

**Welcome to St. James Catholic Parish!**  
*We are very glad you have joined us to worship  
God -- the public work of the People of God.  
Ask if you need anything.*

**Sunday Obligation Masses**

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 am

**CCD-** Kindergarten thru 12<sup>th</sup> Grades Classes  
**Sundays 9:00 to 10:15am** during school year.

**Confessions**

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



**Eucharistic Adoration Hour-**

**Thursday: 7 pm-** Exposition.

**7pm to 8pm-** Adoration.

**7:50pm-** Benediction & Reposition.



## Saint James Catholic Church- Cortland

Fr. Thomas Lux, Pastor

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## September 4, 2022 Twenty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

“Let your face shine upon your servant; and teach me your laws.”- Ps 119:135

### MASS READINGS

**2022 Sep 5 Mon: Ordinary Weekday**

*1 Cor 5: 1-8/ Ps 5: 5-6. 7. 12/ Lk 6: 6-11*

**2022 Sep 6 Tue: Ordinary Weekday**

*1 Cor 6: 1-11/ Ps 149: 1b-2. 3-4. 5-6a and 9b/ Lk 6: 12-19*

**2022 Sep 7 Wed: Ordinary Weekday**

*1 Cor 7: 25-31/ Ps 45: 11-12. 14-15. 16-17/ Lk 6: 20-26*

**2022 Sep 8 Thu: Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary F**

*Mi 5: 1-4a or Rom 8: 28-30/ Ps 13: 6ab. 6c/ Mt 1: 1-16. 18-23*

**2022 Sep 9 Fri: Peter Claver, p, r, ms M**

*1 Cor 9: 16-19. 22b-27/ Ps 84: 3. 4. 5-6. 12/ Lk 6: 39-42*

**2022 Sep 10 Sat: Ordinary Weekday/ BVM**

*1 Cor 10: 14-22/ Ps 116: 12-13. 17-18/ Lk 6: 43-49*

**2022 Sep 11 SUN: TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

*Ex 32: 7-11. 13-14/ Ps 51: 3-4. 12-13. 17. 19/ 1 Tm 1: 12-17/ Lk 15: 1-32*

Date		Sep 3-4	Sep 10-11	Sept 17-18	Sept 24-25
<b>Sat.</b> <b>5:00 pm</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Diana McCown	Amy Larkins	(volunteer)	Diana McCown
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Randy Eickmeier	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)	Randy Eickmeier
	<b>Server</b>	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteers)
<b>Sun.</b> <b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Joe Vinton	Michelle Milke	Chris Hytrek	Joe Vinton
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Scott Osterhaus	Chris Hytrek	Pat Milke	Tony Sullivan
	<b>Server</b>	Simon Robinson	Reid Hochstein	Mason Eickmeier	Sam Robinson
	<b>Server B</b>	Carter Stieb	Rylan Hochstein	Carson Eickmeier	Sawyer Robinson
	<b>Greeter</b>	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Taylor Eickmeier	Alexa Petsche
<b>Sun.</b> <b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Reader</b>	Shirley Yates	Karl Gramann	Larry Etmund	Ginger Jelinek
	<b>Acolyte</b>	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden
	<b>Server</b>	Ty Troxel	Max Jacobson	Brady Troxel	Ty Troxel
	<b>Server B</b>	(volunteer)	Mason Henn	Sam Troxel	(volunteer)
	<b>Greeter</b>	Lydia Dominy	Madison Henn	Kaitlyn Brenner	Lydia Dominy
<b>Collection Counters</b>		Julie Pfingsten / Laureen Ehmen	Jeanne Egger / Grace Benes	Jim Fuhrman / Theron Troxel	Randy&Colleen Eickmeier/Amy Argo

### Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 3</b>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	Don & Davey Weitzel+
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sept 4</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	People of the Parish
		<b>10:30 am</b>	Special Intention (SY)
Monday	Sept 5	7:00 am	Bernadine Stransky+
Tuesday	Sept 6	<b>Out of Parish.</b>	Bob Harper +
Wednesday	Sept 7	<b>3:00 pm</b>	Farmers & Farm Workers @ <b>Gold Crest Retirement Home</b>
		<b>6:30 pm</b>	Irene Chermok+
Thursday	Sept 8	7:00 am	Margaret Klenda+
Friday	Sept 9	7:00 am	Mary Lou Codr+
Saturday	Sept 10	<b>8:00 am</b>	End of Terrorism
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 10</b>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	Aldeane Vrbka Effinger
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sept 11</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>	Bill Lux +
		<b>10:30 am</b>	People of the Parish

**ADULT EDUCATION IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH:** I plan to offer a class for those who are interested in learning about the Catholic Faith. Those who are already Catholic & those who are not attend these classes. Let me know if you're interested & we'll find a good day of the week & time of day/night. Thank you. -Fr. Lux

