

St. Teresa Parish

January 1, 2023

Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God

Mass Schedule: December 31-January 8

+ = repose of the soul of
Int. = intentions of
Pro Populo = for the people

The Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S. Cotner Blvd: open 7am-8pm. The 7am Masses listed here (7am PS), said at the Chapel, are open to the public. (The Sunday Masses are private).

Day	Time	Intention
12.31	4 pm	Int Jackson Family
	11pm	Shower of Roses
Sun 1.1	8am	+ Jerry & Jimmy Pokorney
	10am	+ Steve, Sr. and Martha Kuzma
Mon 1.2	Noon	+ Dec'd members of the Schafers & Wahl Families
	6:30am	Special Intention
	7am PS	+ Carol Storm
Tue 1.3	8:15am	+ Leo & Clementine Haffey
	6:30am	+ Eugene Ryan
	7am PS	Ken & Marilyn Dustin Wedding Anniversary
Wed 1.4	8:15am	In Altar Society Members
	6:30am	+ George & Agnes Niehaus
	7am PS	In Thanksgiving for God's Blessings
Thu 1.5	8:15am	Int Abby Vacek
	6:30am	+ Stephen Kuzma, Sr.
	7am PS	+ Mitchell Thomas
Fri 1.6	8:15am	+ Stephen Kuzma, Sr.
	6:30am	Fallen Away Catholics
	7am PS	Special Intention of Donor
Sat 1.7	8:15am	Int Han Vu
	7am PS	Magnificat Group
	8:15am	+ Pat Ragole & + Rose McHugh
Sun 1.8	4pm	+ Phyllis Buckley Birthday
	8am	+ Dec'd Members of the Thompson & Theisen Families
	10am	Pro Populo
	Noon	Int Grand Group

Cover Photo

Courtesy of Laura Minchow. Thank you!

Altar Society Prayer Line

levaorationsdeo@yahoo.com
or by calling Mary Pat at 402-314-1296.

Welcome in Baptism

Welcome in Baptism Luca John Switzer, son of Stewart and Betsy, and Boden Steven Rogge, son of Joseph and Kaitlin. Congratulations!

2023 Calendars

The 2023 Calendars are here! Feel free to pick one up at the exits of the church.

Pink Sisters Holy Hour For Vocations

The Pink Sisters will have a Holy Hour to pray for vocations on Fri, Jan 6th at 7:15pm at the Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S Cotner Blvd. The singing will be led by the Anima Christi Singers.

Bedmaking

Please consider helping with the January bedmaking at the Retreat House on Mon, Jan 16th. Sign up by going to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044FA5A82CA7F49-retreat>.

St. Teresa Trivia Night Returns!

Mark your calendars for the return of St. Teresa's Trivia Night on Sat, Feb 4, 2023, at Pius X. More information forthcoming.

S.T.A.G.E. Student Theater

S.T.A.G.E. Student Theater presents *Saintspeak*, Jan 20, 21, 27, 28 at 7pm and Jan 22, 2pm matinee. All performances will be held in St. Teresa's Kaczmarek Hall, 36th and Randolph Streets. The is a humorous rendition of three of Shakespeare's famous plays set in a "Midwinter's Night Dream.". The Bard's plays are intermixed in a whacky dream causing havoc for the main character, Beth. Using the wisdom of the saints, she sets out to resolve the dilemma, while counterpart, MacBeth seeks to foil the night. Performed by students ages 9-13, with a dabbling of music and dance, this production will delight audiences both young and old. Tickets are available online beginning Jan 1 at stage4kids.com under "Tickets". Reserved seating only. Approximately 2-hour show with intermission. Appropriate for ages 5 and up.



