

DATE
OCTOBER 25, 2020

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Rectory Office: 402-223-2923 (between 8am-7pm)

School Office: 402-223-5033 (between 8 am-4 pm)

Serving the communities of Barneston,
Beatrice, Odell, & Wymore
www.stjosephbeatrice.org

Pastor and Chief Administrative Officer Fr. Rand Langhorst
Senior Parochial Vicar Fr. Thomas Walsh

Parish Office: 612 High St. (rectory-office@edolinc.net)
Sara Stedman, Secretary.
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00am-2pm,
Except Holy Days and holidays.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: Barneston 5:00pm, Beatrice 5:30pm
Sunday: Beatrice 8:00am & 10:00am
Odell 8:00am Wymore 10:30am

Weekday Mass Schedule

See Mass Intentions for current schedule

Confessions

Beatrice: Saturday in the cry room 4:30pm-5:15 pm
Barneston, Odell and Wymore: 30 minutes before weekend
Mass for 15 minutes
Any other time by appointment.

Baptism Parents are asked to attend baptism preparation class.
Call the rectory office to schedule.

Anointing/Hospital Visits Please notify the pastor when you go
to the hospital or are homebound and wish a visit.

Matrimony Contact the parish 6 to 12 months ahead of time.

Natural Family Planning (NFP) Jo Langley (402-223-3359)
Melissa Powers (402-228-3856).

St. Vincent DePaul 402-435-7968

Catholic Social Services 1-800-961-6277

Catholic Radio 100.1FM Duane Oden 402-230-0879

Willow Center of Beatrice -402- 228-6411

Beatrice Knights of Columbus Frank Pribyl, Grand Knight

Odell Knights of Columbus Allen Klecan, Grand Knight

St. Joseph Catholic School —420 N 6th Street Grades K-5

Emily Lohr, Head Teacher;

Tammy Zarybnicky, Secretary

Preschool Denise Behrends (3 & 4 year olds)

Red Raven Day Care -18 months—up; located in our school
building. Call 402-223-5033

Beatrice Godparent Teen Program Wed., 7:00pm

Beatrice C.C.D. Program Grades 1-8, Wed., 6:30-8:00 pm

Beatrice Cemetery Contact Jerry Kempf 402-239-1896

Beatrice Choir Kate Ratigan at 402-806-0131.

Bulletin Deadline: by noon Wednesday.

<i>Masses</i>		
Monday 10/26	Beatrice 8:15am	+Margaret Beyer
Tuesday 10/27	Beatrice 8:15am	+BerniceClark
Wednesday 10/28	Odell 6:45 am	Right to Life Intentions
	Beatrice 8:15 am	+Phil & Rita Baumel
Thursday 10/29	Beatrice 8:15am	Marshall Clark
Friday 10/30	Wymore 7:00am	+Jim Conradt
	Beatrice 8:15am	+George Pinkerton Sr
Saturday 10/31	Barneston 5:00pm	Liv/Dec Wymore Altar Society
	Beatrice 5:30pm	Right to Life Intentions
Sunday 11/1	Beatrice 8:00am	+Jim Conradt
	Odell 8:00am	+George Pinkerton 4 th Deg KC
	Beatrice 10:00am	Missa Pro Populo
	Wymore 10:30am	Right to Life Intentions

<i>Wymore Weekend of</i>	
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<i>Beatrice Weekend of</i>			
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<i>Odell Weekend of</i>	
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St Joseph Church Beatrice, School, and Daycare Financials

Last Week's Offering	\$6,699.03
Last Week's Other Income	\$3,321.50
October Income to Date	\$40,818.27
October Estimated Expenses	\$81,814.07

St Mary's Church Wymore Financials

Last Week's Offering	\$154.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
October Income to Date	\$564.00
October Estimated Expenses	\$2,122.42

St Mary's Church Odell Financials

Last Week's Offering	\$367.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
October Income to Date	\$739.00
October Estimated Expenses	\$1,834.76

St Joseph Church Barneston Financials

Last Week's Offering	\$55.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
October Income to Date	\$235.00
October Estimated Expenses	\$522.92

Contact the Parish Office for offering envelopes or information to set up online giving

BEATRICE NEWS

St Joseph School October night out will be Oct 26th from 5-8 pm at Taco Johns. 10% of sales go back to the school. Thanks for any patronage.

St. Joseph's School will be providing the music, readers, petitions for 10 Am Mass on Sunday October 25 as we celebrate "Children's Sunday".

Beatrice Parish Council Meeting is Monday Oct 26 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Center.

