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SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

# ST. JOSEPH AND ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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

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

Serving the communities of Barneston,  
Beatrice, Odell, & Wymore  
[www.stjosephbeatrice.org](http://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](mailto: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>Mass Intentions</i> |                      |                               |
|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Monday 9/28</b>     | Beatrice 8:15am      | +Margaret Beyer               |
| <b>Tuesday 9/29</b>    | <b>Odell 7:30</b>    | Jim & Marty Safford           |
|                        | Beatrice 8:15am      | +Margaret Beyer               |
| <b>Wednesday 9/30</b>  | Beatrice 8:15am      | Elizabeth Dentlinger & family |
| <b>Thursday 10/1</b>   | Beatrice 8:15am      | CCD & Godparent Teachers      |
| <b>Friday 10/2</b>     | Wymore <b>6:30am</b> | Vocations                     |
|                        | Beatrice 8:15am      | Rita Baumel & +Phil Baumel    |
| <b>Saturday 10/3</b>   | Barneston 5:00pm     | +Bernice Clark                |
|                        | Beatrice 5:30pm      | Annette & Travis Clark        |
| <b>Sunday 10/4</b>     | Beatrice 8:00am      | Liv/Dec Altar Society         |
|                        | Odell 8:00am         | David Safford                 |
|                        | Beatrice 10:00am     | Missa Pro Populo              |
|                        | Wymore 10:30am       | +JoAnn Hall                   |

| <i>Wymore Weekend of</i> |                |
|--------------------------|----------------|
|                          | <b>10:30am</b> |
| <b>SERV</b>              |                |
| <b>SERV</b>              |                |

| <i>Beatrice Weekend of</i> |               |               |                |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
|                            | <b>5:30pm</b> | <b>8:00am</b> | <b>10:00am</b> |
| <b>SERV</b>                |               |               |                |
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| <b>USHR</b>                |               |               |                |
| <b>Rosary</b>              |               |               |                |

| <i>Odell Weekend of</i> |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
|                         | <b>8:00am</b> |
| <b>SERV</b>             |               |
| <b>SERV</b>             |               |

**St Joseph Church Beatrice, School, and Daycare Financials**

|                                   |                    |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Last Week's Offering              | \$5,631.33         |
| Last Week's Other Income          | \$5,012.28         |
| <b>Monthly Income to Date</b>     | <b>\$53,175.46</b> |
| <b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b> | <b>\$67,061.71</b> |

**St Mary's Church Wymore Financials**

|                                   |                   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Last Week's Offering              | \$574.00          |
| Last Week's Other Income          | \$0.00            |
| <b>Monthly Income to Date</b>     | <b>\$1,228.25</b> |
| <b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b> | <b>\$2,128.94</b> |

**St Mary's Church Odell Financials**

|                                   |                   |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Last Week's Offering              | \$647.00          |
| Last Week's Other Income          | \$0.00            |
| <b>Monthly Income to Date</b>     | <b>\$2,300.00</b> |
| <b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b> | <b>\$1,841.28</b> |

**St Joseph Church Barneston Financials**

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Last Week's Offering              | \$15.00         |
| Last Week's Other Income          | \$0.00          |
| <b>Monthly Income to Date</b>     | <b>\$445.00</b> |
| <b>Monthly Estimated Expenses</b> | <b>\$473.85</b> |

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

**BEATRICE NEWS**

**Brief Acolyte meeting** for those who can attend after either Mass on Sunday October 4.

**While St Joseph School** is planned to take 3 days break in October Fr. Rand is opening up the Parish Center socially distanced for T1M2T3 (1 Thursday, 2 Mondays and 3 Topics) after Mass at 9 AM for an hour for any interested adults to sneak in some learning of their own. Thursday October 8 will be on the topic of "Purgatory", Monday October 12 on "Priestly Life" and Monday October 19 on Miscellaneous Questions and Learning. All 4 parishes are invited. Bring your own breakfast snacks.

**Parish Council will** meet in the parish Center on Monday September 28 at 6:30 pm.

**Altar Society meeting** will be at 7 PM on Oct. 5 in the parish center. All women of the parish are welcome and encouraged to attend.

**Our next night out** will be at Subway in September 28th from 5-8 pm. 25% of sales going back to the school. Please help spread the word! Thanks for so much!

**WYMORE/BARNESTON/ODELL NEWS**

**Odell Coffee and rolls** will be served in the church basement after 8:00 Mass on October 4. Everyone is welcome to come and share in the fellowship. Masks are encouraged.

