

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

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COLLECTION

What is God asking of me? Our response to the Lord last week

Adult: \$10517.72 Plate: \$264.00 Youth: \$52.70
Other: \$ 433.00

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday 20 minutes before each daily Mass
Saturday: 4:30-5:20 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30-7:50 a.m. & 9:30-9:50 a.m.
Sunday: 7:30-7:50 p.m.
Or by appointment

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 17

7:00 a.m. Healing of our marriage/ S.D.
8:05 a.m. †Art Weiland/ Jason Summa Family

Tuesday, April 18

7:00 a.m. †Gert Kober/ Kenny & Delores Cast
8:05 a.m. †Adolf & Emma Hottovy/ Don & Pat Forst

Wednesday, April 19

7:00 a.m. Health of S.D.
8:05 a.m. †Molly Howell/ Marilyn Bohaty

1:30 p.m. Mass at Sunrise
2:30 p.m. Mass at Crestview

Thursday, April 20

7:00 a.m. †Iline Klein/ The Varney's
8:00 a.m. Intentions of Jon Dybdal Family

Friday, April 21

7:00 a.m. Intentions of Jeannie Moxley/ Mary Ann Spahni
8:00 a.m. †Betty Hauf/ Carol Kralik

Saturday, April 22

8:30 a.m. Intentions of Diane Reynicek/ Mary Ann Spahni
5:30 p.m. †Larry Walford/ Lorraine Jirovsky

Sunday, April 23

8:00 a.m. For all parishioners
10:00 a.m. Bruce Schoepf/ Jerod Spahr Family
8:00 p.m. †Barbara Barak/ Joe & Andrea Baack

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday	April 22 - 5:30 p.m.
Acolyte	Kelly Schrad, Lee Schmit
Servers	Cameron, Tyler & Sam Schrad
Lector	Matt George
Greeters	Dan Pernicek Family
Cantor	Joyce Smith
Sunday	April 23 - 8:00 a.m.
Acolyte	Peter Ruhl, Jim Wesley
Servers	Bostyn Happ, Gavin Hamling Nathan Rech
Lector	Ellen Jirovsky
Greeters	4th degree K of C
Cantor	Christy Ruhl
Sunday	April 23 - 10:00 a.m.
Acolyte	Mitch Ostgren, Scott Wanetka
Servers	Ben & Jake Wanetka Hunter & Connor Towle
Lector	Mark Policky
Greeters	Tony Schaben, Bill Sleight
Cantor:	Beth Peery

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

April
17 K of C Mtg - 7:30 p.m. (library)
18 Finance Committee Mtg - 7 p.m.
19-25 Eucharist Miracles Display - narthex
19 Mass at Sunrise Manor - 1:30 p.m.
19 Mass at Crestview - 2:30 p.m.
20 Cath Educ & Youth Engagement - 6:30 p.m. (Library)
20 Connectedness Mtg - 7:30 p.m. (Spanish Room)
23 KC Breakfast - After 8 a.m. Mass

Divine Mercy Sunday Activities

On April 23, the Octave of Easter, the Church celebrates Jesus' Divine Mercy. There is much grace on that day. Jesus wants to pour His mercy upon all who will open themselves to Him. To receive the plenary indulgence on that day: receive Holy Communion, go to Confession, pray the Chaplet, pray the Our Father, the Creed, and a prayer for Pope Francis.

- 1.) Sung Chaplet at 9:30a.m.
- 2.) Silent Holy Hour begins at 2pm with the Eucharist exposed and with Confessions available.
- 3.) At 3pm the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is recited, followed by Benediction of the Eucharist.

Bring your family. Receive Jesus' mercy.

COMING TO ST. VINCENT DE PAUL April 19-25:

EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLE DISPLAY

The exhibit features 40 beautiful panels that highlight some of the most powerful Eucharistic miracles of the world. The panels feature both graphic and written depictions of the miracles. Display is open FREE to the public. Located in the narthex of the church.



Card Shower

Please join Fr. Rand Langhorst in celebrating his silver jubilee of priesthood (25th anniversary) through a card shower for him.

Very Rev. Rand Langhorst,
3230 S. 33rd street,
Lincoln, Nebraska 68506

Happy Easter!



Today is the day of celebrating God's great mercy upon us as Jesus rose from the dead. He destroyed death for us, making it a pathway into Heaven for us who love Him. God already shares the Resurrection with us in our Baptism; and He brings us out of sin and darkness into His goodness and Light. Enjoy your new life in Jesus. Live with Him truly as the Lord of your life in all your thoughts and decisions. Spread His mercy to others by showing them how good life is with the Risen Jesus in your hearts. —Fr. Barak and Fr. Salisbury

Easter Octave: Eight Days as One Easter Day

Easter Sunday through Divine Mercy Sunday make up the Easter Octave. Easter is such a great mystery that the Church calls the first 8 days of the Easter season "Easter Day." Live each day with joy. Keep asking for lots of grace from Jesus during these days. He wants to give us His love and power and mercy, if we will only ask and receive. These 8 days will be remarkable for us when we keep focused on the Risen Jesus.

