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ST. ELIZABETH

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pastor: Fr. Rand Langhorst
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choir, miscellaneous)

Bookkeeper: Natalie Gifford (bookkeeping, Diocesan data

entry)

Mass Times: Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 10:00am, Weekdays & Holy

Days as posted in bulletin Confession: Saturdays 4:00pm-

4:35pm, Sundays 9:00am-9:35am 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: CCD, Sundays 11:30am-12:30pm. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A), contact office or pastor for more information. Office Hours: Mondays 8:30am-

1:30pm.

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

June 25, 2023: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions		
Monday 6/26	8:00 am	Bruce Spindler
Tuesday 6/27	8:00 am	Jim Svec
Wednesday 6/28	5:30 pm	+Mary Safford
Thursday 6/29	8:00 am	+_Renate Nordquist
Friday 6/30	8:00 am	Names Book Blessing/Memories
Saturday 7/1	5:00 pm	Missa Pro Populo
Sunday 7/2	10:00am	+Frank & Florena Schneweis

LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS July 1-2, 2023 (13th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
Lector	Jim Nisley	John Bode
Acolyte	Ed Rieker	Ron Tejral
Server	Alex Krondak	Jacob Birulkin
	William Krondak	Johnathan Birulkin
Music	Greg Vandenberg	Choir
Gifts	Volunteer	Volunteer
Ushers	Galen Warburton	Volunteer

Stewardship: June 18, 2023: Adult Envelopes- \$2,472.00 Peter's

Pence \$55.00

<u>Please welcome</u> Abigail Lyons who registered in our parish last week.

A silver-haired lady calls her neighbor and says, "Please come over here and help me. I have a very difficult jigsaw puzzle and I can't figure out how to get started." Her neighbor asks "what is it supposed to be when it's finished?" She replies "According to the picture on the box it is a rooster." Her neighbor decides to go over and help with the puzzle. She lets him in and shows him where she has the puzzle spread all over the table. He studies the pieces for a moment, then looks at the box, then turns to her and says, "First of all, no matter what we do, we're not going to be able to assemble these pieces into anything resembling a rooster" He gently takes her hand and says "Secondly I want you to relax, let's have a cup of tea and then with a deep sigh.... Then let's put all the Corn Flakes back in the box."

The Peter's Pence Collection (July 1-2) enables the Holy Father to respond with emergency financial assistance to requests to aid the neediest throughout the world—those who suffer as a result of war, oppression, and natural disasters. It likewise provides the faithful with a tangible opportunity to not only empower the weak, defenseless, and voiceless, but also sustain those who suffer.

Called to the Silence: 3 Day Directed Ignatian Retreat Opportunities: God speaks to you in the silence. Are you ready for some quiet time away to pray, to listen, to be? Steep yourself in our sacred space, to be still and open yourself up to the graces God has for you. You will meet with an Ignatian-trained spiritual director daily to reflect on what's stirring in your heart. Opportunity for mass daily and confession. Retreat cost including room and meals is \$375. Choose one of the 2 opportunities to attend: July 16-19, 2023, October 26-28, 2023. Retreats begin at 6:00 p.m. the first evening, and ending the last day by 3:00 p.m. Register at www.creighton.edu/retreatcenter/scheduleofretreats

Catholic Daughters Court of our Lady Fatima

1549 are planning an Ice Cream Social, Card Bingo and optional White Elephant Gift Exchange (\$5 limit), immediately following our July 3 meeting in the St. Patrick's Spiritual Life Center at 6 PM. Come see if you want to be a part of our organization.

"Experiencing a heart-to-heart exchange inside our couple-love." Marriage Encounter Experience Sept. 22--24 in Hastings. Call right-away to reserve a place Contact Gary & Brenda Granger 303--604-6202.

New Parish Directory in Progress! New families and new faces, updating the last directory (2014), connecting and building our parish family community are all reasons to invest in choosing to become part of the new picture directory. Picture taking will occur August 24 & 25 from 2-8:30 pm and August 26 from 10 am -4 pm in the parish hall. To schedule one goes online between now and July 31 by going to www.ucdir.com and then enter church code NE216 and then password photos or if you have no computer access one can schedule in person on July 8-9 or 29-30 weekends after the Masses in the narthex. A mailing with all information will arrive to all registered parishioners this week. If you do not receive a letter contact the church at seasparishcoordinator@gmail.com. Those participating will receive free one 8 x 10 portrait and a free directory. If you choose to use the opportunity you can also arrange for multiple portrait orders ranging from wallet size to 20"x"24" with customizable options or cd with pictures. Arrangements have been made with Church Directory Photos (they recently did a directory for Holy Spirit Church and several in our diocese).

