



Sacred Heart Church-St. James Parish

Crete, NE

3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

January 24, 2021



Online
Giving

Masses:

Monday-Friday: 8:15 am English; 5:30 pm Spanish

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm English; 7:00 pm Spanish

Sunday: 9:00 am English; 11:30 am Spanish

Stream Masses here: <https://www.facebook.com/SacredHeartCrete>

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Confessions:

Before all weekend Masses, Wednesdays from 6-7pm, and by Appointment

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SEMINARIANS *Jonah Amadeus Brox* from St. Teresa's, Lincoln, who is in Theology 1 at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary.

Thanks so much to all of you for all the Christmas cards and gifts! I have been writing thank you cards to all of you, but in case any of you fall through the

cracks, thanks so much for the support! God bless! From, Fr. Stoley.

7th and 8th Grade CCD will now be meeting on Wednesdays at 7pm, much like GodTeens. The Van Horn family will be hosting at their home. Their address is 730 Goldenrod Ct., Crete, NE and you can contact them at 402-418-2048.

Please give to the **One Rose, One Life campaign**, which goes through 31st of January. The proceeds will go to a new ultrasound machines to save babies in danger of suffering death through abortion. This close to the anniversary of Roe v. Wade, we have a good opportunity to promote the pro-life cause.

PCCW UPDATE: To date, the Viral Fall Dinner proceeds are \$11,330.00. Thank you all for contributing this amazing amount of money. We are dividing the proceeds equally, between the Church General Fund and PCCW. God bless you for your generosity. PCCW President, Charlotte James

Birthright Baby Shower is being held this month - January 2021. The clothes should be new or gently used. They will be given to women in need of baby clothes at Birthright in Lincoln. A bassinet will be in the back of church. Thank you for your generosity. Charlotte James, PCCW President.

Spousal hearts-renewed in Love - Marriage Encounter presenting Virtual Weekends 2021:

Feb. 19-21 and April 23-25. Contact Pat & Janelle Benson - Pat 308-940-0670; Janelle 308-940-1105
pbjbbn@yahoo.com.

As you are all well aware by now, Covid has prevented many from being able to come to Mass. Often times, if one cannot come to Mass, one cannot tithe. While we are not in trouble currently, we will be soon. If you want to give but cannot because you can't leave the house, try online giving. Just scan the QR Code at the top right corner of the page. It is easy to sign up and you can make a one-time or recurring gift. Thank you for your stewardship and generosity! The diocese is requiring us to allow no more than 50% capacity in the church for Mass. Remember, however, that the Parish Hall has been open for seating for the past few months. There is plenty of room to spread out, and even if we have 100 people in the Hall, we will still be under 50% capacity. If the church looks pretty full, please make your way to the hall.

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions for January 2021 – May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

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LDCCW (Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) recognizes the work of women in the church. Our local PCCW (Parish Council of Catholic Women), also known as Altar Society, is part of the Crete Deanery. There are 13 deaneries in the Lincoln diocese. The purpose is to perform spiritual and corporal works of mercy under the bishop's direction. Some of the activities important to the PCCW include purchasing altar supplies, encouraging participation in retreats and religious youth camps by funding 1/2 of the cost, offering support to promote faith, and giving aid to the needy. Some activities include cleaning church, serving funeral meals, and supporting pro life (like the Diaper Drive). Every woman is a member. The meetings are on the second Wednesday (skip July & August) at 6:30 in the hall. Thanks to everyone who helps our parish family. Consider picking an area of your expertise to be of service. Contact officers if any questions. Officers- Charlotte James, Barb Lorenz, Sue Juricek, and Deb Polacek.

PCCW Group 2 is in charge of **CLEANING CHURCH IN JANUARY 2021**. The leader is Pat Filip, 402-826-2605. Thank you for your help. Please come Saturdays at 9am and help them keep our church clean and beautiful. It takes about an hour for a crew of five people.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES OF SOUTHERN NEBRASKA has funds available for rent, utilities, and emergency cash assistance help. We have funds set aside for every region of southern Nebraska, not just the towns where we have offices. So please, if you know of anyone that needs help they can call in to apply for assistance. Lincoln area, please call (402) 327-6211 on Mondays beginning at 9 a.m. We have a bilingual English/Spanish speaker at this number.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 25

8:15 am Jennifer Rose

5:30pm Mary Marin+

Tuesday, January 26

8:15am Chris Weber

5:30pm Bud Kohl+

Wednesday, January 27

8:15am Poor Souls in Purgatory

5:30pm Josefina Gomez de Cruz+

Thursday, January 28

8:15am Special Intention

Friday, January 29

8:15am Joseph and Idella Lorenz+

5:30pm Rosa Marion y Jesus Meza

Saturday, January 30

5:00pm Poor Souls in Purgatory

7:00pm People of the Parish

Sunday, January 31

9:00am Roy Stoekinger

11:30am Candido Vicente Reyes

WEEKLY SUMMARY (NO DEPOSIT INFO THIS WEEK)

Adult Envelopes:

Loose checks outside of envelopes

Loose Cash:

Maintenance:

Online Giving

Direct Deposit: (weekly)

Total deposited

Christmas Offering \$; Solemnity of Mary \$; Yearly Donations \$; CCD \$; Box Tops \$; Building Fund: \$; BF D.D. \$; Operating Balance = \$ (after ALL Deposits & Bills of \$).

We need about \$8,500 per week in tithes in order to sustain the parish. Please do what you can. Thank you for your generous stewardship!

You can **LEAVE CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE GRAY STEEL BOX** in front of the podium in church. It is emptied weekly. You can also use text-to-give: text the word **GIVE** to **402 303-3122** and follow instructions at the link you get back. Or, you can use our new QR code at the top of the bulletin for online giving if you'd like to use that.