

Saint Wenceslaus Catholic Church

500 North Wilson
Wilber, Nebraska

Masses: Saturday 6:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Confessions: Weekdays 15 min before Mass
Saturday 5:30-5:50 p.m.
Sunday 7:30-7:50 a.m.

Saint Joseph Catholic Church

511 North Elm
Tobias, Nebraska

Mass: Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Confessions: Sunday 9:30-9:50 a.m.

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Passion (Palm) Sunday

March 25, 2018

This week's Mass Schedule & Intentions:

Monday	March 26	7:00 a.m.	+Donald Vaudrin
Tuesday	March 27	7:00 a.m.	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	March 28	7:00 a.m.	Special Intention of <i>M. Keller</i>
Thursday	March 29	5:30 p.m. (Tobias)	Bishop Conley and Priests of Lincoln Diocese
		7:30 p.m.	+Zeno Gottula
Friday	March 30	5:30 p.m. (Tobias)	Good Friday: Celebration of the Lord's Passion
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Saturday	March 31	8:30 p.m.	+Antonia Walla
Sunday	April 1	8:00 a.m. (Tobias)	For the People
		10:00 a.m.	+Parents of Greg Baumann

Liturgical Ministers: Please check the schedule below & call or email Fr. Doty regarding conflicts or substitutes
ST. WENCESLAUS CHURCH

	Holy Thursday March 29 7:30 p.m.	Good Friday March 30 7:30 p.m.	Saturday- Easter Vigil March 31 8:30 p.m.	Easter Sunday April 1 10:00 a.m.	Saturday April 7 6:00 p.m.	Sunday April 8 10:00 a.m.
Acolyte	Cox/Chmelir	R. Pflanz	Kiesel/Chmelir	G. Baumann	J. Cox	R. Pflanz
Reader	A. Brozovsky	Vales/Kozeal	Pryor/Muller	L. Baumann	R. Vlcan	L. Baumann
Servers	M. Zimmerman C. Radcliff	Gr. Vlcan T. Moldenhauer	Ga. Vlcan K. Kiesel	S. Thelen J. Zoubek	G. Eschiti Ga. Vlcan	C. Radcliff T. Moldenhauer
Thurifer	J. Cox		K. Kiesel	T. Morrissey		
Greeters	D & C Kalkwarf		J & B Vales	T & B Watson	R & P Kozeal	K & B Kreshel
Organist	M. Pryor	L. Hajek	M. Pryor	J. Vrbka	L. Hajek	M. Pryor
Cantor	Parde/Choir	J. Kalkwarf	Choir	Kozeal/Choir	L. Maly	S. Thelen

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

	Holy Thursday March 29 5:30 p.m.	Good Friday March 30 5:30 p.m.	Easter Sunday April 1 8:00 a.m.	Sunday April 8 8:00 a.m.
Reader	P. Nolte	Nolte/Baxa	G. Baxa	P. Nolte
Server	MDim/JNun/BSch	CDim/MDim/JNun	MDim/JNun/BSch	CDim/MDim/JNun
Organist/Cantor	J. Rada	J. Rada	J. Rada	J. Rada
Giftbearers	R & L Endorf	T&D Schelbitzki	P. Bartels	D & S Crays

Pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life! Please pray this week for Dominic Winter (St. Joseph/St. Mary/Lincoln) and Brian Wirth (St. Mary & St. Benedict, Nebraska City).

Everyone is invited to Exposition, Adoration, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament THIS Sunday, March 25 from 2:00-5:00 pm at St. Wenceslaus Church. Father Doty will be in the cry room to meet with anyone (individual, couple, or family) who would like to speak with him and/or pray for special intentions. He will also gladly hear confessions upon request. Come anytime and spend some quality quiet time with Our Eucharistic Lord.

Easter Flower Envelopes are available at the front entry. Memorials welcome. Please return by Good Friday.

Last Week's Offerings: (March 18)

	St. Wenceslaus	St. Joseph
Adults:	\$965.00	\$96.00
ACH:	35.00	
On-Line Giving:	\$25.00	
Plate:	\$28.00	\$5.00
Children:	\$2.00	
Total:	\$1055.00	\$101.00
Combined Coll.	\$265.00	
So NE Reister	\$45.00	

REMEMBER! Mass times change for both parishes next Sunday: 8:00 a.m. in Tobias and 10:00 a.m. in Wilber.

Extra times for confessions during this Holy Week (in addition to times listed above):

St. Wenceslaus: Good Friday, 8:30-9:00 p.m.; Holy Saturday (3-31), Noon-1:00 p.m.

