

Saint Wenceslaus Catholic Church

501 North Wilson

Wilber, Nebraska

Masses: Saturday 6:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Confessions: Saturday 5:30-5:45 p.m. Sunday 7:30-7:45 a.m. (Anytime by appointment)

Saint Joseph Catholic Church

511 North Elm

Tobias, Nebraska

Mass: Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Confessions: Sunday 9:30-9:45 a.m.

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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 20, 2019

This week's Mass Schedule & Intentions:

Monday	January	21	7:00 am	Les Adams
Tuesday	January	22	7:00 am	+Joseph Hotovy
Wednesday	January	23	7:00 am	+Margaret Graff
Thursday	January	24	7:00 am	David Safford
Friday	January	25	7:00 am	Special Intention of <i>Elaine Parde</i>
Saturday	January	26	6:00 pm	+Louis Vican
Sunday	January	27	8:00 am	+Zeno Gottula
			10:00 am (Tobias)	For the Parishioners of St. Joseph & St. Wenceslaus

Liturgical Minister Schedules

ST. WENCESLAUS CHURCH

	Saturday January 26 6:00 p.m.	Sunday January 27 8:00 a.m.	Saturday February 2 6:00 p.m.	Sunday February 3 8:00 a.m.
Acolyte	G. Chmelir	K. Kiesel	J. Cox	G. Baumann
Reader	R. Vican	K. Muller	M. Keller	R. Vales
Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Thurifer				T. Morrissey
Greeters	J & B Vales	B & J Florian	T & B Watson	S & J Thelen
Organist	M. Pryor	L. Hajek	L. Hajek	J. Vrbka
Cantor	L. Maly	E. Parde	R. Kozeal	J. Kalkwarf

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

	Sunday January 20 10:00 a.m.	Sunday January 27 10:00 a.m.	Sunday February 3 10:00 a.m.
Reader	P. Nolte	G. Baxa	P. Nolte
Server	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Organist/Cantor	J. Rada	J. Rada	J. Rada
Giftbearers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers

	St. Wenceslaus	St. Joseph
Offerings for January 13		
Adults:	\$ 660.00	\$ 15.00
ACH:		
Plate:	\$ 36.00	\$ 10.00
TOTALS:	\$ 696.00	\$ 25.00

Year End Statements for tax purposes have all been mailed out. If you were expecting one and do not receive it by Tuesday of this week or if you feel an error has been made, please contact the rectory. Grain donations and in kind gifts will not be on the statements. Donations made to the Bishop's Appeal, Joy of the Gospel and other diocesan campaigns will have their acknowledgements sent by the diocese.

Attached to the bulletin is the One Rose One Life Knights of Columbus envelope. Among the beneficiaries of the Knights collection is the placing of ultrasound machines in qualifying centers in our state. To date 10 such centers have received an ultrasound machine and statistics have proven that abortion vulnerable women who have ultrasounds, choose life. Please make a gift using the envelope and make any checks payable to the Knights of Columbus. All donations made will stay in our state and help protect the sanctity of human life. Envelopes can be put into the next two weeks collection and will be passed on to our local Knights of Columbus. Thank you in advance for your generosity and prayers!

Tuesday January 22 is a national Day of Penance in support of Pro-life efforts and reparation for sins against the sanctity of human life. All are asked to fast, pray, give alms or some other means of penance and share participation in this effort to rid our society of abortion and all other sins against human life.

The annual Youth Spaghetti Feed will be Sunday, February 3 from 11-1 at St. Wenceslaus. Students grades 7-12 will be working one of two shifts and are asked to bring a dessert. All are invited to help support the feed. A Free will offering will be taken up.

St Wenceslaus Coffee & Rolls is scheduled for January 27 after Mass. Please join us for fellowship.

Is your tithing based on what God has entrusted to your care to give or do you give back to God what you are willing to entrust?

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 catholicflo@cdolinc.net

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 February presentation (February 17) is entitled "How to Live Prayerfully in Difficulty" by Matt Simmons. 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 with questions.

Marriage Encounter Weekend at Lied Center in Nebraska City on Feb. 15-17. Advance registration needed. Call or text Janelle at 308-940-105 or email pbjibben@yahoo.com

Marian Sisters Discernment Retreat will be Friday, Feb 1-Sunday, Feb 3 at Marycrest Motherhouse (6765 N 112th St, Waverly). RSVP needed by January 30. Contact marian-vocations@cdolinc.net for more information.

