COLLECTION - Sep 24: Env \$793; Plate \$152; Votive \$29; CCD \$45; Donation \$100 = \$1119

| Ministry Schedule | Acolyte | Lector | Server |
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| Sat Oct 7 | Steve Conroy | Dale Stritt |  |
| Sun Oct 8 | Roger Buschkoetter Rick McConville | Braxton |  |
| Sat Oct 14 | Tim Cornwell | Skip Marsh |  |
| Sun Oct 15 | Jack Ryan | Denise McConville | Brody |
| Sat Oct 21 | Dave McConville | Ondrea McConville |  |
| Sun Oct 22 | Roger Buschkoetter Dennis McConville | Gage |  |

## Date Servers of Coffee and Rolls

Oct 8
Oct 15
Oct 22
Jason/Stephanie Neseth Kevin/Danielle Stritt - Jeffisharon Wordekemper Don/Pa

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for October For the Synod
We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

Prayer Intentions: Shane Hoelcher ; Jeff Dudensing (deployed in Egypt)
Ladies: You are invited to St. John's Catholic Church in Cambridge, Annual Altar Society Fall Brunch. October 14th, 9:30 a.m. at the Parish Hall. Guest Speakers are Luke and Carina Kliewser from Miriam's Hope. They support and teach families to keep children out of the Foster System. RSVP: Genny Kubik 308-695-6823
"Needing to Fall in love with Our Lord again?" Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly has several upcoming retreats this coming fall season. Join us for "Living the Abundant Life" with Johnette Williams (Benkovic) on Oct. 6-8, Ignatian Directed Retreat with Fr. Coulter or Matt Simmons on Oct. 9-12, 13-16, or 9-16 and "Holiness for Mom's" Day of Reflection with Fr. Christian Shwenka on Oct. 21. Read more and register at www.goodcounselretreat.org, email office@goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

## Meetings and Events

Oct 1 - Indianola Life Chain
Oct $1-35^{\text {th }}$ Annual McCook Life Chain
Oct 9 - Columbus Day
Oct 11 - Bible Study
Oct 14 - St. John's Altar Society Fall Brunch
Oct 21 - Server Training
Oct 29 - Parish Council Meeting
Altar Society needs new officers for the term 2024 \& 2025; Vice President and Secretary. If interested, please contact Shari Haag at 308-340-6230 or Myrna Haag at 308-350-0060.

GENESIS, a Dynamic Catholic Bible Study written by Dr. Alan Hunt will begin Wednesday, October 11 after the 6:30 Mass. Open to men and women, teens and up. "This 8 session study was written *to teach us how to live *to show us who we are *to tell you the story of where we come from and where we are going *to help you experience the One who made you in His own image" Meeting place will be announced later. Sign up in back of church or contact Debbie 340-8441 Debbie is also leading a Bible Study on the Bride of Christ on Tuesday mornings at 10:00, in her home. This study is for women of all faiths

## LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive

The LDCCW is sponsoring the 14th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive, collecting diapers throughout the month of October in each of the Lincoln Diocesan parishes. The assistance of everyone in the Lincoln Diocese is requested. Donations will be shared with the Pregnancy Centers approved by the Bishop's Pastoral Plan for Pro-Life Activities and Catholic Social Services across the Diocese and St. Gianna Women's Homes.
Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.
Need volunteers for a third standing funeral committee for Saturday funerals. The arrangements for food etc. would already be done. The committee would prepare what needed to be done on Saturday and serve the meal. If interested, please call Shari Haag at 308-340-6230

## Pastor's Notes:

Welcome to Bishop Conley and congratulations to the eleven young men and women who will be receiving the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Saturday evening Mass: Ansyn (Anne) Brooks, Alexis (Francis of Assisi) Rayer, Alivia (Anne ) Cure, Hunter (Christopher) Halloran, Brody (Sebastian) Hammond, Lydia (Edith Stein) Harris, Kinsley (Hope) Kloepping, Ava (Cecilia) Martin, Natalie (Rose of Lima) Neseth, Camden (Thomas Aquinas) Stritt, and Bo (Hubert) Truksa. You are now fully initiated into the Church and pray that you will take your place as active members of the living Body of Christ. We are not scheduled to celebrate the sacramen with the Bishop again for another three years. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of Your love!

You are more than welcome to join us this coming Friday for our First Friday Eucharistic adoration after morning Mass. If you cannot come then, you are invited to come at another time to adore our Eucharistic King. There will also be Mass on Saturday morning in honor of our Blessed Lady on the First Saturday of October.

Please pray for the Pope's Intention for October: For the Synod. We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world. Priest Day Intention: Pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Thank you!

Today we participate in the annual life chain, by praying and silently giving witness along Highway 6/34 from 2-3 P.M. If you come to the park at 1:45, you will receive a sign and instructions. There is more work than ever to do to change hearts and minds on the issue of preborn human beings and those around them. We are also having a meeting for Walking with Moms after Mass today.

We are also happy to begin the Bishop's Appeal for Vocations for our diocese today. There should be information at the back of the church for you to pick up. Thank you for your faithful support for so many years. Fr. Dan Rayer is our most recent gift to the diocesan priesthood. Who will be next?

## St. Catherine's Catholic Parish

Pastor: Fr. Michael Houlihan
815 D Street, PO Box O, Indianola, NE 69034 Ph: 308-364-2428
Parish e-mail: st.catherine.church@hotmail.com
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<br>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 $\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }}$ 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 (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.

The 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Sunday in Ordinary Time- October 01, 2023

| DAY | DATE | TIME | MASS INTENTION |
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| Sat | $09 / 30$ | 5:00pm Thomas Malleck + |  |
| Sun | 10/01 | 9:00am People of the parish |  |
| Mon. | 10/02 | 7:30am Austin Balh + |  |
| Tues. | 10/03 | 7:30am Jay Wood + |  |
| Wed. | 10/04 | 6:30pm Jane Newberry |  |
| Thurs. | 10/05 | 7:30am St. Catherine Altar Society |  |
| Fri. | 10/06 | 7:30am Knights of Columbus L\&D |  |
| Sat. | 10/07 | 7:30am Fr. Philip Rauth + |  |
| Sat. | 10/07 | 5:00pm People of the parish |  |
| Sun. | 10/08 | 9:00am Lilies-Loved ones remembrance + |  |



