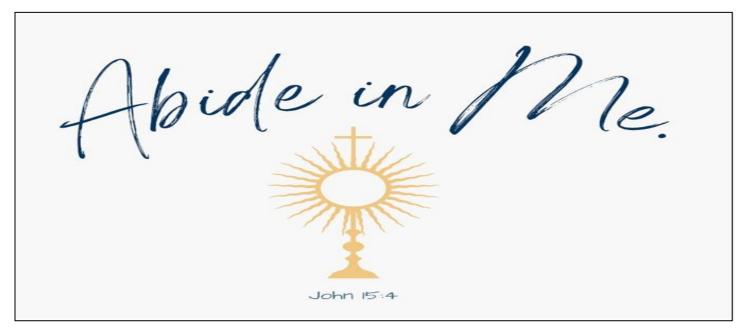
April 28, 2024 Fifth Sunday of Easter



SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:10am

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Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, oh Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



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Mass Intentions

Monday, April 29: St. Catherine of Siena

7:00am †Frances Baran 8:15am †Tim Gill

Tuesday, April 30: St. Pius V

7:00am †Dec'd members of Tim and Joni Richter family

8:15am †Eric Clark

Wednesday, May 1: St. Joseph The Worker

7:00am †Frank Wagner 8:15am †Lloyd Holles

Thursday, May 2: St. Athanasius

7:00am †Bill and Alyce Morgan

8:15am †Joyce Loutsch

Friday, May 3: Sts. Philip and James, First Friday

7:00am †Dawn Daly

8:15am Living/deceased members of McCarty/Gill families

Saturday, May 4: First Saturday

8:15am †George Rejda 5:00pm †Phyllis Kennett

Sunday, May 5: Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00am †Kathleen Bixenmann 9:30am St. Michael Parishioners 11:10am Carolina Torres

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

<u>Deceased</u>: Carol Nisley, Steve Grandinetti, Carol Davenport

<u>Sick/Hospitalized</u>: Eric Thompson, Ryan Hamilton, Lisa Marks, Jim Skinner, Pat Gill, Bernie Rupp, Dave Rahe

<u>Military</u>: Brandon Petray, Christopher Wittwer, Ben Keaschall, Isaac Keaschall, Will Martin, Scott Burbach, member of US Navy, Virginia Beach, VA

Religious Sisters: Sr. Maria Bernadette Phuong Nguyen, Vietnam, Jr. Professed Sister, Sisters of Mary, Queen of Mercy



We welcome newly baptized **Jack Thomas** and **Henry Francis Haines**, sons of Kalle and Madison Haines, to the family of God. Congratula-

Welcome new members, *Jim and Sandy Dingman*, and *Alex and Hannah Kuhfahl*, and their children, *Sawyer and Josephine*, to St. Michael Parish. We are glad that you are here!

Growing Disciples—A Note of Gratitude to all parishioners who participated in our tithing campaign. Your generosity is what makes this parish a community of faithful missionary disciples. See the attachment to the bulletin for a summary of your involvement.

Be the reason for someone's heartbeat... It only takes an hour to save THREE lives through blood donation! St. Michael Catholic Church is hosting a blood drive on Friday, June 7, 8am-2pm, in the commons of the school by appointment only. Use

the QR code or go to

www.redcrossblood.org. Contact Lori Koehn (402) 380-2601 or Katie Mach (402) 480-1274 with questions. Save a life and sign up today!



