

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

Saint James Catholic Church of Cortland

Church Street Address: 500 W 1st St.
 Mailing/Rectory: 155 N Lincoln Ave.,
 Cortland, NE 68331.
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 Website: www.stjamescortland.com
 Facebook: [St James Catholic Church of Cortland](https://www.facebook.com/StJamesCatholicChurchofCortland)

Fr. Thomas Lux, Pastor -
 Urgency: 308-991-4991

Deadline for bulletin announcements/
 schedule requests: **Wednesday 12 pm (N)**
 to bulletinstjames@gmail.com.

Eucharistic Exposition Adoration
Thursday evenings, 7:00pm to 8:00pm.
 Please **Sign up** in the Church entryway.
 7:00 pm- Exposition.
 7:15 to 7:45 pm- Adoration.
 7:50 pm— Simple Reposition.



Thank you Lord for the moisture you've given us.

Prayer in Time of Drought-
 Lord God, in the past you have given us rain in abundance,
 & you have also withheld it. We ask you now to look down
 upon us & bless us with the rain we so desperately need.
 We know that you are a God of mercy & compassion, & we
 trust that you will provide for us in our time of need. We
 ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER + APRIL 21, 2024
I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me. Jn 10:14

Sunday Obligation Masses- Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 am	Weekday Masses- Check the current bulletin for changes. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday @ 7:00 am. Wednesday @ 6:30 pm. Saturday @ 8:00 am Holy Day of Obligation Masses: See the bulletin.
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Confessions 30 min. before Sunday & Holy Days Masses
 20 minutes before Daily Masses & by Appointment Call to schedule 308.991.4991.



CCD- (Religious Education)- Sundays 9:00 to 10:15am during school year
 Kindergarten thru 8th Grades Classes in the Parish Hall. High School Class in North Building.

ST. JAMES EMERGENCY SUPPLIES: A duffle bag on top of the coat rack shelf, by the women's restroom, contains **basic medical supplies** for use in case of an emergency. Equipment & supplies checked monthly. Questions: Lori Johnson. The **AED** is in a cabinet near the *Holy Family* & *St. Joseph* statues.



MASS INTENTIONS				MASS READINGS— Follow the Church's liturgical life. <u>Read the scriptures before</u> Mass. Try to join 1 or more <u>weekday</u> Masses.
SJ= St. James Church. GCRC= Gold Crest Retirement Community-Adams				
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER				
Sat. Apr 20	5:00 pm	SJ	Celebrant's Intention	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: Acts 4: 8-12/ Ps 118: 1. 8-9. 21-23. 26. 28. 29 (22)/ 1 Jn 3: 1-2/ Jn 10: 11-18
Sun. Apr 21	8:00 am	SJ	For the People of St. James Parish	
	10:30 am	SJ	Defeat of Pro-Abortion Ballot Init.	
Mon. Apr 22	7:00 am	SJ	Celebrant's Intention	Easter Weekday: Acts 11: 1-18/ Ps 42: 2-3; 43: 3-4/ Jn 10: 1-10
Tue. Apr 23	7:00 am	SJ	Celebrant's Intention	Easter Weekday/ George, mt/ Adalbert, bp, mt Acts 11: 19-26/ Ps 87: 1b-3. 4-5. 6-7/ Jn 10: 22-30
Wed. Apr 24	4:00 pm	GCRC	Celebrant's Intention	Easter Weekday/ Fidelis of Sigmaringen, p, mt Acts 12: 24 -- 13: 5a/ Ps 67: 2-3. 5. 6 and 8/ Jn 12: 44-50
	6:30 pm	SJ	Ernest Steinauer Families+	Easter Weekday: Feast of St. Mark, Evangelist 1 Pt 5: 5b-14/ Ps 89: 2-3. 6-7. 16-17/ Mk 16: 15-20
Thu. Apr 25	7:00 am	SJ	Celebrant's Intention	Easter Weekday: Acts 13: 26-33/ Ps 2: 6-7. 8-9. 10-11ab/ Jn 14: 1-6
Fri. Apr 26	7:00 am	SJ	Celebrant's Intention	Easter Weekday: Acts 13: 44-52/ Ps 98: 1. 2-3ab. 3cd-4/ Jn 14: 7-14
Sat. Apr 27	Out of Parish.	Linc. Dio. Cncl. of Catholic Women		
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER				
Sat. Apr 27	5:00 pm	SJ	Rosemary Peggy Steinauer+	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER: Acts 9: 26-31/ Ps 22: 26-27. 28. 30. 31-32 (26a)/ 1 Jn 3: 18-24/ Jn 15: 1-8
Sun. Apr 28	8:00 am	SJ	For the People of St. James Parish	
	10:30 am	SJ	Nathan Milke+	

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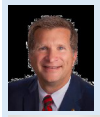


Join Tom Venzor of the Nebraska Catholic Conference to learn about this deceptive proposal, what the Catholic Church is doing about it, and how you can help defeat it.

