

COLLECTION – Oct 26 Env \$1056; Plate \$113; Votive \$39; World Mission Sunday \$105= \$1313

Ministry Schedule	Acolyte	Lector	Server
Sat Nov 8	Dave McConville	Ondrea McConville	
Sun Nov 9	Jack Ryan	Dennis McConville	Gage/Judd
Sat Nov 15	Wyatt McConville	Dale Stritt	
Sun Nov 16	Rick Teel	Denise McConville	Braxton/Camden
Sat Nov 22	Herb Ryan	Lloyd Ogorzolka	
Sun Nov 23	Steve Conroy	Kay Portillo	Dylan/Joseph

Date	Servers of Coffee and Rolls	Roll Runner
Nov 9	Jon/Kristen Harris	Dick/Jane Rayer
Nov 16	Chuck/Barb Tines	Allan/Trish Haag
Nov 23	Lloyd/Mary Ogorzolka	Myrna Haag

Holy Father’s Prayer Intention for November
For the prevention of suicide

Let us pray that, those who are tempted to die by suicide might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Prayer Intentions: Jeanine Quigley, Bob Bortner
(To add or remove someone from this list please call the rectory at 364-2428 or email a notice to st.catherine.church@hotmail.com. To add someone to the calling prayer chain, you can call or email Steph Neseth at 692-3408 or snabc@kdsi.net.
Names will be left on the list for 30 days unless we are notified otherwise.

Sisters Vocation Prayer: Please pray for new entrants in Diocese of Lincoln Motherhouses, Abbey Forward and Kendall Kopf

Seminarian Vocation Prayer: Please pray for Seminarian, Cody Hein

And exactly as you would want people to treat you, treat them also the same.” Learn how your spouse would like to be treated on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on: Feb. 20-22, 2026, Lincoln, NE; Sept. 18-20, 2026, Grand Island, NE For questions, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839 Spanish WWME Experience: Dec. 5-7, 2025, Omaha Contact: Victor & Lupita Corona: 651-343-2348 Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org
Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @worldwidemarriageencounter

Meetings and Events

Nov 1 – All Saints Day
Nov 2 – All Souls’ Day
Nov 2 – Daylight Savings

The Altar Society is looking for two officers for the next two years. If anyone is interested, please contact Agnes Richard. Every woman in the parish is a member of the Altar Society, and we appreciate all the help everyone has given us, but to continue, we need officers, if you have questions, please text or call 308-737-1947. Please pray about this. We need you.

Attention Ladies: You're invited to Magnificat's Fall Prayer Meal with speaker Father Jim Morin, the Dean of Men and Instructor of Theology and Latin at St Gregory the Great Seminary, on Saturday November 22 at the Hillcrest Country Club from 9:30 a.m. until Noon! Father Morin is from St Teresa's Parish where he attended elementary school. He graduated from Pius X High School in 2008, and after one year of college felt called to enter the Seminary. He studied Philosophy at St Gregory the Great Seminary and Theology at the North American College in Rome. After ordination, he spent his first year as a Priest in Rome and then parishes and schools in Nebraska City and Hastings. Join us for Father Morin's Testimony to the Holy Spirit in his life and the "rest of the story"! Be a friend and bring a friend and enjoy a morning of prayer, community and JOY with breakfast, a teaching, Praise and Worship, Father's Testimony and more! Registration is \$33 and due by November 15. For questions, contact Coordinator Rhonda Litt at 402.525.6396. Register at: <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/november-prayer-meal-featuring-fr-morin>

LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive

The LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive will soon be coming to an end, but you still have an opportunity to donate. Would you like the LDCCW to shop for you? You can mail a check payable to LDCCW to: LDCCW, 3600 W Wittstruck Rd, Martell NE 68404. The LDCCW will purchase the needed diaper sizes during the year. Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements. Thank you to those that have already donated. God Bless You.

Altar Society is sponsoring **Soup'er Bowl Bash** which is scheduled for Sunday, February 1st from 11-2. Raffle tickets will be in the back of church to pick up. Also we will be selling spots on the money grid before masses and the next two weekends in November. Raffle tickets will be mailed out on November 23rd.



Pastor’s Notes:

Thanks to all who have offered Masses for deceased loved ones. This is a beautiful way to show love and connection with those “who have gone before us, marked with the sign of faith.” The “communion of saints” refers to the connection that we have with other members of the Body of Christ, the Church—others who are living (the Church Militant), those being prepared for glory who have died (the Church Suffering) and those enjoying the presence of God who have died (the Church Triumphant). Because of the importance of All Souls’ Day in our devotion, we celebrate it even when it falls on the Lord’s Day. The Lord Jesus Christ is, of course, the reason for the hope that we have this day---we are reminded of His triumphant life, death, and resurrection which makes heaven real and possible for us.

Special thanks to the St. Catherine’s Altar Society for sponsoring refreshments in the park after the Life Chain last month. They were also responsible for a donation toward the painting of the church, as was our Knights of Columbus council, and as were many parishioners who gave something extra to their normal giving. Due to their generosity, we were able to limit our borrowing from our “nest egg” in the Catholic Foundation to \$30,000, and the other \$30,000 we were able to pay from our regular parish account. Also, thanks to the parishioners who pledged or donated \$7035 (as of this writing) to the Bishop’s Appeal for Vocations. Since our parish goal (set by the diocese) was \$4000, this is a remarkable achievement. God bless you all!

Although in the United States we like to visit cemeteries in May around the time of Memorial Day (when the weather is usually agreeable), the Church actually gives this day (All Souls’ Day) and the days around it (November 1-8) as special days of grace (“indulgence”) for those who visit and fulfill the usual conditions (Holy Communion, confession, prayers for the Pope, etc.). You are welcome to visit the cemetery and the graves of your loved ones this week in a special way.

Thanks to a memorial from Beverly Haag, we have restored an old ciborium to a splendid state at Koley’s in Omaha (they are quite good at fixing and restoring church items made with metal). Yours truly broke it at the stem when trying to tighten the screw for Holy Week use, but now it is fixed and replated. We will probably use it for special occasions and when we need an extra ciborium. The ciborium is the sacred vessel that holds the consecrated hosts for Holy Communion. I do not know how long the parish has owned it, but it probably quite old.

Next Sunday, the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica.

St. Catherine’s Catholic Parish

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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 2nd Sun, 10:15 am, Knights of Columbus, meets 2nd Sun, 10:15 am
Misa, Domingo- 4:00pm, Iglesia de San Patricio, McCook Fr Lorenz 308-414-1195
Weddings - Call 8 months in advance (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.

All Souls’ Day – November 2nd 2025

DAY	DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION
Sat.	11/01	5:00pm	People of the parish.
Sun.	11/02	9:00am	People of the parish
Mon.	11/03	7:30am	Behnke Family FD +
Tues.	11/04	7:30am	St. Catherine Church FD +
Wed.	11/05	6:30pm	Donna Stritt Kraszewski +
Thurs.	11/06	7:30am	Lost sheep
Fri.	11/07	7:30am	Cliff and Anne Lord +
Sat.	11/08	5:00pm	Lamoine and Margaret McConville Family L&D
Sun.	11/09	9:00am	People of the parish

