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MASS SCHEDULE

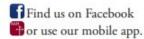
Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAYS

Monday thru Friday 6:40 a.m. & 8:10 a.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00-4:40 p.m. and after 5:00 p.m. Mass until finished 15 minutes before each weekday Mass



A Note from our Pastor...

Dear Martyrs Family,

Thank you for all the prayers and support as the priests of our parish attended the convocation called by our Bishop. Fr. John Riccardo gave conferences and the schedule allowed for reconnection with other brother priests. I am very thankful for such a gift of time.



I was also very thankful that Fr. Riccardo's presentations very much affirmed the direction our parish is taking. On June 8th, we're going to have a meeting for all leaders of our parish to discuss the fruit and implementation of our year with the input session and vision team. These leaders have been reached out to, and then we'll present to the parish as a whole at a later date.

This Sunday at the 9:30 a.m. Mass, we celebrate Corpus Christi, the Body (and Blood) of Christ, with a procession on our campus. I look forward to preaching about the Most Holy Sacrament, and I look forward to hearing Fr. Kovar's words too. This is the source and summit of our Faith, so it's good for me to hear the wisdom of a brother priest for my own meditations and relationship with our Lord.

Next week, we begin Charity and Stewardship Appeal (CSA, formerly DDP). This is the fundraising for the ways our diocese affects the world. Catholics change the world by assisting the poor, guiding the lost, accompanying the lonely ... but it only happens through support like yours. You may have heard other parishes giving to this already, but the leadership here at the parish wanted to space out the calls for giving. We don't want the relationship with Jesus Christ to be crowded or overshadowed by the appeals and asks of charity.

Pray for Deacon David Tines (pronounced Tee-nays) and Tyler Johnson as they move in this June 6th. Deacon will be preaching all the Masses the weekend of June 15th and 16th.

In Christ, ~Fr. Nathan Hall

ADORATION NEWS

Please sign up using the link below or contact Tamra Tran in the Parish office to sign up. Thank you.

<u>Monday</u>: 12: p.m., 1 p.m. & 3 p.m. <u>Tuesday</u>: 8 a.m., 1 p.m., & 3 p.m. <u>Wednesday</u>: 10 a.m., 12 p.m. & 7 p.m.

<u>Thursday</u>: 8 a.m. <u>Friday</u>: Noon & 2 p.m.

To sign up for a regular Eucharistic Adoration Hour, use link https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0848A9A92B0-perpetual There you will be able to sign up for the available hours. In addition to those who have signed up for a Holy Hour, all are welcome to join us in the Chapel to adore Him.

Come to me, all of you who are weary and loaded down with burdens, and I will give you rest." ~Matthew 11:28



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6:40 AM †Mary Ngu Nguyen 8:10 AM Fr. Nathan Hall

Thursday June 6 6:40 AM Paul Jueneman

8:10 AM †Melvin & Joanne Lostroh

Friday June 7

6:40 AM Robert Cook Family, Living

and Deceased †Rosemary Royse

8:10 AM †Rosemary F Saturday June 8

9:00 AM †John Lochner Jr.

Weekend Masses

Saturday
5:00 PM
Chris & Leigh Miller

Sunday
7:00 AM
Doug & Jen Goodwater
Family
8:00 AM
Jim & Angie Carraher
9:30 AM
Brittney & Rob Everett
Our Parish Family

EMERGENCY NUMBER

402-540-0398. Please add this number to your contact list. Call in the event of an emergency if a priest is needed.

SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP

Received Last Week	05-26-24
Adult Tithe Envelopes	
(139) Families	\$9,781
Adult Electronic Tithe (294) Families	\$12,669
Plate	\$1,328
Youth	\$0
Total Tithe Received	\$23,778
Weekly Tithing Goal	\$31,433
Rec'd to date:	\$1,528,065
Needed for Annual Budget	\$1,508,784
Annual Budget Overage/Shortage	
to Date	\$19,281

NAM NEWS

TOTUS TUUS MASS TIMES

The week of TOTUS TUUS, July 8-12, North American Martyrs will have Mass at 11:30 a.m. instead of 8:10 a.m.

