

# **Saint James Catholic Church**

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# May 8, 2022 Fourth Sunday of Easter

"I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me." Jn 10:14

# 2022 May 9 Mon: Easter Weekday

Acts 11: 1-18/ Ps 42: 2-3; 43: 3-4/ Jn 10: 1-10 **2022 May 10 Tue: Easter Weekday/ Damien Joseph de Veuster of Moloka'i, p/ John of Avila, p, dr** Acts 11: 19-26/ Ps 87: 1b-3. 4-5. 6-7/ Jn 10: 22-30 **2022 May 11 Wed: Easter Weekday** Acts 12: 24 -- 13: 5a/ Ps 67: 2-3. 5. 6 and 8/ Jn 12: 44-50 **2022 May 12 Thu: Easter Weekday/ Nereus and Achilleus, mts/ Pancras, mt** Acts 13: 13-25/ Ps 89: 2-3. 21-22. 25 and 27/ Jn 13: 16-20 **2022 May 13 Fri: Easter Weekday/ Our Lady of Fatima** Acts 13: 26-33/ Ps 2: 6-7. 8-9. 10-11ab/ Jn 14: 1-6 **2022 May 14 Sat: Matthias, ap F** Acts 1: 15-17. 20-26/ Ps 113: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6. 7-8/ Jn 15: 9-17 **2022 May 15 SUN: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER** Acts 14: 21-27/ Ps 145: 8-9. 10-11. 12-13 (see 1)/ Rv 21: 1-5a/ Jn 13: 31-33a. 34-35

Date		May 7-8	May 14-15	May 21-22	May 28-29
Sat.	Reader	Amy Larkins	(volunteer)	Diana McCown	Amy Larkins
5:00 pm	Acolyte	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Kurt Larkins
	Server	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteers)
Sun.	Reader	Chris Hytrek	Joe Vinton	(volunteers)	Michelle Milke
8:00 am	Acolyte	Tony Sullivan	Scott Osterhaus	Chris Hytrek	Pat Milke
	Server	Sam Robinson	Andrew Oelke	Simon Robinson	Rylan Hochstein
	Server B	Sawyer Robinson	Austin Oelke	Carter Stieb	Reid Hochstein
	Greeter	Alexa Petsche	Claire Oelke	(volunteer)	(volunteer)
Sun.	Reader	Ginger Jelinek	Shirley Yates	Karl Gramann	Larry Etmund
10:30 am	Acolyte	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth
	Server	Max Jacobson	Brady Troxel	Ty Troxel	Max Jacobson
	Server B	Mason Henn	Sam Troxel	Carson Louch	Mason Henn
	Greeter	Madison Henn	Kaitlyn Brenner	Lydia Dominy	Madison Henn
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

Monday	May 2	12:15 pm	Intention of Celebrant
Tuesday	May 3	7:00 am	Intention of Celebrant
Wednesday	May 4	6:30 pm	Robert Riddle+
Thursday	May 5	7:00 am	Intention of Celebrant
Friday	May 6	7:00 am	Intention of Celebrant
Saturday	May 7	8:00 am	Intention of Celebrant
		5:00 pm	Doroty Wagner+
Sunday	May 8	8:00 am	Josh Rolfsmeyer
		10:30 am	People of the Parish

## Parish Weekly Activities:

Wednesday	May	11	6:30pm	PCCW	Parish Hall
Thursday	May	12	7pm	Exposed Eucharistic Adoration	Church
Friday	May	13	8pm	AA	Parish Hall
Saturday	May	14	6:30am	This Man Is You	Parish Hall

<b>TOTUS TUUS: July 24-29, 2022</b> , Registration form can be found		
on St. James Parish Facebook page. Be sure to include this Faith-		
filled week to your summer calendar!		

Parish Offering 5/1/22				
Envelopes	\$ 1,899.00			
Plate	\$ 228.23			
Holy Land	\$ 25.00			
Total Deposit	\$ 2,152.23			
April ACH	\$ 8,915.64			

## **BUSY WEEKENDS AHEAD:**

Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup> – Mother's Day – Celebrating Mother's Day with Rolls/Coffee/Juice after both Masses in the parish hall – sponsored by Knights of Columbus.

Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup> – Graduation Recognition Sunday – All Seniors are invited to wear their cap and gown – sit in the front pew????(asking quite a bit, I know) and Father will have a prayer for the Graduates – at both Masses.

**PARISH AND FINANCE COMMITTEE:** The St. James community provides us with many opportunities to strengthen our faith and fellowship. These blessings have us looking to our future! As many of you know, our parish has experienced considerable growth over the years. In 1968, 42 families were registered in the parish. This grew to 70 in 2000, and since then has more than doubled to 180 in 2022!

We are seeing this growth not only in mass attendance, but also in participation in the CCD programs, with over 140 students registered. This leads to the issue of space. We have outgrown our parish hall, not only for the CCD program, but also for parish activities and events.

Our current church building was dedicated in 2001 with the hall added in 2003, for a total cost of \$1.4 million. With the generosity of parishioners, the debt associated with the construction was paid off within 20 years.

An addition to the hall will serve many purposes. In order to determine what is best suited for the parishioners of St. James, we need your input. This is your parish. Communication will include email surveys as well as in-person planning meetings to solicit feedback. We encourage you to participate in the in-person meetings, as discussion leads to more ideas. Ask yourself: What are the goals and needs of our parish in the next 5, 10, and 25 years? This information will then be collected and presented to the parish and used to develop action plans.

Please be on the lookout for communication regarding these surveys and meetings over the next months.

## AROUND THE DIOCESE:

**NEBRASKA CATHOLIC CONFERENCE:** Primary Election day is Tuesday, May 10th, just four days away. <u>Have you taken five minutes to research your candidates?</u> If not, it's time for you to visit the <u>Nebraska Catholic Voter Guide</u>, a platform where you can learn about your candidates for state board of education races, legislative races, congressional races, and the gubernatorial race. But don't stop there! Learn about your candidates by viewing their campaign pages, attending inperson events, or sending them an email about your values

**FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE:** Our next Mother/Daughter program, held in person in Lincoln and virtually will be Saturday, June 4, 2022 from 9am to Noon. This is a program for 9-13 girls and a supportive female (mom, grandma, etc). To register or for more information, you can go to <u>https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughterjune</u>

**I AM LOVE:** Presented to you by priests from the Archdiocese of Omaha and the Diocese of Lincoln, and musicians and prayer teams from your area. Event includes: Praise & Worship, Teaching, Adoration, & Healing Prayer. It is from 6-9pm on June 9<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph Church, Lincoln

