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MSGR. ROBERT TUCKER, Pastor
REV. JAMIE HOTTOVY, Priest in Residence

CONFESSION TIMES:
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WILL BE 20 MINUTES BEFORE 7 AM MASS
SATURDAY WILL BE FROM 4:30 TO 5:30 P.M.
SUNDAY WILL BE 30 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS

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MASS INTENTIONS:

- MONDAY, APRIL 6**
7:00 AM: NO MASS
8:10 AM: Erich Dybdal/ Jon & Tausha Dybdal
- TUESDAY, APRIL 7**
7:00 AM: †Sylvia & Joe Cihal/ Joyce Krska
8:10 AM: †James & Jolyene Koenig/ Michael & Susan Harrison
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8**
7:00 AM: NO MASS
8:10 AM: †Alan Hofer/ Peggy Bauer
- THURSDAY, APRIL 9**
7:00 AM: †DeRoyce Jelinek/ Sharon Jelinek
8:10 AM: †Russell Hans/ Safford Family
- FRIDAY, APRIL 10**
7:00 AM: NO MASS
8:10 AM: †Dorothy Kotera/ Marlene Morgan
- SATURDAY, APRIL 11**
8:00 AM: Fr. Ken Wehrs/ Terry & Lori Wehrs
5:30 PM: †Delores Ouellette/ Coufal Family
- SUNDAY, APRIL 12**
8:00 AM: For All Parishioners
10:00 AM: †Gloria Schneider/ Beth Peery

LAY MINISTERS:

- Saturday, April 11| 5:30 pm**
Acolytes: Dan Frisbie, VOLUNTEER
Servers: Michael Frisbie, Brodie Mayo
Lector: TJ Prochaska
Greeters: Craig & Alex Saalfeld Family
Cantor: Karen Coufal
- Sunday, April 12| 8:00 am**
Acolytes: Chris Greisen, Jeff Spahr
Servers: Cale Greisen, Beau Kenning
Lector: Jessica Hines
Greeters: Glen Hochstein, Gary Petersen
Cantor: Holly Saalfeld
- Sunday, April 12| 10:00 am**
Acolytes: Randy Bierbaum, Mitch Marshall
Servers: Bryce & Eli Kinnamon, Brady Boldt
Lector: Ryne Seaman
Greeters: Tony Schaben, Bill Sleight
Cantor: Natalia & Rebekah

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord April 5, 2026

COLLECTIONS

What is God asking of me?

Our response to the Lord last week

Tithing: \$6,160.25 E-tithing: \$ 0.00
Other: \$ 415.76

DIFFERENT WAYS OF GIVING TO PARISH

- ♦ Tithing envelopes received through the mail and returned in the offertory basket during Mass.
- ♦ E-tithing—See notice on website for a form with 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

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

April

- 5 Baptism
- 6-7 NO School SVDP
- 12 First Holy Communion - 1:00 p.m.
- 18 Bridal Shower
- 19 Baptism
- 20 K of C Meeting, Library - 6:30 p.m.
- 22 Confirmation Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.
- 24 SVDP Baptism Mass 8:10 a.m.
- 26 Pancake Breakfast
Confirmation - 4:00 p.m.

*Men's Group meets Saturdays at 6:30 a.m.

*OCIA meets Mondays at 7:00 pm

April Hostess Schedule

- APRIL 8- EMILY O'BRIEN 8:45-10:45
- APRIL 15- SUSIE BOGUS 8:45-10:45
- APRIL 22- AMANDA GODFREY 8:45-10:45
- APRIL 29- CHRISTY RUIH 8:45-10:45

For more info/addresses text Amanda 308-279-3092

MESSAGE FROM MSGR TUCKER:

Dear Parishioners,

"Christ is Risen! He is Risen indeed!" is the traditional Easter greeting, though not often used. The significance of Jesus resurrection is found through prayer and relationship with Jesus. The resurrection of Jesus conquered sin and death for us. The significance of this is truly found through prayer and relationship.

I was reading a meditation on the events of Holy Thursday and the author wrote that Jesus instituted the Eucharist that evening, and He also perpetuated it to the end of time with the institution of the priesthood. He also said that during the course of the meal he announced that one of the Apostles would betray him and another would deny Him three times. Of those that were with Him and His closest friends, one would betray Him and another deny Him. Those closest to Him, His priests were sinners and in need of the resurrection. They were in need, as every person is in need of sin being forgiven and life being restored.

We joyfully proclaim in greeting that "Christ is Risen!" because we are the recipients of His grace that poured from the cross to forgive us, and restore us to life with the Father.

I encourage during these next eight days, which we call the Octave of Easter, to read the resurrection stories, and meditate on this most important event in human history, and rejoice in the gift from Jesus that you have received through His passion, death and resurrection. God Bless you.

