

# March 10, 2024 Fourth Sunday Of Lent

Abide in Me.



John 15:4

## 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

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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, March 11

7:00am †Carol Slagle  
8:15am †Andrew Joseph Miller

### Tuesday, March 12

7:00am †Lucille Rejda  
8:15am †Alfred Husen

### Wednesday, March 13

7:00am Linda Terrano  
8:15am Phyllis Bryant

### Thursday, March 14

7:00am Shaye Terrano  
8:15am Jude Gill

### Friday, March 15

7:00am †Beth Sposato  
8:15am †Tom Clark

### Saturday, March 16

8:15am Cole Gill  
5:00pm †Lloyd Holles

### Sunday, March 17: Fifth Sunday of Lent

8:00am Evelyn Hunt  
9:30am Knights of Columbus  
11:10am St. Michael Parishioners

#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

**Deceased:** Susie Newcomer, Luke Hall

**Sick/Hospitalized:** Eric Thompson, Jim Skinner, Rich Morris, Ryan Hamilton, John Love, Charles Wilson

**Military:** Brandon Petray, Christopher Wittwer, Ben Keaschall, Isaac Keaschall, Will Martin

**Diocesan Seminarian:** Tyler Johnson, Mount St. Mary Seminary, Emmitsburg, MD, Theology 1, son of Todd and Leah Johnson, St. John, Lincoln

**Religious Sister:** For young women to discern a vocation to the Sisterhood in our Diocese of Lincoln Motherhouses

**Pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life!**

**Liturgical Ministry** sign up for [March](#) and [April thru June](#) is open to all families and individuals who wish to be greeters and/or ushers at Mass. *Thank you for participating in this vital ministry!*



**Remember your loved ones with Easter lilies and plants which will decorate the church at Eastertime! They are \$25 each and can be purchased [here](#) or on our website at [stmichaellincoln.org](http://stmichaellincoln.org). You can also fill out the form below and include it with a check payable to St. Michael and put in the collection basket at Mass. A list of names for memorials and celebrations will be published in the Easter week bulletin. Deadline to order is March 24.**

**Family name:**

**In memory of:**

**In honor of:**

## Parish Calendar



**OCIA**—Sunday, March 10, 9:30am

**High School Ignite**, Sunday, March 10, 6:15pm

**Pick Up Basketball**, Sunday, March 10, 8:00pm

**Time For God Lenten Book Study**, Monday, March 11, 6:30pm

**Men's Group**, Tuesday, March 12, 5:45am

**Women of Faith**, Tuesday, March 12, 9:00am

**AA Meeting**, Tuesday, March 12, 6:00pm

**Choir Practice**, Tuesday, March 12, 7:00pm

**CCD**, Wednesday, March 13, 6:00pm

**Jr. High Ignite**, Wednesday, March 13, 6:00pm

**Women of Grace**, Thursday, March 14, 9:00am

**Knights of Columbus Meeting**, Thursday, March 14, 7:00pm

**Legion of Mary**, Friday, March 15, 8:00am

**Sunday Mass Prep**, Friday, March 15, 9:00am

**Stations of the Cross**, Friday, March 15, 2:30pm and 6:00pm

**Senior Fun Club**, Friday, March 15, 6:30pm

**Holy Family Shrine Pilgrimage**, Friday, March 15, 6:30pm

**Saturday Morning Book Study**, Saturday, March 16, 8:45am

**Breakfast Burritos To Go**, after all Masses March 16 & 17

**Lenten Penance Service & Holy Hour**, Sunday, March 24, 3:00pm

**Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hours**, Sunday, April 7, 3:00-5:00pm

#### March 3, 2024 Parish Offering

Mass Collections \$11,731

ACH 6,701

Online 7,604

Total Parish Offering \$26,036

**Thank you for your stewardship!**

You can support St. Michael Parish through online giving [here](#). For ACH giving or other financial questions, please contact our Business Manager, shannon-dohmen@cdolinc.net or call the parish office.

**Rosary Leaders: Mar 9/10:** 5:00 Olson, 8:00 Curry, 9:30 Odgaard, 11:10 Wood; **Mar 16/17:** 5:00 Wiest, 8:00 Martin, 9:30 Bokemper, 11:10 Sasse

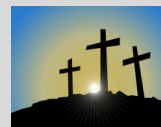
#### † † † Holy Week Schedule † † †

**Holy Thursday** - Mass: 6pm, Confess: 7-9pm, Adoration: 7-Midnight

**Good Friday**—Stations: 3pm, Confess: 4-5pm, Passion Service: 6pm

**Holy Saturday**—Confess: 11-noon, Easter Vigil: 8:30pm

**Easter Sunday**— Masses: 8:00, 9:30, 11:10am



**Thank you** to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card! If you have not yet had the opportunity to submit your card, a letter will be mailed to you with a personalized Commitment Card. Each and every one of you is a vital member of our parish community, and we want to hear from you! This is an opportunity to **reflect upon and renew** your sacrificial commitment to support the mission of St. Michael Catholic Church. If you prefer, you may make a one-time gift to the parish. If you would like to fill out your Commitment Card online, please visit our parish website at [stmichaellincoln.org](http://stmichaellincoln.org). Feel free to contact the parish office if you have questions (402) 488-1313.



