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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, Damon Green, & Janet Fear
Trustees: Duane Johnsen & Spencer Hampton
Mass Times: Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 10:00am, Weekdays & Holy Days as posted in bulletin
Confession: Fridays 5:00pm-5:20pm, 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

October 18, 2026: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Monday 10/19	7:00am	+Clyde Buhrman
Tuesday 10/20	No Mass	
Wednesday 10/21	5:30pm	Jessica Navin
Thursday 10/22	8:00am	Natalie Kruger
Friday 10/23	5:30 pm	Denise Birkel Johnk
Saturday 10/24	5:00pm	Jim Cabela
Sunday 10/25	10:00am	Missa Pro Populo

LITURGICAL MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS
October 24 – 25, 2026 (30th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 10:00am
Lector/Reader	Cindy Swanson	Justin Pieper
Acolyte	Volunteer Needed	Spencer Hampton
Server	Jeffrey Peiffer	Kolbe/Kieran Tejral
Music	Monica Mordja	Greg Vandenberg
Gifts	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
Ushers	Galen Warburton	Dave Beran
Counters	N/A	Fr. Birkel & Volunteer

Stewardship: October 11, 2026: Adult- $1,870,
Loose- $261.61
Total- $2,279.00

Faith, Family, & Fun Husker Watch Party: Save the Date! November 14, 2026. Hot dogs/chili dogs, silent auction, and football squares! Time and game to be announced at a later time.

Theology on Tap welcomes all young adults age 21-45, for fun & fellowship! Sunday, October 18th @ APEShip Brewing @ 6pm with speaker Sarah Green. First drink is free.

You're invited! Come Hear Joe Heschmeyer's talk on the Early Church! Spirit Catholic Radio welcomes Catholic Answers apologist and author Joe Heschmeyer to Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Lincoln on November 3rd at 6:30 PM for an evening of faith and discovery. Joe will speak on "The Faith of the Early Christians," exploring what the first Christians believed and how their faith continues to shape the Catholic Church today. Come discover the roots of our Catholic faith through Joe's engaging and insightful approach. Get your tickets today at https://spiritcatholicradio.com/joe/! Catch Joe on Catholic Answers Live weekdays at 5 PM CT on Spirit Catholic Radio at 102.7 FM in Lincoln and surrounding area.

Every year the Daughters of Charity sends out Christmas cards to residence of nursing homes and assisted-living. If you have any unused Christmas cards you would like to donate, please bring them to the Parish Hall.

The next meeting of the Daughters will be November 1, 2026 after Mass. The Daughters of Charity do a lot of work "behind the scenes" for our church. Every lady of our Parish is a member of the Daughters of Charity. Please feel free to join our meeting. We have some exciting things we are looking into doing in the near future.

Diaper drive: As October is the diaper drive for the Women's Resource Center, we have decided that we will collect cash instead of diapers this year. We have been notified that the resource center is able to purchase diapers in bulk and they will be able to utilize a money donation towards that. There will be a collection box placed in the Narthex.

Healing Mass: Sunday, November 29th at St. Patrick Church, McCook NE. 3:00 pm Confessions 3:30 pm The Divine Mercy Chaplet 4:00 pm Healing Mass Optional prayers for preparation. Pray rosary daily for the Healing Mass Oct. 28th – Nov. 28th Healing Mass Novena and fasting (Wednesday Nov. 18th – Saturday, Nov. 28th) No fasting on Sunday or Thanksgiving Day. Fasting can be whatever the Holy Spirit calls you to do. Please feel free to e-mail me if you have any questions at: brentravmiller@hotmail.com or call me at 308-737-7366.

A Heartfelt Thank You! The North Platte Catholic Community Food Pantry thanks Mid-Plains United Way for its continued financial support and FNBO for hosting the Chili Cook-Off and added food drive benefiting area pantries. Special thanks to our Holy Smokes! volunteers: Sue Heubner, Caroline Sabin, Jacque Monie, Deacon Michael Davis, Cathy Grauerholz, Wayne Schnell and Sheila Miller. Together, we're helping feed our neighbors in need!

Pro-Life Essay Contest: From now through November 7, kids in middle & high school can make their pro-life voices heard in a 500-word essay. Prizes available! More info at www.prolifeessay.com

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

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

Prayers Requests:, +Sal Torres, +Charles Barron, +Rod Riesen, Cheryl Hamik, Pat Benson, Gemma Felton