

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: \$7556.00 Plate: \$350.13 Youth: \$49.50

Other: \$440.00

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Monday thru Friday 20 minutes before 7 a.m. daily Mass

Saturday 20 minutes before 8 a.m. Mass

Saturday: 4:30-5:20 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30-7:50 a.m. & 9:30-9:50 a.m.

Or by appointment

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 18

7:00 a.m. †Jan Semin/ Leroy Fiala

8:05 a.m. **NO 8 a.m. MASS**

Tuesday, September 19

7:00 a.m. †Clarence Forst/ D & P Forst

8:05 a.m. †Joe & Helen Kovar/ Family

Wednesday, September 20

7:00 a.m. †Dec Family & Friends of K & D Cast

8:05 a.m. †Bernard Krska/ Julie Howe

Thursday, September 21

7:00 a.m. †Barb Taylor/ Marv Taylor

8:05 a.m. †Frank Lyons/ Joann Lyons

Friday, September 22

7:00 a.m. †Kay Keller/ AJ & Margaret Spatz

8:05 a.m. †Janet Lipska/ Rita Vrchota

Saturday, September 23

8:00 a.m. Special intentions of T.M.

5:30 p.m. †Barb Taylor/ Marv Taylor

Sunday, September 24

8:00 a.m. †Loretta Fiala/ Janelle Belleau

10:00 a.m. For All Parishioners

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Saturday	September 23 - 5:30 p.m.
Acolyte	Chris Greisen, Mike Volnek
Servers	Finn Hochstein, Deklan & Kohllyn Lindau
Lector	Rich Bohac
Greeters	Dave & Nicole Wegman Family
Cantor	Trio
Sunday	September 24 - 8:00 a.m.
Acolyte	Peter Ruhl, Bruce Faimon
Servers	Gavin Hamling, Mitchell Wingard, Bostyn Happ
Lector	Linda Liska
Greeters	Paul Hughes, Ben Santo
Cantor	Christy Ruhl
Sunday	September 24 - 10:00 a.m.
Acolyte	Keith Wintz, Mitch Ostgren
Servers	Cabe & Zach Schluckebier, Andy Gokie
Lector	Mark Suhr
Greeters	Dave Coufal Family
Cantor:	Judy Mullally

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

September

- 17 Rosary Study - After 10 a.m. Mass
- 17 Bible Study - 6:30 p.m. (Library)
- 18 K of C Mtg - 7:30 p.m. (Library)
- 18 Connectedness Mtg - 7:30 p.m. (Spanish)
- 19 Spirituality Mtg - 7 p.m. (Library)
- 20 Mass at Sunrise Manor - 1:15 p.m.
- 20 Mass at Crestview Manor - 2:30 p.m.
- 21 Varsity Football Dinner
- 24 KC Breakfast
- 24 Bible Study - 6:30 p.m. (Library)

Please Note - Mass Cancellations
Monday, Sept 18 - NO 8:05 AM MASS

Life Chain:

On Sunday, October 1st, from 2pm - 3pm, Seward County Pro Life Council invites all to gather on the west side of the courthouse for their annual Life Chain. Come for any amount of time to be a witness to protecting life during all stages of human development. "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you." (Jeremiah 1:5)



Come join the final rosary discussion on
this Sunday, Sept 17th, after the 10 a.m.
Mass in honor of the 100th
anniversary of Mary's visit to the Fatima

50th Wedding Anniversary

Parishioners Richard & Toni Bohac will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary with an Open House on Sunday, Sept 24th from 12 to 5 at the Seward County Ag Hall. Music, food, and cash bar. All are welcome!!!

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

Please join us for one, two or for the rest of the study sessions. You do not need a workbook or to sign up to enjoy the video presentation and the wonderful group discussion afterwards. All are welcome. This study helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it is all about. We will meet every Sunday in the Social hall at 6:30 pm-7:30pm until Oct 22nd For more information or questions, please contact Christine McCullar at 785 -448-5423 by text or phone call. We look forward to seeing you there!

Register Now!

5th Annual Firehawks 5k Challenge
October 15, 2017

10:00 a.m. - Mass

11:30 a.m. - 10K (6.2 miles)

5K (3.1 miles)

1 Mile Run/Walk



Registration forms are located outside the bulletin board by school office, or online www.GetMeRegistered.com/Firehawks5kChallenge

WHAT IS 4-SQUARE?

4-Square is a social opportunity for members of St. Vincent de Paul Parish that will bring 4 different parish families together for 4 month in a row!! All are invited to participate. We welcome parishioner of all ages and families of all sizes! If you have any questions, please call Mary Miner at (402) 643-0605.

Needed:



St. Vincent de Paul Knights of Columbus would gladly accept your "extra" green bell peppers. We need lot of them for our fish fry. Mark the bags "Knights" & put in refrigerator.

*Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God,
and nothing else.*
--St. Francis of Assisi

Saturday, September 30, Morning Recollection ~ "The Seven Privileges of Praying for Priests" with Speaker Janette Howe, Foundress of the Seven Sisters Apostolate. St John's Gym, 7601 Vine Street, Lincoln, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. with Optional (in the Church): 7:15-8:15 a.m. Eucharistic Exposition, Adoration and Benediction followed by Mass at 8:15 a.m. And in the Gym at noon you are invited to bring a sack lunch and stay to visit with one another about the blessings of the Apostolate in your life!. Free will donation suggested to cover speaker travel, light breakfast, facilities, etc. All women are invited (those who already cover our Priests in Holy Hours of Prayer through the Apostolate and those who want to learn more). Please contact Diocesan Coordinator Rhonda Litt at 402.525.6396 (text or call) for more information. Visit www.sevensistersapostolate.org for information about this Ministry of prayer for our Priests! There are forty Apostolates in our Diocese praying for Priests now. Our "mission" is 100% of our Priests to have an Apostolate praying for them by June 2018!

Firehawks Club

What is the Firehawks Club? This is a new fundraiser that the St. Vincent de Paul School/PTO has organized. For \$60 your name will be entered into a monthly 'split the pot' raffle. Each month 9 tickets will be drawn, the pot will be split and each prize will be based on the number of tickets sold. The goal is to sell 140 tickets and the monthly prize will be:

- \$100 – 1 winner each month
- \$ 50 – 2 winners each month
- \$ 35 – 2 winners each month
- \$ 25 – 2 winners each month
- \$ 15 – 2 winners each month

This fundraiser will support the Easy Reading Library for the School and will help pay for the Parish subscription to Formed.org. A ticket can win 1 time, several times or never, as each month all the tickets go back into the drawing for a chance to win again. Please contact any St. Vincent de Paul School family or Jamie Hackbart (402-641-2450) for more information.

CCD-GP CLASSES are every Wednesday from 7-8:15 p.m. With questions, call the CCD Office (Tues-Fri) (402-643-3521) or email (carmenbrowndre@gmail.com)

CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING THIS WEEK Msgr. Tucker will be talking to parents of children being confirmed this year (Gr. 5+). The meeting is Wednesday, September 20, 2017, at 7 p.m. in the church. If your child was not baptized at St. Vincent de Paul, please bring a copy of their Baptismal Certificate to the meeting.

2018 SKY CAMP INFORMATION!

Register at <http://campkateri.org>

SKY Camp (entering grades 5th-7th) – \$130

Session 1: May 29-31 (Tues-Thurs)

Session 2: May 31- June 2 (Thurs-Sat)

Session 3: June 3-5 (Sun-Tues)

Session 5: June 10-12 (Sun-Tues)

Session 7: June 17-19(Sun-Tues)

SKY Teens (entering grades 8th-9th) – \$170

Session 4: June 7-9 (Thurs-Sat)

Session 6: June 13-16 (Wed-Sat)

Unbound

Plan to attend the Unbound Retreat on Friday, October 20 and Saturday, October 21 here at St. Vincent de Paul church. To learn more about Unbound Ministry and/or register for the Retreat go to: <http://www.lincolndiocese.org/unbound>

Mass in Loma

Mass will be offered at the St. Luke Czech Shrine in Loma on Sunday, September 24, at 2:00 p.m. The rosary before Mass and the hymns are in Czech, but the Mass is in English. Music is provided by the Ostry Family Singers.

Dear Parishioners,

I hope that you have had the opportunity to watch some of the "Beloved" series on Formed.org. I believe that it is good to take time to reflect on our vocation from time to time and the promises that we have made to God. Every year at the Chrism Mass; the Monday before Easter, we have a day of recollection that focuses on our vocation of the priesthood. Then during the Mass we renew the vows that we made on our ordination day. I know that married couples celebrate their anniversary and they may renew their marriage vows at that time. My sister was prepared for marriage by Fr. Rudy Oborny, and he insisted that they memorize their marriage vows. Then he said, recite each year on your anniversary. If they are not memorized, it would be a good idea to print the marriage vows and put them on the refrigerator or on the bathroom mirror, or somewhere you will see them often, just as a reminder of the commitment that you have made to each other.

The next video in the series is entitled "Love Revealed" and it reminds couples that their love for each other is to imitate the love of Jesus. The promise to imitate His love is made in the marriage vows. You promise that you give yourself completely to your spouse and you receive completely the gift of your spouse. This is the love that Jesus has for us and was shown to us in His life, death and resurrection. He gave Himself completely for us, so that we may live. He suffered for us, so that our sins may be forgiven and so that we can go to heaven. Learn how to imitate that love and grow in your love for each other as you reflect on the information in this video.

Just a reminder about daily Mass. Both the 7 am and 8:05 Masses will be offered, Monday through Friday, when I am here. There maybe an occasion when I will need to cancel the 7 am Mass on days that I have a funeral, or other commitments and that announcement may only be a couple of days ahead, if a funeral were to be scheduled during the middle of the week. On Wednesday's a priest from the seminary will be coming to offer the 7 am Mass. I'm appreciative of the Seminary priests help, as it does give me a little break during the middle of the week.

Please say a prayer for my safe travel this weekend, and hopefully I will have some good things to share with you next weekend about the work of the Knights and Ladies of the Holy Sepulcher. God Bless you!



Msgr. Tucker