**St. Michael Knights of Columbus** will be selling **"Take and Go" breakfast burritos** in the Narthex after all Masses on **March 16 & 17** for a suggested free will offering of \$2. Feed yourself and feed your soul by supporting the Knights!

**Eucharistic Adoration**—Open hours: **Sun:** 12, 1, 2, 4am, 1, 3pm; **Mon:** 1, 3am; **Tues:** 12, 1, 2am; **Wed:** 2, 3am; **Fri:** 1, 2, 3, 7am, 5, 9, 11pm; **Sat:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 11am, noon, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8pm. Contact cindy-schilmoeller@cdolinc.net.

In today's Gospel God demonstrates great love for us by sending his Son so that we may believe in him. We demonstrate our great love for God by doing good works: reaching out to others, acting in justice and charity. **Have you considered answering the call to serve the poor by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?** To donate financially to St. Vincent de Paul Society, click [here](#). Contacts: Wayne Vestal 303-918-5939 [wjvestal@gmail.com](mailto:wjvestal@gmail.com); Steve May 402-440-7458, [sacmay47@gmail.com](mailto:sacmay47@gmail.com).

**Marian Mantle Silent Strength Prayer Group** to pray for the return of our prodigal children to the Faith. We will meet at 4:00 PM on March 12th at Cathedral of the Risen Christ; 35th and Sheridan Blvd, followed by Mass at 5:00. Contact [kneuge-ba@gmail.com](mailto:kneuge-ba@gmail.com) for more information.

**St. Michael Catholic School** has one opening for a highly qualified, skilled, innovative, and enthusiastic person to teach Math for grades 6-8 for the 2024-25 school year (Math education experience a plus). To learn more about this position and/or to apply, please send a letter of application and resume to Principal Ashley Rockey at [Ashley-Rockey@cdolinc.net](mailto:Ashley-Rockey@cdolinc.net).



**St. Michael Men's Golf League**—Monday evenings beginning April 15, Hidden Valley Golf Course. Tee times start at 5:30pm. All levels of golfers are welcome. Come on out and enjoy some good golf and fellowship with your fellow parishioners! Contact Jimmer Noel at [jsno-el@windstream.net](mailto:jsno-el@windstream.net).

**The Emmaus Institute for Biblical Studies** is excited to offer a half-day seminar on the Passion and Resurrection of Jesus and the Shroud of Turin, titled *Shrouded in Mystery*. The seminar will feature a keynote presentation by Shroud expert, Jim Bertrand, in addition to a life-size replica of the Shroud itself. The event will be held at St. Gregory the Great Seminary in Seward on Saturday, March 16, at 9:00am. For more information and to register, visit [www.emmausinstitute.net](http://www.emmausinstitute.net).

Join Fr. Coulter for an **Easter Tuesday Pilgrimage** to Gower, MO Benedictines of Mary and incorrupt Sr. Wilhelmina on **Tuesday, April 2**. (Easter Monday is full). Begin at St. Michael in Lincoln with 7:00 AM Mass and stop at Cathedral of St Joseph, MO, return by 6:15 PM. \$70 includes charter bus, snacks and lunch. Make your reservations early at [frcoulter.com/EasterMonday](http://frcoulter.com/EasterMonday) or call 402-786-2705.

Join the **Salt+Light Young Adult Community** (ages 21-39) for a weekend of events with the hosts of the Godspaining Podcast! Saturday, March 16: Contrite of Heart day retreat; Saturday Night: Pint Night 7-9pm; Sunday, March 17: 10am Mass at St. Mary's. For more info and registration for the retreat, go to [04 YM: Salt and Light Retreat \(regfox.com\)](http://04YM:SaltandLightRetreat(regfox.com))

**MEN ON FIRE MEN'S CONFERENCE** – Take back what belongs to you. It's time to live the life that God intended for you! Join Bart Schuchts from Church on Fire March 16, 2024 at St. Mary's in Denton, Ne. Mass at 8am, Conference from 9am-3pm, Exposition and Confessions 3pm-4pm. Registration \$25 includes lunch and refreshments. Register online at <https://www.osvhub.com/dentonstmarys/giving/funds/march-16-2024-men-on-fire-conference>. Call St. Mary's Parish Office at 402-797-2105 for more information.



