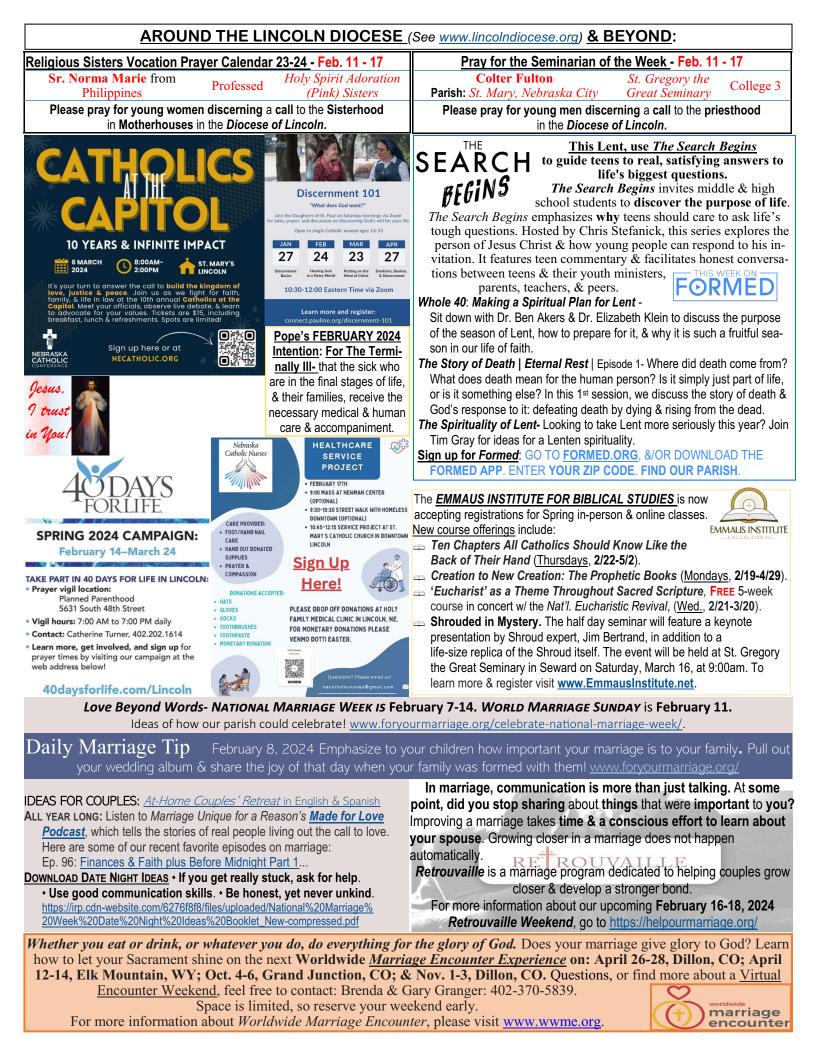
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Welcome to St. James Catholic Parish!		1			
We are very glad you have joined us for the					
public work of the People of God—		$\wedge$			
to worship God.					
Ask if you need anything.		•			
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Saint James Catholic	14	A A A			
Church of Cortland					
Church Street Address: 500 W 1st St.					
Mailing/Rectory: 155 N Lincoln Ave.,					
Cortland, NE 68331.					
Rectory <b>Phone</b> : 402-798-7335.	Former Parameter Barenson	and the second sec			
Church Office Phone: 402-798-0255.	SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME + FEBRUARY 11, 2024				
Office e-mail: stjamescortland@gmail.com	A great prop	phet has arisen in our midst, God has visited his people. –Lk. 7:16			
Website: www.stjamescortland.com.	Sunday Obliga	ation Weekday Masses– Check the current bulletin for changes.			
Facebook: St James Catholic Church of Cortland	Masses-	•			
Fr. Thomas Lux, Pastor -	Saturday 5:00				
Urgency: 308-991-4991	Sunday 8:00 &10:	:30 am Holy Day of Obligation Masses: See the bulletin.			
Deadline for bulletin announcements/		in. before Sunday & Holy Days Masses			
schedule requests: <u>Wednesday 12 pm (N)</u>		Daily Masses & by Appointment Call to schedule 308.991.4991.			
to bulletinstjames@gmail.com.		Education)- Sundays 9:00 to 10:15am during school year			
Eucharistic Exposition Adoration Thursday evenings, 7:00pm to 8:00pm.	Kindergarten thru 8 <sup>th</sup>	<sup>h</sup> Grades Classes in the Parish Hall. High School Class in North Building.			
Please <b>Sign up</b> in the Church entryway.		GENCY SUPPLIES: A duffle bag on top of the coat rack shelf, by			
7:00 pm- Exposition.		stroom, contains <b>basic medical supplies</b> for use in case of an			
7:15 to 7:45 pm- Adoration.		Equipment & supplies checked monthly. Questions: Lori <u>ED</u> is in a cabinet near the <i>Holy Family</i> & <i>St. Joseph</i> statues.			
7:50 pm– Simple Reposition.					
MASS INTENTIONS		Mass Readings – Follow the Church's liturgical life. Read the			
SJ= St. James Church. GCRC= Gold Crest Retireme	ent Community-Adams	scriptures <u>before</u> Mass. <u>Try to join 1 or more weekday Masses.</u>			
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	ite Sisters				
