

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (English); 7:00 p.m. (Español)
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (English); 11:30 a.m. (Español)
7:00 p.m. (English)
Holy days: see bulletin.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday-Friday: 8:15 a.m. Lunes-Viernes 5:30 (en español)

CONFESSIONS (also available by appointment)

Wednesdays: 6-7 p.m. Saturdays: 4:30-4:55 p.m. & 6:30-6:55 p.m.
Sundays: 8:30-8:55 a.m. 11:00-11:25 a.m. 6:30-6:55 p.m.

Second Sunday of Advent—December 9, 2018

DO NOT SALT OUR NEW CONCRETE THIS WINTER—it will damage it!

PCCW will meet Wednesday, Dec.12 @ 6:30 pm @ the parish hall. See you there.

The **MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MASS & COFFEE FOR PCCW** will be this Wednesday December 12th in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Come to Mass in Crete @ 8:15 am & gather afterwards for fellowship. All are welcome.

PLEASE MAKE A SACRAMENTAL CONFESSION AT CHRISTMAS here's a Catholic guide: http://m.ncregister.com/info/confession_guide_for_adults Follow this schedule of six extra times confessions will be heard: **Wednesday December 19th: 6:00-7:00pm. Thursday, December 20th: 7:00-8:00pm. Friday, December 21st: 8:00-9:00pm. Saturday, December 22nd: 9:00-10:00am. Sunday, December 23rd: 10:00-11:00am. Monday, December 24th: 11:00am-12:00 noon**

PREPAREN EL CAMINO Haremos seis horas en los días antes de la navidad para confesarse. Sigue este lazo para un examen de conciencia excelente:

https://www.ewtn.com/spanish/DivinoNi%C3%B1o/Examen_de_conciencia.htm

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CELEBRATION: *El día Miercoles 12 de diciembre a las 3:30 de la mañana se dará inicio al Rosario y a las 4:00 las mañanitas, terminando las mañanitas alrededor de las 5:00 de la mañana, tendremos la celebración de la Misa. Por la tarde daremos inicio con el rosario a las 6:00 p.m., seguido de la danza a la virgen y a las 7:00 tendremos la celebración de la Misa. Despues de la Misa invitamos a todos a ir al Nuevo Salon Parroquial para celebrar una cena de "Traje". Se pide que todos traigan algun platillo para compartir. Que Dios los bendiga.*

A GRANT PROPOSAL WE SUBMITTED to an (anonymous) foundation has come back to us with a challenge: they will match us 1 to 1 for every dollar we contribute. We asked the foundation for help catching up on three specific expenses but this appeal to the parish focuses on one of them: Fire Marshall Orders about deficiencies we must soon correct in the gym and our old hall that add up to \$64,000. After our new hall was done last summer the Fire Marshall inspected the older part of the building and came up with this list for our safety. Please use the envelope attached to this bulletin to contribute. If you would like to be part of this effort before year's end please be sure to write a date bearing

MASS INTENTIONS & MINISTRIES

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Monday, December 10

8:15am Ann Kubes - bday

5:30pm Alphonse Drummer+ JR

Tuesday December 11

8:15am B & B Lorenz fam. Liv.& dec'd.

5:30pm Robert Drummer+ JR

Wednesday December 12

8:15am Holy Souls

5:30pm Dalton Petty - bday

Thursday December 13

8:15am Joan Bauer+

5:30pm Todos Almas AG

Friday December 14

8:15am Sam Timan JKS

5:30pm All Souls AMB

Saturday December 15

5:00pm Special Intention - SK

7:00pm Special Intentions PF4

Sunday, December 16

9:00am *Pro Populo*

11:30am Ron Muff+ unk

7:00pm Robert McGowan+

MINISTRIES:

Saturday December 15

Acolyte Joe Rohach

Lector Volunteer

Ushers Shirley Vodicka, Craig Fey Family

Gifts MM Mark Pribyl

Rosary Mark Pribyl

Servers Tyler Ward, Volunteer

Sunday December 16

Acolyte Bill Lorenz

Lector Barb Lorenz

Ushers Larry & Kathy Koerner, Dan & Jan Zahourek

Gifts Dave Muff Family

Rosary Kathy Springer

Servers Colton Fey, Jacob Cerny

the year 2018 and turn it in on time for tax purposes. If there are leftover funds generated by this campaign they will be deposited to the bank account we still have for our future church's construction.