Parish Calendar

OCIA, Sunday, April 28, 9:30am High School Ignite, Sunday, April 28, 6:15pm Pick Up Basketball, Sunday, April 28, 8pm Women of Faith, Tuesday, April 30, 9am Men's Group, Tuesday, April 30, 5:45am AA Meeting, Tuesday, April 30, 6pm Women's Ministry, Tuesday, April 30, 7pm CCD. Wednesday, May 1, 6pm Jr. High Ignite, Wednesday, May 1, 6pm Women of Grace, Thursday, May 2, 9am PCCW Meeting, Thursday, May 2, 6:30pm Legion of Mary, Friday, May 3, 8am First Friday Devotions, Friday, May 3 after Mass **Sunday Mass Prep,** Friday, May 3, 9am First Saturday Devotions. Saturday, May 4, 7:45am Church Cleaning, Saturday, May 4, 8:45am Saturday Morning Book Study, Saturday, May 4, 8:45am Senior Baccalaureate Mass, Sunday, May 5, 9:30am 8th Grade Graduation Mass, Thursday, May 16, 6pm Totus Tuus, July 20-26

Rosary Leaders: Apr 27/28: 5:00 Wagner, 8:00 Mitchell, 9:30 Stamper, 11:10 Schoenfelder May 4/5: 5:00 Rentschler, 8:00 Curry, 9:30 Vint, 11:10 Wood

April 21, 2024 Parish Offering

Mass Collections \$ 7,533 ACH 10,336 Online 7,465 Total Parish Offering \$25,334

Thank you for your stewardship!

You can support St. Michael Parish through online giving <u>here</u>. For ACH giving or other financial questions, please contact our Business Manager, shannondohmen@cdolinc.net or call the

parish office.

Matt Talbot Meal, provided by St. Michael Parish, will be served on Monday evening, April 29. Please sign up here to donate food, which can be dropped off in the Church kitchenette by 11am on Sunday, April 28. Please make sure items are marked "Matt Talbot". Monetary donations can be sent to the parish office or put in the collection basket at Mass. Please make checks payable to St. Michael, with "Matt Talbot" in the memo line. Contact Lori Koehn at 402-380-2601 if you have questions.

Rosary Making 101—St. Michael PCCW will be hosting classes to make rosaries. Join us to learn how! Multiple class times available. See the attachment to the bulletin for details or call/text Kris with questions: 908-531-2522 or stmichaelparish krism@yahoo.com.

Give Kids Hope, Take the Credit! Nebraska taxpayers who want to support students in need of financial assistance to attend a school that works best for them are now offered a tax credit for contributions to Opportunity Scholarships of Nebraska (OSN). St. Michael is a preferred school so you can direct your contribution to benefit families right here in our parish! Better yet, the tax credit application and payment process just got easier with OSN's new online portal. Go to givehope.nebraskaopportunity.org for more information.

You're invited to a special parish presentation by the **Nebraska Catholic Conference** on combating the pro-abortion ballot initiative. Learn why this initiative threatens women and babies in Nebraska and how we can defend life together. Join us on Monday, May 6, 7pm, St. Michael meeting room in the Church. *Bring a friend!*

Eucharistic Adoration Open Hours: *Sun*: 12, 1, 2, 4am, 1, 3pm; *Mon*: 1, 3am; *Tues*: 12, 1, 2am; *Wed*: 2, 3, 4am; *Fri*: 1, 2, 3, 10am, 3, 6, 9, 11pm; *Sat*: 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 11am, noon, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8pm. Contact cindy -schilmoeller@cdolinc.net.

In the Gospel today, Jesus says, "Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit, because without me you can do nothing." Indeed, by helping the poor we can "bear much fruit" and we find that with Jesus we can do everything. Your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will show that you are indeed the disciple of Jesus as it will bring your love to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread. To donate financially to St. Vincent de Paul Society, click here. Contacts: Wayne Vestal 303-918-5939 wjvestal@gmail.com; Steve May 402-440-7458, sacmay47@gmail.com.

All St. Michael Parish High School Seniors and their families are invited to the Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, May 5, at 9:30am with donuts afterwards. Please join us!

Birthright of Lincoln is in need of all clothing (boys and girls) from infant to size 2. Spring, Summer, sleepers/onesies are in greatest need. If you can donate new or gently used clothing. please drop items off in the Birthright Totes located in the lobby of the church, either the main doors or the East door. Donations will be accepted through April 28.