Join Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House on Saturday July 29th from 1:30-6:30pm for "Day for Dad's" with Fr. Eric Clark and Jeremy Ekeler. Other upcoming retreats are Men's TLM Preached Spiritual Exercises retreat on July 7-9 and 4-Day or 8-Day Ignatian Directed Retreat July 12-16, July 16-20, or July 12-20 with Matt Simmons or Fr. Coulter. Read more and register at www.goodcounselretreat.org, email office@goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

<u>Thank you to Ron Tejral</u> and helpers for making our mailbox compliant with city regulations.

<u>Vacation Bible School</u> at Holy Spirit Church: July 10th-13th from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. For students K-5th. Registration forms available in the Holy Spirit Gathering Area and Parish Office.

Almighty and ever-faithful Lord, gratefully acknowledging Your mercy and humbly admitting our need, we pledge our trust in You and each other. Filled with desire, we respond to Your call for discipleship by shaping our lives in imitation of Christ. We profess that the call requires us to be stewards of Your gifts. As stewards, we receive Your gifts gratefully, cherish and tend them in a responsible manner, share them in practice and love with others, and return them with increase to the Lord. We pledge to our ongoing formation as stewards and our responsibility to call others to that same endeavor. Almighty and ever-faithful God, it is our fervent hope and prayer that You who have begun this good work in us will bring it to fulfillment in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

<u>Two children ordered</u> their mother to stay in bed as a special treat on a Sunday morning. As she lay there looking forward to breakfast in bed, the smell of bacon floated up from the kitchen. But after a good long wait she finally went downstairs to investigate. She found them both sitting at the table eating bacon and eggs.

"As a surprise " one explained, "we decided to cook our own breakfast and not bother you."

The Diocesan Niobrara Canoe Trips down the Niobrara River began in 1995 under the direction of Fr. Ronald Homes. The canoe trips are open to high school youth (sophomores, juniors, seniors) and college students. Adults are also invited along as sponsors/drivers. Locations for carpooling from different areas of the diocese will be provided closer departure. THERE IS NO **BUS** to TRANSPORTATION FOR THIS EVENT. Parents will need to provide transportation to the campsite or join a carpool. This three-day outdoor adventure includes daily Mass, confessions, talks, private reflection time, and other opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ. A Campfire, skits and rosary fill the evening hours. Student Cost: \$100, Chaperone/driver cost: \$50 Canoe Trip #1 -July 9 – 11, 2023; Canoe Trip #2 - July 11 – 13, 2023 register. go to https://www.lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesancanoe-trip

<u>Magnificat Summer Prayer Meal-</u> Saturday July 15 at 9:30 am at Hillcrest Country Club, 9401 East O

street Lincoln with guest speaker Michelle chambers. Well known in our Diocese through the Youth Ministry and Religious Education Offices, Michele also teaches the Creighton Model of family planning. At her own Parish of St Joseph in Lincoln, she is the Religious Ed Coordinator, involved in Schoenstatt and the list goes on! Come hear her powerful testimony of patience, perseverance and prayer in God's Love! Register by mailing your \$30 check payable to Magnificat c/o tina Colgan, 521 N 56th st, Lincoln NE 68504 (students \$15.00) Deadline July 8. For more information, text or call Rhonda Litt at 402-525-6396.

A Totus Tuus invitation is open to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton and Holy Spirit parishioners from St. Patrick's. Kids that are planning to attend will need to sign up via the Grand Island Diocese's website. They are in need of adult supervisors for classrooms and they will need to sign up via the Diocese as well. This is per Diocese request. In order for kids and adult supervisors to get a free t-shirt, they have to be signed up by June 27. More information is found at the registration site or by calling St. Patrick's. To register for Totus Tuus: Registration is open April 1st-June 27th. Totus Tuus will be at St. Patrick's Catholic Church on July 16th-21st. It's open for Grades 1st-12th! We are in need of adult supervisors during the day and volunteers to bring snacks or meals. More information on SignupGenius. Sign up at http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0b4aafac2a a7fe3-totus#/. Adult supervisors will also need to register to get a FREE t-shirt and for diocesan accountability. Register online at http://www.gidiocese.org/totus-tuus

<u>Prayer Intentions:</u> Prayer intentions will remain in the bulletin for three weeks. += repose of soul. +Fr. Phil Rauth +Mary Cabela +Rose Walla