Reporting Child Abuse or Neglect--Nebraska law requires all suspicions of child abuse or neglect to be reported to law enforcement or DHHS (Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-652-1999). Reporting Misconduct--Notify the Diocese of Lincoln of any misconduct involving diocesan personnel by calling the misconduct hotline: 1-844-527-0596 (English and Spanish). If any person has any questions, information, or allegations regarding boundary violations or abuse committed by any Diocesan personnel, you may also contact our Victim's assistant Coordinator at 402-613-2488.

An elderly couple has dinner at another couple's house, and after eating, the wives leave the table and go into the kitchen. The two gentlemen were talking, and one says, 'Last night we went out to a new restaurant and it was really great. I would recommend it very highly.' The other man asks, 'What is the name of the restaurant?' The first man thinks and thinks and finally asks, 'What is the name of that flower you give to someone you love? You know... The one that's red and has thorns.' 'Do you mean a rose?' 'Yes, that's the one,' replied the man. He then turns towards the kitchen and yells, 'Rose, what's the name of that restaurant we went to last night?'

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. For Registration forms call the Family Life Office, (402) 473-0620.

Thank you to all who pledged to Charity and Stewardship Appeal 2018. St. Wenceslaus received Period 3 rebate check for \$1816.25 and St. Joseph received Period 3 rebate for \$20.00.

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.

MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM "Fearfully and Wonderfully Made" for girls age 10-13 and their mother will be held Sunday, March 3, 2019 from 1 - 4 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$20 per mother/daughter or \$30 per family. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/mother-daughter-program> Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email jmdavis17@gmail.com

Ricky, Tony, and Leroy were out riding their bikes in downtown Chicago when a fire engine zoomed past with blaring sirens. The three boys spotted an Alsatian dog on the front seat of the fire engine. Ricky commented, "They use that dog to control sightseers." "No," said Tony, "he's just for good luck." But Leroy knew better, "No, that's not it," he said. "The dog is there to point the firemen to the nearest fire hydrant!"

Thank you to all in both parishes who helped take down and put away the indoor and outdoor Christmas decorations. Your gifts of time were appreciated.

Join Bishop Joseph G. Hanefeldt and the Nebraska Catholic Conference in praying for the unborn, for families, and for an end to abortion at the annual Pro-Life Mass before the Nebraska Walk for Life! The Pro-Life Mass is Saturday, January 26 at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's in downtown Lincoln. The Walk for Life, sponsored by Nebraska Right to Life, will immediately follow with a rally at the steps of the Nebraska State Capitol.

Annual Villa Marie Benefit Dance, silent auction and raffle will be Friday January 25 from 6-11 pm at the Pla Mor Ballroom, 6600 West O street Lincoln. Music will be provided by Malpractice and dinner will be catered by Valentinos. No ticket price, but free will offerings will be accepted. More information on website www.villamarieschool.com or call Jenny at 402-874-0577.

Support Catholic radio by listening to Spirit Catholic radio at 102.7 FM or online at spiritcatholicradio.com !

Many good and holy people struggle with the sin of pornography and are striving to cultivate chastity. You are not alone. Jesus is with you, and the Church offers you love and support. Trust in the Lord's mercy and his power to free and heal you. For further resources and help visit www.usccb.org/cleanheart

Calix Society--Those in a 12-Step Recovery Program are invited to join us for Mass at 5:15 pm on Sun., Jan. 27, 2019, at Madonna, 5401 South St., Ryan Memorial Chapel in Lincoln.

CATHOLIC COUNSELING: Is the stress of life overwhelming you? Counseling that integrates the Catholic faith is available in Beatrice on Wednesdays. Call the Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center of Catholic Social Services at 800-961-6277.

From Father's desk,

I was asked to mention it again and it seems a timely reminder. If the priest chooses to announce the sign of peace during a Mass it is not only acceptable but charitable when one has a cold or in the flu season to offer another customary sign than handshaking such as a smile, nod of the head or hand wave. No one should take offense if one of these or other signs are chosen to be offered. Also thank you to everyone for your kindness, prayers and patience as I continue to fight my own cold virus.

God bless,

Fr. Rand