Eucharistic Adoration

The following hours are still open for adoration. Please consider taking an hour. The link to the online sign-up is included in the parish e-mail and is on our website:

Home>Authentic Worship>Adoration

Open Holy Hours:

Sun 4-5pm; Thurs 9-10am;
Fri 11-Noon; Sat 9-10 & 3-4pm

St. T | Weekly Calendar: Dec 31-Jan 18

Sun 1.1	Mary, Mother of God Solemnity <i>No Eucharistic Exposition</i>
Mon 1.2	9am-9pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Tue 1.3	7am-3pm: Staff Retreat 3am-5pm: STAGE (KH) 6-8pm: Scouts (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Wed 1.4	School Resumes 9am-9pm: STAGE (KH) 4-5:15: CCD (Sch) 4pm: Leadership Board Meeting 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Thu 1.5	7pm: PPP Rosary (CH) 7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Fri 1.6	6:30am: PPP Mass (CH) 9am-9pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Sat 1.7	7am: Finance Council Meeting (MR) 8:45am: First Sat Devotions (CH) 9am-1pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-4pm: Eucharistic Adoration
Sun 1.8	Epiphany 1-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration



St. Teresa School News

Substitute Teachers

Substitute teachers are needed for our Catholic School. If you are ready to sub, please call the school at 402-477-3358 or email Sr.Mary-Cecilia@cdolinc.net. Without an educator certificate: 1. Acquire a local sub permit (may require 60 college hours & human relations course). 2. Previously held an educator certificate you may qualify for a state substitute permit. Go to the Nebraska Department of Education website to fill out the applications, email davefriesen@cdolinc.net, or call Dave at 402-473-0613 for more info.

New Year's Resolution Eucharistic Adoration

As you begin this new year, one great resolution would be to spend more time with Jesus! He would love to spend an hour with you in adoration! Our next session runs Jan 2-Feb 21 and we are in need of adorers in a variety of time slots. Please consider signing up for an hour to adore our Eucharistic Lord and to pray for our parish and your own needs.

Collection Report

Week ended		December 24, 2022		
Adult Envelope			\$	29,337.66
Loose Plate				705.75
			\$	30,043.41
FY 22/23 Projected Tithing/week*	\$	20,200		
Projected Loss FY 22/23**		(129,894)		
2022	Actual	Budgeted	Above	Cum. YTD
-	Sunday	Sunday	(below)	Above(Below)
2023	Collection	Collection	Budget	Budget
Jul	74,628	80,800	(6,172)	(6,172)
Aug	90,324	101,000	(10,676)	(16,848)
Sep	73,372	80,800	(7,428)	(24,276)
Oct	96,485	101,000	(4,515)	(28,791)
Nov	80,088	80,800	(712.17)	(29,503)
*Projections based on last year's giving. No new giving expected.				
** Final budgeted loss submitted to diocese. Loss assumes 2022/2023 giving is equal to 2021/2022 giving of \$20,200 per week.				

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop was closed last weekend

Hours for business: Dec 30th and 31st:

Fri, 4-8pm; Sat, 9-Noon

Please donate during business hours.

Pius X Thunderettes

Sugar Rush Dance Camp 2023: The Pius X Thunderettes will be sponsoring a Sugar Rush Dance Camp on Jan 14th from 9am-Noon at Pius X High School for ages.

Dance Clinic: The Pius X Thunderettes will host a Dance Clinic on Jan 14th from 1-4pm at Pius X High School, ages 12-14.

Please email ashtynsara@gmail.com with any questions regarding either event. To register for either event, go to <https://linktr.ee/PiusXrettes>.

Shine Like the Stars 2023

Villa Maria School's annual fundraising dance & auction, "Shine Like the Stars 2023" is Jan 27th at Lancaster Event Center, Lincoln. Purchase general admission tickets, reserve a table, bid on auction items, or make a donation, text [vmdance23to243725](text:vmdance23to243725) or go to <https://bidpal.net/vmdance23>.

