

St. Teresa Parish		
Mass Schedule: January 13-21		
+ = <i>repose of the soul of Pro Populo = for the people</i>		
The Pink Sisters’ Chapel, 1040 S. Cotner Blvd: open 7am-8pm. The 7am Masses listed (7am PS), said at the Chapel, are open to the public. (The Sunday Masses are private).		
Day	Time	Intention
1.13	4:00pm	Zach Gregg
Sun 1.14	8am	Pro Populo
	10am	Schroedl Family
	Noon	+ James Condon
Mon 1.15	6:30am	+ Milo Vasa
	7am PS	In honor of Pink Sisters’ Founder, Arnold Janssen
	8:15am	Reagan Wolff
Tue 1.16	6:30am	+ Bill Klabenes
	7am PS	Jim & Mary Love, Wedding Anniversary
	8:15am	Elizabeth Bauman
Wed 1.17	6:30am	+ Lad & Rose Rejda
	7am PS	Mary Wood, Spec Int
	8:15am	+ Ann Jackson
Thu 1.18	6:30am	+ Kenneth Grell
	7am PS	George Hendricks, Birthday
	8:15am	+ Demuth Family
Fri 1.19	6:30am	Respect for Life
	7am PS	Daniel Kincheloe, Spec Int
	8:15am	Lucy Zimmer
Sat 1.20	7am PS	+ Diane Elizabeth Quigley
	8:15am	+ Constance Moser
	4:00pm	+ Gary Butcher
Sun 1.21	8am	Pro Populo
	10am	Hannah Schinkel & Grant
	Noon	+ Lewis, Rose, & Patrick

Youth Altar Society

All girls of the parish, grades 5-7, are encouraged to join the Youth Altar Society. Monthly meetings begin Jan. 10th from 3:20-4:30pm. For more information and to register scan the QR Code. Questions? Call/text Julie at 402-310-1698. Attendance at meetings is encouraged but not a requirement for participation. This will be a fun way to earn service hours with friends!

January 14, 2024

RCIA: The Sacraments: Eucharist

All are welcome to join in the RCIA class on Mon, Jan 15th from 7-8:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall. Our topic will be “Walk Through the Mass” taught by Fr. Kipper.

Scout Sunday Pancake Breakfast

Join the Scouts for their delicious breakfast of pancakes, eggs, sausage, coffee & juice, on Sun, Feb 4th from 9-11:30am in Kaczmarek Hall. Free will donation. Proceeds will help Troop 28 purchase a new scout trailer.

Mass Intentions Donations Now Available Through Online Giving

It is now available to make a donation for a Mass Intention through our Online Giving. Scan the QR Code and select the “Mass Intention” Fund. Then please email Thereas-Kottwitz@cdolinc.net and let her know you’d like to schedule a Mass. Please indicate if the person is living or deceased and specify if you have any preferred dates of Mass Times. Also let her know if you made a donation online.

Grand Group

Plan to join us for our soup lunch & travelogue at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Fri, Jan. 19th at Noon. You won’t want to miss out on Nancy’s delicious soup & all that goes with it! Our travelogue, “Scenic Wonders,” features a variety of interesting & exotic places around the world. Please RSVP to Phyllis at 402-488-9177 by Mon, Jan 15th so the committee will know how much food will be needed.

Free Throw Contest

The St. Teresa’s Knights of Columbus Council 833 will be hosting its annual Free Throw Contest for boys & girls ages 9-14 at St. Teresa’s Gym on Fri, Jan. 19th, 4pm. Check-in begins immediately after school at 3:15pm. In addition, if you have a conflict that day, we can get you to shoot first if you need to leave by a certain time. Awards will be given for 1st & 2nd place. Everyone will receive a participation certificate as well. Contact Brad Behne at brad_behne@yahoo.com or 402-570-8585 for any questions or for more information.

