

St. Teresa Parish

September 22, 2024

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. T | Weekly Calendar: Sept 22-29

Sun 9.22	7pm: Private Meeting (CR) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Mon 9.23	9am: School Confessions (CH) 7-8:30pm: OCIA (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Tue 9.24	6-8pm: Scouts (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Wed 9.25	4pm: CCD (Sch) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Thu 9.26	7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Fri 9.27	4-9pm: STAGE (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sat 9.28	9am: Legion of Mary (MR) 9am-4pm: Eucharistic Exposition
Sun 9.29	4-6:30pm: Parish Picnic 7pm: Private Meeting (CR) 1-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition

St. Teresa School News

Chipotle Fundraiser

St. Teresa School Family will be sponsoring a Chipotle fundraiser on Wed, Oct 2nd from 5-9pm. St. Teresa School will receive 25% of sales for all orders using the order code. Please use the order code GFQAJGR when ordering either online or in person. Using Scrip will multiply the school's fundraising efforts. Scrip can be purchased at the school or take your order to the rectory and we will get it to the school for you.

School Family Meeting Date Change

The next School Family Meeting will be Thurs, Nov, 7th (updated date) at 7pm with guest speaker, Bishop Conley!

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Registration for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd program for children ages 3-12 will begin Aug 3rd on the parish website under Faithful Teaching. Children at St. Teresa School, PreK-2nd grade will attend during the school day. Sessions meet weekly during the school year. Children from all parishes are welcome.

CCD Registration

Registration is now open for CCD. Classes begin Wed, Sept 4th, 4-5:15pm. To register, click the QR Coder. Cost: \$60/student; \$30/homeschool student. Questions contact the parish office or Fr. Schleis at Fr.Mitchell-Schlies@cdolinc.net For a paper registration, contact the parish office at 402-477-3979.

Religious Sisters Vocations

Week of Sept 22nd, please pray Sr. Mary Chiara Middendorf, First Vows, at School Sisters of Christ the King.

OCIA: Creation-Kergyma

All are welcome to join in the OCIA class on Mon, Sept 23rd from 7-8:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall. We will discuss the following topics: Creation and the Kergyma Jeff Schinstock will be presenting.

Parish Picnic

Please join us for our annual Parish Picnic in Sun, Sept 29th from 4-6:30pm. Men's Club will provide hamburgers, hotdogs, buns, & condiments. Please bring a side or dessert to share along with your own place setting. PCCW will have water, lemonade, & iced tea to drink. Children are welcome to participate in the Saints Parade around 5:30pm and live music by Wes Stebbins!

St. Teresa Parish Bazaar

Please save the date for our Annual Parish Bazaar on Sun, Nov. 10th! Come enjoy games, silent auction, great food & even better company!

Bazaar Raffle Tickets

Be watching for the Bazaar Raffle Tickets which will be ready soon for pick up. You will find them in the pew, at the side entrances, & in the vestibule of the church. Early Bird date for sold books of tickets is Nov 3rd. Tickets can be put in the collection basket or dropped off at the rectory.

Plea to Pick up Dishes

Stop by Kaczmarek Hall and pick up any dishes you may have here. Any items not picked up by Sept 29th will be donated to the Thrift Shop.

Youth Altar Society

The Youth Altar Society will meet on Wed, Oct 10th from 3:20-4:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall (West, kitchen side). All young women grades 5-8 interested in joining are welcome! Please scan the QR code for more information and to register. Girls must be registered prior to attending the meeting.

Knights of Columbus Membership

All men are invited to join the Knights of Columbus Council #833. To join, fill out the simple online application by clicking on the QR Code. Use the agent referral code "FROMERO" and the Promo Code "BLESSEDMCGIVNEY" when filling out the application. This code waives your annual dues for the first year. Look for the Fitzgerald Council #833 when registering.

Rosary Drive

Do you have extra rosaries at home that are in good condition? Please consider donating them to our Rosary Drive! Throughout the month of September, the Legion of Mary will be collecting usable rosaries in a basket in the vestibule of the church. Thank you for your donations!

Mass Schedule: September 21-29

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Pro Populo = for the people

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
9.21	4:00pm	+ Deceased Members of Butler & Howie Families
	8am	+ Angela Dreher
Sun 9.22	10am	+ Marvin Vitus Trouba
	Noon	Pro Populo
	6:30am	+ Sandy Payne
Mon 9.23	7am PS	51st Anniversary of the Foundation of the Holy Spirit Adoration Sisters in Lincoln
	8:15am	+ Julie Szalawiga
	6:30am	+ Marlene F Molacek
Tue 9.24	7am PS	Fr. Thomas Bush
	8:15am	Jim and Kathy
	6:30am	Mary & Lee Volkmer
Wed 9.25	7am PS	Living & Deceased Members enrolled in the Spiritual Union of Perpetual Adoration
	8:15am	+ Michael Patton
	6:30am	Mary Lou Buss
Thu 9.26	7am PS	Emilia Dustin
	8:15am	+ Mary Gapp
	6:30am	+ Richard A Aksamit
Fri 9.27	7am PS	+ Tom & Margaret Tracy
	8:15am	+ Lori Beanie
	7am PS	Trevor Wood
Sat 9.28	8:15am	Sam & Rhonda Ganz
	4pm	+ Joanne Hovey
	8am	Pro Populo Shower of Roses
Sun 9.29	10am	+ Mary Lukow
	Noon	+ Doug Beals

Let's Keep our Church Beautiful!

We recently had our lighting in the landscaping and flower bed areas around the church repaired. To keep our grounds looking nice, please keep children out of these areas to help avoid further breakage of our lighting.