St. Teresa Parish Office 402-477-3979

Mon-Thu: 9am-4pm | Fridays: Closed

Jeanne Kee: Financial Secretary
Billing, Giving, Financials
Mon-Thu, 9-4 | jeanne-kee@cdolinc.net

Theresa Kottwitz: Parish Secretary
Records, Sacraments, Scheduling, Bulletin
Mon-Thu: 9am-2pm
Theresa-Kottwitz@cdolinc.net

Nebraska Walk for Life

January 28th, 10am at the State Capitol, followed by the Walk then the keynote speech at 11:30 at UNL Student Union, will bring the 50th Nebraska Walk for Life in Lincoln! Guest speaker will be Dr. John Bruchaliski, who will describe how a return to his religious faith brought him from abortionist to a leading light in pro-life medicine. His Tepeyac Family Center is one of the largest pro-life medical practices in the country, serving as a safe haven for women in crisis pregnancies. His journey is described in his book, "Two Patients: My Conversion from Abortion to Life-Affirming Medicine." Come and show your support for Life and

Walk for Life Gala

In celebration of Roe v Wade, the inaugural Walk for Life Gala, a fundraiser for Nebraska Right to Life, will be held Fri, Jan 27th, the night before the Walk. Come and join fellow pro-lifers for either or both. This year's speaker, Dr. John Bruchaliski, will be participating in both events. Tickets for the Gala, at Embassy Suites, \$50. Purchase online nebraskarighttolife.ticketspice.com/2023 or by sending a check to NE Right to Life, (Gala in memo line) to PO Box 80410, Lincoln (68410-0410). Questions contact NE Right to Life at 402-438-4802.

Called to Silence

God speaks to you in the silence. Are you ready for some quiet time away after the holidays? Steep yourself in the scared space of the Creighton University Retreat Center to be still and open yourself up to the graces of God has for you. You will meet with an Ignatian-trained spiritual director daily to reflect on what's stirring in your heart. Opportunity for daily Mass and confession. Retreat cost including room and meals is \$350. Choose one of the 4 opportunities to attend: Jan 19-22; Feb 23-26; April 13-16; and May 4-7. Register at Creighton.edu/curc.

National March for Life

All are welcome to attend a pilgrimage to Washington D.C. to celebrate the overturning of Roe v. Wade on Jan 17-21, 2023. The cost is \$480 per person. Register at www.lincolndiocese.org/m41.

Date Night

Make time for your vocation! The Family Life Office invites you to a date night out on Jan 10th, 6-9pm at UNL Newman Center Rosary hall with Josh Burkes and Chad Steiner of the Emmaus Institute speaking. The topic is "Praying with Scripture with Your Spouse and Family". \$45 for dinner/drinks/apps for two or come for free to the talk and go out to eat on your own. Info or to register, go to <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/datenightjan>. Free babysitting available!

Emmaus Institute

To register for or for more information about the next 5-week course, *Opening the Word: Catholics and the Bible*, held on Mondays from 6:30-8:30pm, beginning on January 9th. For info or to register go to www.EmmausInstitute.net.

NEW: The Acolyte schedule is available on our parish website.

Home Page > Compassionate Service > Liturgical Ministries > Acolytes

The Lector schedule is also available on our parish website.

Home Page > Compassionate Service > Liturgical Ministries > Lectors

The Altar Server schedule is available on our parish website.

Home Page > Compassionate Service > Liturgical Ministries > Altar Servers

Upcoming Retreats by Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House

www.goodcounselretreat.com | goodcounsel@cdolinc.net | 402-786-2705

Dates	Retreat Master	Topic
Jan 13-15	Fr. Eric Clark	Becoming Apostles of Mercy
Jan 19-22	Fr. Jason Smith, L.C.	Meet Me at the Well: Women's Spiritual Exercises with Regnum Christi
<i>Members of St. Teresa Parish: Altar Society or Men's Club will pay for half of the cost of a standard retreat once per retreat-year! (Ignatius retreats are non-standard)</i>		
Monday January 2	Tuesday January 3	Wednesday January 4
Thursday January 5	Friday January 6	
No School	No School	Corn Dogs Baked Beans
		Chicken Fajita Salad/Fruit
		Nachos Refried Beans

