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## MASS TIMES:

FOR DAILY MASS TIMES PLEASE CALL (402) 643-3421 SATURDAY 5:30 PM | SUNDAY 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

#### **CONFESSION TIMES:**

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE:

Ryne Seaman

Jenny Policky

Tony Schaben, Bill Sleight

LECTOR

**GREETERS** 

CANTOR

Monday thru Friday Confessions will be 20 minutes before 7 am Mass SATURDAY AND SUNDAY CONFESSIONS WILL BE 30 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS

#### **MASS INTENTIONS:**

SUNDAY. APRIL 10

8:00 AM: For All Parishioners

10:00 AM: †Larry & Bonnie Lueders/ Kelly Stelling

MSGR. ROBERT TUCKER, PASTOR

FR. SHRAVAN RAMINEDI

MONDAY, APRIL 4 7:00 AM: Human dignity & end to abortion 8:10 AM: †John & Emilie Osmera/ Darlene Kouma	SATURDAY ACOLYTE	APRIL 9   5:30 PM Dan Frisbie, Volunteer
TUESDAY, APRIL 5 7:00 AM: †Andrew & Genevieve Kusek/ P Linder 8:10 AM: †Edmund & Lydia Semin/ Leroy Fiala	Servers Lector Greeters	Michael Frisbie, Michael Kolterman Rich Bohac Dan Pernicek Family
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6 7:00 AM: †Ron Vavra/ Mike Murphy 8:10 AM: †Erich Dybdal/ Jon Dybdal Family	Cantor <b>Sunday</b>	Beth Peery  APRIL 10   8:00 AM
THURSDAY, APRIL 7 7:00 AM: Aldeane & Frank Effinger/ Don & Pat Forst 8:10 AM: Mass of Gratitude/ G.S.	Acolyte Servers Lector	Jeff Spahr. Brandon Lindau Deklan & Kohltyn Lindau Linda Liska
FRIDAY, APRIL 8 7:00 AM: †Alan Hofer/ Peggy Bauer 8:10 AM: †Carol Kralik/ C.D. Smith	Greeters Cantor	Dave Coufal Family Janelle Smith
SATURDAY, APRIL 9 8:00 AM: †George Wenzl/ Sheila Lueders 5:30 PM: †Delores Ouellette/ Coufal Family	Sunday Acolyte Servers	APIL 10   10:00 AM Keith Wintz, Tim Dworak Eli Schluckebier, Ayden Martin

# Fifth Sunday of Lent, April 3, 2022

## **COLLECTIONS**

What is God asking of me?

Our response to the Lord last week

Tithing: \$5262.00 E-tithing: \$1045.00 Other: \$1340.00

#### **DIFFERENT WAYS OF GIVING TO PARISH**

- We have set a basket next to the bulletins this weekend where you can place your envelope,
- ◆ E-tithing—See notice on website for a form and instructions or in back of church in narthex.
- You can mail your tithing envelopes directly to the church at:

St. Vincent de Paul Church 152 Pinewood Ave, Seward, NE 68434

Check OUT <a href="http://formed.org">http://formed.org</a>

Parish Access Code: XGWYQP

#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES April

- 3 Baptism
- 3 Confession—7 pm
- 4 Schoenstatt Mtg—7 p.m.
- 10 Baptism
- 10 Penance Service—5 p.m.

#### **Save the Date**

Bee Nebraska's Buzz Run and Breakfast/ April 10th, 2022.

serving from 8am to1pm Entry forms available at:

www.villageofbee.com/buzz-run.html

### A LETTER FROM MSGR. TUCKER

Dear Parishioners,

Last Saturday was a tremendous Spirit event for our Parish. As I mentioned that evening it was great to get people together again. The event is a community builder, and viewing the evening, people really enjoyed themselves and spending time with fellow parishioners. There were also many people that were friends of St. Vincent parishioners that came to enjoy the evening and support our parish. These are benefits of the evening that outweigh the financial gifts that were given that evening.

