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# ST. ELIZABETH

# ANN SETON

# CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pastor: Fr. John Birkel  
 Parish Coordinator:  
 Ashley Perlinger (Ministries,  
 website, sign, choir, miscellaneous)  
 Parish Council Members: Mikala  
 Miller, Don Kuchta, Cindy Swanson,  
 & Ron Tejral  
 Trustees: Duane Johnsen & Spencer  
 Hampton  
 Mass Times: Saturday 5:00pm,  
 Sunday 10:00am, Weekdays & Holy  
 Days as posted in bulletin  
 Confession: Saturdays 4:00pm-  
 4:30pm, Sundays 9:00am-9:30am  
 Offered any time by appointment.  
 Half hour before Friday Masses for  
 15 minutes

**Baptism**  
 Contact priest to set up  
 appointment.

**Matrimony**  
 Contact priest first before date is  
 set and at least 6 months prior.  
 Classes and retreat required.

**Anointing of the Sick**  
 Contact priest or parish office.

**Education: Family Home Study or  
 Catholic School; Adult Entry into  
 Catholic Faith (O.C.I.A), contact  
 office or pastor for more  
 information.**

\*All bulletin news due at noon the  
 Wednesday before the Sunday it is to  
 appear. Email rectory-office@seas-np.org.\*

## March 1, 2026: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent

<i>Mass Intentions</i>		
Monday 3/2	7:00am	Liv/Dec KOC Members
Tuesday 3/3	No Mass	
Wednesday 3/4	5:30pm Stations 6:00pm Mass	+Tyler Jacob Beckius
Thursday 3/5	8:00am	+Pauline Vandenberg
Friday 3/6	5:30pm	NP Alumni & Book of Memories
Saturday 3/7	8:00am 5:00pm	Matthew Davis Missa Pro Populo
Sunday 3/8	10:00am	+Robert Langhorst

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS March 7 – 8, 2026 (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
<b>Lector/Reader</b>	Jim Nisley	Cindy Swanson
<b>Acolyte</b>	Phil Heimann	Spencer Hampton
<b>Server</b>	Elijah Heimann	Eidren Hampton
	Volunteer Needed	Keaton Hampton
<b>Music</b>	Monica Mordja	Peggy Orr
<b>Gifts</b>	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
<b>Ushers</b>	Galen Warburton	Dave Beran

**Stewardship: February 22, 2026:** Adult- \$2,458, Loose Plate- \$340.75,  
 Total- \$2,798.25

**Save the date – March 21st and 22nd – the Annual Dessert Auction**, sponsored by the Daughters of Charity! Bring your family favorite dessert or food item to be auctioned to the highest bidder! All foods should be brought in a container that will be auctioned with the item. The auction will be held in the Parish Hall following the weekend Masses. Funds received will assist the Daughters of Charity in defraying the expenses to provide the Pew Missals, Altar Breads, Wine, Candles & the many social events and receptions that the Parish hosts! COME JOIN THE FUN!

**There will be no Adoration** on March 4<sup>th</sup>, so those who wish to attend Fully Alive at St. Pat's, can.

**Fully Alive:** Come join us for FULLY ALIVE Holy Hour event at St. Patrick's in North Platte on Wednesday, March 4th at 6pm. A powerful evening with Jesus in the Eucharist. Let your soul be fed and heart set ablaze through the Word, praise & worship, and Eucharistic Adoration. Prayer teams and Confession will be available. Fellowship & ice cream to follow.

**Men suffer too:** The following is a letter written by a man who lost his son to abortion: Dear John Peter, In the fall, John, when the leaves fall from the trees I shall think of you, for you too fell from life. In the cold of winter, John, the snow shall remind me of you: for like the snow you were and are white and pure. In the spring, John, I shall think of you: for the birth of spring shall remind me that you, too should have been born into this world. John, I shall think of you in the summer: I shall imagine your laughter. I shall see you as you might have been, a little boy running and playing, scraping your knees from a fall. I shall miss, John, all that I might have gained from your life. May you rest in the arms of God, Dad. Men struggling with the temptation and wounds of abortion can find help through Priests for Life at [www.FatherhoodForever.org](http://www.FatherhoodForever.org).

**Save the Date - Spring Magnificat Prayer Meal - March 21, 9:30 a.m. to Noon** in the new Sacred Heart Parish Center, 3127 T Street with ROSEMARY CLEMENTS sharing her Testimony, her Magnificat! Be a friend and bring a friend as in the Visitation when Mary and Elizabeth shared the Joy of the Holy Spirit in Gratitude and Praise of Our Lord! The Morning Star Chapter of Magnificat is

celebrating our 30th Anniversary 1996-2026! A special thank you to all the women of our Diocese who have supported the Ministry! Register by March 15 at <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/prayermeal/march21> "Glorify the Lord with me. Let us together extol His Holy Name!" Ps 34:4. Please contact Coordinator Rhonda Litt by text at 402.525.6396 for further information.

**The North Platte Community Food Pantry** provided 80,479 meals to our community in 2025. Thank you for your support!

**Catholics at the Capitol:** Do you want to put your faith into action? Join fellow parishioners and Catholics from across the state for Catholics at the Capitol in Lincoln on March 4th! It's an all-in-one day of education, advocacy, and prayer for the common good, plus the chance to watch live debate in the Nebraska Legislature and meet directly with your State Senator. Whether you're a policy pro or have never set foot in the State Capitol, this event is for you. You'll learn about the issues that matter most to Catholics for the common good and how we can be a voice for the vulnerable. Wear red for Catholic unity! Register today at [NEcatholic.org](http://NEcatholic.org) and let's represent your parish and the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women!

**Theology on Tap:** Adults ages 21-45, please join Theology on Tap at APEShip Brewing on March 15th, for fellowship, drinks and a dynamic speaker! Deacon Michael Davis will be our speaker. The event starts at 6pm.

**Please pray for** Nicholas Hanus of St. Joseph Parish in Ashland. He is in College 4 at St. Gregory the Great Seminary.

**Please pray** for young women to discern a vocation to the Sisterhood in our Diocese of Lincoln Motherhouses.

**Prayers Requests:** Pat Benson, Gemma Felton, +Ken Niedan +Jason Rodriguez +Jim Huebner +Donna Sullivan +Harrison Schreurs +Paul Nordquist +Rex Boggs +Daniel Gruber