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ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pastor: Fr. John Birkel
Parish Coordinator:
Ashley Perlinger (Ministries,
website, sign, choir,
miscellaneous)
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.*

November 23, 2025: Christ the King

Mass Intentions		
Monday 11/24	7:00am	McKenna Ketter
Tuesday 11/25	8:00am	NP Alumni & Book of Memories
Wednesday 11/26	5:30pm	McKenna Ketter
Thursday 11/27	8:00 am	Ron & Mary Kate Tejral & Family
Friday 11/28	No Mass	
Saturday 11/29	5:00 pm	Missa Pro Populo
Sunday 11/30	10:00 am	Ben & Lauren Burke

LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS November 29 – 30, 2025 (1st Sunday of Advent)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
Lector/Reader	Mary Herout	John Bode
Acolyte	Phil Heimann	Duane Johnsen
Server	Elijah Heimann	Kieran Tejral
	Volunteer Needed	Kolbe Tejral
Music	Volunteer Needed	Matt & Ashley Perlinger
Gifts	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
Ushers	Galen Warburton	Dave Beran

**Stewardship: November 16, 2025- Adult \$2,285, Loose Plate- \$252.37,
Holy Day- \$20 Total: \$2,557.37**

Good Counsel Retreat House: Great Marian Saints and Prophets: December 19–21 | With Fr. Elias Mary, F.I. "Of Mary, one can never say enough." Join Fr. Elias Mary, F.I., for a weekend retreat exploring the lives and prophetic messages of great Marian saints—St. Louis de Montfort, St. Maximilian Kolbe, and Bl. William Chaminade—and how their devotion to Our Lady leads us closer to Christ. The retreat begins Friday at 8 p.m. with Rosary and Mass and concludes Sunday at noon with lunch. Available in-person or online. Register at goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705

The Daughters of Charity are collecting small bottles of lotion, soaps and shampoos, non-slip socks and religious Christmas cards to be given to residents at North Platte care facilities in December. If you are able to donate, please drop off items in the narthex.

December 8th is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception and it is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be on Sunday, December 7th at 4:00pm, and Monday, December 8th at 7:00am.

We will have Christmas choir practice Mondays at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall, beginning on Monday, November 24. All are welcome—please join us!

Advent Angels share kindness and spread joy to fellow parishioners during the Advent Season. Send a card, let your person know you are praying for them, give a small gift, do something kind for your person without revealing your identity. If you would like to participate, sign up on the sheet in the narthex, with your name, full address and phone number. Drawing of names will be the first weekend of Advent, November 29 - 30th. Advent Angels will be revealed on Sunday, January 4th during the potluck held honoring the Feast Day of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton. In order to have an Advent Angel, you must be an Advent Angel. If you have questions, please contact Jane at jekuchta1@gmail.com or 402-310-3036.

From Fr. Birkel- A Varied Study: Thursday evenings at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall, I will take questions on Scripture or Theology. Instead of presenting a Bible study on a particular path that I might want to talk about, I will make it available for what you want to know.

Advent Healing Mass: All are welcome to receive physical, spiritual, and mental healing. Sunday, December 14, 2025 St. Patrick Church 409 East F Street, McCook, NE 4:00pm Mass: Celebrant Rev.

Christopher Barak of Lincoln, NE. Come early for the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:30pm. Confession available 3:00 – 4:00 – EVERYONE is WELCOME – Please spread the word! *Soup supper after Mass*

Please pray for Sr. Mary Chiara Middendorf of Gretna, NE. She is taking her First Vows at the School Sisters of Christ the King.

Please pray for Joshua Jeffrey of Cathedral of the Risen Christ Parish in Lincoln. He is in College 2 at St. Gregory the Great Seminary.
In Honor of Jesus Christ, the Eternal King

In Honor of Jesus Christ, the Eternal King: Of every pond and stream that flows, Of every rock and pebble small, Of every river and ocean wide, Out every mountain vast and tall, Of every moon and star above, Of every storm and rain and hail, Of sleet and fog, of ice and smog, Of summer breeze and winter gale, Of every island in the sea, Of every animal that walks, Or crawls or swims or flies or rests, Or chirps or barks or howls or squawks, Of every place by men unknown, Not yet discovered or explored, Of every height and every depth, Of sites beloved and abhorred, Of every kingdom, empire, state, Dominion, country, monarchy Of village small and city great Of men of power and majesty, Of house and home and property, Of kitchen and of living room, Of bedroom, hallway, stairway long, Of playground and of working room, Of every act, desire, and wish, Longing, passion, weakness, strength, Of every heart that longs and laughs, And cries and tries and waits at length, Of all who suffer and who wait For justice or for daily bread, Of all who triumph and are glad, Of all who middle paths do tread, Of every woman, man and child, Of every creature large and small, Of every sinner, saint and angel, Jesus Christ is King of all! Yes He is King; yes, Christ is King! No start or end and never failing, His reign engulfs infinity O'er all existing things prevailing. Yet men are weak and often question When many evil things they see. Christ waits for them to realize That He is wiser than are we. He is aware of all that is, He knows our problems, needs and fears, His Providence is now at work And Jesus' final triumph nears. Then let us rise in greater faith To tell the world of His great name, That when the King returns, we may For lack of faith not blush with shame. Amen! -- Fr. Frank Pavone

Prayers Requests: +Barbara Rasmussen, +Deb McCaig