- Sunday, April 21st
- 11:30am Breakfast, 12pm Talk
- St. James Catholic Church Parish Hall 500 W 1st St, Cortland, NE 68331



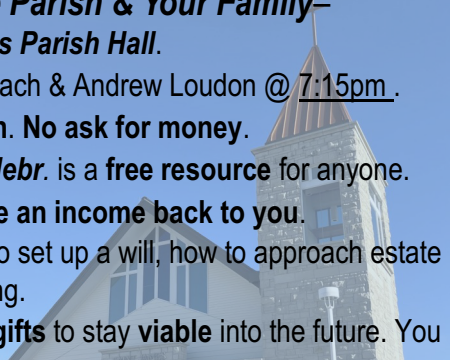
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LEAVE A LASTING LEGACY for the Parish & Your Family— April 30, 6:30 pm St. James Parish Hall.

Dinner @ 6:30pm . Presentation by Les Mach & Andrew Loudon @ 7:15pm .
 Free event. No obligation. No ask for money.

The **Catholic Foundation of Southern Nebr.** is a free resource for anyone.
 Some gifts of charity can include an income back to you.
Something for every age of adult— how to set up a will, how to approach estate planning.
 The future of our parish will need future gifts to stay viable into the future. You



AROUND THE LINCOLN DIOCESE (See www.lincolndiocese.org) & BEYOND:

Religious Sisters Vocation Prayer Calendar 2024 - Apr 21-27

Sr. Xuan Sang from Vietnam *Postulant* Sisters of Mary, Queen of Mercy

Please pray for new entrants in *Diocese of Lincoln* Motherhouses.

Pope Francis Intention for April: For The Role Of Women- Let us pray that the **dignity & worth of women** be recognized in every culture, & for an **end to the discrimination** they face in various parts of the world.



LINCOLN DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN
64th Biennial Convention
April 26 & 27, 2024
 John XXIII Diocesan Center
 3700 Sheridan Blvd.
 Lincoln, NE



Jesus, I trust in You!

Celebrating with Gratitude - Serving with Joy

FRIDAY, APRIL 26th

5:30-6:30 Eucharistic Adoration in song and praise by Donna Cori
 Hors d'oeuvres and wine, coffee, or tea reception following: \$25.00

SATURDAY, APRIL 27th

Convention Keynote Speaker: Donna Cori
Keeping a Mary Spirit Throughout a Martha Day
 Convention to include morning coffee & rolls, lunch, mass with Bishop Conley, silent basket auction, raffle and LDCCW Business Meeting: \$30.00

Preregistration is requested by April 15th
 Register online at: <https://form.jotform.com/200576709676163>
 OR...Send check made out to LDCCW to Teresa Koch, 812 W. Walnut Road, Odell, NE.

Join us for a power-packed morning of reflections and encouragement on how to practice the "one thing necessary" (Lk 10:42). Gleaned from 24 years of learning, meditation and practice as a Third Order Carmelite, Donna will help you explode your prayer life and give you tips on how to stay recollected all day long, keep you from being frazzled and anxious and help your service in the Kingdom of God to bear much fruit and give glory to God, while at the same time helping you grow in perfection, as Jesus commanded.

Donna will intersperse the presentation with original prayer-songs. You can hear her at www.DonnaCori.com.

Rejoice! Mary, Mother of Jesus & our Mother. He is Risen as he said. Alleluia!

St. Joseph— Pray for us!

Crete Deanery Spring Meeting

Saturday, May 4th at Sacred Heart Church, Crete

8:15am Mass followed by a light breakfast & business meeting.

Ask, Seek, Knock on His Sacred Heart! talk by Marian Sister

Sr. Peggy Kucera, M.S. will follow.

