

JUNE 21, 2026
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH



Weekend Mass Schedule

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

Weekday Mass Schedule

See Mass intentions for this week's schedule

Confessions

30 minutes before Sunday and Holy Day Masses
20 minutes before Weekday Mass or by appt.

Bulletin deadline NOON on Wednesdays
Email: bulletinstjames@gmail.com

Baptism: Parents are asked to attend baptism preparation class. Call the rectory office to schedule.

Anointing/Hospital Visits: Please notify the pastor when you go to the hospital or are homebound and wish a visit.

Matrimony: Contact the parish 6 to 12 months ahead.

Knights of Columbus: Ron Eisenbarth, Grand Knight

PCCW: Denise Clements, President

Religious Ed: Deanne Stieb, CCD coordinator

EMERGENCY SUPPLIES: A duffle with basic medical supplies is on the coat rack shelf, opposite the women's restroom.

An **AED** is in a cabinet near the *Holy Family* statue.

WELCOME TO ST. JAMES, FATHER MCCABE!

This weekend we extend a warm welcome to our new pastor, Fr. Michael McCabe, who most recently was the pastor at St. Joseph in Lincoln.

Welcome aboard, Father McCabe!



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK		
Saturday, June 20	5:00 pm	John Kohout+
Sunday, June 21	8:00 am	Megan Yonkey+
	10:30 am	For the People of St. James Parish
Monday, June 22	7:00 am	Grace Lee+
Tuesday, June 23	7:00 am	All Souls Day Intentions+
Wednesday, June 24	6:30 pm	Intention of Fr. McCabe
Thursday, June 25	7:00 am	Johnny Lee+
Friday, June 26	7:00 am	All Souls Day Intentions+
Saturday, June 27	8:00 am	Alice Ann McCabe+
Saturday, June 27	5:00 pm	Randy Eickmeier+
Sunday, June 28	8:00 am	For the People of St. James Parish
	10:30 am	Jay Wischmeier+



ST. JAMES FIREWORKS STAND

Our largest fundraiser of the year is here, and ***we need your help!*** This big project is a major benefit for our Knights, our PCCW, our Parish and other organizations, such as the Women's Care Center. Sign up at the entryway to the church, at the tent or online through your parish Flocknote message.

Sales begin June 25 and end the evening of July 4th

Tasks include: installing bunting, banners, table signs, string ropes and the inflatable. Also unloading product and setting up displays, and cashiering and restocking tables once sales begin.

Questions? Call Joe @ 402-830-8338, Brad @ 402-943-8422, Ed @ 402-525-2345 or Ron @ 402-310-7803.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

COME TO NAZARETH

A Retreat for the Whole Family

SUNDAY AUG 2

2PM-7PM

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL
RETREAT HOUSE**

ACTIVITIES & WHAT TO EXPECT

- Welcome & Opening Activity
- Breakout Sessions for All Ages
- Strength in the Family – Therese Chohon (older kids & parents)
- Mary – Josh Burks (younger children)
- Family Olympics & Snacks
- Procession & Outdoor Adoration
- Supper & Campfire

For more details, visit:
goodcounselretreat.org or
call 402-786-2705



Scan QR code to learn more!

ALL AGES
WELCOME!



THE DIOCESE OF LINCOLN HAS PARTNERED WITH THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC BIOETHICS CENTER to provide reliable references, thorough explanations, and case-based guidance so you can form your conscience with Catholic teaching when making **health care decisions**. These resources can be found at: <https://www.lincolndiocese.org/bioethics>

RUNBORN is in the 7th year of a pro-life mission to support women in crisis and unborn babies. Catholic athlete Steve Sousek will be **attempting to run for 24 hours and 100 miles** on the Pius X track from 8pm-8pm June 26-27 to raise money for the St. Gianna Program and the Women's Care Center of Lincoln. This year, Steve is having a friendly team competition. Contribute to your favorite team listed by coming to walk or run a few laps, or “sponsor” them with your donation to earn laps also. See <https://runborn.org/about-2026/> for more details. Donations are being accepted on <https://runborn.org/donate/>.

2026 DIOCESAN CANOE TRIP DOWN THE NIOBRARA

5-7
JULY
CAMP 1

7-9
JULY
CAMP 2

Open to this years, Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, and HS graduates. No incoming Freshman

Opportunities:

- Daily Mass
- Confessions
- Talks
- Private Reflection time
- and other opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ.

Adult Volunteers Need:

- Provide Transport to and from Sparks, NE
- Prepare/serve meals at the campsite
- Chaperone on and off the water (must know how to swim)



Student cost: \$ 120.00

Questions: Contact Fr. Homes 402-873-4569

REGISTER AT www.lincolndiocese.org/canoe



PATRIOTIC ROSARY

Celebrate our country's 250th Anniversary of the Signing of the Declaration of Independence

Sunday, June 28, at 7 p.m.

St. John the Apostle Catholic Church

We'll be praying the Rosary with special intentions for all branches of government. Individual states will be remembered on the 50 Hail Mary's. The program will feature patriotic songs and short commentaries from a number of Founding Fathers and early statesmen.

AROUND OUR PARISH

Help Mow our Parish/Rectory Grounds for the



2026 Season! Volunteers should plan to mow between Wed. and Sat. of each week signed up. There are two riding mowers available. Mowing

time is about 3 hours for one person. Ideally, we'd like to have 14 or so different families each pick two weeks for the season. Then the time would be minimal for everyone involved! **SIGNUP** at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4AAEA823A3FCC61-49023719-stjames>. **Thanks in advance** for your participation as many hands make light work!