Msgr. Tucker



GRATEFUL AND BLESSED During this Lenten and Easter season, there have been so many volunteers. . . from the beautiful decorations, the inspiring music, men for washing of the feet on Holy Thursday and all of the lay ministers who helped with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Your service to St. Vincent de Paul parish is greatly appreciated! May you know God's love for you always!

FLOCKNOTE SIGN-UP St. Vincent's is sending out Parish news through Flocknote. Keep informed and up to date about parish news by signing up today using the link below. This link is good until April 15th!

<https://stvincentdepaul8.flocknote.com/signup/46970>

WEEK OF APRIL 5 - APRIL 11 Please pray for Collin Kuzelka, College 2 at St. Gregory the Great Seminary, from Hastings, NE. Please also pray for young women to discern a vocation to the Sisterhood in our Diocese of Lincoln Motherhouses.

pray for vocations
to the priesthood and religious life

2026 Bee Buzz Run & Breakfast 1 or 4 mile fun run/walk, Sunday, April 12th, Bee, NE. Call Dan, 402-641-2965 to enter. A buffet breakfast will be served at the Bee States Ballroom. Serving 8AM to 1PM. Public is invited. Free will offering.



ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH CHICKEN DINNER Sunday, April 26, from 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at Bee States Ballroom, Bee, NE. Adults: \$15 and Children (10yrs and younger): \$7. Drive-thru available to \$1 more. Bee Mass at 8 a.m.

St Vincent De Paul School would like to thank all Parishioners who purchased tickets this year for our Firehawks Club Raffle. We could not support the school without your help. Listed below are the April winners! Good luck to all who have yet to win. Maybe it will be your turn next month!

\$100 Gene Buhman	\$50 Ellen Jirovsky
\$75 Sandy and Ken Shaw	\$50 Janice Peery
\$75 Dean Elkins	\$40 Teller Hegeholz
\$50 Teresa TeSelle	\$40 Lisa Peery
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Proceeds for the month of April help pay for updates to the playground.

Firehawk News

25 YEARS OF FIRE AND FAITH: 25 DAYS OF CELEBRATION!

To celebrate 25 years since the opening of St. Vincent School, St. Vincent de Paul students will celebrate the last 25 days of school with a special activity each day. On the last day of school, May 13, the students and teachers will make a pilgrimage to St. Francis Church in Center, near David City. Monsignor will meet us there to celebrate Mass and to lead the prayers for a special indulgence. Pope Leo XIV has proclaimed a "Special Year of St. Francis" to honor the 800th anniversary of the passing of St. Francis of Assisi. The faithful may obtain a plenary indulgence by visiting any Franciscan conventual church or place of worship. All parishioners are welcome to join us at St. Francis for Mass and extra prayers. Since May 13 is also the feast of Our Lady of Fatima, on the way home, we will stop in Dwight to visit the Marian shrine there. This will be a pilgrimage to remember!!

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI, PRAY FOR US!
OUR LADY OF FATIMA, PRAY FOR US!



SPRIT 2026 Statements are available in the church office. Please contact Nicki at 402-643-3421 or email nichole-wintz@cdolinc.net.

Sacrament Dates for 2026

FIRST COMMUNION: Sunday, April 12 at 1 p.m.

CONFIRMATION: Sunday, April 26 at 4 p.m.

FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL is this Wednesday, April 8 at 7 p.m. Please bring banners if you haven't already. At least one parent is asked to be in attendance. Confessions for Gr. 2 CCD students will be included at the end of rehearsal (School students will have confessions during the day.)

FIRST COMMUNION NEXT SUNDAY at 1 p.m. Children should meet in the library (next to their classroom) no later than 12:45 p.m. at which time teachers will give a last preparation with children.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD FOR COR JESUS REX (VBS) which is the week of **June 8 - 12 from 9 a.m. to 2p.m. This week of fun and faith is for children who will finish Gr. 1-7 this year.** Registration forms are available outside the CCD Office. Contact carmen-brown@cdolinc.net with questions.

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES DUE MAY 1 The 2026 High School Graduates of SVDP should have received emails recently with information and forms to apply for Knights of Columbus Scholarships & Stewardship Award, both due to the church office by May 1. If you did not receive those, please contact carmen-brown@cdolinc.net.

CAMP KATERI REGISTRATION DISCOUNT DAY! We want to invite YOU to send your children to Camp Kateri this summer! Camp is a commitment that can change lives. We offer high adventure, competition, and transformative faith experiences. This is necessary in displaying to our campers that our faith is not boring, but alive and full of joy! Help your camper fall in love with Jesus and their faith and send them to Camp Kateri this summer!

- Who: Campers in 3rd - 12th grade & families
- What: 10% discount on SKY High Camps, 5% discount on all other camps!
- Where: www.campkateri.org
- When: April 6th (Easter Monday)
- Discount code: HEISRISEN



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