TOTUS TUUS

TOTUS TUUS (Totally Yours), a summer catechetical youth program, is being held Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.—3 p.m. The day includes catechetical instruction, daily Mass, songs, games and recess. For high school youth, the program runs Sunday-Thursday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. TOTUS TUUS combines catechesis and having FUN!!! The youthfulness and energy of the team is contagious, come out and join us!!! Registration is available through the parish office. Cost is \$25 per student, and \$60 for families of 3 or more children. Participants in the grade school program should bring a sack lunch. Forms can be found on the Information table in the Narthex of the church.

SYMBOLON SERIES

Would you like to learn more about the Catholic faith? Would you like to receive the sacraments in the Church but are not sure what to do? Come to our education series Sundays following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. We will be watching the Symbolon series from the Augustine Institute over the next couple of months in the Kateri room. We will have coffee and refreshments for attendees.

CONCESSIONS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

All parishioners 16 and older are invited and needed to help with baseball concessions and Diocesan activities. Youth and parents who help with concessions can earn money for tuition. Contact Diana at dketch21@yahoo.com or call 402-304-4477 if you can help.

SEVEN SISTERS

NAM is starting a Seven Sisters Group to pray for Fr. Liam O'Shea-Creal. This apostolate is where one lady prays for Fr. Liam O'Shea-Creal for one hour on a given day of the week, starting June 17. More info can be found on the website sevensistersapostolate.org. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Pat Lanik at Pschied@mac.com or 402-429-4187.

NAM CALENDAR

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

7:30 a.m. Martyrs Men meets in the Kateri room 9:00 a.m.-Noon Morning of Mission starts with Mass at 9 a.m. and then will meet in the Parish hall

SUNDAY, JUNE 9

1:00 p.m. Baptism Class takes place in the Kateri room

XAVYER BOUREK, ALTAR SERVER OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to Xavyer Bourek for being nominated at North American Martyrs "Altar Server of the Month". This certificate of merit from the Knights of Columbus recognizes Xavyer for his faithfulness and dedication to the church, and for his exceptional services as an Altar Server.

To present the certificate, pictured below is Grand Knight, Dan Hannon, and Fr. Nathan Hall.



Lay Ministry for June 8/9

		Readers	ACOLYTES	Servers	SAFE SANCTU- ARY	GREETERS
5:0 PM	-	Rupp	Boesen Matulka	Peters Pfeifer Schroeder, A Schroeder, D	McPhillips Lochner	Peters Family
7:0 AN	-	Sousek	Bousquet Ketchmark	Nguyen, Thomas Codr	Eastman	
8:0 AN		Bourek	Volkmer Arndt	Bourek (2) Paasch Wilson	Kane	Seidl Family
9:3 AN	-	Heffley	Bassinger Wordekemper	Johnson, D Hoang, Peter Wiechman (2)	Feldhaus	Patzel Family
11:0 AN	-	Brown	Johs Wemhoff	Brown Wemhoff Murphy Sub Needed	Hannon Seberger	Meyer Family

JUNE 3-6 COMMUNION SERVICE

A Communion Service will be held at 6:40 a.m., June 3-6. We will not have confessions before these services.

The 8:10 a.m. Masses and confessions will at normal time.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

BAPTISM

The sacrament of Baptism is normally celebrated for our parishioners on Sundays after the 11 a.m. Mass. First time parents must attend a preparation class. The next Baptism class is scheduled for Sunday, June 9th at 1 p.m. To inquire, contact Tamra Tran in the parish office.

MATRIMONY

To be married at North American Martyrs, one or both persons of the engaged couple must be a practicing Catholic. To inquire about celebrating a wedding at NAM, call Fr. Nathan Hall at 402-476-8088.

FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, & CONFIRMATION

To register for preparation for the sacraments or for more information about catechesis for children for ages 6-18, call Carrie Odgaard at 402-782-1428.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

OCIA is modeled after how people were brought into the Church in the first centuries. The process is designed for those seeking baptism or confirmation as well as anyone simply wanting to learn more. Please contact the parish office for more information.

PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray with special love and concern for all those who are ill. Remember our sick: Jordan Barry, Margie Belger, Lilly Boeselager, Greg Bothe, Art Brase, Jennifer Brase, Roberta Cook, Todd Corliss, Carleen Crowe, Sue Coupe, Bella Cox, Jacob & Jaxson DaCunha, Britt Douglas, Angela Dudek, Gene Helget, David Fairbanks, Earl Franklin, Tina Frenzel, Sonja Gates, Tom Geardino, Marlys Goodwater, Tom Goodwater, Fran Green, Tom Green, Annette Helman, Diane Herms, Hayden Higgins, JJ Kalita, Diane Kankirk, Glee Komenda, Bill Kroll, Mary Langenberg, Le Blanc Family, Judy Lindholm, Clint Lochner, Nancy Murphy, Banks Nelson, Brian O'Dea, Paul Olson, Dean Oswald, Linda Pacula, William Parish, Julie Roberts, Mickey Roscoe, Chris Royal, Derek Ruth, Connie Skoglund, Tamela Skrdlant-Horn, Rose Stehno,

RITES

BAPTISMS

We welcome those who have been newly baptized. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in Christ.

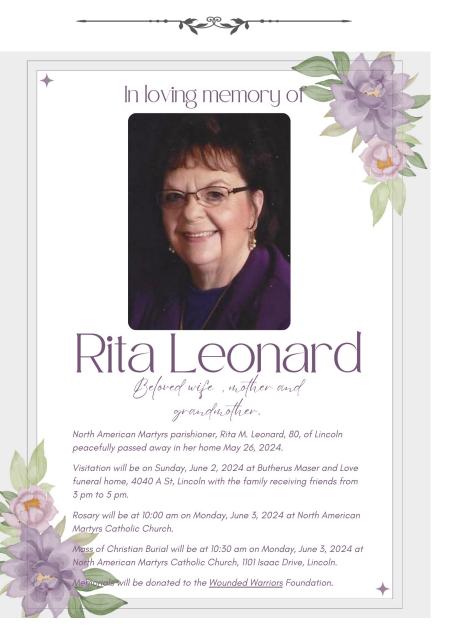
> Theodore Matthew Morton Son of Matthew & Emily Morton

> Kínsley James Wynn Daughter of Troy & Megan Wynn

Marriage

May God grant a happy and prosperous life to you both as you embark on your journey together as husband and wife. All the best for your wedding, as you are united in Christ on June 1st, 2024 at North American Martyrs Church.

Blaine Wood & Kiara Hochstein





With RaiseRight, you can always be fundraising for North American Martyrs, just by doing what you do every day. How it works: Earn by purchasing gift cards at face value from more than 750 top brands.

NAM parish and school received \$772 from RaiseRight for March and April.

Your earnings come directly from the brands you shop, not your pocket, so your gift cards are worth every penny. 50% of this school year (2023-24) family rebate earnings will be credited toward next school years NAM school tuition (2024-25). This can be used for Preschool - 8th grade next school year. When logging in, please use this link: https://www.raiseright.com/

Enrollment code: 3545FDFE4858

WOMEN OF MARTYRS NEWS

MEALS FOR THE PRIESTS

We are so grateful for everything that Fr. Hall and Fr. Kovar do for us and North American Martyrs Parish! They are very busy serving us and bringing us closer to Christ. Help them out by signing up to provide a meal for them during their busy weeks! Sign up here: https://mealtrain.com/od9604

JOIN A PLAYGROUP!

