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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.\*

## June 7, 2026: CORPUS CHRISTI Sunday

<i>Mass Intentions</i>		
Monday 6/8	8:00am	Sp Int of Margo Higgins
Tuesday 6/9	8:00am	
Wednesday 6/10	5:30pm	Genie Cuba
Thursday 6/11	No Mass	
Friday 6/12	5:30pm	Derek Klote & Family
Saturday 6/13	5:00pm	
Sunday 6/14	10:00am	NP Alumni & book of Memories

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS June 13-14, 2026 (Corpus Christi Sunday)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
<b>Lector/Reader</b>	Loren Baxa	Cindy Swanson
<b>Acolyte</b>	Greg Vandenberg	Spencer Hampton
<b>Server</b>	Volunteer	Jack Pieper
	Volunteer Needed	Liam Pieper
<b>Music</b>	Monica Mordja	Peggy Orr
<b>Gifts</b>	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
<b>Ushers</b>	Galen Warburton	Dave Beran

**Stewardship: May 31, 2026:** Adult- \$2,450, Loose- \$203.00, Total: \$2,653.00  
 {6/14} Counters: Alice & Volunteer

**FIELD MASS** Sunday June 21<sup>st</sup> 8:00am. There will be *NO CONFESSIONS* that morning.

**T**here were several hours left open for Adoration, so we did not have it. In July, to avoid the 4<sup>th</sup>, Adoration will be July 10-11. Please sign-up early.

**Congratulations to Matt & Ashley Perlinger** their son, Leo Kolbe Perlinger born May 19.

**T**o sign-up for taking meals to the Perlingers: <https://takethemameal.com/JYEA0264> or:



**A**s an experiment All Friday Masses will be at 5:30pm.

**I**f you are willing to serve on the Parish Council, please let me know.

**N**ational Catholic Daughters Appreciation Week Sunday for all our Priests.

**P**ASSING BY THE WAYSIDE in certain Catholic regions of Europe, one may spy a cross planted in a field, meadow, or vineyard. These are the crosses blessed by the Church on a day when the cross is the inspiration of the day's liturgy. The prayer of blessing clarifies the purpose. (Old Book of Blessings)

**A**lmighty, everlasting God, Father of goodness and consolation, in virtue of the bitter suffering of thy Sole-Begotten Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, endured for us sinners on the wood of the Cross, bless + these crosses which thy faithful will erect in their vineyards, fields, and gardens. Protect the land where they are placed from hail, tornado, storm, and every assault of the enemy, so that their fruits ripened to the harvest may be gathered to thy honor by those who place their hope in the holy Cross of thy Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth with thee eternally. Amen.

**I**n the old calendar there was a day in May when this was to be done. The new calendar has no such date. We could wait until September 14 – the Feast of the Holy Cross – or we could have votive Mass of the Holy Cross on a Friday evening or Saturday morning & then bless crosses. This would

allow us to get them out for summer. Please let me know if you are interested.

**J**oin us for **Knights of Columbus breakfast** on Sunday, June 14. Thanks to your generosity at our April breakfast, we will match net proceeds from our June breakfast up to \$1000 to benefit the St. Teresa of Calcutta Newman Center at the University of Nebraska, Kearney. See [unk-new-church.org](http://unk-new-church.org) Serving from 8:30 to 11:30 AM. Menu: waffles (including gluten free), omelets, biscuits and gravy, and oatmeal with a selection of toppings.

**T**he **Knights of Columbus State Council** has strongly urged local councils to nominate **Families of the Month**. This fraternal year we have selected the Barron, Beckius, Birulkin, Bode, Hampton, Heimann, McNeel, and Peiffer families. We recognize the faith being cultivated in these domestic churches and invite you to pray for these and all families.

**M**ass intentions/Stipends are full until **October**.

**SAVE THE DATE - SUMMER**  
**S**MAGNIFICAT PRAYER MEAL - June 13 @ 9:30 a.m. to Noon (with optional Mass in the Chapel at 9:00 to celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary). We are taking Magnificat on the road to Aquinas High School 3420 State Hwy 15 ~ with Speaker Mary Hickman-Eller sharing her Magnificat! Be a friend and bring a friend to share the Joy of the Holy Spirit as Mary and Elizabeth did in the Visitation when Our Blessed Mother gave her Fiat! Register by June 8 <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/prayermealjune13>

Please contact Coordinator Rhonda Litt by text at 402.525.6396 for further information. 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!

**P**lease pray for all young men discerning a vocation to the priesthood in the Diocese of Lincoln.

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

**P**rayers Requests: +Charles Barron, Bill Ryland, Pat Benson, Gemma Felton, +Sharon Beckius +John Zak +Daniel Gruber, Nancy Reiker, Sal Torres+