**Wymore Altar Society** will have a short meeting after Mass on Oct 4 to discuss the upcoming bazaar.

**Public Square Rosary Rally** on Saturday, October 10, 2020 at 12:00 NOON at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Odell. It will be held outside. Seating will be available. Masks are optional. In case of bad weather, the Rally will be held inside the church. Lunch will be served after the Rally social distanced. Beatrice, Barneston and Wymore Parishes are invited to attend. For more information call Barbara Zarybnicky 402-766-3780 or [bzary@diodecom.net](mailto:bzary@diodecom.net)

**GENERAL NEWS**

|                             |                     |                  |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| <b>Special Collections:</b> | <b>Mission Coop</b> | <b>Holy Land</b> |
| Beatrice                    | \$463.00            | \$697.00         |
| Wymore                      | \$100.00            | \$ 45.00         |
| Odell                       | \$110.00            | \$ 0.00          |
| Barneston                   | \$ 0.00             | \$ 0.00          |

**Fr. Walsh will be gone** after Mass on Sept 29-Oct 15.

**The LDCCW is sponsoring the 11th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive**, collecting diapers throughout the month of October in each of the Lincoln Diocese 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. Please place in the entryways of your parish.

**Holy Family Parish**, Summerfield, Kansas will be sponsoring their annual fall dinner, on Sun. Oct 4. Serving - Turkey/dressing, homemade mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, dessert, roll, 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM. Take out meals only. Adults \$10.00 - Children 12 and under \$5.00. There will be an open house from 2:30 - 5:00 PM at the Summerfield school complex, touring the tower farming project with information on tower farming and a new thrift store.

**FATHER/SON PROGRAM** “In His Image” for boys age 10-14 and their fathers will be held Sunday, October 4th, 2020 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center and virtually. This program is designed to educate boys on growing up and becoming a man. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per father/son or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/fatherson> Questions, call the NFP Offices 402-473-0630 or email [naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net](mailto:naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net)

**MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM** “Fearfully and Wonderfully Made” for girls age 9-13 and their mothers will be held Saturday, October 3rd, 2020 from 9 a.m. to noon at John XXIII Diocesan Center and virtually. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per mother/daughter or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughter> Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email [jmdavis17@gmail.com](mailto:jmdavis17@gmail.com)

**Divorced? Come find** comfort, counsel, hope and healing consistent with Catholic Church teachings. The twelve-week video series & facilitator led Surviving Divorce program begins on October 5th, 7-9 pm, at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd in Lincoln. A suggested donation of \$50 covers the cost of the program and includes the Surviving Divorce personal guide and all materials. Classes are kept small and may be registered for by contacting the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 or [familylifeoffice@cdolinc.net](mailto:familylifeoffice@cdolinc.net) Social distancing measures & Attendees are asked to wear a mask for entrance into the building.

**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](mailto:naturalfamilyplanning@cdolinc.net)

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE FUNDS:** Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska has funds available for rent, utilities, and emergency cash assistance help. If you know of anyone that needs help please have them call for assistance. There is an application process for those wanting to receive assistance. Call (402) 327-6211 on Mondays beginning at 9 a.m.

**CATHOLIC COUNSELING:** The Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center with Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska continues to support mental health for the Diocese of Lincoln through the use of telehealth. Reach out if you or someone you know is experiencing mental health difficulties that adversely impact daily functioning; anxiety, depression, loneliness, family or marriage conflict, anger, parenting concerns or financial stress. There is 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](http://immaculateheartcounseling.org) for more information or call 402-489-1834. NFP: Creighton Model Fertility Care System: Creighton Model is a women's health science that allows users to learn more about their fertility and in conjunction with NaPro TECHNOLOGY treat many reproductive disorders. For more information or to register, visit, <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/creighton-introductory-session>.

**Christian stewards** desire to give back to God their time, talent, and treasure that He has so generously given them. Giving back time to the Lord begins by spending time with Him each day in prayer. Stewardship of time, according to the U.S. Bishops in their pastoral letter on stewardship, "...should include setting aside periods for family prayer, for reading of Scripture, for visits to the Blessed Sacrament, and for attendance at Mass during the week whenever this is possible." Giving top priority to God through a daily life of prayer is especially important for Christian stewards, since to many of them stewardship means a life of service. And indeed, works of service are the eyes and ears, arms and legs of a stewardship way of life. However, the heart and soul of stewardship is prayer. Through prayer, Christian stewards place themselves in God's hands so that He can direct their hands to serve according to His will.

