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COLLECTION

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

Adult: \$7763.43 Plate: \$194.00 Youth: \$52.73

Other: \$585.00

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, November 20

7:00 a.m. Special intentions of Ellen Varney

8:05 a.m. Suzanne Kolterman/ Geraldine Irwin

Tuesday, November 21

7:00 a.m. †Christopher VanOoyen/ Bette Tomes

8:05 a.m. †Alois & Mary Samek/ Bill & Mary Riha

Wednesday, November 22

7:00 a.m. Jessica Dybdal/ Family

1:00 p.m. Communion Service at Ridgewood Manor

6:30 p.m. Deceased members of Knights of Columbus

Thursday, November 23

9:00 a.m. Joanie George/ Roger & Mary Grunke

Friday, November 24

NO MASS

Saturday, November 25

8:00 a.m. **NO MASS**

5:30 p.m. †John Hicks/ Deb Porter

Sunday, November 26

8:00 a.m. †Rosalie Barry/ Family

10:00 a.m. For All Parishioners

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

Wednesday

November 22 - 6:30 p.m.

Acolyte Mark Peery

Servers Sam Peery

Lector Dan Policky

Greeters **VOLUNTEERS**

Cantor Karen Coufal

Thursday November 23 (Thanksgiving) - 9 a.m.

Acolyte **VOLUNTEER**

Servers **VOLUNTEERS**

Lector **VOLUNTEER**

Greeters **VOLUNTEERS**

Saturday November 25- 5:30 p.m.

Acolyte Chris Greisen, Tom McHale

Servers Bryce Jakub, Dalton Mobley, Nathan Pence

Lector Tom Dorenbach

Greeters Bill Morse, Dan Duffek

Cantor Karen Coufal

Sunday November 26- 8:00 a.m.

Acolyte Ron Sorensen, Brent Daehling

Servers Dylan, Mitchell, & Nathan Hochstein

Lector Ken Meyer

Greeters Glen Hochstein, CJ Novak

Cantor Lynette Palas

Sunday November 26 - 10:00 a.m.

Acolyte Randy Bierbaum, Aaron Kenning

Servers Joey Kenning, Andrew Marshall

Lector Broden Cihal

Greeters Pete Christensen

Cantor Mitch Marshall Family

Jenny Policky

There will be **NO 7:00 a.m. or 8:05 a.m. Masses of Friday, Nov. 25th.**
Also, there will be **NO 8:00 a.m. Mass on Sat, Nov. 25th.**

Leading the Rosary

Beginning this Advent, Saturday, November 25th and continuing through the next year, we would like to have families, single persons or groups lead the rosary before all the weekend Masses. Begin saying the rosary 25 minutes before Mass. Please sign up for a time slot on the sheets in the narthex. Thank you for helping our parish family to grow in our prayer life. There will be rosary pamphlets and extra rosaries on the wicker table in the narthex to use if you need them.

MILFORD PIZZA KITCHEN FUNDRAISER

Sunday, November 19th - 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

The Jakubs Godteens will work the event.

Proceeds benefit the GP Program.

Please support them by eating lunch

at the Pizza Kitchen! Thank you!!

Help Our Parishioners with Holiday Dinners

Each year our parish collects food and money for the families in our parish who could use extra financial help to have good family meals at Thanksgiving and Christmas. If you want to contribute, please put on your donation "Holiday Meals" and place in the collection basket. If you are a parish family wanting some help with Thanksgiving or Christmas meals, please call Msgr. Tucker at 402-643-3421 or email him at msgr.robert-tucker@cdolinc.net Food and gift cards to Pac-n-Save are available for you. All is kept confidential.

Thanksgiving Mass Schedules

November 22nd & 23rd

Wed, Nov 22 - 6:30 p.m. Thurs, Nov 23 - 9 a.m.

Also, looking for lay minister volunteers to help with the Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thank You to Our Mowers

Thank you to everyone who volunteered to mow the parish lawns during this past summer. You kept our church property looking beautiful. Mowers were: Ken Meyer, Randy Bierbaum's, Ted Payne, Matt Hans, Ray Jisa, Kenny Cast, Michael Murphy, Gary Petersen, Mitch Fiala, Jim Wesely, Tim Fichtner, Bill & Ginny Backes, Jeff and Judy Vandenberg and the Schoepf Family. Also, Jeff Vandenberg who helped maintain the lawn mowers this summer.

PCCW members

please sign up in the foyer to attend the Christmas party on Monday, December 11 at 6:30 in the Social Hall. See the poster for more details.