St. Joseph's: Good Friday, 4:30-5:15 p.m.

Lenten Regulations: Good Friday will be a day of **fasting and abstinence**. Fasting means eating only one full meal with two smaller meals, which together do not equal the full meal. No snacks or eating between meals is allowed. Fasting obliges all Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59. Abstinence means eating no meat, and no soup or gravy made from meat. Abstinence obliges all Catholics over the age of 14. Sickness, hard manual labor, pregnancy, etc. automatically excuse a person from these obligations. In cases of doubt or question, consult the priest who hears confessions.

On Good Friday, both parishes will take up the annual collection for the Holy Land. Your financial contribution will support the works of the Catholic Community in the Middle East and help protect the Christian shrines in Israel and Palestine. Due to violence in the region over the years the Christian community continues to diminish in the Holy Land where our Lord lived. Those who remain and the holy sites are in need of our support. ENVELOPES are included in your book of contribution envelopes. You can place them in the collection basket on Good Friday or on Easter.

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed in each church 15 minutes before the Celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday. This will also be the start of the Divine Mercy Novena. Divine Mercy Sunday is April 8th.

Anyone who would like to sing in the choir at St. Wenceslaus Church during the Holy Triduum should arrive about 45 minutes before the start of each liturgy: Holy Thursday (6:45 PM), Good Friday (6:45 PM), Easter Vigil (7:45 PM), Easter Sunday (9:15 AM).

Please Make a Commitment to Pray the Rosary Daily! Pledge cards are at the front entry of both churches. Please place them in the collection basket at Mass. Brochures are also available, explaining the "Eucharistic Family Rosary Crusade" that is being organized in the Lincoln Diocese.

Parents, Mark Your Calendars: Totus Tuus Summer Catechism will be held July 22-27 this summer! 1st-8th grades will meet Monday-Friday (9 am – 3 pm), High School students will meet Sunday-Thursday (8-10 pm).

Coffee and Rolls at St. Wenceslaus Church will be held after Mass on the following Sunday's: March 25, April 8, April 22 and May 20. All are invited and welcome!

Coffee and Rolls will be held at St. Joseph Church after Mass on the 3rd Sunday of the month: April 15.

Contributions to the Catholic Press Collection for Southern Nebraska Register subscriptions can be placed in the collection basket anytime. Checks should be written to the parish. Suggested donation is \$15 per household.

If you haven't done so already, please register your family online through our parish website!!

Every household/family is asked to REGISTER through the website so that we can update our database of parishioner contact info, birthdates, etc. Go to stwenceslauswilber.org click on "Welcome", then "Registration". Online giving is also now available. "Online Giving" for each parish is under the "Give" tab/menu.

St. Joseph Church in Beatrice will host their annual Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, April 15, from 4-7pm in the Parish Center, 420 N 6th Street. Dinner includes spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, garlic bread and dessert in an Italian atmosphere. Advance tickets are \$9/Adults and \$3/Children 3-12. Tickets at the door are \$10/Adults and \$3/Children 3-12.

The next retreats at Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly will be...

Mar 29-31 for MEN & WOMEN by Fr. Thomas Dunavan: *Saints for Today*

Apr 6-8 for MEN & WOMEN by Fr. Christopher Kubat: *Divine Mercy*

Apr 20-22 for MEN & WOMEN by Fr. Benjamin Holden: *Deepening your Prayer Life*

Register at www.goodcounselretreat.com or call 402-786-2705.

Camp Kateri Dueling Pianos Benefit: Camp Kateri is hosting its annual benefit dinner on Friday, April 13, at Stone Creek Reception Hall in McCool Junction. The entertainment is *The Fun Piano Show*, by 176 Keys. Dinner begins at 6:30 pm. The Dueling Piano Show starts at 8 pm. Tickets are \$40 per person and \$350 for a reserved table of eight. To order tickets, please email CampKateriT@gmail.com or call [402-724-2596](tel:402-724-2596).

Join Father Doty and Father Rayer on a Pilgrimage to the shrines of Our Lady of Fatima and Our Lady of Lourdes September 12-23! Please see the Brochure with detailed itinerary at the front entrance of both churches. The Pilgrimage will begin in Portugal, travel through central Spain, into France, then on to Barcelona. Pilgrimage will include daily Mass, roundtrip airfare from Omaha, 10 nights accommodation, breakfast and supper daily, entrance fees, motor

coach transportation, whisper headsets. Cost is \$3,995 / person for double occupancy. Register online at <http://www.tektonministries.org/MarianShrinesFall18>.

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