Sat.Feb 105:00 pmSJCarmelSun.Feb 118:00 amSJFor the People of		SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Lv 13: 1-2. 44-46/ Ps 32: 1-2. 5. 11 (7)/ 1 Cor 10: 31 11: 1/ Mk 1: 40-45			
	Reed+	1 LV 15. 1-2. 44-40/ FS 52. 1-2. 5. 11 (7)/ T 60/ 10. 51 11. 1/ W/K 1. 40-45			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Ordinary Weekday: Jas 1: 1-11/ Ps 119: 67. 68. 71. 72. 75. 76/ Mk 8: 11-13			
		Ordinary Weekday: Jas 1: 12-18/ Ps 94: 12-13a. 14-15. 18-19/ Mk 8: 14-21			
		Ash Wednesday: Begin Lenten prep. for the Easter Triduum. NOT a holy day of			
	lley Zitek+	obligation. Day of fast (ages 18-59) & abstinence from meat (age 14 & up):			
	•	JI 2:12-18/ Ps 51:3-4. 5-6ab. 12-13. 14 & 17/ 2 Cor 5:206:2/ Mt 6:1-6. 16-18			
Thu. Feb 15 7:00 am SJ Etha	n Amen	Thursday after Ash Wednesday: Dt 30: 15-20/ Ps 1: 1-2. 3. 4 & 6/ Lk 9: 22-25			
Fri. Feb 16 7:00 am SJ Tann	y Zach+	Friday after Ash Wednesday. Day of abstinence from meat (age 14 & up). Is 58: 1-9a/ Ps 51: 3-4. 5-6ab. 18-19/ Mt 9: 14-15			
		Saturday after Ash Wednesday/ 7 Founders of the Order of Servites rs			
Sat. Feb 17 Out of Parish Winter Symposium	– Jn XXIII– LDCCW	Is 58: 9b-14/ Ps 86: 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/ Lk 5: 27-32			
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT					
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	y Intentions +	Gn 9: 8-15/ Ps 25: 4-5. 6-7. 8-9/ 1 Pt 3: 18-22/ Mk 1: 12-15			
10:30 am SJ For the People of	of St. James Parish	1			
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"...THE IMAGE OF THE INVISIBLE GOD..." In your prayer life, do you have trouble visualizing the face & the person of God? There are countless images of Jesus' face, from artistic renderings, to real people as they appear in "The Chosen" & "The Passion of the Christ". Do we need to see a visual picture or even the real face of an actor to understand, worship, & love Jesus? How can we love a person we cannot even see or hear or touch? + As humans we are bound to our world where we physically access everything through our 5 senses. Our good God has surrounded us with beauty that we experience through these senses; a red & gold sunset, the fragrance of a rose, the softness of a baby's cheek; & through these created things, if our hearts are open, we sometimes hear the faint whisper of God, & see Him in our mind's eye & in our soul; God, Who gives us all good things because He