Beatrice Altar Society will meet Monday Nov 2 at 7 PM in the parish center.

The Beatrice Altar Society will celebrate LDCCW (Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women) Sunday this weekend 10/24 & 10/25. This is a day to honor and Pray for all Catholic women in performing the Spiritual and

Corporal Works of Mercy at the Parish, Deanery, and Diocesan levels. After all Masses next weekend, we will take up a collection for the Madonna Plan (\$1 suggested donation). Women who are not yet involved in the PCCW (Parish Council of Catholic Women) (Altar Society) are urged to lend their energy, creativity, and marvelous gifts. Your participation is very much wanted and needed. Feel free to contact Jo Langley, PCCW President (402-223-3359) or the Parish office for more information. May God bless all the extraordinary fine women of our Parish and Diocese.

WYMORE/BARNESTON/ODELL NEWS

Thank you to Wymore Altar Society from both Fathers for your words of encouragement, prayers and gift for Clergy appreciation weekend.

GENERAL NEWS

Bishop's Appeal for Vocation Stats to Date:

Parish	Pledged to date	Shortfall of Goal
Beatrice	\$6095.00	\$3065.00
Barneston	\$ 600.00	\$ 0.00
Wymore	\$ 710.00	\$ 550.00
Odell	\$ 570.00	\$ 470.00

(Any shortage of goal must be paid by the parish)

If you didn't receive a pledge card in the mail please look for information at the back of church or ask Fathers. We invite all to be part of this effort by making a check payable to the "Bishop's Appeal for Vocations", which we will send in for you. Or, use Diocesan website, <https://lincolndiocese.aware3.net/give/> Choose your parish, and choose "Bishop's Appeal for Vocations 2020" as the fund.

Menopause Information Session. Michele Chambers, CFCP, will be speaking about the health, hormonal, and charting implications of menopause on October 26th at 7 pm at the John XXIII Diocesan Center. The event will also be held virtually. Event is free, pre-registration requested at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/menopause> Questions, please call the NFP Office at 402-473-0630 or email naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net

Seeking leaders in any parish who feel interested in or inspired to open their homes and leading a Bible Study. There are several from which to choose. Contact Fr. Rand. Especially in Beatrice the Strategic Plan captured a desire for just such opportunities, but they will not become reality unless people come forward at the prompting of the Spirit.

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 Kay Wessel, 3600 W Wittstruck Rd, Martell NE 68404. The LDCCW can purchase the needed diaper sizes in volume at a discounted price. Listen to Spirit Radio for Diaper Drive announcements. Thank you to those that have already donated. God Bless You..

Father McGivney's beatification Mass will be celebrated on Oct. 31 and broadcast live by EWTN, Salt + Light TV and CatholicTV. You can also visit www.kofc.org/beatification — There, you'll be able to join the live-streamed events. Fr. McGivney is the first parish priest from the United States and founder of the Knights of Columbus to be beatified.

The Nebraska Catholic Conference completed a candidate survey for state and federal legislative candidates. The survey can be found at www.NebraskaCatholicVoter.com

3-Part Evangelization Series in Lincoln : **Matt Simmons, Director of Evangelization & Spiritual Formation**, will present talks on Oct 28, The Meaning and Value of the Cross; and Nov 18, Experiencing the Resurrection from 7-8:30pm on ZOOM. "In the midst of this cultural chaos the simplicity of the gospel is the answer. Jesus is calling us to a deeper repentance in order to experience his resurrection." The workshop is free. Registration is required if you wish to participate on ZOOM. To register please visit: lincolndiocese.org/evangelization Questions? Email Annette-Wemhoff@cdolinc.net

Is there a healing you desire in your life? Are

there wounds that you want Jesus to heal? Fr Craig Doty wants you to answer these questions at a "Jesus, Please Heal Me!" retreat Oct. 30-Nov. 1 at Good Counsel Retreat House. "This retreat intends to provide an atmosphere for you to encounter our Divine Physician in beautiful ways," says Fr. Doty. "His love wants to heal us, and it's only His love that can heal us." "You're invited to come and give Jesus a chance to bring about spiritual, emotion, mental, and physical healing according to your heart's desire." Fr. Doty will help retreatants pray with scripture stories of Jesus' miraculous healings, so they can reflect on what He wants to speak to them about, and talk to Him about what areas and places He wants to enter and heal. The retreat is based on the resources of the John Paul II Healing Center and the books of Dr. Bob Schuchts, [Be Healed](#) and [Be Transformed](#). A priest for 23 years, Fr. Craig Doty is pastor of St. Mary Church in Denton and director of the Lincoln Equipping Team, whose prayer teams will be available on this retreat. The men and women in this prayer and healing ministry are unafraid to pray with anyone, anywhere, for any intention - including yours. Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House near Waverly features weekend retreats that begin Friday at 8pm with a rosary and Mass, and conclude Sunday with Mass and noon lunch. All retreats are hybrid: offered in person with individual rooms and social distancing precautions, and available on-line both live and recorded.