The final numbers are not available yet for Spirit, but this year looks to be one of the best from a financial point of view. The gross income was over \$132,000 which is truly amazing given the economic squeeze with higher prices for many of our daily necessities. I am truly grateful for the hard work that went into preparation for this event, and for the sacrificial gifts of time, talent and treasure that made Spirit 2022 a success.

On to a completely different subject. I think there is a significant change taking place in our parish. The number of people that are unable to attend Mass is growing. There are more people that were attending Mass weekly, prior to COVID that are no longer able to attend Mass due to physical ailments. I feel there is a greater need to serve their spiritual needs, and I feel the need to ask for help in doing this work. I have a couple people that have volunteered to bring communion to people in their homes, and we could use more volunteers to help in this spiritual work. We also have people in the hospital that could receive communion on Sunday, if we have volunteers to help. If, after reading this, you feel that God is calling you to assist fellow parishioners in their spiritual need, contact me, and I will get a training session scheduled. I already have a couple of people interested in assisting in this capacity, and I want to schedule a training soon, so get your name in quickly.

Finally, remember that we have confession scheduled for Sunday evening at 7 pm, and then on April 10 our Penance Service is scheduled for 5 pm. God Bless you, and I am praying that your Lenten season is drawing you closer to Jesus.

Msgr. Tucker

# Congratulations

**Spirit Raffle Winners** 

\$1000—Scott Policky

\$500 Pac N Save Gift Card— Kathy Condon

Afghan and Pillows—Jackie Pernicek

## **ATTN VOLUNTEERS**

There are a couple of sign up sheets located on a table in the narthex. One is for Lay Ministers volunteering for Holy Week Liturgies. The other sign up sheet is for our summer lawn mowing program. Please look these over and if it is possible that you can help us out, sign up. St Vincent volunteers are the best!!!

#### LAST CHANCE

Last Chance for high school seniors to apply for Knights of Columbus and Parish Stewardship scholarships. Please submit to the church office no later than Sunday April 10<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Baptism**

of Dalton Anderson and Courtney Martenson, who was baptized, Sunday, Mar 27, 2022.

May he always shine with the light of Christ.

# Special Appeals

Many have contributed to the Special Appeals for Spirit 2022. So far we have received \$10,838 for the Stain Glass Windows and \$1,727 for Facilities Fund. You can make a gift to the Special Appeals by placing your gift in the collection basket or by bringing it to the office. Thank you.

# **Holy Week Liturgy Schedule**

**Holy Thursday, April 14th**Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7 p.m

Good Friday, April 15th

Sung Chaplet & Stations of Cross – 3 p.m. Good Friday Liturgy - 7 p.m.

**Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 16th** 8:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 17th 8 a.m. & 10 a.m.

NO CCD-GP on April 13—Holy Week

First Communion: Sunday, April 24 @ 1 p.m.

Confirmation: Thursday, May 5 @ 7 p.m.

Baccalaureate Mass: Sunday, May 15 @ 10 a.m.

Listed below are the April Firehawk Raffle Winners! Good luck to all who have yet to win. Maybe it will be your turn next month!

\$100 Mike & Barb Demuth \$50 Colby Perry \$75 Jeff Reimers \$35 Doris O'Brien \$50 Paula Petersen \$35 Ellen Jirovsky \$50 Gary Stava \$25 Tim Masek

\$25 Rose Pekarek

Proceeds for the month of April are going to help pay for a piece of the new Outdoor Explore Classroom. Our students are really excited to have an outdoor classroom with so many activities. Not only will it be something to play with for them, but it will be something they can learn with as they are playing.

# PENANCE SERVICE

Sunday, April 10 5 p.m.

Several priests will be available to hear confessions on that day. Additional confession will be announced later.

Additional confessions will be heard every Sunday evening during Lent at 7 p.m.

Easter Vigil confessions at 11 a.m.

Help us storm Heaven with prayers for pro-life legislation at the **Holy Hour for Life**, hosted by the Nebraska Catholic Conference and Diocese of Lincoln at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ (Lincoln) on Tuesday, April 5<sup>th</sup>. This special Holy Hour begins at 7:00 PM. The intentions will include our vulnerable neighbors, preborn children, our elected state senators, and the successful passage of LB933.