It's not too late to sign up to join a playgroup! How: Sign up using this link, and choose the days/times that work best for your family: forms.gle/9iFcdqJwBFkWdPX48. All gatherings are casual and optional! Questions, contact Jessica Redmond at redmondjessicam22@gmail.com.



MAGNIFICAT SUBSCRIPTION

MAGNIFICAT is a monthly publication designed for daily use, to encourage both liturgical and personal prayer. It can be used to follow daily Mass and can also be read at home or wherever you find yourself for personal or family prayer. Every day, in a convenient, pocket-sized format, MAGNIFICAT offers beautiful prayers for both morning and evening drawn from the treasures of the Liturgy of the Hours, the official texts of daily Mass, meditations, essays on the lives of the saints of today and yesterday, and articles giving valuable spiritual insight into masterpieces of sacred art.

The annual group subscription rate is \$26.00/each. That is a savings of \$23.00 off regular (individual price of \$49.00). If you would like to be a part of the group / bulk subscription, please turn in your payment to the Parish Office. The group subscription runs from August 2024 – July 2025.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Today as we celebrate the gift of the Body and Blood of Christ let us pray for those who are hungry, malnourished and starving.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry





COST Per Space 8' x 6' space, includes 8 table and chair(s)



9 AM to 3 PM

We ask each vendor to donate an item (\$10 value) for our raffle!



Reservation deadline: September 1st, OR when all spaces are filled.











WHERE DOES IT SAY THAT

in the Pro-Abortion Ballot Proposal?



THIS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT...

REMOVES PARENTAL RIGHTS

By using all "persons" instead of "women," any girl under the age of 18 could have an abortion without her parent's consent or knowledge.

LEAVES "HEALTH" UNDEFINED

Court cases define "health" exceptions to include emotional, psychological, and familial well-being.

THREATENS ALL HEALTH AND SAFETY REGULATIONS

The amendment risks eliminating 50 years of common-sense protections for women and girls against unsafe abortion practices. After passing a similar constitutional amendment, Michigan quickly repealed informed consent laws, and state licensing and inspection requirements for abortion facilities.

GIVES ABORTIONISTS THE SOLE DISCRETION TO DECIDE VIABILITY

Women seeking an abortion don't see their OBCYN or family doctor. They go to abortion practitioners. This ballot initiative gives power to abortion practitioners, who may not even be licensed doctors, to decide whether a baby is "viable."

CREATES A RIGHT TO LATE-PREGNANCY ABORTION

Babies born as late as 32-36 weeks need machines to help them breathe. This is an "extraordinary medical measure" necessary for their life outside the womb. Under the ballot proposal language, these babies are not 'viable" and may be aborted.

ARTICLE I, SECTION 31

OF THE NEBRASKA STATE CONSTITITION SHALL BE AMENDED TO READ...

"All persons shall have a fundamental right to abortion until fetal viability, or when needed to protect the life or health of the pregnant patient, without interference from the state or its political subdivisions.

Fetal viability means the point in pregnancy when, in the professional judgment of the patient's treating health care practitioner, there is a significant likelihood of the fetus' sustained survival outside the uterus without the application of extraordinary medical measures."

Dangerous. Deceptive. Demeaning



A Community Presentation on *Defeating* the Pro-Abortion Ballot Initiative

Pro-abortion activists are leading an effort to create a right to late-pregnancy abortion in the Nebraska Constitution.

Join pro-life champion Marion Miner of the Nebraska Catholic Conference to learn about this deceptive proposal, what the Catholic Church is doing about it, and how you can help defeat it.

June 22nd & June 23rd, 2024



Presentations After ALL Masses



North American Marrtyrs 1101 Isaac Dr, Lincoln, NE 68521



Donuts after Mass!



Advocate for the good, the true, and the beautiful in Nebraska. Scan the QR code to join the Catholic Advocacy Network of NE (CANN) or visit NECatholic.org/TakeAction.



