

DATE
MAY 23, 2021

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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

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

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

Pastor and Chief Administrative Officer Fr. Rand Langhorst

Parish Office: 612 High St. (rectory-office@edolinc.net)

Sara Stedman, Secretary.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday, 9:00am-2pm,
Except Holy Days, holidays and school 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 east confessional 4:15pm-5:00 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.

Beatrice Prayer Chain Betty Witulski 402-228-0694

Bulletin Deadline: by noon Wednesday.

Mass Intentions		
Monday 5/24	Beatrice 8:15 am	+Gari Pinkerton
Tuesday 5/25	Beatrice 8:15 am	+Harold & Jean Dougherty
Wednesday 5/26	Beatrice 8:15 am	Poor Souls
	Wymore 7:00 pm	+Hilda Spindler
Thursday 5/27	Beatrice 7:00 am	+Bobbie Gustafson
	Odell 5:30 pm	Linda Meyer
Friday 5/28	Beatrice 6:30 am	+Mary Lou Hallquist
	Barneston 5:00pm	Tom McGuire
Saturday 5/29	Beatrice 5:30pm	Strengthen parish community
	Beatrice 8:00am	+Hilda Spindler
	Odell 8:00am	+Pat Masek
Sunday 5/30	Beatrice 10:00am	Missa Pro Populo
	Wymore 10:30am	Poor Souls

Please pray for Rev. Mr. Dale Allder and Rev. Mr. Matt Kovar who will be ordained to the priesthood for our diocese on Saturday May 29 and for Mr. Matthew Hecker, Mr. Liam O'Shea-Creal, Mr. Tony Schukei, Mr. Christians Schwenka and Mr. Dominic Winter who will be ordained as Deacons for our diocese on Friday May 28.

Obligation to attend Mass is Restored as

of May 23, the Solemnity of Pentecost in the Dioceses of Nebraska. Visit

www.lincolndiocese.org

to view the full announcement and to view an article by Fr. Andrew Heaslip on why we have an obligation to attend Mass.

May Financials
St Joseph Beatrice Church, School, and
Daycare

Last Week's Offering	\$5,680.33
Last Week's Other Income	\$2,895.51
Income to Date	\$49,941.66
Estimated Expenses	\$50,175.83

St Mary's Wymore

Last Week's Offering	\$295.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$120.00
Income to Date	\$1,940.00
Estimated Expenses	\$2,345.58

St Mary's Odell

Last Week's Offering	\$270.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$200.00
Income to Date	\$2,080.00
Estimated Expenses	\$2,057.92

St Joseph Barneston

Last Week's Offering	\$295.00
Last Week's Other Income	\$0.00
Income to Date	\$1,067.00
Estimated Expenses	\$457.67

BEATRICE NEWS

Thank you to the 4th Degree Knights for the gift of a new American sanctuary flag for the church to replace the one worn with age.

We are in need of and looking for more willing men or women to take communion to homebound and or nursing homes. This parishioner to parishioner contact is appreciated and helpful. If you feel the Lord moving you to be trained as an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist please contact with any questions or interest Fr. Rand.

Kick off for "Celebrating St. Joseph" will occur on Corpus Christi Sunday June 6 under the sponsorship of our local Knights of Columbus. After both Sunday Masses the Knights of Columbus are providing means to celebrate community and fellowship with each other with a spirit of welcome. They invite and encourage all parishioners to come and help spread the word to our local faithful. Muffins and cupcakes will be provided after Mass with outdoor seating (weather permitting) between the church and the

rectory to socialize and become acquainted or reacquainted. In addition, there will be a balloon release at 11:30 am and a small gift for the little ones among us. Celebrate St. Joseph events for July will include taking advantage of the Big Tent used by the Knights for their fireworks stand with an Outdoor Pulled Pork meal on a weekday (to be determined) after the Fireworks sale and a Biscuit and Gravy Breakfast on Sunday July 11 being sponsored by the Altar Society.

St. Joseph Cemetery Cleanup is looking for volunteers. Meet at the cemetery at 6:30 pm on May 26, June 9, July 14, August 11 and September 8.

WYMORE/BARNESTON/ODELL NEWS

Wymore St Mary's Altar Society will meet Sunday June 6 after Mass. (No May meeting).

Enjoy a Memorial Day Dinner At the Convent House in Steinauer Sunday, May 30th 11:00 – 1:00 Smothered Steak, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Salad, Roll & Dessert \$12 a meal Dine-in or Carry-out Pre-ordering appreciated but not required. Call Marcia at 402-869-2342 or Text 402-806-2176

GENERAL NEWS

June 26th, 2021, the very popular Retreat for Moms of Young People will be happening at the Good Counsel Retreat house. Fr. Ben Holdren will be giving a series of talks for moms of younger children. This is a daylong retreat and babies are welcome. Virtual option available also! For more info and to sign up: <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/ymretreat>

A pastor giving a children's tour of vestments and the things priests wear asked: "Why do you think I wear this white collar?" One kid answered: "Because it kills ticks and fleas up to 30 days?"

