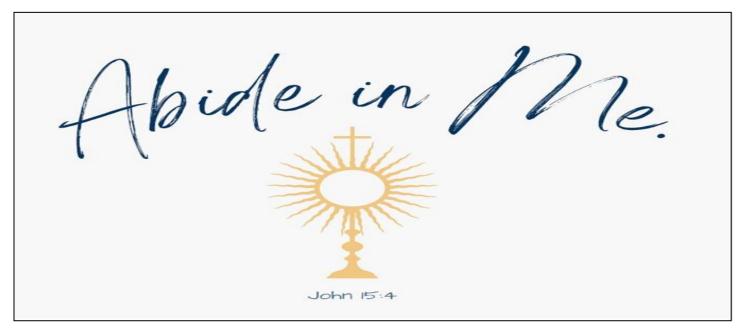
May 5, 2024 Sixth Sunday of Easter



SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:10am

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE Monday thru Friday 7:00 & 8:15am Saturday 8:15am

CONFESSIONS

Monday thru Friday 7:30-8:00am

Saturday 4:00-5:00pm

1/2 hour before each Sunday Mass



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Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, oh Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



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Mass Intentions

Monday, May 6

7:00am †George Rejda 8:15am Bruce Vanormer

Tuesday, May 7

7:00am †Harold Baran

8:15am †Andrew Joseph Miller

Wednesday, May 8

7:00am †Duane Goeser

8:15am Ron Wise

6:00pm Joanne Vanormer

Thursday, May 9: The Ascension of The Lord

7:00am †George & Lu Rejda

8:15am LaVerne laffaldano

6:00pm †Tim Gill

Friday, May 10: St. John of Avila

7:00am †Kay Tomlinson Kent

8:15am Fr. Borowiak

Saturday, May 11

8:15am †Neal & Anne Stark 5:00pm John & Mary Ackerman

Sunday, May 12: Seventh Sunday of Easter

8:00am Joy Martin

9:30am Special Intention

11:10am St. Michael Parishioners

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

<u>Deceased</u>: Carol Nisley, Steve Grandinetti, Carol Davenport (wife of Kent Davenport)

<u>Sick/Hospitalized</u>: Eric Thompson, Ryan Hamilton, Jim Skinner, Lisa Marks, Bernie Rupp, Dave Rabe, Hank Haines

<u>Military</u>: Brandon Petray, Christopher Wittwer, Ben Keaschall, Isaac Keaschall, Will Martin, Scott Burbach, member of US Navy, Virginia Beach, VA

Religious Sisters: Sr. Maria Christine Loan Tran, Vietnam, Jr. Professed Sister, Sisters of Mary, Queen of Mercy

Vocations to the priesthood and religious life **Farmers**—for a safe and productive growing season

We welcome newly baptized Jake Matthew, son of Allen and Erin Schmitz; Warren Joseph, son of Callen and Meghan Schwank; and Suede David, son of David and Mari Thibault, to the family of God. Congratulations!

Growing Disciples—A Note of Gratitude to all parishioners who participated in our tithing campaign. Your generosity is what makes this parish a community of faithful missionary disciples. See the attachment to the bulletin for a summary of your involvement.

Be the reason for someone's heartbeat... It only takes an hour to save THREE lives through blood donation! St. Michael Catholic Church is hosting a blood drive on Friday, June 7, 8am-2pm, in the commons of the school by appointment only. Use

www.redcrossblood.org. Contact Lori Koehn (402) 380-2601 or Katie Mach (402) 480-1274 with questions. Save a life and sign up today!

the QR code or go to



Parish Calendar

Senior Baccalaureate Mass, Sunday, May 5, 9:30am

OCIA, Sunday, May 5, 9:30am

High School Ignite, Sunday, May 5, 6:15pm

Pick Up Basketball, Sunday, May 5, 8pm

Nebraska Catholic Conference, Monday, May 6, 7pm

Women of Faith, Tuesday, May 7, 9am

Men's Group, Tuesday, May 7, 5:45am

AA Meeting, Tuesday, May 7, 6pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society, Tuesday, May 7, 6:15pm

Choir Practice, Tuesday, May 7, 7pm

Women's Ministry, Tuesday, May 7, 7pm

CCD, Wednesday, May 8, 6pm

Jr. High Ignite, Wednesday, May 8, 6pm

Women of Grace, Thursday, May 9, 9am

Knights of Columbus. Thursday, May 9, 7pm

Sunday Mass Prep, Friday, May 3, 9am

Saturday Morning Book Study, Saturday, May 11, 8:45am **8th Grade Graduation Mass,** Thursday, May 16, 6pm

\$28,591

The Ascension of The Lord is celebrated on May 9. This is a Holy Day of Obligation and the parish office will be closed. Mass times are Wed. May 8 at 6pm, Thurs. May 9 at 7am, 8:15am, and 6pm.