loves us. + "Your invisible things are clearly seen from the creation of the world, being understood by the things that are made." (St Augustine - Confessions) St. Paul tells us that "He (Jesus) is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation." (Col.1:15) Jesus, our Lord & God, came to earth to save us from our sins, & to reveal to us, in our human senses, the "invisible" God of Love become "the Word made flesh". & we begin to know that "Word" from <u>His</u> holy words in the Bible: that He ate, drank, slept, walked, was glad, was sad, preached...loved. We receive that "Word" during Mass in Holy Communion. + So as you pray, or 'see' Him in Adoration, be aware that even though our love for Him may be inconstant at times, His Love is with us, & for us, forever in this life, & when we see Him, face to face, in Heaven. Love in the Spirit. Diana, St. James Parish ER Point Person



Looking for a retreat that works for you? Check out some upcoming retreats at Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly.

The DAY OF RECOLLECTION- Ash Wednesday on Feb. 14. ⊕ LDCCW WINTER SYMPOSIUM on Feb. 16-17.

25, or Feb. 17-25 w/ Fr. Coulter, Fr. Barak, or Sarina Stokes. Read more/register at www.goodcounselretreat.org, QR Code,

email office@goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL OF ST. JAMES-CORTLAND will pay for part of your Retreat Registration for any member of St. James Parish - adults & youths. Thank you Knights.

## Magnify Our Lord... With Beauty & Truth

2024 LDCCW Winter Symposium- @ OLGC Retreat House- Waverly. Friday, 2/16, Afternoon Full Board Meeting for Deanery Presidents. Evening- Prayers & social. Saturday, 2/17, inspirational talks thru the day. Mass with Bishop Conley. Register https://goodcounselretreat.org/product/winter-symposium-women-2024/.

The annual "Red Mass" to pray for all in the legal profession is Tues. Feb. 13, 7 am at St Mary, Lincoln. Breakfast will follow, w/ talk given by Joe Heschmeyer, Catholic Answers apologist. All are invited. Free. -Catholic Lawyers Guild.

> EMMAUS INSTITUTE FREE COURSE

To celebrate th free five-week co





FATHER/SON PROGRAM "In His Image" for boys age 10-14 & their fathers will be held Saturday, March 9th, 2024 from 12-3 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center & virtually. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up & becoming a man. More information & registration can be found below! https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/01-flo-fathersonprogram-march-2024

Knights of Columbus

St. Joseph School, Lincoln, NE -

Special Education Resource Teacher for the

2023-2024 school year. Candidates must have

a current Nebraska teaching certificate with

appropriate endorsements. Responsibilities

include maximizing the learning experience of 6th-8th grade students with needs in academ-

ics, interpersonal skills, behaviors, and/or

activities of daily living. Strong skills in commu-

nication, collaboration, & relationship-building are essential. & the position involves furthering

the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by

contributing to a positive Catholic learning

environment. Start date January 2024. Salary

based on educational background & experi-

ence.

Spanish Teacher for the 2023-2024 school

year. Full or part-time available. Must have a solid working knowledge of Spanish (fluency

preferred) & age-appropriate means of promot-

ing language development for all grades PreK-

8. Strong skills in communication, collabora-

tion, & relationship-building are essential. The

position involves furthering the mission of St.

Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a

positive Catholic learning environment. Please send resume, references from educa-

tional supervisors, teaching philosophy, & why

you would like to work in a Catholic school to

kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net.

St. Joseph- Pray for us!

Mary most pure. Pray for us!

Join the Diocese of Lincoln in a

**Eucharistic Pilgrimage** 

to Mexico City

Pilgrimage 1: October 3 - 8, 2024

Pilgrimage 2: October 24 - 29, 2024

Pilgrimage 3: February 1-6, 2025

Cost of each pilgrimage is \$1900 (Note: Price subject to change as flights are confirmed) gister, scan QR code or go to

National Eucharistic Pilgrimage heading to the National

Eucharistic Congress. Join a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage next summer. The pilgrimage will consist of 4 cross-country eucharistic processions, collectively traversing the entire



continental United States over a 2-month period. Named the Serra Route," after St. Junipero Serra, the patron saint of California, the western route is the longest of the planned pilgrimages & will begin in San Francisco. The pilgrimage will then pass thru Ut, Co, Nebraska; & Mo before ending in Indianapolis. Make plans to join the weekend stops or the procession in route: 6/14-16, '24- North Platte, NE & 6/21-23, '24- Omaha, NE.

Places are available. Our Knights of Columbus will cover 1/2 of the registration cost-like a retreat.



**EYES OPENED**, Hearts on Fire! Hotel rooms are sold out in a 20 mile radius. The Diocese of Lincoln has rooms reserved. You could have a room if you go on this pilgrimage. Sign up now. NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS in Indianapolis: July 17-21, 2024- be part of the 1<sup>st</sup> Nat'l. Eucharistic Congress in the United States in nearly 50 years (1976– Philadelphia). Draw into a deeper intimacy with

our Eucharistic Lord. Register today: https://

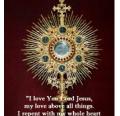
lincolndiocese.regfox.com/national-eucharistic-congress. Nat'l. Eucharistic Cong. Official Schedule: www.eucharisticcongress.org/

AUG 20 - OCT 15 - NOV 12 - JAN 7 - FEB 4 - APR 7 - MAY 12 Villa Regina Motherhouse, 4100 SW 56th Street, Lincoln Eucharistic Holy hours held at 12PM. Divine Mercy Sunday (Apr 7) will be held at 3PM. Revival