The Diocesan Canoe Trip is open to high school youth and college students. Adults are also invited along as sponsors/drivers. Join us in a couple of lazy days along the Niobrara River, along with fellowship, Mass and a lot of fun! Hurry, because space is limited: July 11-13, 2021 [26 spots remaining] and July 13-15, 2021 [60 spots remaining] are the two options and The Steubenville Conference is specialized to address the needs of today's Catholic youth. With an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, the High School Youth Conferences challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as

their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world. Expect a high-energy youth conference where thousands of teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, small group discussions, and fellowship with other teens. Students entering 9th grade through just graduated Seniors are able to attend, but there are only 35 more spots remaining.

To register for either or both of these events, go to <https://www.lincolndiocese.org/youth/youth-ministry>

Fr. Doty and the Lincoln Equipping Team invite you to come and join Fresh Fire on Thursday, May 27th 2021, from 7-9pm. This evening of adoration, praise and worship, teaching and intercessory prayer will be at John XXIII Chapel, 3700 Sheridan Blvd. Lincoln, NE. Come, Holy Spirit, come!

Are you longing for an encounter with Jesus? Do you need the space to pray and worship the Lord? “Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble of heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light” Join us as we pour our hearts to the Lord in adoration and worship during International Missionary Foundation nights of prayer and praise. All are welcome to one or more of the nights at John XXIII Chapel, 3700 Sheridan Boulevard in Lincoln. The dates are June 4, July 2 and August 6 from 8:00-9:30pm

On June 5th, 2021, Day of Grace for Moms in Transition from 9-4 at the John XXIII Diocesan Center Lincoln. This day long retreat is for moms of high school juniors and above and will address the spiritual implications of the changes accompanying your children leaving home. Cost is \$35 or \$10 for virtual. More info at

<https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/transitionmoms>

June Ultreya – Sunday June 13, 2021, 2:00pm, Beatrice St. Joseph. Cursillo National Encounter – Virtual (on-line) National Encounter, Friday-Saturday, July 23-24, 2021. Live-stream Masses, talks, fellowship, and breakout Sessions. Registration is on line on the National Cursillo website (www.natl-cursillo.org). You can stay at home and attend the National Encounter! John & Kathy Springer, 402-826-2699, cell 402-580-1367 1410 E 15th Street, Crete, NE 68333. Email:

jejspringer@windstream.net. Diocese of Lincoln Cursillo website: <http://www.seas-np.org/cursillolincoln.html>

Unveiled: Discovering the Great Mystery in Your Marriage Now offered in-person AND virtually via livestream! Discover how the great mystery of Christ's love can restore passion, purpose and intimacy in your marriage. In Unveiled, a retreat led by the John Paul II Healing Center, you'll engage topics grounded in Church teaching such as: “Discovering True Love,” “A Whole New Look at Your Wedding Day,” “Cultivating Intimacy and Unity in Your Marriage,” “Understanding Your Marital Conflict,” “Healing and Reconciliation in Your Marriage,” and “Restoring Sexual Passion and Intimacy in Your Marriage.” This retreat is open to singles discerning marriage, dating and engaged couples, and couples who have been married for many years! The Newman Center – St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church is hosting this Unveiled retreat July 15-17, 2021. Learn more and register for this amazing experience at:

www.jpuihealingcenter.org Scholarships available. Email Stephanie & Jude Werner at UnveiledLincoln@gmail.com for more information. This event is sponsored by the Catholic Diocese of Lincoln Office of Family Life.

Catholic Stewardship Appeal has started. No one can force anyone to care for others, their parish or to help Jesus accomplish the works of mercy, but one can choose to love, be generous and to work together for those less fortunate. Goals not met will be taken from parish general fund that pays the bills.

Goals to be met:

Beatrice	\$18,380.00
Odell	\$ 1,750.00
Wymore	\$ 2,160.00
Barneston	\$ 920.00

Everything above our goal comes back to the parish in rebate checks throughout the year as the pledges are paid. Each parish has benefitted greatly by the rebates returned as well as meeting the needs of this appeal. Thank you to those able and willing to help the parish meet and exceed its goal.

Fr. Rand will be attending the first of the diocesan priest's retreats May 31 after the morning Mass-June 4. Please pray for all our priests as we seek renewal. Please also watch the bulletin during the summer for daily Mass time changes to accommodate medical appointments and mandatory meetings for Fr. Rand. Thank you in advance for understanding.

Thank you to all Seven Sisters and Subs who pray for their pastors in our diocese. Your commitment to prayer and concern for us as priests is greatly appreciated.