

Saint James Catholic Church

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February 27, 2022 **Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Shine like lights in the world as you hold on to the word of life." Phil 2 15d,16a

2022 Feb 28 Mon: Ordinary Weekday

1 Pt 1: 3-9/ Ps 111: 1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10c/ Mk 10: 17-27 2022 Mar 1 Tue: Ordinary Weekday 1 Pt 1: 10-16/ Ps 98: 1. 2-3ab. 3cd-4/ Mk 10: 28-31 2022 Mar 2 Wed: Ash Wednesday. Begin Lenten preparation for the Easter Triduum. NOT a holy day of obligation. Day of fast (ages 18-59) and abstinence from meat (age 14 and up). Jl 2: 12-18/Ps 51: 3-4. 5-6ab. 12-13. 14 and 17/2 Cor 5: 20 -- 6:2/Mt 6: 1-6. 16-18 2022 Mar 3 Thu: Thursday after Ash Wednesday/ Katharine Drexel, v, rf Dt 30: 15-20/ Ps 1: 1-2. 3. 4 and 6/ Lk 9: 22-25 2022 Mar 4 Fri: Friday after Ash Wednesday/ Casimir. Day of abstinence from meat (age 14 and up). Is 58: 1-9a/Ps 51: 3-4. 5-6ab. 18-19/Mt 9: 14-15

2022 Mar 5 Sat: Saturday after Ash Wednesday Is 58: 9b-14/ Ps 86: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/ Lk 5: 27-32 2022 Mar 6 SUN: FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT Dt 26: 4-10/ Ps 91: 1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15/ Rom 10: 8-13/ Lk 4: 1-13

Date		Feb 26-27	Mar 5-6	Mar 12-13	Mar 19-20
Sat.	Reader	Diana McCown	Amy Larkins	(volunteer)	Diana McCown
5:00 pm	Acolyte	Randy Eickmeier	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)	Randy Eickmeier
Sun.	Reader	Janet Ragland	Michelle Milke	Chris Hytrek	Joe Vinton
8:00 am	Acolyte	Chris Hytrek	Pat Milke	Tony Sullivan	Scott Osterhaus
	Server	Sam Robinson	Carson Eickmeier	Reid Hochstein	Andrew Oelke
	Server	Carter Stieb	Mason Eickmeier	Rylan Hochstein	Austin Oelke
	Greeter	(volunteer)	Taylor Eickmeier	Alexa Petsche	Claire Oelke
Sun.	Reader	Karl Gramann	Larry Etmund	Ginger Jelinek	Shirley Yates
10:30 am	Acolyte	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden
	Server	Carson Louch	Ty Troxel	Max Jacobson	Ty Troxel
	Server	(volunteer)	Sam Troxel	Mason Henn	Sam Troxel
	Greeter	(volunteer)	Lydia Dominy	Madison Henn	(volunteer)
Collection Counters		Jeanne Egger / Grace Benes	Jim Fuhrman / Theron Troxel	Kassie E. / Susan Van Brocklin	Randy & Colleen Eickmeier / Amy Argo

This Week's Mass Intentions

February 28	12:15 pm	Susie & Brian Templeman
March 1	7:00 am	Tonya Johnson, Jennifer Davis, Grace Christmas
March 2	7:00 am	Intention of Celebrant
	12:15 pm	Laura Smith & family
	7:00 pm	Virgil VerMaas +
March 3	7:00 am	Charles & Anna Scheiner +
March 4	7:00 am	Mitch Kumaga +
March 5	8:00 am	Phil & Rita Baumel
	5:00 pm	Intention of Celebrant
March 6	8:00 am	People of the Parish
	10:30 am	Souls in Purgatory
	March 1 March 2 March 3 March 4 March 5	March 1 7:00 am March 2 7:00 am 12:15 pm 7:00 pm March 3 7:00 am March 4 7:00 am March 5 8:00 am 5:00 pm March 6 8:00 am

Parish Weekly Activities

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Tuesday	March	1	7pm	RCIA	Parish Hall
Thursday	March	3	7pm	Adult Spiritual Enrichment	Parish Hall
Friday	March	4	7pm	Holy Hour / Stations of the Cross	Church
			8pm	AA	Parish Hall
Saturday	March	5	6:30am	This Man Is You	Parish Hall
Sunday	March	6	9am	CCD	Parish Hall/Classrooms

<u>Ash Wednesday is March 2nd</u> Masses at 7 am, 12:15 pm, and 7 pm

Any readers, acolytes, servers, or greeters who are willing to volunteer to serve are asked to go to the sacristy before Mass to see if help is still needed.

Parish Offering				
Envelopes	\$1332.00			
Plate	\$ 119.00			
SNR	\$ 15.00			
Total Deposit	\$1466.00			

LENTEN REGULATIONS:

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence

All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence

Fasting limits eating to one full meal and two smaller meals/snacks. No snacking in between. The fasting laws oblige all Catholics ages 18 through 59.