"Physician Heal Thyself" is a retreat on April 27, 2024, hosted by Lincoln Catholic Medical Association and Nebraska Catholic Nurses Association to bring together health and medical professionals of all specialties, physicians, nurses, and medical students to enhance our faith in our everyday lives and practices. Go to www.lincoln.cathmed.org-events to register or contact lnkcma@gmail.com for more information.

Women's Care Center in Lincoln is seeking a Bilingual (English and Spanish) Parenting Instructor. Training is provided. This position is part-time. If you have a passion for helping pregnant women choose life, please send your resume to Ashley at acapuyan.wccindy@gmail.com.

Villa Marie School is looking to hire a Special Education Teacher for the 2024-25 school year. Please call Sr. Jeanette Rerucha at 402-786-3625 or email sr.jeanette-rerucha@cdolinc.net.

Pianist Wanted at St. Patrick Church, Lincoln. Please contact Fr. Schweiger at 402-466-2752 or fr.troyschweiger@cdolinc.net.

Come to St. Robert Bellarmine in Omaha on April 26 and 27, **2024,** to hear friends from **EWTN** and **Catholic Answers** speak on THE EUCHARIST: The Source and Summit of our Faith. This 2-day symposium will feature: Fr. Wade Menezes, Tim Staples, Coleen Kelly Mast, Joe Heschmeyer, and Stacy Trasancos. A bookstore will be open before, during, and after the symposium with a Saturday box lunch available for prepurchase. The symposium will be held from 7 - 9:30 pm Friday April 26, and 9 am - 4:30 pm Saturday, April 27. Tickets are \$25 each. For more info and to purchase tickets, go to spiritcatholicradio.com/April

Share the joy of Magnificat at the next breakfast, Saturday, May 4, 2024, from 9:30am to noon in Dawson Hall at John XXIII, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. Featured speaker is Rachael Tvrdy, Director of the Office of Family Life and Discipleship for the Diocese of Lincoln. \$20 adults; \$15 students. Reservations by mail, checks payable to Magnificat, %Tina Colgan, 521 N 56th Street, Lincoln, NE 68504. Contact Rhonda Litt at 402-525-6396 with questions.

Holy Hour at the Pink Sisters, Friday, May 3, 7:15pm at Holy Spirit Adoration Chapel, 1030 South Cotner Blvd. Singing will be led by the Marian Sisters. Please join us in praying for vocations to our Diocese!

Salt Dogs Faith & Family Nights—Join us at Haymarket Park for a variety of entertainment beginning two hours prior to games including In-Stadium Chapel with the players, Catch in the outfield, Player autographs, and Live Church Band on the Concourse. Bake sales and merchandise booths on the concourse will remain until the end of the game. Upcoming dates are Sunday, May 19 @ 105pm; Sunday, June 23 @ 1:05pm; Sunday, July 14 @ 1:05pm; Wednesday, August 28 @ 7:05pm.

The Good Shepherd is calling you by name. Do you have a desire to expand your wonder, awe and enjoyment of Scripture and the Liturgy? Adults in our community are invited to a faith formation course using the method of Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) taking place at St. Peter beginning July 14, 2024. "Unless you turn and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 18:3. Participants who enroll in this course will learn how to be a co-listener to God with young children and receive some of the richest truths of our faith in a manner that is worthy for 'the greatest

in the kingdom of heaven'. (Matthew 18:4) For more details, questions and to enroll, see the QR code or contact St. Peter CGS catechist 🎞 Sarah Novak sarah-novak@cdolinc.net.









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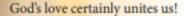


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Growing Disciples

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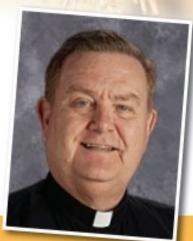
This is evident in the parish response to our recent annual stewardship outreach. THANK YOU! I am humbled and grateful for your commitment to St. Michael Catholic Church, especially during challenging times. Through your commitment, our parish remains vibrant, engaged and Christ-centered in the Eucharist and in serving one another.