FUNERALS got a lot of attention this past week. It's a good chance to review policies and procedures. First things first, and most important: let's talk about what should happen before death. If you find out someone's life is in danger "call the priest". If they have been away from Church and the sacraments for years, "call the priest". If they were never Catholic but want a priest, "call the priest". You get the idea.

It's a good idea to pre-plan your funeral, whether or not you want to pre-pay a funeral home. Choose a cemetery and purchase a plot/s. Write a rough draft of your obituary. Get the names and events down the way you want them. For the funeral itself: plan to have a Rosary/vigil the night before and a funeral Mass the next day. This lets people be there who can't take off from work on a weekday. Every Catholic *Mass is the public worship of the Church*, so popular music and personal touches are excluded. Let's use two examples of property to explain: you are welcome to paint the front door of your (private) house orange, but if you paint (public) City Hall's front door orange you might be given an orange jumpsuit! Eulogies, stories and favorite music belong at the vigil, and not in the Mass. Family members can speak first and then if desired others may be given 'open mike' to say things about the deceased. At the funeral Mass it's best not to choose family members to read because the emotions of the moment can surprise and embarrass.

Group 4 is in charge of **CLEANING CHURCH FOR DECEMBER**. Leader is Lori Manson (826-2664). Look for your name on list on the church bulletin board or in the parish handbook.

Help Spirit 102.7-FM (Spirit Catholic Radio) bring warmth to people in the Lincoln area as we **WARM UP WINTER!** We're accepting donations of NEW socks, coats, mittens, hats and boots for both adults and children. The donated items can be dropped off at our Lincoln studios at 630 N. Cotner Blvd., Ste. 101 or at Catholic Social Services at 2241 O Street in Lincoln. Drop off your new, unwrapped donations of warm, winter gear by Dec. 28. For more info visit spiritcatholicradio.com and help us Warm Up Winter!

WEEKLY DEPOSIT SUMMARY

Adult Envelopes:	3,631.00
Loose checks outside of envelopes	775.00
Loose Cash:	1,040.00
Children:	49.00
Direct Deposit: (weekly)	<u>350.00</u>
Total deposited	\$5,845.00

There were also these: Construction (12/2) \$570; Tuition \$ 2,850 The tuition payments we have gotten this month helped us catch up some on our payments to the Lincoln Diocese for monthly assessments.

PARA QUE CESA EL ABORTO *se invita a Uds. que recen en frente de la Planned Parenthood en Lincoln los martes en la mañana. Se no es posible a uno, reza lo mismo en su trabajo, en nuestra iglesia or en el hogar que Dios cambie los corazones de los que cometen abortos. Gracias!*

During this Advent season and the holy days of Christmas, **LET US PRAY ESPECIALLY WITH MERCIFUL HEARTS FOR PLANNED PARENTHOOD.** — Lord God, we pray for the conversion of the hearts and salvation of the souls of all people who are employed by, who work for, who volunteer for, or who contribute to, support or are in any way associated or affiliated with Planned Parenthood around the world, in our nation, our region, our state and our community. Please consider praying outside Lincoln's clinic on Tuesdays when abortions are performed there; if you can't, please dedicate some time on Tuesdays to prayer for those who do go there. Contact Fr. Major for more information.

O my God, I love you above all things, with my whole heart and soul, because you are all good and worthy of all my love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of you. I forgive all who have injured me and I ask pardon of all whom I have injured.

Señor Jesús, pido especialmente la gracia de perdonar a esa persona que más me ha herido en mi vida. Pido perdonar a mi peor enemigo, la persona que más me cuesta perdonar o la persona que haya dicho que nunca la perdonaría. "Gracias Jesús, porque me estás liberando del mal de no perdonar y pido perdón a todos aquellos a los que yo también he ofendido.