Abstinence requires abstaining from meat, meat-based products, and soups and gravies with a beef base. Abstinence obliges all Catholics over the age of 14.

Hard manual labor, pregnancy, and illness excuse individuals from these obligations.

ST. JAMES LENTEN ADULT ENRICHMENT SERIES: this Lent, on Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm. The topic is "The Seven Deadly Sins and the Seven Lively Virtues," and consists of a video presentation by Bishop Robert Barron followed by a discussion period. Come and join us this Thursday evening, and make this opportunity for faith enhancement part of your Lenten preparation for Easter.

HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION will be combined with **STATIONS OF THE CROSS** on Friday evenings during Lent. The Holy Hour will run from 7 until 8 pm; Stations of the Cross will be prayed at 7:15; Benediction will be given at 7:50. All are invited to come for all, or for any part, of the hour.

FOOD BANK OF LINCOLN: Hi my name is Cally Sullivan and I am in 4-H and I am setting up a project for food donations to the Food Bank of Lincoln. There were slips that I sent home with CCD kids the past Sunday to give to their parents. I encourage you to please bring some canned food for the next couple of weeks. The baskets are by the kitchen and by one of the walls directly outside of the church doors. The food drive ends on April 1st. I will be around to pick up and deliver at the Food Bank of Lincoln. **Thank You** for donating.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: As Lent approaches the Saint James Knights of Columbus would like to remind all parishioners that the Knights will reimburse 1/2 the cost of any Catholic retreat attended by anyone who is a member of our parish. This includes youth camps as well. To obtain reimbursement you must present some form of receipt that you or your child attended the retreat or camp to any Knight. The Knights do this to encourage everyone to grow in their Catholic faith.

POWERSURGE AND POWERUP are fun, faith-filled nights once a month for pre-K to 5th and 6-8th graders. High schoolers: please help serve food, mentor, run a station, etc!!! Meal starts at 5:45, fun until 7:00. Mark your calendars: <u>March 9</u>, <u>April 20</u>. Contact Renee Dominy w/ questions: reneeandneil@hotmail.com

PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (PCCW) will provide a Scholarship(s) to one or more High School Senior(s) who plan to further their education. Selection is based on Church, Community & School involvement. The \$500.00 scholarship will be awarded to one or split between selected High School Seniors. If you are interested, please complete the application form found on the bulletin board. Applications are due by April 19th.

AROUND THE DIOCESE:

CATHOLIC COFFEE HOUSE: Returns this year with a series of talks on ways we can continue to grow in our Catholic formation: Biblical Formation (Mar 20). Each event consists of panel conversations, Q and A, and some time to socialize and will be hosted at the St. Thomas Aquinas-Newman Center, Lincoln in Rooms 18/19 (downstairs) from 7:00pm - 8:30pm. There is no fee and no registration. For more information visit: www.newmaninstitute.com/coffeehouse

EMMAUS INSTITUE: Take an **online*** **or in-person class** for Biblical Studies. Courses include *The Whole in One: A Survey of the New Testament** (Mondays, 2/28–5/9, St. Michael Church, Lincoln); *Creation to New Creation: Hebrews – Revelation** (Tuesdays, 3/1–5/10); *A Biblical Journey Through Lent and Easter** (Wednesdays, 3/2–5/11); and *The Ten Commandments: God's Blueprint for Life, Love, and Liberty* (In-person only, Thursdays, 3/3–5/12, St. Peter Church, Lincoln). Learn more and register at www.EmmausInstitute.net.

HEALING HEARTS GRIEF SUPPORT SESSIONS: for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one are being offered to assist Catholics in the grief process. The sessions will be held on six weekly Tuesday evenings beginning **March 1, 2022, 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: We are gearing up for another prayerful 40 days, March 2 – April 10. For more information, contact Catherine Turner 402-202-1614 or visit 40daysforlife.com/lincoln

MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM: "Fearfully and Wonderfully Made" for girls age 9-13 and their mothers will be held Saturday, March 5th, 2022 from 9 am to Noon at John XXIII Diocesan Center and virtually. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Cost is \$25 per mother/daughter or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. To register, visit https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughter Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email jmdavis17@gmail.com

FATHER/SON PROGRAM: "In His Image" for boys age 10-14 and their fathers will be held Saturday, March 5th, 2022 from 1-4 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

CATHOLICS AT THE CAPITOL: Time to register for March 9, 2022! From 8am to 2pm, you'll get to hear about important legislation, network with other advocates, and meet your senators to talk about the issues that matter to you! Register at <u>https://necatholic.org</u> \$15/person.

LENTEN MISSION: Sts. Mary & Joseph Catholic Church in Valparaiso is hosting a parish Lenten Mission called "Such a Time as This". **Johnnette Benkovic Williams** will be presenting the mission on March 12th, 13th, and 14th from 7-8:30pm. All are invited to take part in a deepening of your Faith during this upcoming Lent