**Prayer by Bishop Jaime Soto** (Bp. of Sacramento & pres. of the Calif. Cath. Conference):

**May God open the heavens and let His mercy rain down upon our fields and mountains.**

**Let us especially pray for those most impacted by water shortages and for the wisdom and charity to be good stewards of this precious gift.**

**May our political leaders seek the common good as we learn to care (for others) and share God's gift of water for the good of all. Amen.**

Parish Offering 8/28/22	
Envelopes	\$3,357.00
Plate	\$ 121.00
Building	\$20.00
<b>Total Deposit</b>	<b>\$3,498.00</b>
Mass Stipends	\$260.00

## Parish Weekly Activities:

Thursday	Sept	8	7pm	Adoration/Benediction	Church
Friday	Sept	9	8pm	AA	Parish Hall
Saturday	Sept	10	6:30am	That Man Is You	Parish Hall

**KICKOFF TO SUNDAY SCHOOL BREAKFAST** on **Sunday, Sept. 11**, after both Masses. *PCCW* hosting.

**ANNUAL CLOTHING SHARE** will be **Saturday, October 1**, in the Parish Hall. CLEAN or GENTLY used clothing items & small household items accepted. Have all items at the hall by **Friday, September 30**. Parishioners, family & friends are invited to partake in the FREE clothing drive. *PCCW* hosting.

**MISSION COOP 2022:** Missionaries are still hampered from travelling freely. We will support a worthy mission need thru our annual *Mission Coop* collection. There are various projects to choose from on [www.missio.org](http://www.missio.org) which are all vetted & legitimate. I have looked at some of the projects. I would like your input. A **specially marked envelope** for this collection was attached to the 8.28.22 bulletin. Put your donation (and preferred missio project) in the envelope in the collection over the next few weeks. Thank you.

### **40 DAYS FOR LIFE FALL 2022 CAMPAIGN**

Event runs from **September 28 to November 6, 2022**. Prayer Vigil location is *Planned Parenthood*, 5631 South 48<sup>th</sup> St. Vigil hours are 6 a.m.-7 p.m. daily. Contact Catherine Turner at 402-202-1614 for more information. Learn more, get involved, and sign up for prayer times with link: [40daysforlife.com/Lincoln](http://40daysforlife.com/Lincoln)

**FORMED.ORG:** *FORMED* provides the very best Catholic content from more than 60 organizations to help parishes, families & individuals explore their faith anywhere. Supporting 1,000's of movies, children's programs, ebooks, audio, parish programs & studies direct to your browser, mobile or connected device. Go to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) Click on Sign Up > Sign up as a parishioner > search by "Cortland" > provide remaining personal information to complete your account set up.

**POWERSURGE AND POWERUP** are fun, faith-filled nights once a month for pre-K to 5th and 6-8<sup>th</sup> graders. High schoolers: please help serve food, mentor, run a station, etc!!! Meal starts at 5:45, fun until 7:00. Mark your calendars: Sept 14, Oct. 19, Nov. 9, Jan 18, March 8, April 19. Contact Renee Dominy w/ questions: [reneeandneil@hotmail.com](mailto:reneeandneil@hotmail.com).

**AROUND THE DIOCESE:** See also Diocesan website for additional activities – [www.lincolndioocese.org](http://www.lincolndioocese.org)

**DATE NIGHT:** Make time for your vocation! *The Family Life Office* invites you to a date night on **September 13<sup>th</sup>, 6-9 pm** at *UNL Newman Center Rosary Hall* with Fr. Sean Kilcawley. The topic is "The Family as a School of Love". \$45 for dinner & drinks for two or come for free to the talk and go out to eat on your own (will also be streamed). More info/registration at <https://lincolndioocese.regfox.com/datenightsept>

**LINCOLN CHRISTUS FOUNDATION** is organizing a **Golf Tournament benefit** for the ministries of *Regnum Christi*. Sponsors & golfers are invited to support Catholic Apostolates like the Retreat House, Leadership Camp, Knights of the Holy Eucharist & Mission Trips. Register now for the Golf Scramble on Fri. **Sept 16**, 10am at Crooked Creek Golf Course in Lincoln: \$125 per player/\$500 per team includes lunch, prizes & more: [theChristusFoundation.org/events](http://theChristusFoundation.org/events) or contact Gary at 402-430-3732, [gwroberts88@gmail.com](mailto:gwroberts88@gmail.com).

**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 **September 20, 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.

**WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND:** Taking our Marriage to a new height in Love. *Worldwide Marriage Encounter* Experience – **Sep. 23-25, Ramada Inn, Kearney NE.** For questions contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 720-213-8833 or please visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org). Space is limited, so reserve your spot early!