God's work is never done! Your prayerful response both materially and spiritually is setting the groundwork for a path forward as we plan for the future of our parish and continuation of critical ministries and service programs. St. Michael Catholic Church continues to grow as a strong, faith-filled stewardship community because of parishioners like you!

With every good wish,

Tre Kenneth Borowiak





Highlights

\$263,804 \$10,845

yet realized)

(contributions not

one-time gifts

53%

from those actively supporting the parish

new families welcomed into our parish community

additional electronic giving participants

If you have not yet renewed your commitment to our parish, please return your commitment card within the next few weeks. We are looking for 100% participation from our parish families! Each response makes a huge impact!

Our Mission

Joyfully worship and make the Eucharist our core and Summit

- Attend Mass
- Attend Adoration
- Actively participate in the Liturgy
- · Pray with others

Our Community

Develop and grow a personal relationship with Christ

- Through scripture and Bible study
- Celebrate the Sacraments
- Join a book study, small group, or class
- · Pray to find Christ in everything and to grow in faith

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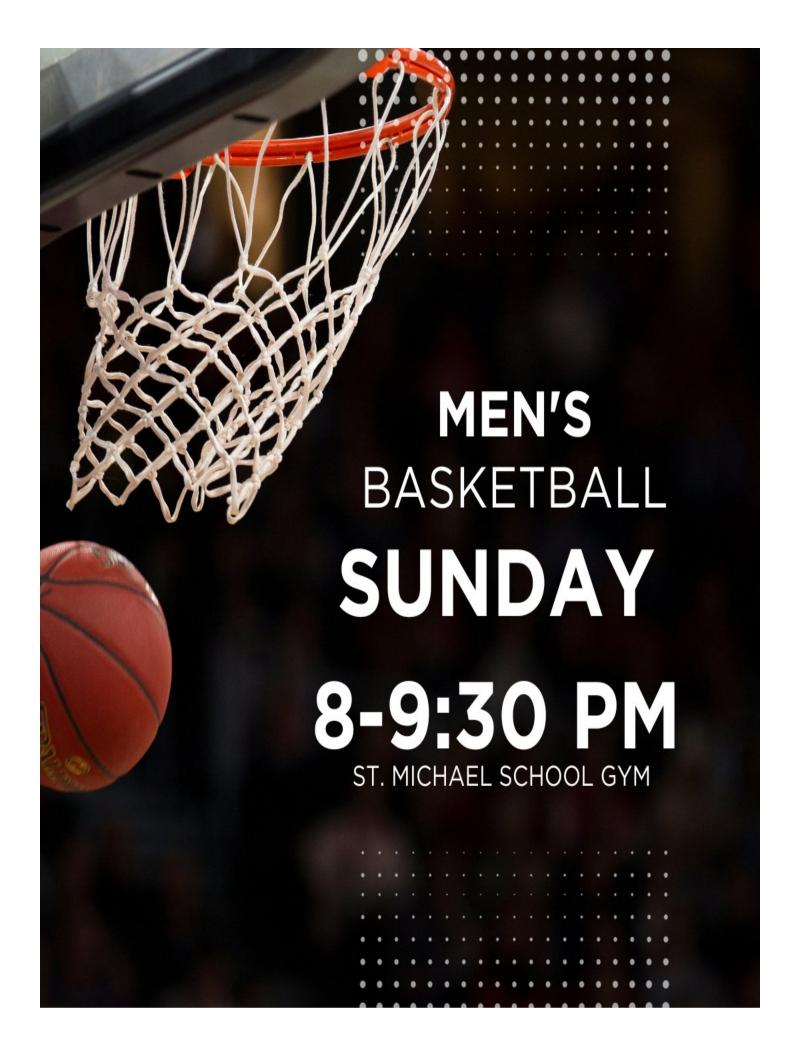
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