Come to St. Robert Bellarmine in Omaha on **April 26 and 27, 2024**, to hear friends from EWTN and Catholic Answers speak on **THE EUCHARIST: The Source and Summit of our Faith**. This 2-day symposium will feature: **Fr. Wade Menezes, Tim Staples, Coleen Kelly Mast, Joe Heschmeyer, and Stacy Trasancos**. A bookstore will be open before, during, and after the symposium with a Saturday box lunch available for pre-purchase. *The symposium will be held from 7 - 9:30 pm Friday April 26, and 9 am - 4:30 pm Saturday, April 27. Tickets are \$25 each. For more info and to purchase tickets, go to [spiritcatholicradio.com/april](http://spiritcatholicradio.com/april)*



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# Time for God - Lent 2024

# "Abide in Me"

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			February 14 Ash Wednesday Masses: 7:00, 8:15 AM and 6 PM	15	16 Stations of the Cross 6 PM	17
18 First Sunday of Lent	19	20	21	22	23 Stations of the Cross 2:30 and 6 PM	24 First Penance 10 AM
25 Second Sunday of Lent Candlelit Student Adoration/Confessions 6:30 - 7:30 PM	26 Time for God Study 6:30 - 8 PM	27	28	29	March 1 Stations of the Cross 2:30 and 6 PM	2 Children's Story Time 9 AM
3 Third Sunday of Lent	4 Time for God Study 6:30 - 8 PM	5	6	7	8 Stations of the Cross 2:30 and 6 PM	9
10 Fourth Sunday of Lent	11 Time for God Study 6:30 - 8 PM	12	13	14	15 Stations of the Cross 2:30 and 6 PM Holy Family Shrine Pilgrimage, 6:30-8:30PM	16
17 Fifth Sunday of Lent	18 Time for God Study 6:30 - 8 PM	19	20	21	22 Stations of the Cross 2:30 and 6 PM	23
24 Palm Sunday Penance Service 3 PM	25	26	27 Confessions 6- 8 PM	28 No Daily Masses Holy Thursday Mass: 6 PM Confessions: 7-9 PM Adoration 7 - Midnight	29 No Daily Masses Good Friday Stations: 3 PM Confessions: 4-5 PM Passion Service: 6 PM	30 No Daily Masses Holy Saturday OCIA Practice: 9 AM Confessions: 11-Noon Easter Vigil: 8:30 PM
31 Easter Sunday Masses: 8, 9:30 and 11:10 AM	April 1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Divine Mercy Sunday Divine Mercy Holy Hours 3-5 PM	8	9 Confirmation 10 AM	10	11	12	13 First Holy Communion 10 AM

## Fasting and Abstinence Guidelines During Lent

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.



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### ST. JOSEPH



- Feast Day - March 19
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- The carpenter's square symbolizes Joseph's trade and the lily represents his purity
- He is descended from royal lineage, the line of David



## DID YOU KNOW...

### Three Traditional Pillars of Lent

**Prayer** should increase in order to deepen your dependency on God.

**Fasting** removes good things in order to heighten that dependency on God.

**Almsgiving** entrusts all that we have received back to God

***Always remember that your penance should not be a penance to others.***

## CATHOLIC CULTURE CORNER



### Salt Dough Crown of Thorns

A salt dough crown of thorns can inspire your child(ren) to do penance throughout Lent. Talk to your child(ren) about the crown of thorns that Jesus wore on the day of his death. Explain that we can lighten Jesus's load and pain by making sacrifices throughout Lent. Let your child(ren) remove a thorn each time a sacrifice is made. On Easter, decorate the thornless crown like a royal crown!

Directions:

- 4 c. flour + 1 c. salt + warm water + toothpicks
- combine flour and salt in a big bowl
- add warm water until dough is tacky
- mold dough into 3 strands, braid dough
- use toothpick to create holes in soft dough
- bake in oven @ 350 degrees for 35 min (or until hard and dry)
- remove from oven, allow to cool
- place "thorns" (toothpicks) in crown
- place crown in a central location in your home

## DIGGING DEEPER

Watch this hilarious, kid friendly VeggieTales video which tells the history of St. Patrick, who first took the Good News about Jesus to Ireland.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gBhG-7pj43E>



### Discussion Questions:

- What bad thing happened to the boy in the story?
- What did the people in Ireland believe about God?
- What did the boy do when he was lonely?
- What's the deal with the shamrock?



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# CHURCH ON FIRE PRESENTS: **MEN ON FIRE**

WITH **BART SCHUCHTS**

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2024

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## TAKE BACK WHAT BELONGS TO YOU

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Answer the call of St. John Paul II,  
quoting St. Catherine of Siena:

"BECOME WHO GOD MEANT YOU TO BE AND YOU WILL  
SET THE WORLD ON FIRE."

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

**8am Mass**

-St. Mary Church-

**9am - 3pm Men on Fire Conference**

-Denton Community Center-

**3pm - 4pm Exposition and Confessions**

-St. Mary Church

Lunch and Refreshments Provided

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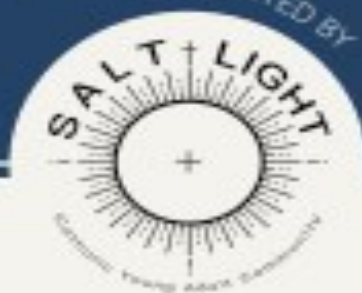
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PINT NIGHT

7-9P | THE CHARGING STATION, HAVELock

SUN  
MASS

10AM | ST. MARY'S, LINCOLN

PRESENTED BY



Fr. Gregory Pine

Fr. Jacob-Bertrand  
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Fr. Joseph-Anthony Kress

A close-up photograph of a basketball hoop with a white net and an orange rim. A basketball is visible in the lower-left corner. The background is dark with a grid of white dots.

# **MEN'S BASKETBALL SUNDAY**

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