

Mass Schedule

Monday, 6:30am
 Tuesday, 6:30am
 Wednesday, 6:30pm
 Thursday, 6:30am
 Friday, 8:00am
 Saturday, 8:00am
Saturday, 5pm
Sunday, 8am
Sunday, 10:30am

Confessions

30 min. before Sunday and Holy Days Masses
 20 minutes before Daily Masses and by appt.

Exposed Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 6pm to 9pm.
Benediction at 8:50pm

CCD PK-12 Classes are from 9:00am to 10:20am on scheduled days



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October 25, 2020

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,
 with all your soul, and with all your mind.” *Matthew 22:37*

Oct 26 Mon: *Eph 4: 32 5: 8/ Ps 1: 1-2. 3. 4 and 6/ Lk 13: 10-17*

Oct 27 Tue: *Eph 5: 21-33/ Ps 128: 1-2. 3. 4-5/ Lk 13: 18-21*

Oct 28 Wed: **Simon and Jude, aps F**

Eph 2: 19-22/ Ps 19: 2-3. 4-5/ Lk 6: 12-16

Oct 29 Thu: *Eph 6: 10-20/ Ps 144: 1b. 2. 9-10/ Lk 13: 31-35*

Oct 30 Fri: *Phil 1: 1-11/ Ps 111: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/ Lk 14: 1-6*

Oct 31 Sat: *Phil 1: 18b-26/ Ps 42: 2. 3. 5cdef/ Lk 14: 1. 7-11*

Nov 1 SUN: **ALL SAINTS**

Rv 7: 2-4. 9-14/ Ps 24: 1b-2. 3-4ab. 5-6/ 1 Jn 3: 1-3/ Mt 5: 1-12a

Readers Schedule

Mass Times	Oct. 24-25	Oct. 31-Nov 1	Nov. 7-8	Nov. 14-15
Sat. 5:00 pm	Diana McCown	Jerry Lentfer	Michelle Milke	Diana McCown
Sun. 8:00 am	Joe Vinton	Chris Hytrek	Larry Etmund	Joe Vinton
Sun. 10:00 am	Karl Gramann	Shirley Yates	Frank Pytlik	Karl Gramann

MATT TALBOT KITCHEN- It is St. James' turn to serve supper at Matt Talbot Kitchen on Thursday, October 29th. They are only serving take-out meals. We are also requesting that for desserts we only get cookies and bars without frosting, so we can just put them in a napkin to hand out.

If you can't get these items, you can send a check for a donation that will be used to purchase the items or use the online one time gift with a note that it is for Matt Talbot Kitchen. This money will also be used to purchase the pulled pork and salads.

Here are the items we need to have to the church by noon on Thursday October 29th.

- Banana's – 4 people to bring 10 pounds each
- Hamburger Buns – 6 people to bring 2 dozen each
- Bush's Beans - 6 people to bring 1 gallon each
- Cookies/ Bars (NO FROSTING) – 8 people to bring 2 doz. ea.

Please email me at ebbers@windstream.net if you want to donate something from above so I know where I stand. If you have questions, please let me know by email or call me at home 402.787.2385 or cell 402.440.0029.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR A "TO GO" SOUP SUPPER-Hot soup, cinnamon rolls and pie will be available for pickup Saturday November 14th from 4:30 -6:30. Cold soup, cinnamon rolls and pie can also be picked up Sunday November 15th after both masses. Pre-orders by November 1st are strongly encouraged. A link is available on the parish website or pre-order sheets are available in the back of church. Raffle prize and pie donation sign-ups will also be in the back of church.

LDCCW OCTOBER PRO-LIFE DIAPER DRIVE- The Diaper Drive continues through the end of October. The Centers we serve advise the Diaper sizes 4,5 & 6 are in greatest demand. Your diaper donations are greatly appreciated. Cash donations or checks made to the order of the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW) will be accepted and should be mailed to Kay Wessel, 3600 W Wittstruck Rd, Martell, NE 68404. Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE is from September 23rd to November 1st and you can sign up to take an hour at 40daysforlife.com/Lincoln. Suggested hours for our parish are from 6:00 AM to 1:00 PM Sundays and 6:00AM to 8:00PM abortion Tuesdays in front of Planned Parenthood at 48th and Old Cheney. It is fine to just show up as a peaceful, praying witness anytime and please pray for an end to abortion. Thank you, Joe Vinton 402 798 7002

RETRouvaille Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. For more information about the Virtual Retrouvaille Weekend program on October 22-25 2020 or to register, call 1-800-470-2230 Or www.helpourmarriage.org, www.retrouvaille.org last day to sign up October 11th 2020

Notes from Father Walsh...

This Week's Events. It will be my joy today (Sunday, October 25) to share the Most Blessed Sacrament with our third grade students—who have waited patiently through the COVID crisis to arrive at this day. The Eucharist is the Lord's most powerful way of uniting us to Himself, and with one another. He is the Heavenly Manna, the host of the nuptial banquet, the Food of eternal life. Congratulations children and parents, and the whole parish! It is a wonderful day.

Parish Council Meeting. On Monday, October 26, we will have a parish council meeting, updating the group on our financial performance over the first quarter of the fiscal year, reporting on maintenance projects around the parish, and generally sharing other issues and information about the parish. Thank you to all our parish council members. I appreciate your collaboration and assistance in caring for the parish.

Holy Hour. On Thursday evening, at 7pm, we will have a Eucharistic Holy Hour, dedicated to the men and women who serve us in law enforcement. The Knights are supporting this hour, and will honor our law enforcement members following the closing benediction. I like this project, not only as a means of praying for, thanking, and interceding for our law enforcement personnel, but also because I believe some of their hardest times are before us. They need our prayers and support. Please join us in prayer on Thursday evening.

Change of Mass time on November 2. November 2 is All Souls Day, a special day when we remember our departed loved ones and the souls in Purgatory. It happens, on that day, that I have a medical procedure that will necessitate a change in the Mass times. I will offer Mass at 6:30 in the evening instead of the typical morning time. The Mass intention will be for the deceased members of the parish, especially those who are buried in our parish cemetery.

You might make sure to request Masses for your deceased family members and friends. The stipend for a Mass is \$10. We keep them in mind and prayer in a special way during November, but I can offer your Mass intention throughout the year. This is a very holy and important practice in our faith. The souls in Purgatory you help on this side of the grave will help you when you pass over to their side.

Furthermore, there is a plenary indulgence attached to a visit to a cemetery from November 1 through November 8. Any cemetery will do, even if your beloved dead are buried somewhere else. You can offer the work of visiting the cemetery and praying for them and apply the plenary indulgence to their need.

Finally...vote. Pray for our country. These values transcend party affiliation and are dear to us all. Thank you.

Please pray for the Seminarians every week throughout the year. Listed below is the Seminarian for this week. Thank you from the Seminarians and their Families!

20-21	First Name	Last Name	Year Entered	Seminary of Study	Year of Study
Oct 25-31	Thomas	Haberman	2020	St. Gregory the Great Seminary	College 1