All women of the Crete Deanery are welcome!

You are invited to a Breakfast sponsored by



Magnificat
A Ministry to Catholic Women

Saturday, ~ May 4, 2024 ~ 9:30 a.m.
 Dawson Hall ~ John XXIII
 3700 Sheridan Blvd ~ Lincoln, Nebraska

"My soul magnifies the Lord, my spirit finds joy in God my Savior... God who to mighty his done great things for me, holy is his name."
 Luke 1:46-49



Rachael Tvrchy

In these words of the Magnificat, Mary proclaimed to Elizabeth her gratitude for the wonderful action of God in her life. Please join us at our Prayer Meal for Catholic women of the Lincoln Diocese where we will share together in that same spirit of gratitude and praise of God as Mary and Elizabeth did. After our meal, there will be a teaching, a time of prayer, praise and worship; and an opportunity to hear one Priest's experience of the transforming love of Christ in his own life.

Please plan to come and bring a friend to rejoice in God Our Savior as Mary did while in the presence of the Holy Spirit!

"Glory to the Lord with me. Let us together extol His name."
 Luke 1:46



"Be a friend and bring a friend! Invite others to share the JOY of Magnificat!"

You are invited to the Morning Star Chapter's Spring Prayer Meal with our speaker, Rachael Tvrchy! Rachael is the Director of the Office of Family Life and Discipleship for the Diocese of Lincoln. She is a native of Lincoln, a graduate of Pius X High School and UNL. She holds degrees in Family Science, Psychology, and has a Master's Degree in Marriage and Family Studies from the John Paul II Institute for Marriage and Family in Rome.
 The National Right to Life Committee, FOCUS, Nebraska Catholic Conference, and most recently working with the Archdiocese of Omaha as their Marriage Preparation and Formation Coordinator are just a few of the groups she has been involved with. Rachael is a recent graduate of the Encounter School of Ministry. She supports her parish in the fostering of parish-based discipleship through "evangelizing spouses" and strengthening the spiritual life of the domestic church.
 One of Rachael's many Holy Spirit moments was "when the Lord asked me to live off-Diocese Providence for 100 days in Europe which she dubbed 'My Surrendering' Got 4 - like Canon's! Following the Holy Spirit has always been a Surrendering she said, but the greatest of adventures!"
 Come and enjoy a Spirit Filled Morning hearing Rachael's Testimony of Jesus' Love in her Journey to Him! Send in your registration by Saturday, April 27!

United We Stand: Human Trafficking Conference:
 Hear from nationally renowned speaker & human trafficking survivor, Theresa Flores!



Fri., 4/26, 9:30a-1:30p.
In-person or Zoom.
Nebr. Innovation Campus (NIC) 2021 Transformation Dr. Linc., NE. Passionate about combating sex trafficking? Deepen your knowledge & response capabilities

by learning the scope of the issue, identification strategies & survivor-centered care. In-person \$20 incl. lunch. Online \$10. Click [here](#).

Strengthen, renew, and rekindle your marriage sacrament by attending the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience** on: **Oct. 4-6, Grand Junction, CO; & Nov. 1-3, Dillon, CO.** For questions, or to find out more about **Virtual Encounter Weekends:**

Brenda & Gary: 402-370-5839 or

www.wwe.org

Seminarian Vocation Prayer: Please pray for young men discerning a call to the priesthood in the *Diocese of Lincoln*.

Throughout **EASTER** season, **Formed** has parish-wide studies, recommendations for family faith formation, & more!

PARISH-WIDE STUDIES: Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist, Divine Mercy in the 2nd Greatest Story Ever Told. The Wild Goose.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION: For Adults- FORMED Daily Reflections with

Dr. Tim Gray. FORMED Easter Page,

FOR KIDS : The Wonderful World of Benjamin Cello.

Easter with Brother Francis. Signs of Grace: You are Sent.

