<u>COLLECTION</u> – Jan 21: Env \$618; Plate \$246; Votive \$31; Maintenance \$150; Stole Fee \$40; CCD \$220 =\$1305

| Ministry Sche | edule Acolyte               | Lector                | <u>Server</u>  |
|---------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| Sat Feb 03    | Tim Lord                    | Lloyd Ogorzolka       |                |
| Sun Feb 04    | Dave McConville             | Denise McConville     | Dylan/Camden   |
| Sat Feb 10    | Steve Conroy                | Dale Stritt           |                |
| Sun Feb 11    | Roger Buschkoette           | r Rick McConville     | Braxton/Hunter |
| Sat Feb 17    | Tim Conroy                  | Skip Marsh            |                |
| Sun Feb 18    | Jack Ryan                   | Millie Cuelar         | Brody/Callan   |
| Date S        | Servers of Coffee and Rolls |                       | Roll Runner    |
| Feb 04        | Steve/Shari Haag            | Michael/Isabella Lord | Gale/Claudia   |
| Feb 11        | Jason/Stephanie Neseth      | Don/Lois Reiners      | Dick/Jane      |
| Feb 18        | Dave/Ondrea McConville      | Tyler/Katie Brooks    | Dan/Pam        |

## Holy Father's Prayer Intention for January

For the gift of diversity in the Church

We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

**Prayer Intentions:** Jim Helm; Elizabeth Conely; Riley Cure; Nolan Davidson; Jeff Dudensing (deployed in Egypt)

**Sisters Vocation and Seminary Prayer List:** Please pray for Sr. Norma Marie, and seminary Peter Foley.

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting their Valentine Banquet on Feb.18, 2024 at 5:30 PM. The cost is \$10.00 per. person. Please call Dale Stritt 308-737-8777, Bernie Walz 308-737-1064, Chuck Tines 308-353-8072. For your choice of Chicken Fried Steak or Chicken Cordon Bleu. Pay at the door on Feb 18.

The two Christmas Trees on each side of the Alter are being replaced. If anyone is interested in the trees they are free or a donation of your choice. Call Chuck Tines 308-353-8072

A BIG THANK YOU to those that removed snow from the parking lot and around the Hall.

#### **Meetings and Events**

Jan 28 - Parish Council Meeting

Feb 10 – Men's Leadership Summit

Feb 11 – Knights of Columbus Free Throw contest @2pm

Feb 14 – Ash Wednesday

Feb 14 – Valentines Day

Feb 18 – Valentie Banquet @ 5:30pm



The family for Knights recognitions for the month of January is Lloyd and Mary Ogorzolka. Lloyd and Mary were married April 22, 1978, 45 years this year. They have three children Anthony, Adam and Alisa. Anthony is a nurse, Adam is a computer programmer and Alisa is a nurse at Davita in McCook. Lloyd and Mary are blessed with 9 grandchildren. Lloyd was a heavy equipment operator 10 years for Brooks Construction, Furnas Co for 16 years and currently employed with Red Willow Co for 19 years. Mary has been a nurse's aide, ward clerk for McCook Community Hospital for 20 years. She also worked for Tri Valley Health Systems in the Clinic as a nurse receptionist, phlebotomist for 14 years. She also ran a daycare while their children were young. Lloyd is Lector, Church Board Trustee, vocalist and a member of the Knights of Columbus Lloyd is also a current member of Indianola Planning Comm. He is also a Past Grand Knight and a Past member of Indianola Fire Dept. and EMT. Mary is a member of Altar Society and vocalist in the Church Choir.

The Knights of Columbus Scholarship is available to boys that will graduate in 2024. Application must be completed and returned by April 15, 2024. Contact the guidance Counselor at South West High School.

**January Winner of the Altar Society's Raffle is**: Chelsey Boden of Decatur, Nebraska. She is the daughter of Perry and Jeanine Quigley.