CELEBRATION OF HOPE 2024- Sunday, February 25 Social Time 4:30 PM Dinner 6:00 PM SOCIAL SERVICES Embassy Suites, Lincoln NE Hope in the Good Life

https://csshope.org/ celebration2024/









**Retreat for Couples** 

I+You=We Marriage Workshop

Begins: Sat, March 9

Ends: Sun, March 10

at 8am



SOCIAL HOUR 6 PM DINNER & PROGRAM 7 PM

Mid-America Convention Center 1 Arena Way, Council Bluffs, IA 51501 Enter Convention Center - South Parking Lot

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2024

FEBRUARY

Guest speaker Dr. Ray Guarendi

\$50 per person. Business or Evening Attire. Reserve by Feb 16 spiritcatholicradio.com/dinner | kvss@kvss.com | 855.571.0200



NETWORK

AROUND OUR PARISH							Stewardship of Treasure	
PARISH WEEKLY ACTIVITIES: https://stjamescortland.com/						As each one has rece	As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's	
Monday	Feb 12		e Eucharist: Eucharistic F	RevivalSeries	Parish Hall	varied grac	300 <u>stewaras o</u> r 000 s 3 <b>e</b> . (1 Pt 4:10)	
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Friday	Feb 16	8:00 pm AA - Hall R	0		Parish Hall	Adult Envelopes	\$1,460.0	
Saturday	Feb 17	6:30 am That Man I			Parish Hall	Plate	\$111.0	
Each	week, we ch	100se what will be done	with the <b>168 hours</b> we	have available to u	is. Good	Southern NE Registe		
<b>stewardship of time</b> means we will share some of that time <b>with God</b> in prayer, praise &				oraise &	January Faith Direct	\$7,188.6		
thanksgiving, a some time <b>caring for the needs of others</b> .						Total Deposit	\$8,958.6	
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			MALL GROUP SER		Parish go	ing to college are encourage	ged to fill out an appli-	
			study designed to help			scholarships awarded by t	he Saint James Coun-	
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			on form in the Church			or Mike Mitchell by April 15		
			(308-991-4991). <u>Mak</u>			us 2024 dates are July	20-26 for St. James	
to yourse	<u>lf</u> . Come &	learn from <u>1 of the mo</u>	st beautifully presented	studies we've of-		Cortland.		
ered at St.	James. A V	ery user friendly <i>Lent</i> .	Adult Faith Enrichmen f the Catholic Faith. Pro	at Class with vide		RECYLING: Drop cans at the		
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		5			am in par	ish hall. Men & women wel	come.	
Liturgic	al Minister	s for Sundays & Holy						
		Feb 10-11	Feb 17-18	Feb 24-2	5	Mar 2-3	Mar 9-10	
Sat. 5:00 pm	Reader	Ron Eisenbarth	Diana McCown	Amy Larki		Ron Eisenbarth	Diana McCown	
	Acolyte	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Kurt Larki		Randy Eickmeier	(volunteer)	
	Server 1	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteer	/	Braxton Skillett	(volunteers)	
	Server 2	(volunteers)	(volunteers)	(volunteer	·s)	Easton Schilbitzki	(volunteers)	
	Reader	Michelle Milke	Chris Hytrek	Jerry Lent		Joe Vinton	Michelle Milke	
	Acolyte	Pat Milke	Tony Sullivan	Scott Osterh		Chris Hytrek	Pat Milke	
Sun.	Server 1	Rylan Hochstein	Sam Robinson	Mason Eickn		Carter Stieb	Simon Robinson	
8.00 am	Server 2	Reid Hochstein	Sawyer Robinson	Carson Fickr	noior	Asher Stieh	Andrew Oelke	

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	Server 3	Brayden Kuhlman	Jax Peterson	Parker Eickmeier	Liam Dush	Spencer Robinson
	Server 4	Hudson Kuhlman	Drake Peterson		Kyler Beck	Cooper Mason
Sun. 10:30 am	Reader	Karl Gramann	Larry Etmund	Ginger Jelinek	Shirley Yates	Karl Gramann
	Acolyte	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden
	Server 1	Hayden Nielson	Brady Troxel	Max Jacobson	Sam Troxel	Hayden Nielson
	Server 2	Nolan Nielson	Ty Troxel	Finn Jacobson	Mason Henn	Nolan Nielson
	Server 3				Crew Dummer	
	Server 4					
	Greeter	Lydia Dominy	Paige Anderson	Lydia Dominy	Paige Anderson	Lydia Dominy
	Collection	Jeanne Egger /	Jim Fuhrman /	Randy & Colleen	Julie Pfingsten /	Jeanne Egger /
	Counters	Grace Benes	Theron Troxel	Eickmeier/Amy Argo	Laureen Ehmen	Grace Benes