

Mass Schedule: Oct. 11-19
+ = *repose of the soul of*
Pro Populo = for the people

The Pink Sisters' Chapel | 1040 S. Cotner Blvd
Open 7am-8pm. The 7am Masses listed (7am PS) is said at the Chapel and is open to the public. (The Sunday Masses are private).

| Day | Time | Intention |
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| Sat 10.11 | 7am PS | Special Intentions of Kathy Pinkas |
| | 8:15am | Christian Mothers |
| | 4:00pm | In Thanksgiving & for the Souls in Purgatory |
| Sun 10.12 | 7am PS | Sr. Mary Ines |
| | 8am | +Doug Beals |
| | 10am | Patty |
| Mon 10.13 | 6:30am | Demuth Family |
| | 7am PS | Greg Royal |
| | 8:15 am | +Barb Bogus |
| Tue 10.14 | 6:30am | Michael A. Aksamit |
| | 7am PS | +Wayne Stephen |
| | 8:15am | +Sam Ganz |
| Wed 10.15 | 6:30am | +Georjean Olson |
| | 7am PS | Joe & Kathy Pinkas |
| | 8:15am | +Marv Evert |
| Thu 10.16 | 6:30am | Rich & Celia Wahl |
| | 7am PS | Eleanor Walsh |
| | 8:15am | +Richard A. Aksamit |
| Fri 10.17 | 6:30am | +Christine & Dillon Blake |
| | 7am PS | Leo Dustin |
| | 8:15am | +Pam Brentzel |
| Sat 10.18 | 7am PS | Anne Hauptman |
| | 8:15am | +Lisa Cargill |
| | 4:00pm | +Dan Wheeler |
| Sun 10.19 | 7am PS | Special Intentions of the Community |
| | 8am | Pro Populo |
| | 10am | +Laurie Andreas |
| | Noon | +Joe Palensky |

OCIA Meeting

All are welcome to join OCIA class on Mon. Oct. 13th, 7-8:30pm in Kaczmarek Hall. Fr. Kipper will be talking on Grace, Justification and Merit.

2nd Annual Trunk or Treat

St. Teresa's School Family Association invites you to come join us for a fun event with candy, games, prizes and more on Friday, Oct. 24th from 6:30-8:30pm in the St. Teresa's School parking lot. Cost is \$5 per child/\$20 max per family. Contact Megan Knievel meknievel@hotmail.com OR Sarah Schinstock sarahschinstock@gmail.com with questions or if you're interested in doing a trunk! All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Welcome in Baptism

We welcome Sophia Rose Barrientos & Luca Ryan Barrientos, the daughter & son of Timothy Barrientos and Ann Lacy, who were both baptized here at St. Teresa's on Sunday, October 5th.

Tootsie Roll Drive

The Knights of Columbus will be at the exits next weekend collecting donations for the annual Tootsie Roll drive to support Villa Marie School. Please be supportive. All Masses Oct. 19th and 20th.

Knights of Columbus

K of C Corporate Communion is Oct. 26th at 10am Mass. All Knights and their families are requested to come sit with their Brother Knights in the front pews.

St. Teresa Fall Bazaar

Save the Date!

Our Annual Parish Bazaar is on Sun., Nov. 9th. Come enjoy games, silent auction, great food & even better company!

Raffle Tickets

Remember to turn in your raffle tickets and money by Sunday Nov. 2nd to be eligible for the Early Bird Drawing. Tickets and checks can be put in the collection basket or dropped off at the rectory. For those that did not get their raffle tickets last week - they are available for pick up after mass at the exits.

Silent Auction

We are accepting donations of NEW or handmade items and unused gift cards for our silent auction at the annual Fall Bazaar. No used items please. We also have specific items we are looking to add to some larger basket items. If you are interested in donating, please contact Elizabeth Long at 217-685-9167 or Angela Henggeler at 402-802-6352 with questions or if you are willing to sponsor a larger basket! Thank you in advance.

Grill and Chill Tickets

The Silent Auction is adding a new feature this year! There will be a Grill and Chill raffle with only 100 tickets sold. Tickets are \$50 each. The prize is a brand new \$550 Blackstone Griddle (donated by Men's Club), a \$200 HyVee gift card, and an Igloo cooler filled with Blackstone accessories donated by PCCW and gift cards! Delivery is included if you win! Contact Angela Henggeler at 402- 802-6352 or Elizabeth Long at 217-685-9167 to purchase your tickets!