Collection Report			
Week ended	September 14, 2024		
Adult Envelope		\$	17,535.00
Loose Plate			702.70
		\$	18,237.70
2023	Actual	Budgeted	Cum. YTD
-	Sunday	Sunday	Above(Below)
2024	Collection	Collection	Budget
Jul	86,950	103,500	(16,550)
Aug	79,844	82,800	(19,506)
Projected weekly tithing based on total prior year giving \$20,700.			
We submitted a break-even budget to the diocese for FY 2024/2025			

Eucharistic Adoration

The following hours are open for adoration. The link to the online sign-up is in the parish e-mail and at our web-site:

Home>AuthenticWorship>Adoration

Open Holy Hours:

Sun 4-5pm; Tues 4-5pm; Thurs 7-8pm
Fri 4-5pm & 6-7pm

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

366 N 48th Street, Lower Level
The Thrift Shop made **\$4,553** this past weekend.

Hours for business:

Fridays 4-8 and Saturdays 9-3
Please donate during business hours.

CSS Needs Your Help!

Catholic Social Services is asking for your help! We are partnering with the Knights of Columbus at St. Teresa's to collect food & monetary donations to support our food pantry. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please make checks payable to CSS Food Market AND include your parish name in the memo. Any food & monetary donations can be made during September 1-30. We cannot accept dent-ed, opened, or expired food. We are most in need of the following items: Oatmeal, Syrup, Pancake Mix, Sugar, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Condiments (Ketchup, Salsa, etc.), and Ramen.

St. Michael Art/Craft Fair

St. Michael, Lincoln, is hosting an Art/Craft Fair at their annual Fall Festival. All are invited to sell arts & crafts during the Fall Festival on Sun, Sept 22nd, Noon-3pm. To reserve a table use the QR Code or contact cindy.schilmoeller@gmail.com or call/text 402-429-1109. Table Cost: \$30.

St. Teresa Parish Office

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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
Sept 25-29	Fr. Gary Coulter	Ignatian Retreat
Oct 5th	Fr. Jay Buhman	Holiness for Moms of Young People
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)		

Pink Sisters' Vocations Holy Hour

The Pink Sisters' Holy Hour for Vocations will be Fri, Oct 4th at 7:15pm in the Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S Cotner Blvd. Singing will be led by the Cathedral Children's Choir. Please help us pray for good vocations for our Diocese.

Pink Sisters Available Holy Hours

Pink Sisters are in need of adorers for the following holy hours: **Mon:** 2pm, 4pm; **Thurs:** 4pm; **Fri:** after 7am Mass, 9:45am, Noon; **Sat:** 6:30pm, 7:30pm; **Sun:** Noon, 4pm, 6pm. Call Tabby at 402-499-6028 with questions or for an hour.

Frassati Performance

"Frassati," a play about Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati and written & directed by Patsy Urbanovsky, will be performed on Oct 3-6 in a building on private property owned by the Vinton family. The cast includes 30 people of all ages from various parishes. Freewill donation; however tickets must be reserved in advance. To reserve tickets or for more info go to www.Frassati.Eventbrite.com or call Sandra at 402-937-4467.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Learn how to bring the peace of Christ into your relationship in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Sept 27-29 at North American Martyrs, Lincoln. Questions or to learn about Virtual Encounter Weekends, contact Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839 or www.wwme.org.

Surviving Divorce

The Surviving Divorce program was created to bring hope & healing to divorced & separated Catholics. This 12-week program is leader-facilitated, featuring 30-min video segments covering topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, kids, annulment, & more. The next session begins Oct 1st at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 7-8:30pm. Questions or to register, email lifelloffice@cdolinc.net or contact Office of Family Life & Discipleship: 402-473-0620.



Monday September 23	Tuesday September 24	Wednesday September 25	Thursday September 26	Friday September 27
Ckn Nuggets Baked Beans	BBQ Rib Corn, Fruit	Spaghetti Green Beans	Hot Dog Chips, Fruit	Cheese Pizza Salad, Fruit

Pro-Life Activities

Life Chain 2024: Please join us on Sun, Oct 6th, 2:30-3:30pm, on O Street for our annual silent prayer vigil in support of all human life, born & preborn. Go to LifeChain.org for more info.

40 Days for Life: Join the Kickoff Event on Tues, Sept 24th, 6pm, at Lincoln Right to Life, 5632 S 48th, Unit 4 with parking at Cornerstone Christian Church. Come learn more about "Lighting the Way Pastoral Care Ministries" which supports women through workshops, support groups, retreats, & individual needs. Lincoln Right to Life will provide a taco bar. Please bring a side or dessert to share. RSVP: Cathy, 402-202-1614 with your name and number attending. To learn more about 40 Days for Life and to sign up to pray, go to 40daysforlife.com/Lincoln.

Lights, Camera, Action 2024 Video Contest: Create a video that depicts the theme, "What would Nebraska be like if the Pro-Abortion Ballot Initiative is codified into its Constitution?" Eligible entries: high school students who reside in Lancaster County. Win prizes & scholarships with your video. Details: 60-90 seconds in length, MP4 or MOV format. Submit video to Mike Davis at davis72@gmail.com by Oct 1st! Questions, contact Mike Davis at the above email address.

Fearfully & Wonderfully Made

Fearfully & Wonderfully Made, a Mother/Daughter Program for 9-13 year-old girls (Must be accompanied by their mother or other supportive female adult), will be held on Sun, Sept 22nd from 1:30-4:30pm. To register go to lincolndiocese.regfox/motherdaughter.

ABLAXE House of Prayer

Join in praise, worship, & adoration at ABLAXE on Fri, Sept 27th, 6-8pm on the front lawn of Our Lady of Good counsel Retreat House, with Fr. Michael Voithofre & EncounterMinsitries.