



St. Michael's / St. Mary's

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Confession schedule: Saturday 4:45 PM to 5:15 PM

20th Sunday of Ordinary Time

August 17/18, 2019

St. Michael's and St. Mary's Parishes would like to extend a warm welcome to all who are visiting us or are new to the area. If you are not currently registered at St. Michael's or St. Mary's and consider this your Parish, please call the Rectory at (402) 729-2058.

St. Mary's Parish Council: Duane Bartek & Ritchie Burkhart

Trustees: Bob VanWesten and Bob Bachle

St. Michael's Parish Council: Chris Goeking, LeAnn Krause, Mary Prellwitz, John Ragland, Deb Jones, and Megan Grant

Trustees: Chris Goeking and Randy Prellwitz

St. Mary's PCCW: Deb Vanwesten

BULLETIN: If you have news for the bulletin, please call the Rectory 402 729-2058 or email st.michael.fairbury@gmail.com.

Deadline for additions -Thursday by 10:00 AM.

ADOPT A PRIEST: Our Deanery is taking part in the "Adopt a Priest" program. St. Michael's has adopted Fr. Leo Seiker; Please pray for him.

Knights of Columbus: Randy Prellwitz

St. Michael's PCCW: Carmen Ragland

CCD Coordinator: Georgann Friedrichsen

Ministers' Schedules August 24/25, 2019

	5:30 PM	8:00 AM	10:00 AM
Acolyte	Bruce Busing	Bob VanWesten	James Huber
Lector	Chris Higgins	Scott DeWald	Ronn Brackle
Server	Salvador Chavez		RJ Suey
Server			Braden Suey
Music	Mary Prellwitz	Lorrie Hofstetter	Janice Bell
Gifts/Greet	Lori Arnold	John & Donna Rut	Ronda Cary
Collection	Mary Prellwitz/John Ragland		
Church Cleaning for August - Rhonda Burkhart			

Mass intentions Aug. 19th - 25th

Day	Time	Intention
Monday	Noon	Evelyn Birkel
Tuesday	NO MASS	NO MASS
Wednesday	Noon	Special Intention of Genie Czuba
Thursday	5:30pm	Special Intention
Friday	Noon	Special Intention of BM
Saturday	9:00am	Alexandria: Special Intention
	5:30pm	Fr. Brad Zitek+
Sunday	8:00 am	The People of the Parishes
	10:00 am	Lupe Medina+

Parish collection data:

<u>August 11, 2019</u>	<u>St. Michael's</u>	<u>St. Mary's</u>
Adult	\$1,135.00	\$255.00
Loose Plate	108.00	17.50
Children	4.00	
Online Giving	50.00	
Cemetery	50.00	350.00
Holy Day	10.00	
Total	\$1,357.00	\$622.50

Debt Reduction

Loan Total

Current Totals: Due Dec. 2020

Joy of the Gospel Rebates 6,946.01
Debt Reduction Envelopes 1,458.62

Amount needed for 2020 Payment \$8,955.70

PARISH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

It takes \$2,089.36 a week to run St. Michael's Parish.
Operation Cost \$2,039.84
This week's Collection \$1,307.00

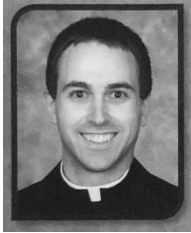
SHORTAGE!! \$732.84

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: He is a fool who cannot be angry; but he is a wise man who will not.
-Proverb

Please pray for: Frank Kosmacek * Eddie Lytle * Vonja Scheer * Steve Graff
Megan Vales * Jo Nease * Lee Rine * Evelyn Birkel * Bob Gibson * Paul Prellwitz
Tim Cary * Joshua Black * Deb Jones * Elaine Eisenmenger * Mary Kay Bedlan * Linda Telecky

If you or someone you know would like our parish family to join you in prayer for their special needs, please contact the parish office.

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



JONATHAN INMAN
from Risen Christ
Cathedral in Lincoln, NE
is in a Spiritual Year at
St. Charles Borromeo
Seminary.

SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR SEPTEMBER ADORATION AND SEMI-POT LUCK

are in the back of church.

CCD COORDINATOR Thank You to Georgann Friedrichsen for agreeing to be our new CCD coordinator.

CCD TEACHERS AND SUBSTITUTES are needed. If you are interested or able to help with this please contact Father.

THE FAIRBURY DEANERY meeting will be on Thursday, August 22 at 10:00 am in Fairbury. Hebron will be in charge of bringing the rolls to the meeting. Fairbury will provide the drinks. We will eat lunch at Rowdy's for those wishing to stay.

PCCW SUNDAY BRUNCH after Mass on August 25. Suzy Busing, Linda Kapke and Diane Stone hosting.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTION will be the weekend of August 24/25. On the ballot are: Chad Manns, Chris Higgins, and Bethany Hansmire.

PCCW is looking for someone to take over as President as of January 1st, 2020.

LINCOLN FAMILY FEST Saturday August 17. There will be family games and Bishop James Conley will say a unique outdoor mass with a special Family Blessing. The night will end with a concert, with former "News Boy" Bryan Olesen and VOTA. This unique event is free, for more details go to www.Lincolnfamilyfest.com

DIOCESAN SACRED MUSIC CLINIC Saturday, August 24, 2019, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm at the Newman Center in Lincoln. For more information, go to <https://www.lincolndiocese.org/liturgy> or contact Fr. Daniel Rayer at fr.dan-

rayer@lincolndiocese.org or 402-488-0921.

SERVANT WORKSHOP A 3 part series will be given by Matt Simmons, Director of Evangelization & Spiritual Formation, this fall on Sept. 9th, Oct. 7th & Nov. 4th, 2019 at John XXIII Diocesan Center from 6:30-8:30pm. The workshop is intended for anyone involved in apostolic work. The workshop is free and registration is kindly requested. For topic details and to register please visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/03-oe-servant-workshop-fall-2019>.

Questions? Call 402-473-0615 or email Annette-Wemhoff@cdolinc.net

FATHER/SON PROGRAM for boys age 10-14 and their father will be held Sunday, September 22, 2019 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$20 per father/son or \$30 per family. Questions, please call the NFP Offices 402-473-0630. To register visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/father-son-program>.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE in Waverly announces its new schedule of 2019-2020 retreats. Please save the brochure insert in this week's Southern Nebraska Register to see the full schedule of upcoming retreats and themes, or visit www.goodcounselretreat.com.

DIRECTOR NEEDED The Willow Center is seeking a self-driven leader to become its Center Director. Located at the Indian Creek Mall in Beatrice, this part-time position is seeking one who feels called to make a difference in the lives of the smallest humans and in the lives of their mothers and family. Information about the position and an application may be obtained by emailing your resume or a brief summary of your qualifications to: info@willowcenter.net. Or call 402-228-6411.