Mass Intentions This Week		
14 January	Mon. 7:00 am	Isaiah Stoos+
15 January	Tues. 9:00 am	Return to the Sacrament of Penance
16 January	Wed. 7:00 am	Tony and Karen Glaser
17 January	Thur. 7:00 am	Victims of Abuse
	8:30 am	Increase in Vocations to Holy Marriage
18 January	Fri. 7:00 am	Souls in Purgatory
	1:00 pm	Pat Veik
19 January	Sat. 7:00 am	Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
	5:30 pm	Respect for all Life
20 January	Sun. 9:00 am	Arlene Platek+
	10:30 am	Gente de la Parroquia

<u>Collection from 6 January</u> Total: \$2,337.80

Loose Plate: \$252.50 Envelope: \$1,638.00 Mass Intentions: \$20 Dec. 30 Envelopes: \$141.00 Initial Offering: \$19.00 Immaculate Conception: \$15.00 Kid's Collection: \$2.30 STC Reimbursement: \$250.00

Daily Gospel Readings:

Monday: Mk. 1:14-20 Tuesday: Mk. 1:21-28 Wednesday: Mk. 1:29-39 Thursday: Mk. 1:40-45 Friday: Mk. 2: 1-12 Saturday: Mk. 2:13-17 Sunday: Jn. 2:1-11

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH 13 January 2019 Baptism of the Lord

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5-5:20 pm Sunday 8:30-8:50 am, 10-10:20 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 10:30 am (Español)



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NEWS AND IMPORTANT DATES

-We will be updating our background checks for all those of the parish who work directly with children in any way. This includes: CCD Teachers, Acolytes, and Lectors. Since we have changed suppliers for the

background checks, we all need to renew the information, even if you have just done this in the past five years. Fr. Stoley just completed it himself, and if he can do it, anyone can do it...it is that easy!This is done online and takes about 40 minutes, so it is not not all that difficult.

This is the website: https://lincoln.cmgconnect.org/

You simply fill in the information to create an account and it will take you to the training and background check information page. Just follow the instructions and it is as easy as that! If there are any questions, ask Fr. Stoley. Thank you for your cooperation and patience!

-Vamos a actualizar nuestra información de la revision historial para los miembros de la parroquia que trabajan directamente con niños. Esto incluye: acólitos, lectores, y maestros de catecismo. Si no hacen nada de esos, no es necesario hacer la revision. La revision es solo para asegurarnos que la gente que nos ayuda en la iglesia y trabaja con niños no son abusivos, criminales, o sicarios, y no nos va a robar o matar. Es todo. Y hemos cambiado de proveedores que nos proveen ese servicio y tenemos que actualizar nuestros archivos, aunque lo haya hecho en estos últimos cinco años. El Padre Chris ya lo ha hecho también y es muy fácil. Dura 40 minutos (más o menos) y se puede hacer en español. Aqui esta el sitio web: <u>https://lincoln.cmgconnect.org/</u>

Llene la información para crear un perfil y haga el entrenamiento y la revision de su historia. Si tienen preguntas, háganlas al Padre. Gracias por su paciencia!

-It's that time of year again. All ladies of the parish, please pay your Altar Society Dues of \$10 by the end of the month. Envelopes are in the back of church; please make sure that your name is on the envelope AND any email or phone number changes are listed. Please put your envelope in the collection basket or give it to me. Thanks, Chris Cooney

-I forgot to put out envelopes for Flower Donations for the Christmas flowers. If you would like to make a donation, please use the envelopes and place them in the collections basket. Thank You! Chris Cooney

-Joy & Hope Anniversary Recognition Mass and reception for all married couples will be held Sunday, February 10, 2019 at the regular 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ in Lincoln. Bishop James Conley will be the Main Celebrant at the Mass for this celebration of Christian Marriage. Special recognition will be given to those couples celebrating 10, 25, 40 and 50 years or more who have registered. Suggested donation of \$10 per couple appreciated! Family guests are welcome. Registration forms should be available at your parish office or call the Family Life Office, (402) 473-0620.

-At the back of the church are your giving statements for the physical year (Jan. 2018-December 2018). There have been a number of errors with the statements because of a bug in the program (which has been solved) and so if there are mistakes please come talk to Fr. Stoley or Theresa Sapp. For some of you, Dec. 30 might not be included in the statement because the collection from one of the Masses was hidden in the sacristy. So Dec. 30 will be included in the 2019 giving statements. For 2019, you will receive a quarterly statement in order to prevent errors in the future.

-En la entrada de la iglesia están sus notificaciones de sus donaciones a la iglesia. Si no tiene esas notificaciones, es porque todavía no están registrados, y tiene que registrarse para recibir sobres que notan sus regalos a la iglesia. Muchas notificaciones tienen errores, porque se nos quebró la sistema, pero ya funciona de nuevo. Si su información no es correcta, hablen con el Padre Chris o con Theresa Sapp y podemos arreglar el archivo.

-The annual Villa Marie Benefit Dance, Silent Auction, and Raffle—"55 Years of Angels Among Us"—will be held on Friday, January 25th from 6:00 – 11:00 pm at Pla Mor Ballroom, 6600 West O Street, Lincoln. Music will be provided by Malpractice and dinner will be catered by Valentino's. There is no ticket price, but free will offerings will be accepted. Please call Jenny at 402-874-0577 or go to our website <u>www.villamarieschool.com</u> for more information. Villa Marie's Founder, Msgr. James Dawson, Bobby Layne, and the Marian Sisters will be honored at the Dance.

-Divorced? Come find comfort, counsel, hope and healing consistent with Catholic Church teachings. The twelve-week video series & facilitator led **Surviving Divorce** program begins on **February 4**, **2019**, **7-9pm**, at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. A suggested donation of \$50 covers the cost of the program and includes the **Surviving Divorce** personal guide and all materials. Classes are kept small and may be registered for by contacting the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 or <u>catholicflo@cdolinc.net</u>

-Introduction to Deliverance: Have you ever wondered...exactly what **IS** deliverance and how does it fit into our Catholic Faith? The Diocesan Office of Evangelization/Unbound Ministry will be hosting an evening consisting of four 20 minute talks. This is open to ALL: laity, religious, clergy, members of the Christian community & anyone who would like a better understanding of the meaning of deliverance and how each person can benefit from it. Join us at Lourdes Elementary School-Nebraska City, NE on **Thursday, February 7th, from 7-8:30pm.** Questions? Contact Annette at annette-wemhoff@cdolinc.net or call 402-473-0615.

-The Catholic Coffee House is an adult faith formation series held at Gianna Java and Gelato, 2241 O Street, Lincoln, NE from 7-8:30pm. The theme for this year is "Navigating the Church Now." The January presentation (January 13) is entitled "The Necessity of Forgiving and How To Do It" by Ian Butler. This series is oriented towards being in the church in the current climate of scandal. Each session includes prayer, a presentation, and Q&A. There is no fee or registration. Please call 402-473-0619 for questions.

Upcoming Knights of Columbus Events

Pancake Feed at St. Mary's Hall in Sutton

Jan. 13 from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm. Payment is a free will donation

Free Throw Championship (Local Level)

Jan. 20 at 1:00 pm at the Sutton High School gym. Open to boys and girls ages 9-14 years of age.

Nebraska Walk for Life

Jan. 26 in Lincoln. Begins with Mass at 9:00 am at St. Mary's. After Mass, all will meet at the Capitol (around 10:00 am).

One Rose-One Life Weekend

Jan. 26-27

Thought for the day:

You don't need to go to Church to get to heaven. You don't need a parachute to survive jumping out of an airplane either, but it certainly helps.