Rosary Leaders: May 4/5: 5:00 Rentschler, 8:00 Curry, 9:30 Vint, 11:10 Wood May 11/12: 5:00 Olson, 8:00 Martin, 9:30 Odgaard, 11:10 Sasse

April 28, 2024 Parish Offering Mass Collections \$13,306

ACH 10,336
Online 4.949

Thank you for your stewardship!

Total Parish Offering

You can support St. Michael Parish through online giving <u>here</u>. For ACH giving or other financial questions, please contact our Business Manager, shannon-

dohmen@cdolinc.net or call the parish office.

The 2024 Annual Charity & Stewardship Appeal will kick off this weekend, May 4-5. CSA benefits many essential programs in our diocese, including the Family Life Office; Youth Ministry; the UNL Newman Center; Hispanic Ministry; Catholic Social Services; Hospital, and Nursing Home Ministries, and more. The theme for the appeal this year is "For Such a Time as This" (Esther 4:14) and our parish goal is \$17,200. You may sign your pledge card before or after Mass on May 4/5, 11/12, and 18/19 in the narthex

NEW - Church & School Instagram Search, follow, and share @stmichaellincoln on Instagram for updates from St. Michael Catholic Church & School! You can also stay connected on Facebook by searching "St. Michael Catholic Church - Lincoln"

Rosary Making 101—St. Michael PCCW will be hosting classes to make rosaries. Join us to learn how! Multiple class times available. See the attachment to the bulletin for details or call/text Kris with questions: 908-531-2522 or stmichaelparish_krism@yahoo.com.

Give Kids Hope, Take the Credit! Nebraska taxpayers who want to support students in need of financial assistance to attend a school that works best for them are now offered a tax credit for contributions to Opportunity Scholarships of Nebraska (OSN). St. Michael is a preferred school so you can direct your contribution to benefit families right here in our parish! Better yet, the tax credit application and payment process just got easier with OSN's new online portal. Go to givehope.nebraskaopportunity.org for more information.

You're invited to a special parish presentation by the **Nebraska Catholic Conference** on combating the pro-abortion ballot initiative. Learn why this initiative threatens women and babies in Nebraska and how we can defend life together. Join us on Monday, May 6, 7pm, St. Michael meeting room in the Church. *Bring a friend!*

In the Gospel today, Jesus says to us, "this is my commandment: love one another as I have loved you...You are my friends if you do what I command you" **By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you fulfill this commandment.** To donate financially to St. Vincent de Paul Society, click here. Contacts: Wayne Vestal 303-918-5939 wjvestal@gmail.com; Steve May 402-440-7458, sacmay47@gmail.com.

Mother's Day Flowers— Carnations will be sold after all Masses next weekend, May 11/12. The free-will donations will benefit Birthright of Lincoln.

Interested in learning more about an inspiring female Saint? Join us this summer for an **Endow study on St. Edith Stein: Seeker of Truth.** Endow (Educating on the Nature and Dignity of Women) seeks to educate women toward a more profound understanding of their God-given dignity through study in small groups of faith and friendship. Rooted in the teachings of Pope St. John Paul II, Endow affirms the genius of women—the feminine genius—and empowers them to fulfill our culture's desperate need for an authentic feminine presence in every aspect of life and society. We will meet on Thursday afternoons from 1:00-2:30 P.M. this summer starting June 6 and ending on August 8. To register for this study, contact Joy Martin at joy-martin@cdolinc.net. Click here to purchase the book: <a href="mailto:https://www.endowgroups.org/store/adult-study-guides/study-guide-st-edith-stein-seeker-of-truth/





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July 22-26: 1-8th grades

July 21-25: 9-12 grades





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The Good Shepherd is calling you by name. Do you have a desire to expand your wonder, awe and enjoyment of Scripture and the Liturgy? Adults in our community are invited to a faith formation course using the method of Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) taking place at St. Peter beginning July 14, 2024. "Unless you turn and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 18:3. Participants who enroll in this course will learn how to be a co-listener to God with young children and receive

some of the richest truths of our faith in a manner that is worthy for 'the greatest in the kingdom of heaven'. (Matthew 18:4) For more details, questions and to enroll, see the QR code or contact St. Peter CGS catechist Sarah Novak sarahnovak@cdolinc.net.



Chess Club at North American Martyrs is open to all children ages 6+ and meets 10:30am-12pm on Sundays in the Multi-Purpose Room (enter through library entrance). Contact tamara-tran@cdolinc.net for more information.

Women's Care Center in Lincoln is seeking a Bilingual (English and Spanish) Parenting Instructor. Training is provided. This position is part-time. If you have a passion for helping pregnant women choose life, please send your resume to Ashley at acapuyan.wccindy@gmail.com.

