Mass Intentions This Week				
30 December	Mon. 7:00 am	Special Intention		
31 December	Tue. 7:00 am	Kassenbaum & Hiller Families		
	7:00 pm	Fr. Jim O'Connor+		
1 January	Wed. 8:30 am	People of the Parish		
	1:00 pm	Fr. Jim Cooper+		
2 January	Thur. 7:00 am	Clark & Adams Families		
	8:30 am	Lance & Paige Lucas		
3 January	Fri. 7:00 am	Fr. Leo Cooper		
	1:00 pm	Bishop Conley		
4 January	Sat. 7:00 am	Devotion to the Sacraments		
	5:30 pm	Fr. Larry Gyhra+		
5 January	Sun. 9:00 am	People of the Parish		
	11:30 am	La Salud de Maria Martinez		

Collection from 22 December 2019 Total: \$1,400.25

Loose Plate: \$150.00 Envelope: \$465.00 Christmas: \$715.25 Mass Intention: \$70.00

Daily Gospel Readings

Mon.: Lk. 2:36-40
Tues.: Jn. 1:1-18
Wed.: Lk. 2:16-21
Thurs.: Jn. 1:19-28
Fri.: Jn. 1:29-34
Sat.: Jn. 1:35-42
Sun.: Mt.2:1-12

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

29 December 2019 Holy Family Sunday

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5:00-5:20 pm Sunday 8:30-8:50 am, 11:00-11:20 am By appointment

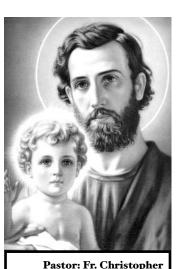
DAILY MASSES: Mon.-Sat.: 7:00 am.

Thur. 8:30 am at CSS Fri. 1:00 pm at Harvard Home

SUNDAY MASSES: Saturday Vigil—5:30 pm Sunday — 9:00 am 11:30 am (Español)

NEWS AND IMPORTANT DATES

-Please pray for our Seminarian of the Week, Mr. Peter Foley. He is in 2nd College at St. Gregory the Great Seminary in Seward, NE studying for the Diocese of Lincoln. Originally from St. Peter Parish in Lincoln, he is the son of Senator Mike Foley...so he obviously gets whatever he wants.



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- -Please keep Bishop Conley in your prayers! He is taking a temporary medical leave of absence to undergo treatment for depression and anxiety. Pray for his recovery and health and that he can return to us soon!
- **-REMEMBER:** Jan. 1 is a Holy day of Obligation. Remember to go to one of the three Masses we will be offering. Check the back of the Bulletin for Mass times.
- -Recuerden: el 1 de enero es un día de obligación. Revisen el boletín para ver el horario de las misas.
- -This Saturday, Jan. 4, is our monthly First Saturday Devotion with exposition and confession at 4 pm.
- -Pro-Life Mass and Nebraska Walk for Life, January 18, 2020. The Nebraska Walk for Life begins at 10 a.m. at the north steps of the State Capitol. From there, we will walk to the UNL Student Union, where the Keynote Speakers, Jennifer and Jeff Christie, will speak at 11:30 a.m. Prior to the Walk, join us for the annual Pro-Life Mass starting at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's Church, 1420 K Street, Lincoln. Reverend Scott Harter, Pastor at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Ord, NE will be the celebrant and the homilist for the Mass.

-Enhancing couple-love: The upcoming Marriage Encounter Weekend is in Kearney from Feb. 7-9. Contact Pat & Janelle Benson to register. Pat 308-940-0670; Janelle 308-940-1105 or email: pbjbben@yahoo.com

-St. Joseph Prayer Chain:

- +For all the poor souls in Purgatory
- +For the end to abortion
- +For our Holy Fathers-Pope Francis, bishops, priests, sisters and brothers
- +For all seminarians, especially those at St. Gregory the Great Seminary
- +For our youth to accept and grow in vocations
- +For world peace, and our servicemen and women
- +For the Knights of Columbus prayer requests
- +For fallen away Catholics

For:

Edith Weber	Jack Paulus	Florine Iverson	Delores Leininger
Chuck Preissler	Virginia Miller	Pat Veik	Mary Garvin
Brad Oschner	Juan Slazar	Diane Walz	Dennis Reddick
Cesaria Gabriel	Cecilia Martel	Jeff Almond	Erica Lauinger
Bill Kerber	Cindy Hemberger	Riley Lewis	Seth Lewis
Jordan Ortmeier	Fr. Allan Phan	Mike Kirwan	Kelem Fabrice

If you have any intentions you would like to add to the prayer chain, call Elaine Almond (402-772-7381) or Ellie Clark (402-762-5008).