Catholic Schools Week Holy Hour

Kick off Catholic Schools Week with an hour of praise & adoration with families from across the city. The annual “Light of the Night Holy Hour” for Catholic Schools will take place Mon, Jan. 29th, 7-8pm at the Cathedral of the Risen Christ. The Eucharistic Holy Hour will include a talk by Bishop Conley, praise & worship music by St. Michael Youth Choir, & Confessions. Let’s join together to lift up our dedicated faculty & staff, families & children to the heart of our Eucharistic King.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
St. T Weekly Calendar: Jan 14-21	
Sun 1.14	1pm: Baptism (CH) 2-6pm: STAGE (KH) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Mon 1.15	NO SCHOOL 10am-6:45pm: STAGE (KH) 7-8:30pm: RCIA (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Tue 1.16	3pm: Food Market (Sch) 3:30-9pm: STAGE (KH) 6-8pm: Scouts (Off Campus) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Wed 1.17	3:30-9pm: STAGE (KH) 7:30pm: Knights Columbus Mtg (KCH) 4pm: CCD (Sch) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Thu 1.18	3:30-9pm: STAGE (KH) 7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Fri 1.19	2pm: School Confessions (CH) 4-10 pm: STAGE (KH) 6 & 8pm: STAGE Performances (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sat 1.20	7am: Finance Council (MR) 9am: Legion of Mary (MR) 9:15am: Pius X Bible Study (CR) 4-10: STAGE (KH) 6 & 8pm: STAGE Performances (KH) 9am-4pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sun 1.21	1pm: Baptism (CH) 12-8pm: STAGE (KH) 2 & 4pm: STAGE Performances (KH) 7-8:30pm: MoM Date Night (Sch)

St. Teresa School News

No School

There will be no school on Monday, January 15. This is a teacher workday.

CSS Food Market

The CSS Food Market will be in front of St. Teresa School on Tues, Jan. 16th beginning at 3pm. All are welcome to pick out a bag of groceries.

Library Book Fair

Come and visit our school library during Catholic Schools Week Open House on Sun, Jan 28th and take advantage of some good prices on books. The Book Fair will run from Jan 25th-30th. For a preview of available books, visit I55 Book Fairs at https://i55bookfairs.com/collections.

Catholic Schools Week

Catholic Schools Week begins on Sun, Jan 28th. The 10am Mass will celebrate our Catholic school. More details to come.

Collection Report

Week ended			January 6, 2024	
Adult Envelope			\$ 25,325.50	
Loose Plate			927.87	
			\$ 26,253.37	
2023	Actual	Budgeted	Above	Cum. YTD
-	Sunday	Sunday	(below)	Above(Below)
2024	Collection	Collection	Budget	Budget
Jul	105,178	103,250	1,928	1,928
Aug	85,007	82,600	2,407	4,335
Sep	85,041	82,600	2,441	6,776
Oct	96,681	103,250	(6,569)	206
Nov	79,407	82,600	(3,193)	(2,987)
Dec	127,302	103,250	24,052	21,065
Projected weekly tithing based on total prior year giving \$20,650.				
We submitted a break-even budget to the diocese for FY 2023/2024				

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:

Fri: 10-11am, 3-4pm; Sat 9-10am, 3-4pm

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop made **\$2,138** last weekend.

Hours for business:

Fridays 4-8 and Saturdays 9-3

Please donate during business hours.

S.T.A.G.E. Productions

S.T.A.G.E. will be presenting 2 musical productions: *Jonah & the Big Sale* (ages 8-11) and *The Merchant of Tennis* (ages 9-16), in Kaczmarek Hall. ***Jonah & the Big Sale***, based on the classic Bible story, is set in modern times with Ninevay’s Department store & a Whale of a Sale! Performances: Jan 19-20 at 6pm & Jan 21 at 2pm. Tickets \$7. ***The Merchant of Tennis***, a musical parody of Shakespeare’s famous work, *The Merchant of Venice*, follows a tennis theme throughout, teaching the lesson of Love. Performances: Jan 19-20 at 8pm; Jan 21 at 4pm; Jan 26-27 at 7pm; Jan 28 at 2pm (a 2-hour show with intermission). Tickets: \$8/\$10. **Both performances** offer reserved seating. To purchase reserved-seating tickets, go to stage4kids.com under TICKETS. Limited walk-in seating will be available.

