

St. Teresa Parish		
Mass Schedule: January 6-14		
+ = <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
1.6	4:00pm	+ Kenneth Grell
Sun 1.7	8am	Pro Populo
	10am	Phil & Bonnie Demuth
Mon 1.8	Noon	+ Shawn Schmid
	6:30am	Joyce Ostdiek, Birthday
	7am PS	Karen Smaus, Special Int
	8:15am	+ Sharon Wilson
Tue 1.9	6:30am	Living & Deceased Members of Nebraska Catholic Daughters
	7am PS	Adeline Nelson, Special Int
	8:15am	+ Patty Ponce
	6:30am	+ Doug Beebe
Wed 1.10	7am PS	+ Alisha Cox
	8:15am	+ Ann Jackson
	6:30am	+ Msgr. Leonard Kalin
	7am PS	+ Janet Kreifels
Thu 1.11	8:15am	Living & Deceased Members of Nebraska Catholic Daughters
	6:30am	+ Sylvia Prather
Fri 1.12	7am PS	+ Armando Muyot
	8:15am	+ Tom Tracy
Sat 1.13	7am PS	Mary Ann Bouc, Birthday
	8:15am	Christian Mothers
	4:00pm	Zach Gregg
	8am	Pro Populo
Sun 1.14	10am	Schroedl Family
	Noon	+ James Condon

**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 through the QR Code or the link: <https://forms.gle/xTr138VSVwNTx4Pb9>.



## January 7, 2024

### Baptisms

Please welcome in baptism Paul Joseph Long, son of Brett & Liz, and Tilma Rose Rutledge, daughter of Jeff and Hannah. Congratulations!


### RCIA: The Sacraments: Eucharist

All are welcome to join in the RCIA class on Mon, Jan 8th from 7-8:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall. Our topic will be “The Sacraments: Eucharist” taught by Peter and Jean Timmerman.

### 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.

### 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 go to <https://qrco.de/bebwF4> or 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!

### 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](mailto:brad_behne@yahoo.com) or 402-570-8585 for any questions or for more information.

### Eucharistic Revival Holy Hours

All are invited to join the Christ the King Sisters at Villa Regina Motherhouse, 4100 SW 56th St, for Eucharistic Revival Holy Hours. Join the sisters in adoring Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist, on the following dates: **Feb 4**, Apr 7, and May 12. All holy hours begin at Noon except Divine Mercy Sunday, April 7th which will begin at 3pm.

### Altar Society Prayer Line


Email prayer requests to: [levaorationesdeo@yahoo.com](mailto:levaorationesdeo@yahoo.com) or call Mary Pat at 402-314-1296.

The Epiphany of the Lord	
St. T   Weekly Calendar: Jan 7-14	
Sun 1.7	2-6pm: STAGE (KH) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Mon 1.8	Baptism of the Lord 2pm: School Confessions (CH) 4-6pm: STAGE (KH) 7-8:30pm: RCIA (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Tue 1.9	4-6pm: STAGE (KH) 6-8pm: Scouts (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Wed 1.10	2:45pm: School Benediction (CH) 3:20-4:30pm: Youth Altar Society (KH) 4-8pm: STAGE (KH) 4:30pm: Leadership Board Meeting 7:30pm: Men’s Club Rosary (CH) 8pm: Men’s Club Meeting (MR) 4pm: CCD (Sch) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Thu 1.11	4-6pm: STAGE (KH) 7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Fri 1.12	4-9pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sat 1.13	9am: Christian Mother’s Meeting (KH) 9am: Legion of Mary (MR) 9am-Noon: STAGE (KH) 9:15am: Pius X Bible Study (CR) 9am-4pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sun 1.14	1pm: Baptism (CH) 2-6pm: STAGE (KH) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition

**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](http://stage4kids.com) under TICKETS. Limited walk-in seating will be available.

**St. Veronica Ministry**  
Help & emotional support for miscarriage: complete the Google Form (as much s you feel comfortable) at [stlfchurch.org](http://stlfchurch.org) > Compassionate Service > Family & Social Ministries > Veronica Ministry.