- -FREE MOVIE! Join us for a FREE SHOWING of the movie "Unplanned" at 2 pm on both Sunday, January 12th and Sunday, January 19th. The movie will be shown at the Hastings Museum Theatre, located at 1330 N Burlington Avenue in Hastings. Seating is limited. Doors open 15 minutes prior to the show. You can get a FREE POPCORN with your Student ID. Due to the movie's rating, parents must be present with any minor age 16 and under. This event is sponsored by South Central Nebraska Right to Life and Wellspring Pregnancy & Health Center. Unplanned brings you an eye-opening look inside the abortion industry from a woman who was once its most passionate advocate. All Abby Johnson wanted to do was help women. Her passion surrounding a woman's right to choose led her to become one of the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic directors in the nation. Until the day she saw something that changed everything.
- -The Love and Responsibility continues with a talk on spiritual intimacy between spouses on January 14th at 7 pm at the UNL Newman center. Talks are free and open to anyone, but geared toward married and engaged couples. Come hear Deacon James Keating talk about spousal prayer and its role in building a strong marriage. This talk will also be streamed to Hastings, David City, Nebraska City, and Tecumseh.
- -If you want a financial/giving statement for the parish, you can make a request after January 6, 2020. You can make your request to Fr. Stoley or Theresa Sapp. You will receive a separate statement from the Diocese for any gifts made directly to them.

-A couple of announcements from the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office:

Teens Encounter Christ Retreats

An opportunity to personally encounter Christ and build relationship with other high school and college students

#112 Feb. 15-17 Wahoo #113 Apr. 4-6 Camp Kateri #114 June 6-8 David City

Open to High School 2nd semester Sophomores through College Freshmen

Cost \$120

To register, go to www.lincolndiocese.org/tec

2020 NATIONAL MARCH FOR LIFE! ——January 21-26, 2020

Cost: \$450 Chaperone: \$250

Chaperone Couples: \$325 each

To Register, go to: https://www.lincolndiocese.org/M4L

- -Spiritual Warfare series: A 3-part series will be given by Matt Simmons, Director of Spiritual Formation, on Spiritual Warfare at John XXIII Diocesan Center from 6:30-8:30pm. Ephesians 6:12 "For our struggle is not with flesh and blood but with the principalities, with the powers, with the world rulers of this present darkness, with the evil spirits in the heavens." Series will be January 21, Our Identity in Christ; February 18, Battleground of Our Minds; and March 24, Our Weapons for Spiritual Warfare. The workshop is free and registration is kindly requested. For topic details and to register please visit https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/o3oe-spiritual-warfare. Questions? Call 402-473-0615 or email Annette-Wemhoff@cdolinc.net
- -Into the Deep:Finding Peace Through Prayer Presented by Dan Burke, the President and Chief Operating Officer of EWTN News. Saturday, February 1 at Saint Michael's Catholic Church 715 Creighton Avenue Hastings, NE. 8:00 a.m. Mass to celebrate our parish's 75th anniversary. Talks begin at 9:30 a.m. You can sign up right away online by going to: avila-institute.org/product/into-the-deep-hastings-ne-february-1-2020/
- -2020 Giving Envelopes are in the back. If you do not see one for your family, either your registration information needs to be updated or you have registered. Registration forms are in the back. If you would like children envelopes, those that were requested last year are in the back. Any new requests for envelopes should go through Theresa Sapp. NOTE: the *Initial Offering* envelope is used to offset the cost of the envelopes and is NOT the first week of giving. The Suggested Donation for the *Initial Offering* is \$5.00, but you can donate whatever you see fit.

Looking for a New Year's Resolution? Consider a spiritual renewal! Weekday Mass once a week, charitable donation once a month, buy Fr. Stoley a 30-30...there are all sorts of ideas!