25th ANNIVERSARY of the DEDICATION of SAINT JAMES CHURCH

This great celebration is only a month away!

The Mass will be offered at 3:00 pm on Sunday, July 19th, by Bishop Conley, with many of the priests who have served our parish. On that Sunday there will only be an 8:00 am and this special Mass at 3:00 pm (*no 10:30 am Mass that day*).

We are also putting together a special photo collection for the celebration. If you have pictures from parish events, milestones, or memories over the years, we would love to include them! Please email photos soon to Michele Milke at pm91843@windstream.net.

Volunteers are needed to help make this a wonderful celebration. Please contact Mary Gramann or Denise Clements.

Charity & Stewardship Appeal (CSA) 2026

CSA has been the *backbone of diocesan ministry funding* for over 50 years! Every Catholic in the diocese is invited to be part of this vital mission. Learn more or give online at:

lincolndiocese.org/csa. Our parish goal is **\$11,450**. We support two Catholic schools so we receive an 80 percent (\$4,580) rebate, plus any amount raised above our goal. We currently have \$20,182 pledged and \$12,530 paid. **Thank you to all who have given!** Pledge cards with donations may still be returned to the parish. We will send them in for you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All hands on deck at the fireworks tent! Please assist as you are able. *Thank you in advance for your help!*



There are some great opportunities to help and have fun with other parishioners. At the back of church there is a signup sheet for helping with the 25th Anniversary Celebration. Also, the Knights are very generous in sharing a portion of their proceeds from the fireworks sales with the PCCW. Please consider signing up to work a shift at the tent. See the signup sheet at the back of church, or at the tent. Thank you!
Next official meeting is August 12th.

Did you know?!?

We have a **Resource Center** located under the stairwell to the choir loft. Lots of free resources there for you to take home! Also located there is the parish **Lost and Found**. At the end of August that box will be emptied, so please check to see if you have anything of yours in it, thanks! There is a wealth of great books to keep or to borrow on the **bookshelf** next to the Holy Family statue. *Check it out!*

Why Request a Mass Intention?

A Mass intention means that a particular Mass is offered for a specific purpose. When the priest celebrates the Eucharist, he applies the graces of that Mass to whatever intention has been requested—whether for a person living or deceased, in thanksgiving, or for a special need. Because the Mass makes present Christ's own sacrifice on the Cross, **it is the greatest prayer** the Church can offer. This is why requesting a Mass intention—especially for the deceased—has been a treasured practice since the earliest days of Christianity.

Envelopes for requesting a Mass intention are by the church entryway. Dates are available on a first-come basis. The standard stipend for a Mass intention is \$10. This is not a payment—Masses cannot be bought or sold. The stipend is a voluntary gift that supports the priest and the parish. The priest offers a "Mass for the People" (*Pro Populo*) each Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation for no stipend.



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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

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

Parish Offering 06/14/26

Adult Envelopes	\$1,086.00
Plate	\$383.00
Total Deposit	\$1,469.00



is our secure, **online giving** platform!

Through online giving you can make a *one-time gift* or set up automatic donations and easily change the timing or the amount of your gift. **It's also an easy way to pay Knights/PCCW dues or CCD registrations!**

See **Online Giving** on the Parish Website.

POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION FOR JUNE 2026: For the values of sports.

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

Liturgical Ministers		12 th Sun of Ord. Time June 20-21	13 th Sun of Ord. Time June 27-28	14 th Sun of Ord. Time July 4-5	15 th Sun of Ord. Time July 11-12	16 th Sun of Ord. Time July 18-19
Saturday 5:00 pm	Reader	Amy Larkins	Ron Eisenbarth	Diana McCown	Amy Larkins	Ron Eisenbarth
	Acolyte	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Kurt Larkins	(volunteer)
	Server 1	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Braxton Skillett	(volunteer)
	Server 2	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	(volunteer)	Easton Schilbitzki	(volunteer)
Sunday 8:00 am	Reader	Michelle Milke	Joe Vinton	Jerry Lentfer	Chris Hytrek	Michelle Milke
	Acolyte	Scott Osterhaus	Tony Sullivan	Pat Milke	Joe Vinton	Chris Hytrek
	Server 1	Liam Dush	Andrew Oelke	Rylan Hochstein	Brayden Kuhlman	Sam Robinson
	Server 2	Emmitt Ostrander	Cooper Mason	Reid Hochstein	Hudson Kuhlman	Sawyer Robinson
	Server 3	Gunner Ostrander				
	Server 4					
Sunday 10:30 am	Reader	Ginger Jelinek	Shirley Yates	Larry Etmund	Ginger Jelinek	3:00 PM Anniversary Mass
	Acolyte	Ron Eisenbarth	Ron Boden	Theron Troxel	Myron Heusinkvelt	Reader: Larry Etmund
	Server 1	Max Troxel	Sam Troxel	Max Jacobson	Ty Troxel	Acolytes: Myron, Kurt, Tony
	Server 2	Andrew Troxel	Kyler Beck	Finn Jacobson	Andrew Troxel	
	Server 3	Jude Jelinek	Dedric Dominy		Jude Jelinek	
	Server 4					
Collection Counters		Julie P./Laureen E.	Jeanne E./Lori J.	Jim F./Theron T.	Kassie E./Amy A.	Julie P./Laureen E.