Week of April 21, 2024



- ◆ **Genesis Part 2** | Old Testament: Book Overviews | The Bible Project Watch our overview video on Genesis 12-50, which breaks down the literary design of the book and its flow of thought. In Genesis, God promises to bless rebellious humanity through the family of Abraham, despite their constant failure and folly <https://watch.formed.org/videos/genesis-part-2-old-testament-book-overviews-the-bible-project>
- ◆ **Lectio-Mark** Join Dr. Tim Gray in this powerful 14-part series to discover the Gospel of Mark like never before. Immerse yourself in this action-packed Gospel that offers Saint Peter's account of Christ's life and teaching. Combining the insights of Dr. Tim Gray with the masterful artistry of the Augustine Institute, this Lectio series uses the Church's rich tradition of Lectio Divina to help you better understand and better pray with the Gospel of Mark. <https://watch.formed.org/videos/lectio-mark>
- ◆ **-Beloved- Session 1:** Does Marriage Matter? Happy Feast of St. Valentine! This Valentine's Day, remind yourself of the beauty of the Sacrament of Marriage with the Beloved series, presented by the Augustine Institute. <https://watch.formed.org/videos/does-marriage-matter>
- ◆ **Sign up for Formed:** GO TO FORMED.ORG, &OR DOWNLOAD THE FORMED APP. ENTER YOUR ZIP CODE. FIND OUR PARISH

Are you or someone you know struggling after an abortion? It's time to find hope & healing with **Hearts Restored**. This post-abortion healing ministry will accompany you on your unique healing journey, offering mentorship, individual counseling, group settings, retreats, spiritual support, & more. Restore your peace & hope today. Call the Hearts Restored hotline at 402-783-HOPE (4673) or email the confidential, secure inbox at FindPeace@HeartsRestoredNebraska.org. Learn more about Hearts Restored at HeartsRestoredNebraska.org.



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Use the power of your voice to advocate for the good, the true, and the beautiful in Nebraska. Scan the QR code to join the Catholic Advocacy Network of NE (CANN) or visit NE.catholic.org/Advocacy

Nebraska's Abortion Ballot Initiative
 Is it that Bad?



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Katherine Burow
 Executive Director
 Abortion Dialogue Academy



Marion Miner
 Associate Director of
 Pro-Life & Family Policy
 Nebraska Catholic Conference

EL PRESENTS...
Dr. Larry Chapp

 Sanctity in an Era of Unbelief
 May 2 | Christ the King Parish - Omaha, NE | 7:00-8:00PM

Come away to a quiet place & rest awhile. –Mark 6:31
Looking for a retreat that works for you? Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly has several retreats to help you deepen your faith life. Upcoming:
 † **Ignatian Retreat - 4-Day, 5-day or 8-Day (May 3, 2024)**
 May 4-8 (Fr. Coulter or Sarina Stokes)
 May 3-8 (Matt Simmons)
 May 3-10 (Matt Simmons)
 † **Let's Talk Roses Woman's Retreat** May 10-11 (Janette Howe)
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.



DIocese of Lincoln 2024 SUMMER CAMPS **Current Grades Spring of 2024****

CAMP KATERI TEKAKWITHA

Sky Camp: current 4th-6th grade
 Take part in the program that started Outdoor Ministry in the Diocese of Lincoln! Campers will see God's desire for relationship through outdoor adventure in teachings, mass, prayer, confessions, and adoration. We look into relationship written on our soul with God, ourself, others, and creation!

Tekakwitha Games: current 7th-8th grade
 We honor St. Kateri with olympic style competition celebrating our faith and Catholic fellowship. This camp dives deeper into camper's faith through applying their faith in day to day activities and conversations in competition and daily prayer. We provide Catholic outdoor education and an ultimate battle to find the Tekakwitha Champions!

Family Camp: 7 families w/ 2 adults
 NEW summer camp opportunity!
 Experience childlike faith all over again with camping as a family! Families will have time to grow together through disconnecting from technology and finding adventure again in nature! You will have space to grow in your faith life with your kids through discussions and the Eucharist.

Catholic Adventure Camp: current 3rd-4th grade
 Our youngest campers will be introduced to Camp Kateri in learning tips in prayer and new skills in nature. This summer, open your wild side as we go back to the wild west in our adventure theme camp!

For Dates, Registration, and Prices visit: www.campkateri.org
 Scholarships are available!

