

COLLECTION – Oct 22: Env \$660; Plate \$116; Votive \$42; World Mission Sunday \$355; Foundation Project \$1000 = \$2173

Ministry Schedule	Acolyte	Lector	Server
Sat Nov 4	Tim Lord	Dale Stritt	Braxton
Sun Nov 5	Jack Ryan	Millie Cuellar	
Sat Nov 11	Dave McConville	Ondrea McConville	
Sun Nov 12	Roger Buschkoetter	Rick McConville	Brody
Sat Nov 18	Tim Cornwell	Lloyd Ogorzolka	
Sun Nov 19	Rick Teel	Denise McConville	Gage

Date	Servers of Coffee and Rolls	Roll Runner
Nov 5	Steve/Shari Haag	Lonnie/Theresa Brooks
Nov 12	Jon/Kristen Harris	Dick/Jane Rayer
Nov 19	Les/Deanna Schmidt	Sam/Sadie Holleron

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: Don Reiners; Brooke (Ruggles) and Brandon Benson and their baby girl; Kathy Thomas; Shane Hoelcher ; Jeff Dudensing (deployed in Egypt)

Sisters Vocation and Seminary Prayer List: Please pray for Mary Jo Peter, Sr. Mary Chiara, and seminary Nicholas Hanus

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

Forget to register for MAGNIFICAT’s FALL PRAYER MEAL with SPEAKER ~ Father Brian Kane ~ There’s still time! It’s Saturday, November 4, 9:30 a.m., Hillcrest Country Club, 9401 East O Street, Lincoln. **Text 402.525.6396 by Tuesday, October 31, with your reservation** (or call and leave a message) **and mail your \$30 check** payable to *Magnificat*, (students \$20) c/o Tina Colgan, 521 N 56 ST, Lincoln, NE 68504. **Be a friend and bring a friend, and share the Joy of Magnificat! All Catholic women are invited and those not of our Faith too.** “Glorify the Lord with me. Let us together extol His Holy Name!” Ps 34:4

Meetings and Events

- Oct 28, 29 – Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive
- Oct 29 – Parish Council Meeting
- Oct 31 – Halloween
- Nov 1 – All Saints Day
- Nov 2 – All Souls Day
- Nov 5 – Altar Society 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.

Married Couples: These are for you! Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverly has several upcoming retreats to strengthen your marriage / vocation as a mother. Join us for "Love and Life: Marriage Workshop" on Oct. 28-29, and "Growing in the Spirit" with Magnificat and Fr. Voithofer on Nov. 17-19. Read more and register at www.goodcounselretreat.org, email office@goodcounselretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

A BIG THANK YOU to all the Women of our Parish for all that you do. It certainly takes us all to keep things going smoothly. Your work is very much appreciated. It is such a service to God. Thinking of St. Mary Mother Teresa; this was her motto: "DOING SMALL THINGS WITH GREAT LOVE." GOD BLESS YOU ALL! The last Sunday is LDCCW Sunday. What a great time to say thank you to all the ladies in our parish.

Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive or Intellectual Disabilities: Tootsie Rolls will be give out Sat. and Sun. Oct 28 and 29.

The Knights of Columbus chose for the individual or couple of the Month for October Chuck and Barb Tines. Chuck and Barb were married at St. Catherine's on June 4, 1966. They have three children, Regina, Rechelle, and Christopher. Chuck is the current Treasure of Knights of Columbus and past Grand Knight. Chuck was an acolyte until his hip surgery in 2022. Barb is active with Alter Society, past President, works with Guest Day, Funeral Coordinator, and helps Rita McConville in decorating the Alter. Barb was also the Chairman of the committee for the new Church Directory.(She also had excellent help). Chuck and Barb help wherever they can. Congratulations Chuck and Barb.

The Altar Society will be holding their November meeting on the FIRST SUNDAY on November 5th.

Pastor's Notes:

Please pray for the Pope's Intention for the month of November: We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him with the help of the Holy Spirit. Priest Day Intention: Pray for all deceased priests and religious. Thank you for your solidarity in prayer!

This coming Wednesday is the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. There will be a Mass on Tuesday evening at 6:30 and a morning Mass on Wednesday at 7:00 (note the half-hour earlier than regular daily Mass time). As a bonus, there will also be the usual Mass on Wednesday evening at 6:30 which will fulfill your Mass obligation. Thursday is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed ("All Souls' Day"), our Catholic "Memorial Day" on which we remember all those who have died, especially those marked with the sign of faith. Friday is the First Friday of November, and we will have Sacred Heart devotions and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for an hour after Mass, as we do every month. Saturday, we have Immaculate Heart devotions after the extra Mass at 7:30 in the morning. You are invited to participate anytime you can!

As you read this, we will, if we are lucky, be finishing a week with no electricity in the church and the rectory, due to the need to disconnect the electrical transformer as we do our "sealing" project around the church foundation so that we can prevent any further damage to the basement. Not that it is lucky to have no power, but lucky in the sense that it is done. It is possible that we will be having Mass this weekend in the hall, although at the time this was written, it was not clear. What is more probable is that the coming week will be the week with no electricity (maybe Monday through Friday), and that Mass (especially for the holy day) will be in the hall and, if things do not go as planned (and what great things do?), next weekend Mass as well. There will be a sign on the front of the church if that is the case—although there are no secrets in small communities, so you will probably know already. When the electricity is off, the church may be mostly locked because there will be no possibility of light or climate control (whether we need heat or cooling). Thanks!

St. Catherine's Catholic Parish

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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 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 (*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 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time— October 29, 2023

DAY	DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTION
Sat.	10/28	5:00pm	Don High +
Sun.	10/29	9:00am	People of the parish
Mon.	10/30	7:30am	Florence Uerling +
Tues.	10/31	7:30am	David and JoAnn Barenberg Family
Tues.	10/31	6:30pm	People of the parish
Wed.	11/01	7:00am	Janie Blume McConville & Kenny McConville
Wed.	11/01	6:30pm	Kay Houlihan +
Thurs.	11/02	7:30am	St. Catherine Altar Society
Fri.	11/03	7:30am	Knights of Columbus L&D
Sat.	11/04	7:30am	Fallen away Catholics
Sat.	11/04	5:00pm	People of the parish
Sun.	11/05	9:00am	Kevin and Tam Hood Family

