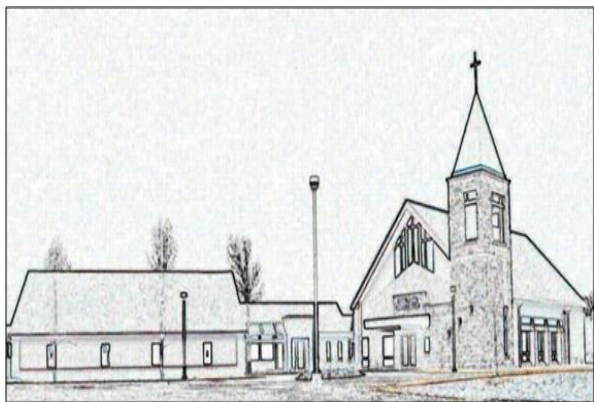


Mass Schedule
Monday, 6:30am
Tuesday, 6:30am
Wednesday, 6:30pm
Thursday, 6:30am
Friday, 8:00am
Saturday, 8:00am
Saturday, 5pm
Sunday, 8am
Sunday, 10:30am

Confessions 30 min. before Sunday and Holy Days Masses 20 minutes before Daily Masses and by abdt.
Exposed Eucharistic Adoration Thursday 7pm to 8pm. Benediction at 7:50pm
CCD PK-12 Classes 9:00am to 10:20am
Stations of the Cross Friday during Lent 7:00pm



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March 14, 2021 Fourth Sunday of Lent

“You were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord.”

Ephesians 5:8

Mar 15 Mon: *Is 65: 17-21/ Ps 30: 2 and 4. 5-6. 11-12a and 13b/ Jn 4: 43-54.*

Mar 16 Tue: *Ez 47: 1-9. 12/ Ps 46: 2-3. 5-6. 8-9/ Jn 5: 1-16*

Mar 17 Wed: *Is 49: 8-15/ Ps 145: 8-9. 13cd-14. 17-18/ Jn 5: 17-30*

Mar 18 Thu: *Ex 32: 7-14/ Ps 106: 19-20. 21-22. 23/ Jn 5: 31-47*

Mar 19 Fri: **JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF MARY S.**

2 Sm 7: 4-5a. 12-14a. 16/ Ps 89: 2-3. 4-5. 27 and 29/ Rom 4: 13. 16-18. 22/ Mt 1: 16. 18-21. 24a or Lk 2: 41-51a

Mar 20 Sat: *Jer 11: 18-20/ Ps 7: 2-3. 9bc-10. 11-12/ Jn 7: 40-53*

Mar 21 SUN: **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT.** Third Scrutiny of the Elect.

Scrutiny: Ez 37: 12-14/ Ps 130: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8/ Rom 8: 8-11/ Jn 11: 1-45.

Otherwise: Jer 31: 31-34/ Ps 51: 3-4. 12-13. 14-15 (12a)/ Heb 5: 7-9/ Jn 12: 20-33

Mass Times		March 13-14	March 20-21	March 27-28	April 3-4
Sat. 5:00 pm		Larry Etmund	Diana McCown	Jerry Lentfer	Joe Vinton
	Reader	Chris Hytrek	Kurt Larkins	Scott Osterhaus	Randy Eickmeier
	Acolyte	Logan Wilken	Nate Eisenbarth	Dawson Burenheide	Logan Wilken
	Server	Mason Henn	Max Zavala	Easton Burenheide	Wyatt Fortner
Sun. 8:00 am	Server	Janet Ragland	Michelle Milke	Janet Ragland	Chris Hytrek
		Randy Eickmeier	Pat Milke	Chris Hytrek	Tony Sullivan
	Reader	Eli Van Brocklin	Ryland Hochstein	Andrew Oelke	Eli Van Brocklin
	Acolyte	Michael Bean	Reed Hochstein	Austin Oelke	Michael Bean
Sun. 10:30 am	Server	Michelle Milke	Karl Gramann	Shirley Yates	Larry Etmund
	Server	Pat Milke	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden
	Reader	Brady Troxel	Hayden Nielson	Sam Troxel	Simon Robinson
	Acolyte	Simon Robinson	Nolan Nielson	Ty Troxel	Sam Robinson

EASTER LILIES Lent is halfway over and it is time to start thinking about Easter lilies. Envelopes are available to give a donation as a memorial for a deceased loved one or to honor a living family member or friend. Suggested donation is \$10.00 per lily. Please place your completed donation in the collection basket.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION are now available on the bulletin board in the vestibule. Scholarship applications must be turned into Mike Mitchell by April 18th. Any high school senior with at least a “C” average is eligible to apply.