**Is your marriage** going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges face in marriage. Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more info about a Virtual

Retrouvaille Weekend program on Oct 22-25 2020.  
Call 1-800-470-2230 Or [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org),  
[www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org) to register-- last day to sign up  
October 11th 2020.

**How well is your mind grasping things?** Exercise of the brain is as important as exercise of the muscles. As we grow older, it's important to keep mentally alert. If you don't use it, you will lose it!! Here is a very private way to gauge how your memory is functioning. (It is best to have someone read it to you so you can't peek at the answers). OK, RELAX, clear your mind and begin. #1. What do you put in a toaster? Answer: 'bread.' If you said 'toast', just give up now and go do something else. If you said, bread, go to Question #2 . Say 'silk' ten times. Now spell 'silk.' What do cows drink? Answer: Cows drink water. If you said 'milk,' don't attempt the next question. Your brain is already over-stressed and may even overheat. Content yourself with reading more appropriate literature such as Women's Weekly or Auto World. However, if you did say 'water', proceed to Question #3. If a red house is made from red bricks and a blue house is made from blue bricks and a pink house is made from pink bricks and a black house is made from black bricks, what is a green house made from? Answer: Greenhouses are made from glass. If you said 'green bricks', why are you still reading this ??? PLEASE, go lie down! But, if you said 'glass,' go on to Question #4. Please do not use a calculator for this for it would be cheating: You are driving a bus from New York City to Philadelphia. In Staten Island, 17 people got on the bus. In New Brunswick, 6 people get off the bus and 9 people get on. In Windsor, 2 people get off and 4 get on. In Trenton, 11 people get off and 16 people get on. In Bristol, 3 people get off and 5 people get on. And, in Camden, 6 people get off and 3 get on. You then arrive at Philadelphia Station. Without reviewing, how old is the bus driver? Answer: Don't you remember your own age?!?! It was YOU driving the bus! If you pass this along to your friends, pray they do better than you. PS: 95% of people fail most of the questions!

### **RECEIVING THE EUCHARIST**

Catholics believe that the Eucharist is the True Presence of Christ, not a symbol, but *actually His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity*. The reception of the Eucharist should always be taken seriously, with a supreme reverence for the God of the Universe. For this reason, proper disposition is necessary to receive. To receive Our Lord in the Eucharist, one must be 1) a baptized and practicing Catholic, 2) in the state of grace (aka they cannot have a mortal sin on their soul), and 3) must have fasted at least an hour prior to receiving. These requirements are

necessary to prevent sacrilege, or the irreverent treatment of sacred things. It also shows that those who receive the Eucharist validly are serious and intentional with the act—they are not merely receiving out of habit, but with a supreme reverence and worship of the Divine present in the Humble Host. Non-Catholics are not permitted to receive Communion because they don't believe in the True Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. If they did, they would be Catholic. If one who believes the Eucharist is merely a symbol receives Communion, they make light of the Divine and the height of the whole Catholic faith. Therefore, it is sacrilegious to receive without full faith and unity of belief. Further, baptized Catholics who have a grave or mortal sin on their souls or are not practicing the faith are also not permitted to receive for the same purpose. In order to come back into the state of grace, these baptized Catholics must return to the sacrament of Confession prior to receiving...I believe this great gift should be received as often as possible to receive the graces God wants to impart on us!! BUT not without being in the correct state. We believe the Eucharist is a Gift so holy and divine, that we must approach this sacrament with reverence and remember to properly prepare our hearts. Not to mistake proper disposition with scrupulosity, we as Catholics, must be aware of the requirements to receive the Eucharist worthily in order to protect that which is sacred... As a Catholic Christian, the Eucharist is the pinnacle of my life here on earth. Jesus, made present—Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity—in the species of bread and wine through transubstantiation during Mass, gives His entire self to me (and all those Who receive Him in the Eucharist). As a woman who desperately longs to love and be loved, fully and entirely without reserve, I find the fulfillment of this desire in Christ made present through this sacrament. It's an extraordinary gift and I don't know that I could have the strength to carry on without Him...When I receive the Eucharist, I approach Him with an intent to allow Him to transform my heart and be changed by my reception... To receive Our Lord in the Eucharist is the greatest thing we can do on earth. Don't take it lightly. -Excerpts from Beautiful Depths Blog

**"Any country that accepts abortion is not teaching its people to love, but to use violence to get what they want. That is why the greatest destroyer of love and peace is abortion"**

*~ Saint Teresa of Calcutta ~*

## CHAPLET OF REPARATION FOR PRIESTS

(To be prayed on the rosary)

Incline (+) unto my aid, O Lord, make haste to help me. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end.

