

Surviving Divorce program Are you seeking healing and hope from experiencing a Divorce? Come find comfort, counsel, and hope and healing consistent with Catholic Church teachings. The *Surviving Divorce* program is a 12 week video series & facilitator led program. It begins on **June 3, 2019, 7-9pm**, at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. A suggested donation of \$50 covers the cost of the program and includes the *Surviving Divorce* personal guide and all materials. Classes are kept small and may be registered for by contacting the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 or catholicflo@cdolinc.net



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May 26, 2019

Sixth Sunday of Easter

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.”

John 14:27

May 27 Mon:	<i>Acts 16: 11-15; John 15: 26-16: 4a</i>
May 28 Tue:	<i>Acts 16: 22-34; John 16: 5-11</i>
May 29 Wed:	<i>Acts 17: 15, 22-18: 1; John 16: 12-15</i>
May 30 Thu:	ASCENSION OF THE LORD <i>Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Luke 24:46-53</i>
May 31 Fri:	Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>Zephaniah 3: 14-18a; Luke 1: 39-56</i>
Jun 1 Sat:	Memorial of St. Justin, mt <i>Acts 18: 23-28; John 16: 23b-28</i>
Jun 2 Sun:	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER <i>Acts 7:55-60; Revelations 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; John 17:20-26</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.