Collection Report				
Week ended			December 30, 2023	
Adult Envelope			\$	25,762.00
Loose Plate				1,103.56
			\$	26,865.56
2023	Actual	Budgeted	Above (below)	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)
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, 11am-Noon, 3-4pm;  
Sat 9-10am, 3-4pm

**St. Teresa Thrift Shop**  
The Thrift Shop made **\$2,785** on Dec 22-23 and **\$2,277** on Dec 29-30.  
**Hours for business:**  
Fridays 4-8 and Saturdays 9-3  
*Please donate during business hours.*

**Alpha!**  
Join us for a great meal & conversation with others who are exploring life & faith. Alpha is a chance to explore life & the Christian faith in a friendly, open, & informal environment. Monday evenings beginning January 8th at St. Joseph Church, Resurrection Hall, from 6-8pm. Dinner provided. Babysitting available. RSVP or questions contact Michele at 402-613-9269 or [Michele-chambers@cdolinc.net](mailto:Michele-chambers@cdolinc.net) or go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20FoE4DA4AA283-46957518-alpha#/>

**Marriage Encounter Experience**  
Learn the tools needed to keep you 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

### St. Teresa Parish Office 402-477-3979

Mon-Thu: 9am-4pm | Fridays: Closed  
Jeanne Kee: Financial Secretary  
*Billing, Giving, Financials*  
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Theresa Kottwitz: Parish Secretary  
*Records, Sacraments, Scheduling, Bulletin*  
Mon-Thu: 9am-2pm  
[Theresa-Kottwitz@cdolinc.net](mailto:Theresa-Kottwitz@cdolinc.net)



**Rosie's Famous Lunches**  
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**Catholic Artist Guild Schedule**  
All Catholic Artist Guild meetings are held in Resurrection Hall, St. Joseph Parish, Lincoln, from 9am-Noon. All meetings include prayer & fellowship. All are welcome to come and check us out! The schedule is as follows: **Jan 13th: Business Topics:** Come visit various stations to learn about aspects of business when selling your art or skill. **April 13th: Artist Show & Tell:** Come, bring your art, & share it with other artists in the guild, while learning about their skills & trades. **July 20th: Art Techniques:** Come visit stations & learn from other artists about their specific techniques in a variety of media.

**Cristo Rey Nativity**  
A 28’-wide nativity scene is can be viewed at Cristo Rey Parish (4245 J St), 9am-9pm daily through Jan 7 (except Wednesdays). The elaborately constructed nativity scene takes a week to construct by builders & volunteers & depicts, not only Bethlehem, but also the scenes from Nazareth, Egypt, & the Jerusalem Temple. The nativity scene has been hosted at Cristo Rey since 2004. Donations: Vincent de Paul Society in Lincoln.



### 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>

Dates	Retreat Master	Topic
Jan 8-11 Jan 11-15 Jan 8-15	Fr. Barak, Fr. Coulter, or Sarina Stokes	4-Day or 8-Day Ignatian Retreats
Jan 12-13	24-Hr Retreat for Men & Dads	Laborers in the Vineyard

*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 January 8	Tuesday January 9	Wednesday January 10	Thursday January 11	Friday January 12
Chili Cinnamon Roll	Chckn Fajita Rice & Fruit	Breaded Beef Green Beans	Baked Chicken Cheese Potatoes	Cheese Pizza Salad & Fruit



### Marian Camp 2024



Camper & Counselor registrations open Jan 20th. Camp sessions: June 23-26 and June 28-July 1. Cost: \$200 for 1st camper; \$150 for 2nd camper. Camp is for girls entering 6th-9th grades. Camp located at Camp Kateri Tekakwitha, McCool Junction. Financial Aid available Dec 11-Jan 8. See [mariansisters.org/marian-camp.html](http://mariansisters.org/marian-camp.html) or scan the QR Code for more info or to register as a camper or counselor.

**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](http://www.loveandlifeprograms.org) or call Bob & Carmen Sullivan at 402-469-5149.

### 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](http://onecau.se/villamdance60) or scan the QR Code.

**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.