(On each of the Our Father beads)

Eternal Father, I offer Thee The Precious Blood of Thy Beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lamb without blemish or spot, in reparation for my sins and for the sins of all Thy priests.

(On each of the Hail Mary beads)

By thy Precious Blood, O Jesus, Purify and sanctify thy priests.

(In place of the Glory be to the Father)

O Father, from whom all fatherhood in heaven and on earth is named, Have mercy on all thy priests, and wash them in the Blood of the Lamb. Adapted From In Sinu Jesu: When Heart Speaks to Heart, Ignatius Press

### Why Help the Poor Souls?

Down here on earth, we Catholics are called the Church Militant - fighting for God, His truth, the salvation and conversion of sinners, and most especially the salvation of our own souls. As time passes on, soldiers of this army die. Those who stayed faithful to Christ save their souls. A few go straight to Heaven to join the Church Triumphant. Most, however, did not serve God as perfectly, and did not make up on earth for all the sins they committed in life. The Bible says "every idle word that men shall speak, they shall render an account for it in the day of judgement." (St. Matthew 13:36) This means that, because God is perfect, before we can enter into Heaven, we must be perfect also. So, even every venial sin must be washed off our soul. The place of this cleansing, or 'purging', is called Purgatory. Here the Poor Souls endure the same torments of hell in order to be cleansed of their sins. The Holy Souls in Purgatory are called the Church Suffering. Many souls must stay in Purgatory for years, even centuries, suffering unearthly tortures. Their only consolation is that they are not tied to this place forever, someday they will get out. The Poor Souls cannot do anything to help themselves get out of Purgatory. Once they enter into Purgatory there is no getting out until every debt is paid. However, there is one way their time can be shortened, and that is through the Church Militant. By praying and sacrificing, offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and other good works for them, we soldiers of the Church Militant can help the Poor Souls in Purgatory. Our offerings for the Poor Souls can help relieve them of their pain, shorten their stay, or even deliver them from Purgatory altogether. For if we

want mercy from God, we must show mercy to others, "*Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy*" (St. Matthew 5:7). Christ also tells us to do unto others as we would have them do unto us (St. Matthew 7:12). If we were suffering in Purgatory, we would definitely hope someone would help and pray for us. If we wish the prayers of the Church Militant to help us when we are in Purgatory, then we must pray now, while we are on earth, for the poor souls suffering there. Those people who do not pray for others while alive, cannot benefit from the prayers of those on earth when they are in Purgatory. But most of all, it is a great act of Charity. God told us to love one another. What better way to practice charity than by relieving other souls you don't even know from the fires of Purgatory? When the souls in Purgatory are released, they go straight to Heaven. They then become apart of the Church Triumphant - the souls in Heaven. Here the souls who were once suffering in Purgatory will remember your act of charity in helping them out of Purgatory. In their gratitude, they will certainly pray for you, as you have prayed for them. When you die and stand before God, all the sins you ever committed will be laid before you. You will have to make up for every single one. Then when God turns to Our Lady and asks her, "Well, what good things did this soul do?" It will be a great help if Our Lady can open a door and all of the souls that you helped deliver from Purgatory come rushing out to help you save your soul. They will come to testify to the merit that you deserve because you helped them. God definitely likes it when we help the Poor Souls in Purgatory. Many times He has told the Saints to pray for them. He has shown the Saints Purgatory to increase their fervor, and so that they will tell other people of what they have seen. The Church has also given the Poor Souls a feast day, November 2nd, and even dedicated the whole month of November to them. Obviously, God wants us to help them. Remember that even though we have never been to or seen anything from Purgatory - it is real. It is just as much of a place as your bedroom, your house, or your parish Church. And those who dwell in Purgatory are just as real. They lived a life here on earth, too. The Poor Souls were just ordinary people like us trying to save their soul and get to Heaven, but they didn't quite make it and have just a little more to go. You can give them that extra boost! --from [catholickingdom.com](http://catholickingdom.com)

How many times do we ask ourselves what more or can I do to witness my faith in being loved by Christ by sharing that love in what I can say or in what I can do? Building the kingdom of God begins with the little choices we make.