CAMP KATERI TEKAKWITHA 2024
 Sky Camp-Tekakwitha Games-Catholic Adventure

VOLUNTEER CAMP COUNSELORS NEEDED!
 CURRENT GRADES 9-12

CAMP KATERI IS A CATHOLIC SUMMER CAMP FOR YOUTH IN NEBRASKA. OUR PROGRAM STAFF AND HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELORS ARE THE FOUNDATION OF CAMP. YOU HAVE THE ABILITY TO BE FREE AND CREATIVE WHILE LEADING CAMPER'S THROUGH ACTIVITIES, FAITH CONVERSATIONS, AND REFLECTING YOUR ROLE IS TO MAKE IT A SAFE, ADVENTUROUS PLACE FOR KIDS TO PLAY OUTDOORS AND GROW CLOSER TO GOD. CAMP IS A GREAT PLACE TO BE ONE BACK TO YOUR COMMUNITY, BE A ROLE MODEL, EXPERIENCE THE SACRAMENTS, AND GROW CLOSER TO GOD.

ALL VOLUNTEERS WILL EARN 40-72 SCHOOL SERVICE HOURS AND RECEIVE A CAMP T-SHIRT. APPLICATIONS ARE FOUND AT WWW.CAMPKATERI.ORG

JOB OPENINGS:
Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly is hiring! Are you passionate about our mission of sharing retreat experiences with others? Do you have a zeal for souls, value docility to the Holy Spirit, charity & hospitality? We are hiring a full-time **Office Manager/Bookkeeper**. Send all resumes & inquiries to director@olgcretreat.org

Villa Marie School is seeking a **Special Education Teacher** for the 2024-25 school year. Please call Sr. Jeanette R. at 402-786-3625 or email her at sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net

* **St. Joseph School** in Lincoln— **UPDATED 4/19/24!** Seeking for the 2024-'25 school year. Positions involve furthering the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a positive Catholic learning environment. Start date Aug. 2024.

Faith-filled, dynamic **Special Education Resource Teacher**. Must have a current Nebr. teaching certify. w/ approp. endorsements. Responsibilities incl. maximizing the learning exper. of 6th-8th grade students w/ needs in academics, interpersonal skills, behaviors, &/or activities of daily living. Strong skills in communication, collaboration, & relationship-building essential. Salary based on educational background & experience. Please send resume, references from educational supervisors, philosophy of education & explanation of why you would like to teach in a Catholic school to kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net.

Reading & Math Interventionist- This teacher would provide support to students dealing with reading, writing, or math difficulties in grades 3-8 primarily. Job responsibilities include executing literacy, writing, and math intervention programs, data collection, and collaborating with teachers and paraprofessionals. Qualifications are a current Nebraska Teaching license, willingness to be trained in the Intervention programs currently being used before the 2024-2025 school year, good communication skills, teamwork, and recordkeeping. The ideal applicant will be Christ-centered, student-focused, and team-oriented. Start date August 2024.

All positions listed above involve furthering the mission of St. Joseph Catholic School by contributing to a positive learning environment. Please send resume, references from educational supervisors, philosophy of education, & an explanation of why you would like to teach in a Catholic school to kevin-naumann@cdolinc.net.

Blessed Sacrament Lincoln, Job Openings: Music Director - We are seeking a skilled Director of Music Ministry to coordinate music for all liturgical celebrations of the parish, serve as organist, pianist, and/or cantor, and direct both the Adult Choir and our parish Children's Choir. The ideal candidate has at least 1-2 years of experience in a similar role or in directing choral music and has familiarity with Catholic music. This role is part-time and pay is commensurate with experience. The parish is located at 1720 Lake Street, Lincoln, 68502. Start date is June 9th or earlier with some training beforehand. Please send a cover letter and resume to fr.mike-morin@bsc.church with MUSIC DIRECTOR in the subject line.

* **Cathedral of the Risen Christ School** hiring for **24-25 School Year: Assistant Principal & Teacher, 7th Grade English**— Contact angela-miller@cdolinc.net

Join the **National Eucharistic Pilgrimage** heading to the **National Eucharistic Congress**. The pilgrimage will consist of **4 cross-country eucharistic processions**, collectively traversing the entire continental U.S. over a 2-month period.

More info: www.eucharisticpilgrimage.org/st-junipero-serra-route

The **western route**, named the "**Serra Route**" after St. Junipero Serra, the patron saint of California, is the longest one & will begin in San Francisco. The pilgrimage will pass thru UT, CO, Nebr.; & MO ending in Indianapolis. Plan to join the **weekend stops or the procession in route between 6/14-16 - North Platte & 6/21-23 - Omaha. Cathedral of the Risen Christ- Lincoln on 6/20-21. Cloisters on the Platte & Holy Family Shrine on 6/21.**

THE 10th NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS



A Historic Moment of Revival
 This once-in-a-lifetime gathering will bring together the most trusted voices in the Church and thousands of on-fire Catholics for five powerful days of worship, encounter, and formation. Come be inspired, equipped for mission, and set ablaze with new love for Jesus in the Eucharist.
 SCAN THE QR CODE TO GET YOUR PASS!