<https://www.goodcounselretreat.com/retreat/schedule>

Two Plenary Indulgences one can gain for a deceased family member or friend or the Poor Souls: A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted each and every day from Nov 1 to Nov 8, who devoutly visit a cemetery and there pray, if only mentally, for the departed. A plenary indulgence is granted the faithful who, on All Souls' Day devoutly visits a church or an oratory and recites an Our Father and the Creed. Requirements for obtaining a plenary indulgence: Do the work while in a state of grace, Receive Sacramental confession within 20 days of the work (several plenary indulgences may be earned per reception), Receive Eucharistic communion (one plenary indulgence may be earned per reception), Pray

for the pope's intentions (Our Father and Hail Mary, or other appropriate prayer, is sufficient), Have no attachment to sin (even venial) – i.e., it is sufficient that the Christian makes an act of the will to love God and despise sin. If the Requirements are not fully fulfilled the work becomes a partial indulgence.

Has the negativity of being possessive entered the way you view your job, family, organizations, expectations at the Mass? Possessiveness leads to an unhealthy use of “I” or “me” or “mine”. It can ignite division, disunity or separation.

CATHOLIC COUNSELING: The Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center with Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska has some funding for counseling services to those directly impacted by COVID-19 who are not insured or are vulnerable individuals, including the homebound and elderly. Visit their website at immaculateheartcounseling.org for more information or call 402-489-1834

Mother-to-Mother Ministry serves families in the Gage County area and Burwood Bookstore supports and houses this ministry. Masks are requested to be worn by shoppers and volunteers. Seeking volunteers. Duties could include: Cleaning books to put out for sale. Bagging diapers. Sorting clothes. Taking books to Recycling Center. These activities could be done once a week or every other week. Call Mother to Mother if interested: 402-223-6042

A career or a profession is something that you have in order to support yourself and to contribute in some way to the good of the society. You don't need to believe in God to choose a career or a profession. A person can pick, choose and switch a profession freely depending on his/her preferences, strengths or circumstances. A profession or a career always has a horizontal dimension. When we talk about vocation, we introduce a vertical dimension in our life, which is God. It is no longer ‘what do I prefer?’ but rather ‘What does God want me to be?’ A vocation is not something that you can switch like a profession or a career. A vocation will surrender to sacrifice or putting aside earthly standards and expectations for the common good or a spiritual goal. Which better describes better

your situation in life?

Do you desire to be equipped to live into the fullness that Christ intended for each of His followers? If so, this Two Day Equipping event, led by Bart Schuchts of the John Paul II Healing Center, is for you! During the training, you will learn the foundations of abiding in Christ, hearing His voice and becoming empowered to pray for others as Jesus did. If you desire to do the works that Jesus did and to live more fully into the calling Christ described in John 14:12, we invite you to attend! This Two-Day Equipping event takes place at *St. Michael Catholic Church in Hastings, NE on December 4-5, 2020*. Register online at: www.jpilhealingcenter.org. Questions? Call the parish offices at 402-463-1023 or email JPIIRetreatHastingsNE@gmail.com for more information.

A man on a bike, carrying two saddlebags, was stopped by a guard while crossing the border. He had rigged up a primitive rope bridge to by-pass the customs control. 'What's in the bags?' demanded the guard. 'Sand,' the cyclist answered. 'Take them off. I need to take a look.' retorted the guard. The guard emptied the bags and found out they contained nothing but sand. The man reloaded his bags and continued across the border. A week later, the same man was crossing again with two more bags. The guard demanded to see them, and again they contained nothing but sand. This continued every week for six months, until one day the cyclist failed to appear. A few days later, that same guard ran into the cyclist in a city on the other side of the border. 'Hey, where have you been?' the guard enquired. 'You sure had us wondering. We knew you were smuggling something across the border. So tell me and I won't say a word. What was it?' The man smiled broadly and told him the truth, 'Bicycles!'

Daylight Saving Time Ends Nov 1. Turn your clocks back one hour next Sunday in the wee hours!

Please keep in prayer all who have served our nation in providing us the freedoms we enjoy, especially our nations veterans and all who have risked their lives.