

May 12, 2024 Seventh Sunday of Easter

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

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 13: Our Lady of Fatima

7:00am Intentions of the Marian Sisters

8:15am †Eric Clark

Tuesday, May 14: St. Matthias

7:00am Ben & Chelsea Joekel

8:15am Phillis Bryant

Wednesday, May 15: St. Isidore

7:00am †Brent Sasse

8:15am Intentions of Bill & Jeanne Kee

Thursday, May 16

7:00am †Lucile Rejda

8:15am †Thomas Kalathil

Friday, May 17

7:00am †Deceased of Weitzel, Thiellen, & Davis Families

8:15am Bruce Vanormer

Saturday, May 18: St. John I

8:15am †Brother J. Karimpanil

5:00pm †Tom Clark

Sunday, May 19: Pentecost

8:00am Intentions of the Marian Sisters

9:30am Knights of Columbus Members

11:10am St. Michael Parishioners

Parish Calendar

High School Ignite, Sunday, May 12, 6:15pm

Pick Up Basketball, Sunday, May 12, 8pm

Women of Faith, Tuesday, May 14, 9am

Men's Group, Tuesday, May 14, 5:45am

AA Meeting, Tuesday, May 14, 6pm

Choir Practice, Tuesday, May 14, 7pm

Women's Ministry, Tuesday, May 14, 7pm

Intercessory Prayer Group, Wednesday, May 15, 4:30pm

Jr. High Ignite, Wednesday, May 15, 6pm

Rosary Making 101, Wednesday, May 15, 6pm

Women of Grace, Thursday, May 16, 9am

8th Grade Graduation Mass, Thursday, May 16, 6pm

PCCW Prayer Shawl Group, Thursday, May 16, 6:30pm

Legion of Mary, Friday, May 17, 8am

Sunday Mass Prep, Friday, May 17, 9am

Senior Fun Club, Friday, May 17, 5:30pm

Saturday Morning Book Study, Saturday, May 18, 8:45am

Pentecost Party, Sunday, May 19, after 8:00 & 9:30 Masses

St. Michael Parish Block Party, June 9

Totus Tuus, July 20-26

Rosary Leaders: May 11/12: 5:00 Olson, 8:00 Martin, 9:30 Odgaard, 11:10 Sasse **May 18/19:** 5:00 Wiest, 8:00 Gaarder, 9:30 Bokemper, 11:10 Zach

May 05, 2024 Parish Offering

Mass Collections \$7,627

ACH \$7,358

Online \$8,648

Total Parish Offering \$23,633

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-dahmen@cdolinc.net or call the parish office.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Sick/Hospitalized: Eric Thompson, Ryan Hamilton, Jim Skinner, Lisa Marks, Bernie Rupp, Dave Rabe, Hank Haines, Josie Osweller, Henderson Kelly, Bill Nowak

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

Religious Sisters: Sr. Maria Theresa Vi Nguyen, 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 **Oliver Greyson**, son of Anthony and Julie Nguyen, & **Miles Joseph**, son of Austin and Hayley Reed, to the family of God. Congratulations!

Mother's Day Flowers Celebrate Mom today with the gift of flowers! Carnations will be sold after all Masses this weekend, May 11/12. The free-will donations will benefit Birthright of Lincoln.

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 the QR code or go to

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 2024 Annual Charity & Stewardship Appeal launched last 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, with any funds received above our goal coming back directly to St. Michael.** You may sign your pledge card before or after Mass on May 11/12 & 18/19 in the narthex.

NEW - Church & School Instagram Search, follow, and share

@stmichaellinc on Instagram for updates from St. Michael Catholic Church & School! You can also stay connected on Facebook by searching "St. Michael Catholic Church - Lincoln"

St. Michael Matt Talbot Food Ministry served 210 meals on April 29. Thank you to all who helped! Remaining dates for 2024 are: July 29, September 30, & December 30.

Thank you to all who donated clothes for Birthright of Lincoln. We were able to give them three large, overstuffed bags full of clothing!

St. Michael Traveling Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Sign up [here](#) to have the statue delivered to your home for a one-week stay. Questions? Contact Mary Kroon (402) 310-0132

Liturgical Ministries Calling all acolytes, lectors/readers, servers, greeters, and ushers: please be sure to [sign up](#) for Masses now through June. We appreciate your help in assisting at Mass each weekend!

As we recently celebrated the feast of the Ascension, we are reminded that Christ's saving work on earth continues through his disciples...and now through us. **When we give to the poor, God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our hearts, into our lives and into the hearts of those who are poor.** 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.