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

THE ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL FAMILY ASSOCIATION PRESENTS
JEN FULWILER MATERNAL INSTINCT
FRIDAY, 4/26

Discover the world of Catholic comedy, a genre rooted in rich traditions and relatable humor. Headliner Jen Fulwiler, a renowned Catholic comedian, brings a fresh perspective to Catholicism through laughter. Bishop Conley highly recommends her, praising her quick wit and relatable anecdotes that connect with National audiences.

Meet opener Father Jake Martin, a Catholic priest and stand-up comedian who blends humor and spirituality to offer a unique take on faith and life. Through his relatable narrative, he fosters unity and understanding through laughter, celebrating the lighter side of spirituality.

Your ticket purchase also supports a great cause! A significant portion of sales goes toward fostering the growth and well-being of our Catholic education community. Your participation is a valuable investment in the success of our educational mission. Thank you for your support!

Presenting the **Spirit Catholic Radio**
EWTN and Catholic Answers Symposium
The Eucharist: Source and Summit of our Faith
APRIL 26/27
 St. Robert Bellarmine Church, Omaha
spiritcatholicradio.com/silver

Fr. Wade Monozes (EWTN Host of "Open Line Tuesday"), **Tim Staples** (Senior Apologist at Catholic Answers), **Coleen Kelly Mast** (EWTN Host of "Next Appeal"), **Joe Heschmeyer** (Apologist at Catholic Answers), **Stacy Traasanos** (Contributor to Catholic Answers)

THE ROCOCO THEATRE
 BUY TICKETS AT WWW.ROCCOCTHEATRE.COM

"Physician Heal Thyself"
APRIL 27, 2024
9AM - NOON
REGISTER HERE
ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
 6111 MORRILL AVE LINCOLN, NE

9:00 Mass
 9:30 Breakfast
 10:00 Talk
 11:00 Adoration/Prayer Teams/Confession

Sponsored by Nebraska Catholic Nurses and Lincoln Catholic Medical Association

NO SUNDAY PLAYS? APPLY TO TOTUS TUUS
 Submit your resume to Christ (Total) through the diocese, teach kids the faith, and strengthen your own! **QUESTIONS? CONTACT:**

AROUND OUR PARISH

PARISH WEEKLY ACTIVITIES: <https://stjamescortland.com/>

Tuesday	Apr	23	7:30 pm	Young Adult Bible Study	Parish Hall
Thursday	Apr	25	7:00 pm	Exposition Adoration Hour	Church
Friday	Apr	26	8:00 pm	AA - Hall Reserved	Parish Hall
Saturday	Apr	27	6:30 am	That Man Is You	Parish Hall

Each week, we choose what will be done with the **168 hours** we have available to us. Good **stewardship of time** means we will share some of that time **with God** in prayer, praise & thanksgiving, & some time **caaring for the needs of others**.

PCCW SCHOLARSHIP BREAKFAST TODAY- Sunday, April 21st. Scholarship Application Forms ARE on the bulletin board in the entryway of the church.

CONFIRMATION: Tuesday, May 7, 7:00 pm Mass. Please pray for those preparing.

Ascension Thursday will be 5/9.

Holy day of obligation Mass times:

Wednesday, 5/8, 7:00 pm.

Thursday, 5/9, 7:00 am.

Thursday, 5/9, 7:00 pm.

TOTUS TUUS 2024 at St. James Parish- Cortland will be on **July 20-26**. Evenings for High School- Sunday thru Thursday. Morning & afternoon for Elementary students- Monday thru Friday.

TUESDAY YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY. Sometimes the location varies. Call Renae (402) 419-4491 to confirm.

ALUMINUM RECYCLING: Drop cans at the S.E. corner of **Vinton Automotive**. Spons. by K. of C.

Go to confession during the Easter Season!

GOD WANTS TO SHARE HIS LIFE WITH US.

I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst. (John 6:35)

What God has wanted from the beginning is to sit down with *His creatures in a fellowship banquet, sharing life, laughter, giving, receiving, and giving back again.*

This is the Loop of Grace. The more we receive the divine life, the more we should give it away and thereby get more of it.