**THE WORD BECAME FLESH** (John 1:14) **PRO LIFE CONFERENCE:** Join the Nebr. Bishops, keynote speaker **Sister Mary Grace** of the *Sisters of Life*, the *NCC*, & hundreds of pro-life Nebraskans on **Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>** (Fri.-Sat.) at *Embassy Suites* in Lincoln for the annual **Bishops' Pro-Life Banquet & Conference**. The events will *uplift participants* & help them *invest* in the **culture of life**, find your role in the pro-life movement, network w/ leaders, see involvement opportunities, & learn to message effectively. Free childcare provided at banquet. Help equip others by inviting a friend to attend & learn how to meet the needs of our neighbors in the **Post-Roe culture**. Be the hands & feet of Christ. Learn more & register at [www.NECatholic.org](http://www.NECatholic.org) today!

**The Benedict XVI Diocesan School of Catechesis** is for Catholics wanting to strengthen their intellectual and spiritual formation to empower their evangelical mission in the world. It covers the Creed, the Sacraments, the Commandments, and Prayer (Year I) as well as Salvation History, Church History, Faith and Reason, and Spirituality (Year II). Class will be offered **in person and on Zoom simultaneously**. The time commitment is **one Saturday a month from September to April for two years**. The cost is \$100 per semester, however, those who teach CCD, God-teen/CYO, or in Catholic schools would receive a 25% discount. For more information or to register, go to [www.lincolndiocese.org/bxvi](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/bxvi) or call 402-473-0631.

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE** The **Fall schedule** is available online- Including dates for August 19 thru December 30. Fall Schedule brochures also avail in church entryway. Find the best option for you! For info/ to register, <https://goodcounselretreat.org/>.

- **Ignatius Retreat- 4-Day or 8-Day (Labor Day '22):** Sept. 2-5, '22 Aug. 29-Sept. 5, '22- Matt Simmons & Fr. Gary Coulter
- **Work of the Holy Angels (Fall 2022):** September 8-11, 2022- *Opus Sanctorum Angelorum*
- **"Honey from the Rock: Finding God in All Things" with Magnificat:** Sept. 23-25, '22- Sr. Marguerite Marie & the *Disciples of the Lord Jesus*
- **Rebooting the Interior Life:** Sept 30-Oct 2, 2022- Fr. Sean Kilcawley



The **EMMAUS INSTITUTE for Biblical Studies** is accepting registrations for fall **in-person & online classes, including the 1<sup>st</sup> class** in our new 3-year certificate program covering the entire Bible: *The Pentateuch (Mondays 9/12-11/14)*. Other courses include *Reading the Bible Like the Fathers of the Church* (Tuesdays 9/6-11/15), *Heaven, Help the Home: God's Blueprint for Marriage & Family (Wednesdays 9/7-11/16* at St Michael Church in Lincoln), *Following the Way: A Biblical View of Discipleship (Thursdays 9/8-10/6)*; *From Discipleship to Apostolic Mission: A Study in Acts (Thursdays 10/20-11/17)*; & *Introduction to Latin (Wednesdays 9/7-11/16)*. In-person classes run 6:30-8:30pm at the Emmaus office in Lincoln except as noted. **Online classes can be watched any time.** Learn more & register at [www.EmmausInstitute.net](http://www.EmmausInstitute.net).

**FELLOWSHIP OF CATHOLIC ARTISTS LIFE IS BEAUTIFUL SHOWS:** A collaboration of Catholic visual & live performing artists happening **Oct. 2, 9, 16 & 23** all performances are from 2 p to 3 pm at *Holy Family Shrine* near Gretna just off I-80. <https://holyfamilyshrine.com/> Bulletin board or [www.fellowshipofcatholicartists.com](http://www.fellowshipofcatholicartists.com) for more details.

**ARE YOU WHERE YOU WANT TO BE IN YOUR FAITH LIFE?** Do you need a better relationship with our Lord? *Cursillo* may be the answer – it's not just a weekend ... it's a way of life, daily growing in your relationship with Christ. **Cursillo Weekends** are scheduled **October 20-23, 2022 (Men) & Oct. 27-30, 2022 (Women)** at St. Michael Parish in Hastings, NE. For more information, contact Greg Vandenberg (308-530-7587; [glvandenberg@charter.net](mailto:glvandenberg@charter.net)), or Kathy Springer (402-826-2699; [ks90710@windstream.net](mailto:ks90710@windstream.net)).

#### **CHANCERY OFFICE JOB OPENINGS.**

- **Property Maintenance Supervisor** responsible for coordinating the general maintenance & janitorial upkeep of diocesan properties, buildings, grounds, & equipment. Previous maintenance experience required.
- **Director of the Office of Discipleship & Mission** is responsible for all diocesan programming involving discipleship, evangelical efforts, marriage, & family life. Application: Marsha Bartek 402-904-8052 or [marsha-bartek@lincolndiocese.org](mailto:marsha-bartek@lincolndiocese.org).