

<i>Mass Intentions:</i>		
31 January	Mon. 7:00 am	Earl Hascall +
1 February	Tue. 7:00 am	Mary Kubat +
2 February	Wed. 7:00 am	Pat Veik +
3 February	Thur. 7:00 am	Elizabeth Engel +
4 February	Fri. 7:00 am	Shirley Beuhrer +
5 February	Sat. 7:00 am Sat. 5:30 pm	Return to the Sacraments Leonard Baxa+
6 February	Sun. 9:00 am Sun. 11:30 am	Earl & Jean Hascall + People of the Parish

Collection:
1/2/22 \$ 3043.50
1/9/22 \$1146.00

Feasts of note this week:

Jan 31st. St. John Bosco: Patron Saint of Boys, Editors, Educators/Teachers & Youth

Feb. 2nd: Feast of The Presentation of the Lord:

Under the Mosaic Law, a woman was ritually “unclean” for 40 days after childbirth, when she was to present herself to the priests and offer sacrifice—her “purification.” Contact with anyone who had brushed against mystery—birth or death—excluded a person from Jewish worship. The observance spread throughout the Western Church in the fifth and sixth centuries. Because the Church in the West celebrated Jesus’ birth on December 25, the Presentation was moved to February 2, 40 days after Christmas. At the beginning of the eighth century, Pope Sergius inaugurated a candlelight procession; at the end of the same century the blessing and distribution of candles which continues to this day became part of the celebration, giving the feast its popular name: Candlemas

Feb 3rd: St. Blaise: Patron Saint of ailments of the throat & wool combers

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
30 January 2022
4rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5:00-5:20 pm
Sunday 8:30-8:50 am, 11:00-11:20 am
By appointment

DAILY MASSES: Mon.-Fri. & First Sat: 7:00 am.

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday Vigil—5:30 pm
Sunday — 9:00 am
11:30 am (Español)

NEWS AND IMPORTANT DATES:

First Saturday Devotion: Saturday Feb 5th there will be eucharistic adoration for the first Saturday devotion. Adoration will begin at 6:30am and will resume after the 7am Mass.

End of Year Statements: Statements will not be printed automatically this year. If you would like a giving statement from 2021, please let Fr. Morris or Theresa know by Jan 31st.

Blessing of Throats: After the 7am Mass on Feb 3rd, the Feast of St. Blaise, Fr. Morris will give the blessing of the throat for those who are seeking the intercession of St. Blaise.

Adult Bible Study: The adult bible study will continue in on Thursdays at 6:30pm. The topic on February 3rd will be chapters 13-15 of the Gospel of Luke.



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Sacramental Preparation: Children or adults preparing for any sacrament, including 1st communion or confirmation, must go through preparation and study before the sacrament can be administered. Anyone seeking a reception of sacraments in 2022 or 2023 must begin instruction as soon as possible. Please contact Fr. Morris to let him know of any candidates for the sacraments so a schedule can be worked out. For children this is normally done through weekly CCD.

- St. Joseph Prayer Chain:

- +For all the poor souls in Purgatory
- +For the end to abortion
- +For our Holy Fathers-Pope Francis, bishops, priests, sisters and brothers
- +For all seminarians, especially those at St. Gregory the Great Seminary
- +For our youth to accept and grow in vocations
- +For world peace, and our servicemen and women
- +For the Knights of Columbus prayer requests
- +For fallen away Catholics

Edith Weber	Jack Paulus	Cecilia Meeza	Delores Leininger
Sharon Reasland	Virginia Miller	Teresa Volesky	Mary Garvin
Brad Oschner	Juan Slazar	Diane Walz	Dennis Reddick
Cesaria Gabriel	Cecilia Martel	Jeff Almond	Erica Lauinger
Bill Kerber	Cathy Kamost	Salvador Palas	Lily Mead
Jordan Ortmeier	Fr. Allan Phan	Mike Kirwan	Kelem Fabrice
Doris Henvey +	Marlene Ostdiek	Diane Noak	Garry Veik
Kathy Rathman	Brenda Lang	Angel Valdivia	Randy Schulte

If you have any intentions you would like to add to the prayer chain, call Elaine Almond (402-772-7381) or Shirley Koenig (402-984-0692).

Marriage Encounter Experience: February 4--6 in Lincoln
Bringing our couple-communication to a heartfelt-exchange between us.
Call right-away to reserve a place. 402-370-5839.

Divorced?: Come find comfort, counsel, hope and healing consistent with Catholic Church teachings. The twelve-week video series & facilitator led Surviving Divorce program begins on February 7, 2022- 7-9pm, at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. A suggested donation of \$50 covers the cost of the program and includes the Surviving Divorce personal guide and all materials. Classes are kept small and may be registered for by contacting the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 or familylifeoffice@cdolinc.net

Rachels Vineyard Retreat: God forgave you but you can't forgive yourself? Attend a confidential Rachels Vineyard weekend retreat for post-abortion healing Mar 4-6. Scholarships are available. Contact helpingrachel@yahoo.com or call Heather 402-671-3749.

Reporting Hotline Reminder: The Diocese of Lincoln requires that its employees and volunteers report any allegations of abuse or neglect of a minor or elder connected with church related activity to law enforcement, consistent with the requirements of Nebraska law. If anyone has information that a minor or elder is being or has been subjected to abuse or neglect please report it immediately to local law enforcement or to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services toll-free number 1-800-652-1999, and also to any Parish Pastor, School Administrator, Teacher, or to any Diocesan official at the Catholic Chancery (402) 488-0921, so that immediate steps may be taken for the protection of the minor or elder.

WINTER MAGNIFICAT PRAYER MEAL—Saturday February 5, 9:30 a.m. at Hillcrest Country Club, 9401 East O Street, Lincoln, with guest speaker Father Allan Phan. He will share his journey to his Catholic Faith and eventually following God's vocation to the Priesthood. Father's heart is moved by how far Love (God) is willing to go for him and he desires to help others encounter Love to receive the same peace he has. Come hear Father Phan's inspiring testimony, and invite other women to join us in Catholic fellowship. Register by mailing your \$25 check payable to *Magnificat* c/o Tina Colgan, 521 N 56 ST, Lincoln, NE 68504. (students \$15) **Deadline is January 29.** For more information text Rhonda Litt at 402.525.6396 or call and leave a message 402.489.3819

Epiphany Baby Shower: The annual Epiphany Giving crib is in the back of the church. Please bring new baby clothes, supplies and/or diapers to assist our pregnancy centers and mothers in need.