Throughout the Old Testament, we find images of the holy banquet. On God's holy mountain, Isaiah says there will be good meats and pure choice wines. And throughout His ministry, Jesus hosts meals to which all are invited. God wants to share His life with us.

This comes to fullest expression at the Eucharist, where Jesus changes the bread and wine into His Body and Blood and

then invites all of us around this table to feast and share life, to give and to receive and to give again. (Bishop Robert Barron)

Every time we sit down to supper with our families, join in a Parish breakfast in the Church Hall, attend the celebration supper for a wedding or a commemorative dinner at a funeral, we are "feasting with God's creatures in a fellowship banquet, sharing life, laughter, giving, receiving, and giving back again."

Every time we receive the Holy Eucharist in Mass, we are sharing not only a "banquet", but creating a "Loop of Grace" in which we receive Divine Life, which is not meant to be kept, but given away, as we share God's love: "Love others as I have loved you."

*Love in the Spirit. -Diana McCown-
Eucharistic Revival Parish Point Person*

Liturgical Ministers for Sundays & Holy Days of Obligation

		April 27-28	May 4-5	May 8-9 The Ascension	May 11-12	May 18-19
Sat. 5:00 pm	Reader	Amy Larkins	Ron Eisenbarth	7pm Diana McCown	Amy Larkins	Ron Eisenbarth
	Acolyte	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Kurt Larkins	Randy Eickmeier
	Server 1	Braxton Skillett	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Braxton Skillett
	Server 2	Easton Schilbitzki	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Easton Schilbitzki
Sun. 8:00 am	Reader	Joe Vinton	Michelle Milke	7am Chris Hytrek	Jerry Lentfer	Joe Vinton
	Acolyte	Chris Hytrek	Pat Milke	Tony Sullivan	Scott Osterhaus	Chris Hytrek
	Server 1	Sam Robinson	Mason Eickmeier	Carter Stieb	Simon Robinson	Rylan Hochstein
	Server 2	Sawyer Robinson	Carson Eickmeier	Asher Stieb	Andrew Oelke	Reid Hochstein
	Server 3	Jax Peterson	Parker Eickmeier	Liam Dush	Spencer Robinson	Brayden Kuhlman
	Server 4	Drake Peterson		Kyler Beck	Cooper Mason	Hudson Kuhlman
Sun. 10:30 am	Reader	Shirley Yates	Karl Gramann	7pm Larry Etmund	Ginger Jelinek	Shirley Yates
	Acolyte	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt	Ron Boden	Ron Eisenbarth	Myron Heusinkvelt
	Server 1	Sam Troxel	Hayden Nielson	Brady Troxel	Max Jacobson	Sam Troxel
	Server 2	Mason Henn	Nolan Nielson	Ty Troxel	Finn Jacobson	Mason Henn
	Server 3	Crew Dummer				Crew Dummer
	Server 4					
	Greeter	Paige Anderson	Lydia Dominy		Paige Anderson	Lydia Dominy
	Collection Counters	Julie Pflingsten/ Laureen Ehmen	Jeanne Egger/ Grace Benes		Jim Fuhrman/ Theron Troxel	Kassie Ebberts/ Amy Argo

Stewardship of Treasure

As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace. (1 Pt 4:10)

Parish Offering 4/14/24

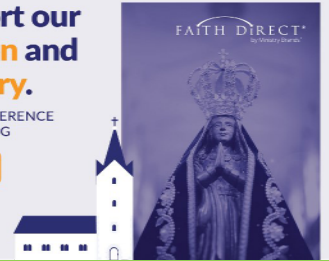
Adult Envelopes	\$1,014.00
Plate	\$627.00
Total Deposit	\$1,641.00

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St. James Church Grounds Mowing Schedule for 2024.

Please sign up— there are 28 slots. The church's 2 **riding mowers** have been serviced & are ready to go. Mowing time is about **1.5 hrs.** with 2 mowers. Find the **link** on the **St. James Facebook page** OR go to: www.signupgenius.com/findasignup & enter: jeremyjelinek@yahoo.com & click the **Search** button. The **St. James signup** should appear. Select the date & times you are able to help mow the grounds through the Summer months & beginning of Fall. **Thank You in advance for your participation!**