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: <https://www.endowgroups.org/store/adult-study-guides/study-guide-st-edith-stein-seeker-of-truth/>

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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 sarah-novak@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 tama-ra-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 offering GED tutoring 2 days a week from June 10 – July 31, from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Days and hours are flexible. Please contact Sr. Jeanette at sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net for more information.

Pius X High School has a variety of summer camps for sports, the arts and Math. Visit PiusX.net/camps to learn more.

Marian Mantle Strength Prayer Group All are welcome to join in prayer for the return of our prodigal children to the Faith. Meets in Rector's Hall at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ, 4pm on May 14th.

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AFTER 8:00 & 9:30 MASS
ON PENTECOST
5/19/24

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Growing Disciples

NOTE OF GRATITUDE

God's love certainly unites us!

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,

Fr. Kenneth Borowiak

Father Kenneth Borowiak



ST. MICHAEL
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Highlights

\$263,804

in additional offertory commitments (contributions not yet realized)

\$10,845

committed in one-time gifts

53%

response rate from those actively supporting the parish

2

new families welcomed into our parish community

62

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!

We Invite You To:

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

- Join a parish ministry
- Volunteer to charitable causes
- Practice corporal works of mercy
- Give in faithful response as a generous steward

**HONOR OUR BLESSED VIRGIN MOTHER
IN MAY BY MAKING ROSARIES**

**St. Michael PCCW presents....
Rosary Making 101**

Dates/Times

May 1st 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm St Michael Room
May 15th 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm St Michael Room
May 22nd 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm St Michael Room
May 29th 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm St Michael Room

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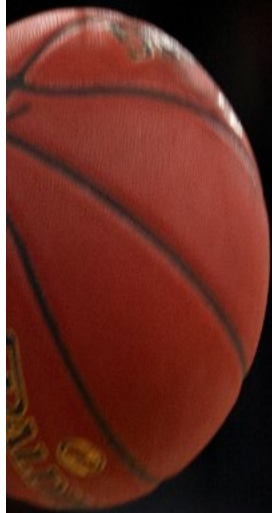
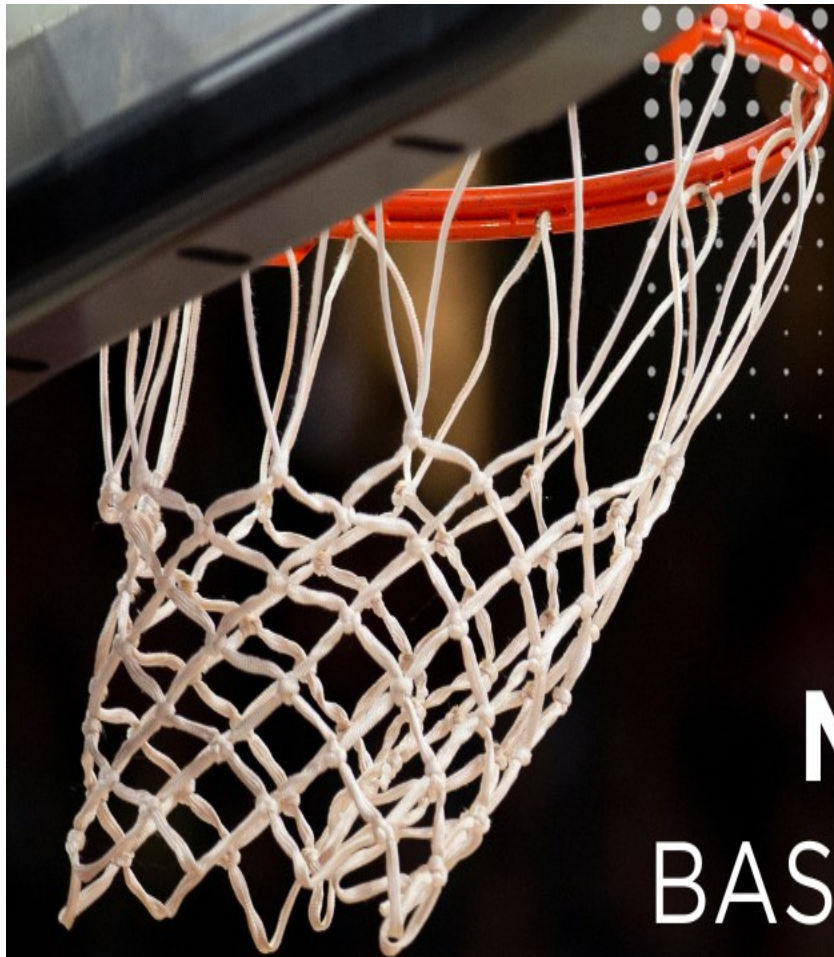
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