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

Marriage on Mission Date Night

Marriage on Mission invites all married or engaged couples to a date night event on Sun, Jan 21, 7-8:30pm. Fr. Kipper will speak about the domestic church followed by refreshments & fellowship. On-site babysitting is provided. To utilize babysitting, sign up by Jan 17th by scanning the QR Code.

Retrouvaille

Retrouvaille is a marriage program dedicated to helping couples grow closer & develop stronger bonds. It takes a conscious effort to learn about your spouse & grow closer. It is not automatic. More info for Feb 16-18 Retrouvaille Weekend, go to https://helpourmarriage.org.

Nebraska Walk for Life

Join the Nebraska Walk for Life Gala on Fri. Jan 26th, 6pm at the Cornhusker Marriott Hotel with Melissa Ohden, speaker. The Walk will be Sat, Jan. 27th, 10am at the State Capitol then UNL Student Union. Scan QR Code for more information & Gala Tickets. If donating baked goods, drop off in front of the Student Union between 8-9am.

Parish Ministry Schedules

Current schedules are available on the Parish Website at https://stlfcchurch.org. From the Home Page, go to Compassionate Services>Liturgical Ministries>

† Acolytes

† Lectors

† 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 12-13	24-Hr Retreat for Men & Dads	Laborers in the Vineyard
Jan 18-21	Fr. Robert Presutti, LC	Women’s Spiritual Exercises

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)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
January 15	January 16	January 17	January 18	January 19
NO SCHOOL	Hamburger Fries & Fruit	Goulash Garlic Bread	Chicken Patty Corn & Fruit	Scrambled Eggs Hashbrowns

Love and Life Programs: Program I: I+You=We

Inspire your marriage with the Love and Life Program: I+You=We on Jan 20th from 7:30am-9pm & Jan 21 from 8am-4pm at Bishop Neumann High School, Wahoo. Weekend includes lectures, workshops, individual couple dialogue leading you through 6 simple steps to real joy in your marriage. Cost: \$250/couple; \$300 after Jan 5th. Register: scan the QR Code or go to www.loveandlifeprograms.org or call Bob & Carmen Sullivan at 402-469-5149.

Marriage Encounter Experience

Keep your marriage strong by attending a Marriage Encounter on Feb 9-11 in Lincoln. “Finding a oneness of heart we all desire.” Advance registration required. Contact Gary & Brenda Granger at 303-604-6202

Young Adult Women’s Retreat

“Back to the Garden: Healing the Feminine Heart with Jesus, the Bridegroom” is a Young Adult Women’s Retreat on April 19-21 at the Waverly Retreat Center, with Fr. Cole Kennett & Sarina Stokes. Register: goodcounselretreat.org/our-retreats/

Shine Like the Stars: Villa Marie Dance & Auction

Join us for dancing & a whole lot of fun & good food on Feb 9th, 6-10pm at Sandhills Global Event Center, for the Villa Marie Annual Dance & Auction Fundraiser. Dress in an outfit from your favorite era: medieval princess, a 70’s go-go dancer, 80’s Rockstar, a prancing poodle skirt & leather jacket couple, or just going for the “I just left the office in 2023” look! Tickets are on sale as well as our 60th anniversary merchandise. Pre-orders available for pick up at the dance. For tickets/merchandise, go to onecau.se/villamdance60 or scan the QR Code.

Surviving Divorce: Men & Women

The Surviving Divorce program was created to bring hope & healing to divorced & separated Catholics. This 12-week program will be leader-facilitated, featuring 30-min video segments that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, kids, annulment, and more. The next session begins Feb 6th, held at John XXIII Diocesan Center, Lincoln, from 7-8:30pm. Register by contacting the Family Life & Discipleship Office at 402-473-0620.