Marion Miner
Associate Director of
Pro-Life & Family Policy
Nebraska Catholic Conference



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Blood Drive North American Martyrs Knights of Columbus

Catholic Church Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, June 11, 2024 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Please visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: NorthAmericanMartyrsLincoln to schedule an appointment.



Do Good Things! Come to give blood June 10 through 30 for a \$15 e-gift card! See rcblood.org/DoGood









FOOD DRIVE

Count toward this year's

WALK TO END HUNGER

June 2 - June 9

Most Needed Items:

- Oatmeal (not individual packs)
- Pancake Mix
- Syrup
- Jelly (low sugar if possible)
- Oil (olive or vegetable)
- Baking Items: salt, baking soda, baking powder
- Flour
- Sugar
- Canned Fruit
- Boxed Cake Mix
- Boxed Mashed Potatoes
- Condiments
- Tea Bags

Other ways to give...

TO DONATE MONEY TO THE CSS FOOD MARKET:

Visit **csshope.org**, click on the "Donate" button, and list "Food Market & Meal Services" as your designation. Mail cash/checks made out to "CSS Food Market": CSS | 2241 O St | Lincoln NE 68510

TO DONATE TIME TO THE CSS FOOD MARKET:

Visit **csshope.org/volunteerlincoln** & fill out our online application or reach out to Elli Wyllie at **ewyllie@csshope.org** | **402-327-6227.**





Vocation Pilgrimage Weekend with the **Daughters of St. Paul**



July 5-7 | St. Louis
9804 Watson Road

A vocational discernment retreat for single Catholic women ages 18-30.

Discover the Eucharistic spirituality and media mission of the Daughters of St. Paul, and participate in the Eucharistic Revival Pilgrimage as it passes through our city!



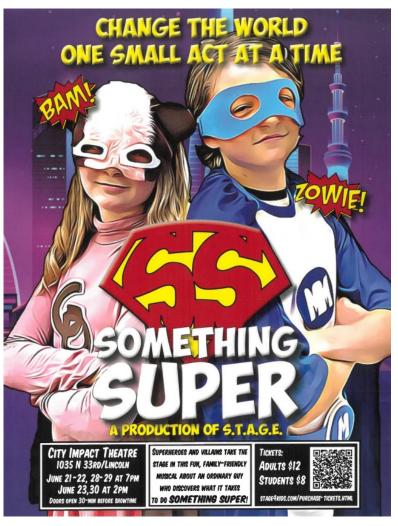
Register:

connect.pauline.org/vocational-pilgrimage

Questions? Contact Sr. Amanda Marie at stlouisvocations@paulinemedia.con







Salt Dogs Faith & Family Nights Join us at Haymarket Park! We have a variety of entertainment beginning 2 hours prior to games including, In-Stadium Chapel with the Players, Catch in the Outfield, Player Autographs, and Live Church Band on the Concourse. Bake Sales & Merchandise Booths on the Concourse will remain until the end of the game. Upcoming dates are: Sun. May 19 @ 1:05pm; Sun. June 23 @ 1:05pm; Sun. July 14 @ 1:05pm; Wed. August 28 @ 7:05pm.



SAVE THE DATE! Learn how to bring the peace of Christ into your relationship by taking part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

WHEN- September 27-29, 2024, WHERE-North American Martyrs, Lincoln, Nebraska. Other weekends available are Oct. 4-6, Grand Junction, CO; & Nov. 1-3, Dillon, CO. For questions, or to find out more about Virtual Encounter Weekends, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839, or visit www.wwme.org

First Friday Holy Hour - June 7, 2024 at 7:15 pm will be held at the Pink Sisters' Chapel 1040 South Cotner Blvd. Singing will be led by the Seminarians. Please help us pray for good vocations for our Diocese.



Thinking about attending the historic National Eucharistic Congress from July 17-21? There are limited spots available on the Diocesan pilgrimage, which can include transportation, hotel and ticket to the congress. Go to <u>lincolndiocese.regfox</u> for more information or to register!



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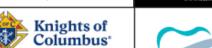


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