Mowers Needed

Please consider helping our church by signing up to mow during the spring & summer months. Sign up sheets are in the narthex or call the church office at 402-643-3421.

Congratulations to the six new members of the Catholic Church

Sydney DeBoer Shay Hinrichs
Bradley Eriksen Jason Mayo
Brandon Henley Joshua Retka

Mass in Loma:

Mass will be offered at St. Luke Shrine in Loma on Sunday, April 23, at 4:00 p.m. Czech hymns will be sung by the Ostry Family Singers.

Attention PCCW members:

Who? That is probably you if you are female and registered in this parish! Your input is being sought about how you feel you fit with the Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW). Some of you have ignored your niche and some of you may not know what your niche is yet. Please share your honest thoughts by taking the Survey on the church's Facebook page or the PCCW section of the church website. Look for the link to the survey. Your input to us is without name, so you can be truthful without fearing you will offend. The responses to the survey will help us know what we are doing well or not, and assist us in improving the organization of which you are a part. Please do your part and take the survey. Thank you.

Earth Day is April 22

Please pray for the Holy Spirit to help all our government officials use God's grace to make good decisions on the issues that affect our world, our earth, our water, and our air. Speak out to them to make decisions based not on monetary profits, but on what will benefit the current and future generations who need the world to be in good condition so as to live healthy and happy lives. And thank God always for the great gift of our earth, our home until we reach our Heavenly Home.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SCHOOL

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St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School, a PreK-4 elementary school located in Seward, Nebraska, is seeking a positive, energetic, creative and progressive 4TH GRADE TEACHER for self-contained classroom and a part time vocal music instructor. Candidate should want to be a part of a Catholic, collaborative, caring, dedicated and supported staff. St. Vincent de Paul School is an outstanding Catholic School community with proud faith, academic and activity traditions.

Send cover letter, resume, transcripts and 3 letters of recommendation to Allen Brozovsky, St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School, 152 E. Pinewood Ave., Seward, NE 68434. You may contact me at allen-brozovsky@cdolinc.net or call 402-643-9525.

The Best of Ireland & Northern Ireland:

Space is still available to come along Nov. 6-16, 2017, to come of the most enjoyable places in all of Europe, visiting the Emerald Isle! We'll visit Belfast, Knock, Galway, Dublin and so much more! Mass each day in great Churches and Cathedrals along the way. Cost is \$3,199 with departure from Omaha. For a brochure and more information, contact Fr. Dan Guenther, Immaculate Conception Parish, P.O. Box 685, Cherokee, Iowa 51012 or call 712-225-4606 or email frdanguenther@gmail.com

FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL

Wednesday, April 26, at 7 p.m.

FIRST COMMUNION

Sunday, April 30, at 1 p.m.

FINAL CCD-GP CLASSES

Wednesday, May 3.

BACCALAUREATE MASS

May 14, at the 10 a.m. Mass.

TOTUS TUUS is scheduled as follows:

June 5-9 from 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. for Gr. 1-8

June 4-8 evening sessions for Gr. 9-12

(NOTE: Grade levels children will enter in the Fall)

New Cement

On Holy Thursday Concrete Designs came and tore out and replaced badly cracked and broken areas of our Church sidewalk and rectory driveway. Our Facilities Committee determined what areas needed work and chose this time to do it when school was not in session.

Baptism Mass

Baptismal Mass for the students who received the Sacrament of Baptism in the month of April, May or June will be Friday April, 21st. Our celebration will begin at 8:05 Mass, when the honored students will go to the front of church after the homily and renew their Baptismal promises.

This is a very special Mass for our honored students. All parents and family members are invited to attend this important Mass in recognition of their child's Baptism when he or she became a child of God's family. If your child has been Baptized within these months and their name is not listed, please notify the school office.

Erich Dybdal	Blaise Schrad
Isabelle Howe	Natalie Wintz
Eli Kinnamon	Cale Greisen
Lukas Howe	John Fuentes
Benjamin Ness	Aidan Summa
Michael Kouma	Abigail Summa
Michael Kunasek	Matthew Wegman

St. Wenceslaus Parish

Spring Chicken Dinner and Auction

States Ballroom in Bee, NE

Sunday, April 30, 2017

Meal begins at 11 a.m. Adults: \$10; Kids: \$5

"Carry out" price is 50 cents more!

Pan Fried Chicken and all the fixings

Special Thanks

Special thanks to Jen Masek and her helper Tania Breiner who prepared, served and cleaned up a meal to the 8 priests who helped with the Penance Service this past Tuesday.