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St. T | Weekly Calendar: Oct. 12-19

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| Sun 10.12 | 11am: Baptism (CH) 11:30-3pm: Private Reception (KH) 1pm: Baptism 2pm-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |
| Mon 10.13 | 7-8:30pm: OCIA (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Adoration |
| Tue 10.14 | 6-8pm: Scouts (KH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |
| Wed 10.15 | 4-5:15pm: CCD 7:30pm: Knights Mtg. (FH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |
| Thu 10.16 | 7:30pm: Choir Practice (CH) 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |
| Fri 10.17 | 9am-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |
| Sat 10.18 | 9am: Legion of Mary (MR) 9am-4pm: PCCW Event (KH) |
| Sun 10.19 | 1pm-9pm: Eucharistic Exposition |

Grand Group

This month's event is about scams that target senior citizens in particular. Cheryl Wemhoff has heard this presentation, and to quote her, "The talk is a good one. Oh, the tricks those scammers use to get our money!" You won't want to miss this one! We will meet in Fitzgerald Hall (KC Hall) at 1:00 on Friday, October 17th.

Runza Event

Join us on the morning of October 18th for a hands-on Runza Workshop at Kaczmarek Hall, where you'll learn how to make this Nebraska favorite from scratch and take home a half dozen homemade Runza's. Cost is \$15, and spots are limited. RSVP to Chloe Hoxmeier 402-875-0980 or the QR code on the flier by October 12th to save your place!

LDCCW October Diaper Drive

The Diaper Drive continues through the end of October. The Centers we serve advise the Diaper sizes 5 & 6 are in greatest demand. Your diaper donations are greatly appreciated. Cash donations or checks made to the order of the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW) will be accepted and should be mailed to LDCCW, 3600 W Wittstruck Rd, Martell, NE 68404. Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.

Christmas Boutique Volunteers Needed

We need parishioners and school families to help set up and work our Christmas Boutique, October 20th-25th at Fitzgerald Hall. Scan the QR code to sign up for a time slot! And for those that want to shop, come support St. Teresa's Thrift Shop Christmas Boutique at Fitzgerald Hall, 6044 South St. on Thurs., Oct. 23rd from 10am-8pm; Fri., Oct. 24th from 10am-8pm; and Sat., Oct. 25th from 9am-12pm. Saturday's remaining merchandise will be half price!



| Collection Report | | | |
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| Week ended | | | October 4, 2025 |
| Adult Envelope | \$ | 23,309.32 | |
| Loose Plate | | 815.67 | |
| | \$ | 24,124.99 | |
| 2025 | Actual | Budgeted | Cum. YTD |
| - | Sunday | Sunday | Above(Below) |
| 2026 | Collection | Collection | Budget |
| Jul | 99,794 | 105,000 | (5,206) |
| Aug | 102,718 | 105,000 | (7,488) |
| Sep | 88,678 | 84,000 | (2,810) |
| Projected weekly tithing based on total prior year giving \$21,000*. | | | |
| *A balanced budget for FY 2025/2026 was submitted to the diocese. | | | |

St. Teresa Thrift Shop

Open Fridays 4-8pm & Saturdays 9am-3pm
366 N 48th Street, Suite 400
The Thrift Store made \$5524 last weekend.

Pink Sisters Available Holy Hours

Wed. - 6:30pm
Thurs. - 4pm
Fri. - 9:45am, Noon, 2pm
Sat. - 4pm, 6:30pm, 7:30pm
Sun. - Noon, 6pm
Call Tabby at 402-499-6028 to sign up.

St. Teresa Available Holy Hours

Tue at 5pm
Thur. at 1pm & 2pm
Fri. at 11am & 6pm.

Sign up here:
<https://stlfschool.org/sacraments-worship/eucharistic-adoration>

Bishop's Appeal for Vocations

St. Teresa Parish's goal for the Bishop's Appeal for Vocations is \$24,200. We currently have pledged \$11,036. Pledge cards are in the back of the church. Or use the diocesan on-line giving site dedicated to this campaign.



Men's Holy Hour for Vocations

Join us in praying for vocations at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 3128 S St., on Thursday, October 16th at 5:30pm. A Knight of the Holy Eucharist will give a reflection during the Holy Hour, followed by fellowship, food and drinks with the Knights of the Holy Eucharist.