Villa Marie School is looking to hire a Special Education Teacher for the 2024-25 school year. Please call Sr. Jeanette Rerucha at 402-786-3625 or email sr.jeanettererucha@cdolinc.net.

Pianist Wanted at St. Patrick Church, Lincoln. Please contact Fr. Schweiger at 402-466-2752 or fr.troy-schweiger@cdolinc.net.

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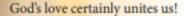
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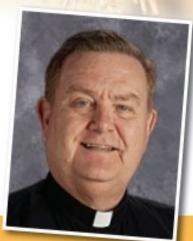
This is evident in the parish response to our recent annual stewardship outreach. THANK YOU! I am humbled and grateful for your commitment to St. Michael Catholic Church, especially during challenging times. Through your commitment, our parish remains vibrant, engaged and Christ-centered in the Eucharist and in serving one another.

God's work is never done! Your prayerful response both materially and spiritually is setting the groundwork for a path forward as we plan for the future of our parish and continuation of critical ministries and service programs. St. Michael Catholic Church continues to grow as a strong, faith-filled stewardship community because of parishioners like you!

With every good wish,

Tre Kenneth Borowiak





Highlights

\$263,804 \$10,845

yet realized)

(contributions not

one-time gifts

53%

from those actively supporting the parish

new families welcomed into our parish community

additional electronic giving participants

If you have not yet renewed your commitment to our parish, please return your commitment card within the next few weeks. We are looking for 100% participation from our parish families! Each response makes a huge impact!

Our Mission

Joyfully worship and make the Eucharist our core and Summit

- Attend Mass
- Attend Adoration
- Actively participate in the Liturgy
- · Pray with others

Our Community

Develop and grow a personal relationship with Christ

- Through scripture and Bible study
- Celebrate the Sacraments
- Join a book study, small group, or class
- · Pray to find Christ in everything and to grow in faith

Our Witness

God asks us to share our gifts for the good of others

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- · Practice corporal works of mercy
- · Give in faithful response as a generous steward

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Monday, May 6th



7:00 PM



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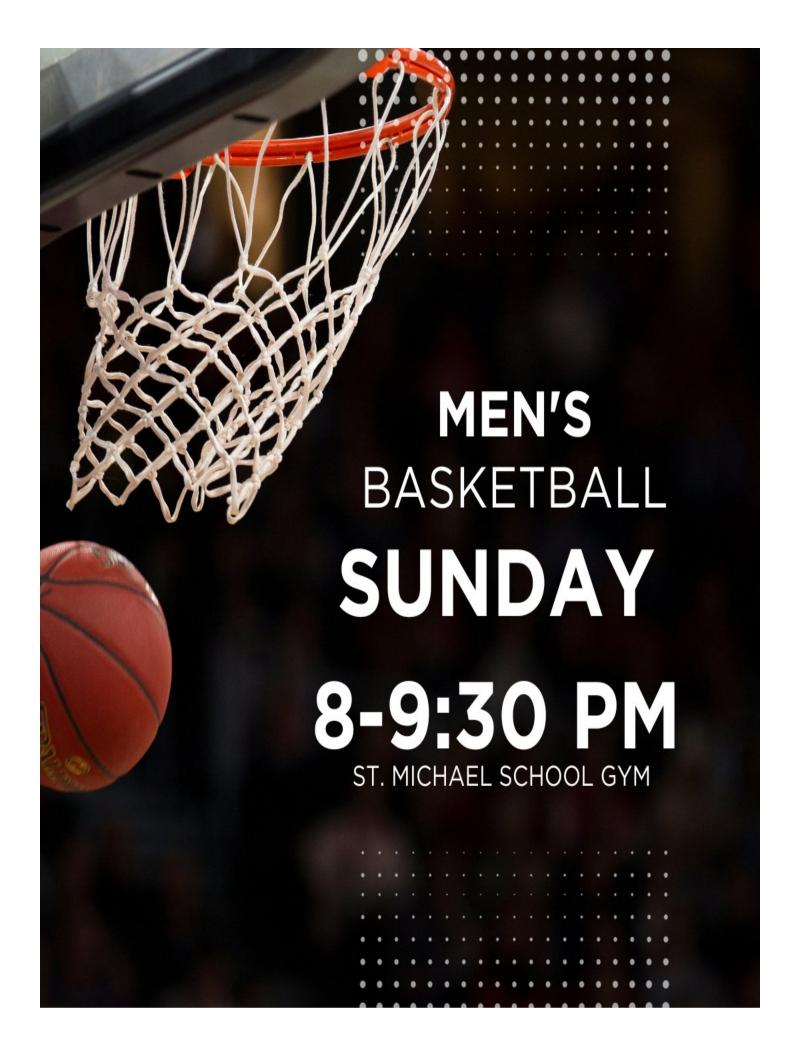
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