JOIN AN EASTER MONDAY PILGRIMAGE April 5 to visit seven Lincoln churches. Meet at St. Joseph, Lincoln for 8:15 a.m. Mass; schedule and driving directions will be provided. \$35 includes catered lunch, snacks and drinks, prayers to St Joseph led by Fr. Coulter, concludes at 4:30pm. Make reservations at: www.fr Coulter.com/EasterMonday or contact the Retreat House at goodcounsel@cdolinc.net or 402-786-2705.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER presenting Virtual Weekends April 23-25 For more info, contact Pat (308-940-0670) or Janelle Benson (308-940-1105) pjbbsen@yahoo.com

MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM “Fearfully and Wonderfully Made” for girls age 9-13 and their mothers will be held **Sunday, March 28th, 2021** from 1:30-4:30 pm at John XXIII Diocesan Center **and virtually**. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per mother/daughter or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email jmdavis17@gmail.com To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughter>

FATHER/SON PROGRAM “In His Image” for boys age 10-14 and their fathers will be held Sunday, March 21st, 2021 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center and virtually. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up and becoming a man. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per father/son or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/fatherson> Questions, please call the NFP Offices 402-473-0630 or email naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net

NOTES FROM FATHER WALSH...

First Confessions. Please pray for our second grade students, most of whom will be making their First Confession on Sunday at 1pm. This is a special time for them. As one child put it to his dad, “This is the best day of my life.” Out of the mouths of babes.... God bless all parents too. Thank you for bringing your child to the mercy of the Lord.

Baptisms. We have two baptisms scheduled in the parish this month: Brooks Orville Dorn, son of Kyle and Mary Kate (Ganow) Dorn and Sage Amelia Kuhlman, daughter of Ben and Ashley (Thiessen) Kuhlman. Brooks’ baptism will be on March 14 after to 10:30am Mass and Sage’s baptism will be on March 20 after the 5pm Mass. I love baptisms! Congratulations to the families of Brooks and Sage and welcome to our two newest members of the Kingdom!

Solemnity of St. Joseph. Friday is the Solemnity of St. Joseph (March 19). Kindly remember him in your prayers that day, and ask his blessing on your family, your work, our parish and the Catholic Church. “Go to Joseph” is an age-old spiritual practice of the Church. May his intercession bless your marriages, families, work and our parish.

Altar Society Dues. Last week, at our Altar Society meeting, we discussed the number of members of our parish who have submitted their Altar Society dues, and it’s kind of a small number. I promised to pitch the annual dues in my bulletin column and want to do that. As you know, our Altar Society sponsors a variety of ministries in the parish (CCD, altar linens, newspaper, and college scholarships) as well as several drives for the poor and needy in our community. Along with the Knights, they are leaders in charity in the parish. Every woman in the parish is asked to donate \$10 a year to support this work. Hope you can make that happen. You will bless many with your gift.

Make Plans for the Triduum. The highlight of our parish calendar is the Sacred Triduum, the Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil which celebrates the gift of the Paschal Mystery, the passion, death and resurrection of the Lord, which is His eternal gift to us. The schedule is Thursday (April 1) at 7pm. Friday, (April 2) at 7pm. Saturday (April 3) at 8:30pm. Easter Masses will be 8am and 10:30am. Let the lord touch your heart and give you new life in the celebration of these mysteries. Come, let us adore Him.

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
March 14-20	Bradley	Moss	2018	St. Gregory the Great Seminary	College 3