Thank you.

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

November

- 19 Pizza Kitchen Fundaiser for Godteen's - 11-2pm
- 20 KC Mtg - 7:30 p.m.
- 21 Parish Council - 7 p.m. (Library)
- 21 Choir Practice - 7 p.m. (Music Room)
- 22 Communion Service at Ridgewood - 1 p.m.
- 26 KC Breakfast (After 8 am Mass)
- 28 Choir practice - 7 p.m. (Music Room)

December

- 3 Eucharistic Study - 4-6 p.m. (Social Hall)
- 5 Choir practice - 7 pm. (Music Room)

Special Thanks

On behalf of individuals with developmental disabilities, their families and the Arc-Seward County, I would like to thank everyone who donated to our Honey Sunday campaign by purchasing our Honey Bears. Thanks to CJ and Richard Novak of the Knights of Columbus and to the Godparent Groups who have helped out in Milford and Seward.

-Louise Warnsholz, Arc-Honey Sunday Chairperson

The Thanksgiving Day Collection

The collection on Thanksgiving Day, and the donations in your Thanksgiving envelope, will go to the two contemplative orders of nuns we have in our diocese. The Pink Sisters in Lincoln (402-489-0765) and the Carmelite Sister (402-784-0375) north of Branched Oak Lake. You may contact them for any prayer requests.

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)

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NO CCD-GP on Wednesday, November 22--Thanksgiving Break.

CCD CHRISTMAS PROGRAM is scheduled for Wednesday, December 20 for Grades 1-4. The older grades will have their own parties in their classrooms. More information in future bulletins.

Choir Practice Upcoming Schedule

Choir practice will be every Tuesday at 7pm until Christmas starting 11/07, with singing at the 10am Mass on 12/17 and on Christmas Eve.

"2017 Bee Holiday Dinner Theater"

You are invited to a Windsor loin meal with great entertainment at the States Ballroom in Bee, NE on Sat, Nov 25th. Social Hour: 5:00 pm; Meal: 6:30 pm. \$25 ea. Tickets available at Cattle Bank, Jones Bank, Liberty First Credit Union in Seward, Lou & Mary Ann's Bar in Bee or by calling Dan at 402-641-2965. All proceeds towards States Ballroom. Hope to see you there.

Eucharist Study starting soon!

"The Lamb of God," "The Bread of Life," "The Body and the Blood of Christ"... these are phrases we know from the Mass. But do we understand what they mean in the greater and deeper context of Scripture and Church teaching? Acclaimed author and teacher Dr. Brant Pitre rigorously digs down to the biblical roots of the Eucharist, through its foreshadowing in the miraculous events of the Old Testament, the Gospels, and Apostolic teaching. We'll discover firsthand how Christ's Body and Blood are an integral and wondrous part of God's plan for our salvation.

Please join us for a group study on the Eucharist. We will meet every 1st Sunday of the month from December to April- **Dec 3rd, Jan 7th, Feb 4th March 4th & April 8th** (Second Sunday in April -8th - due to Easter on April 1) at **4pm -6 pm** in the social hall. Workbooks are available for \$10 each. Workbooks are not needed to attend the sessions. A sign-up sheet will be in the Narthex. For any questions, please contact Christine McCullar at 785-448-5423 by phone or text.

Dear Parishioners,

Our day of Eucharistic adoration continues to be a blessing for so many people and for the parish. Again, I encourage people to stop in anytime during the day hours to spend a few minutes with Jesus if you are not signed up for an hour. I mentioned last week about the need to have a substitute list, and I forgot to put it out last week. I will have the sign-up in the narthex this weekend.

This coming Wednesday we will have adoration even though we have Thanksgiving on Thursday. Adoration will begin as usual at 9 am, and then it will end at 6 am Thursday morning.

We will be receiving books for the parish for Advent or for the Christmas season depending on when we receive them. The Augustine Institute offered books for \$1 and I selected the Scott Hahn book "Joy to the World" for us. This is a book that will help us to reflect on the great mystery of the Incarnation and God's tremendous love for us made present among us; "Jesus". After you read the book, please hand it on to someone else. This is a great work of evangelization and it may help someone to strengthen their faith. There will only be 300 copies of the book, so only one book can be taken to a household, and we may need to share books among households depending on the demand. This is the first year of doing this, so I didn't know how many to order. We can do this again during Lent, if this is well received. Please give me your feedback. God Bless you.

-Msgr. Tucker