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Winners. 11 year old girls Alexis Cornwell; 12 year old girls Natalie Neseth; 13 year old girls Alivia Cure; 12 year old boys Miles Nelms; 13 year old boys Brody Hammond; 14 year old boys Dylan Cornwell



# Congratulations & Welcome

Preslee Lou McConville Daughter of Conner and Abbey McConville Baptized at St. Catherine's - Jan 20, 2023

#### **Pastor's Notes:**

There was a misprint in the bulletin due to a clerical error (I was the cleric!). The Mass intention in the bulletin for Monday, January 15 should have read "Nancy Schmidt," which was the intention. Just for the record!

Due to all the snow and ice we have had recently, we really do appreciate and thank those who have helped "tame" it—Lonnie Brooks, Dale Stritt, Lloyd Ogorzolka, Tom Davidson, Michael Lord—did I miss anybody?

Parish council is scheduled to meet this Sunday evening at 6 P.M. in the rectory dining room. Thanks to all our fine members who are so helpful in so many things. God bless you all!

Please pray for the Pope's Intention for the month of February: For the terminally ill. We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment. The Priest Day Intention: Pray for the hierarchy.

This coming Friday is Groundhog Day, but is known in the Church as the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord, forty days after Christmas and the day He was presented in the Temple by Mary and Joseph, in fulfilment of the Law (the Torah), because of the recognition of how God had saved the firstborn of the Hebrews in Egypt during the tenth and last plague. The offering made by Mary and Joseph was two turtledoves, the one which the poor made. They were met by the two holy old people, Anna and Simeon, and so the day is known among Eastern Christians as "Hypapante," the Feast of the Meeting. Candles for home use that you may bring will be blessed at Mass that morning, along with some that are used at the altar, and we will have our usual monthly Eucharistic exposition and devotion for an hour after Mass. There should be a table in the sanctuary for you to place your candles. Jesus is truly the light of the world and that was revealed at the Presentation.

Saturday morning (with First Saturday devotions following) is the memorial of St. Blaise and throats will be blessed at Mass.

## St. Catherine's Catholic Parish

**Pastor:** Fr. Michael Houlihan 815 D Street, PO Box O, Indianola, NE 69034 Ph: 308-364-2428

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Parish website: https://www.stcatherineindianola.org
Online Giving: https://www.osvhub.com/stcatherineindianola/funds (new address)

Parish Hall 308-364-2228

Mass Schedule: Sat 5pm Sun 9am Confessions: Sat 3:30-4:30pm Sun 8:15-8:45 or on request

**Parish Council Members:** Skip Marsh, Steve Conroy, Janet Cornwell, Kyle Teel, Rick McConville, Roger Buschkoetter, Lloyd Ogorzolka and Nanci Stritt.

Altar Society, meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun, 10:15 am, Knights of Columbus, meets 2nd Sun, 10:15 am

<u>Misa, Domingo</u>- **4:00**pm, Iglesia de San Patricio, McCook Fr Lorenz 308-414-1195

 $\underline{\textbf{Weddings}}\textbf{-}\textbf{Call 8 months in advance} \ (\textit{Engaged Encounter weekend and Fertility Care required})$ 

**Fertility Care Instructors:** *McCook* Kate Siegfried, 345-5812

ABC Pregnancy Help Center, McCook- 308-350-0126

**Grief Support Group** (Community Hospital, McCook) 308-344-2650.

**Newcomers:** If you have moved into our parish, please register by filling out a form in back of Church, or call the rectory at 308-364-2428.

## Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time-January 28, 2024

DAY DATE TIME MASS INTENTION

Sat. 01/27 5:00pm Mary Walz +

Sun. 01/28 9:00am Judy Keith and Jane Bahl +

Mon. 01/29 7:30am People of the parish

Tues. 01/30 7:30am Randy Moon + Wed. 01/31 6:30pm Angie Stephen

Thurs. 02/01 7:30am Knights of Columbus L&D

Fri. 02/02 7:30am St. Catherine Altar Society

Sat. 02/03 7:30am Jay Wood +

Sat. 02/03 5:00pm People of the parish

Sun. 02/04 9:00am Nellie Ryan +