S.T.A.G.E. Auditions

S.T.A.G.E. Theatre will be holding AUDITIONS for their winter musicals Oct. 16-19 for students ages 7+. 'Lil Red and The Cowboy Who Saw the Light' is a fun western-themed musical for kids ages 7-11 years, and older students (10 and up) may audition for 'The Good, The Bad, and The Fuzzy', a comedic musical melodrama set in the wild west. Both carry Christian themes & lessons. Weekly rehearsals begin Oct. 25th with performances during the first two weekends of Jan. Visit stage4kids.com under STAGE Theatre for more info.

| Monday October 13 | Tuesday October 14 | Wednesday October 15 | Thursday October 16 | Friday October 17 |
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| NO SCHOOL | Corn Dogs, Baked Beans, Fruit | Rotini/Meat Sauce, Green Beans, Garlic Bread, Fruit | Chicken Fajita, Mixed Veggies, Fruit | Egg & Cheese Croissant, Hashbrown/Fruit |

Parish Ministry Schedules

Current schedules are available on the Parish Website at <https://stlfschurch.org>. From the Home Page, go to Parish Life>Liturgical Ministries>

† Acolytes † Lectors † EMHC † Altar Servers

Upcoming Retreats by Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House
www.goodcounselretreat.com | goodcounsel@cdolinc.net | 402-786-2705



| Dates | Retreat Master | Topic |
|----------------|--|--|
| Oct. 24-26 | Fr. Christopher Barak, Matt Simmons, Fr. Ben Holdren | The Prodigal Retreat for Men |
| Oct. 31-Nov. 2 | Fr. Ryan Salisbury | Come to Me all you who labor and are burdened: Inner Healing Retreat |
| Nov. 14-15 | Fr. Benjamin Holdren | Become What You are: Couples Retreat |

Members of St. Teresa Parish: Altar Society or Men's Club will pay for half of the cost of a standard retreat once per retreat-year! (Ignatius retreats are non-standard.)

Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids

Saturday, October 18th from 9am until supplies run out, at Sacred Heart New Parish Hall at 3127 T St. (enter from 31st St.). Free new & gently used coats will be handed out to all children in need. Child must be present. Boys & Girls sizes 4-14/16.

School Sisters of Christ the King Outdoor Workday

Join the Sisters on Sat., Oct. 18, 1:30-4:30 pm to help mulch, clean up our vegetable garden and cut trees. Helpful items to bring include shovels, work gloves, wheelbarrows, pickups and chainsaws. Children are also welcome - and can use this for service hours! Contact Sister Mary Angela at sr.mary-angela@cdolinc.net if you would like to come and help. Villa Regina Motherhouse, 4100 SW 56th St., about 2 miles west and south of Pioneers Park. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness in your life and marriage. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on Feb. 20-22, 2026, in Lincoln, NE or Sept. 18-20, 2026 in Grand Island, NE. Questions, contact Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839 Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org or follow us on Instagram and Facebook @worldwidemarriageencounter

Cemetery Walk

The 3rd Annual "Back From The Dead" Cemetery Walk will be held at Calvary Catholic Cemetery, 3880 L Street, Lincoln, on Oct. 24th, 26th, 27th, 29th and Nov. 2nd. Experience faith in the cemetery as you encounter martyrs, saints, and others who have come back from the dead to relay their stories about "The Last Things". Register at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/calvary-backfromthedeadcemeterywalk2025>

Pius Players Presents Charlie & the Chocolate Factory

Tickets are on sale now for the Pius Players production of 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' with four shows Oct. 16-19. These family-friendly shows are on Thur., Fri. & Sat. at 7 pm, and Sun. at 1:30 pm. Shows are at Lincoln Southwest High School (due to construction at Pius X). Tickets are \$11 for adults, \$8 for students at www.PiusX.net/store.

Pilgrimage for High Schoolers

Sophomores and older (including recent grads) are invited to join students from the Diocese of Lincoln on a pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi, June 6-16, 2026. Pilgrims will stay in religious guest houses, walk in the footsteps of the saints, and visit sacred sites such as St. Peter's Basilica, the Vatican Museums, and Assisi. Estimated land-only cost is \$2,600-\$2,900 (airfare additional). For details, visit www.lolekpilgrimage.org/neh2026

Now Hiring: School Office Manager

North American Martyrs is hiring for a School Office Manager that serves as the first point of contact & provides exceptional customer service & support to staff, parents, internal & external agencies. They are central to the smooth operations of the school and supports key stakeholders by ensuring efficiency and accuracy across all areas of responsibility. To apply, email a cover letter & resume to elizabeth-fairbanks@cdolinc.net.

Diocese of Lincoln Vocations

Week of Oct. 12th, please pray for Sr. Therese, a Postulant at the Sisters of the Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, from McLouth, KS. Please also pray for Peter Foley, a seminarian at Mount St. Mary Seminary, Theology 4, from St. Peter's in Lincoln.

St. Teresa Parish Office
402-477-3979

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