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MASS INTENTIONS:

MONDAY, January 1-Solemnity of Mary:

6:00- For the People
7:30- Clare Ellerbee
8:10- NO MASS
9:00- † Rosemary Thorpe
12:00- NO MASS
5:00- NO MASS

TUESDAY, January 2:

6:30- Poor Souls (MA)
7:30- † Marcella Kalvoda
8:10- NO MASS
5:00- † Margaret Lewis

WEDNESDAY, January 3:

6:30- Peter Nguyen The Huy
7:30- † Eunice Ellis
8:10- † Libbie Wortman
5:00- Susan Sand

THURSDAY, January 4:

6:30- Mary Tran Ngoc Bich
7:30- † Jacqueline I. Heelan
8:10- † Marjorie Neal
5:00- † Mabelle & † Herman Bahr

FRIDAY, January 5:


6:30- The Vu Family
7:30- The Nick Stevens Family
8:10- Joseph Pham Hung
5:00- † Libbie Wortman

SATURDAY, January 6:

6:30- Dominic Tran Van Hai
7:30- † Margaret Lewis
5:00- For the People

SUNDAY, January 7:

6:00- † Leonard J. Schmitz
7:30- † Tony Blankenau
9:00- † Marcie Kalvoda
11:00- † Margaret Lewis
6:00- † Brad Kistler

 Please pray for Seminarians Caleb Daniel Hile, Theology 2, and Santiago Jose Izquierdo, College 3, and for all Religious Sisters.

STEWARDSHIP:

TIME~TALENT~TREASURE:

Celebrate the holiness and joy of the Holy Family.

Last week's stewardship gift:

Adult: \$27,222.00 Plate: \$6,077.43
Youth: \$9.52 E-tithe Weekly: \$1,441.00
Weekly budgetary need: \$26,938.00

ALTAR SERVERS

MONDAY, January 1:

6:00- M. Ivanov.
7:30- N. Bender, O. Baxter.
9:00- A. Machado, A. Sealock.

SATURDAY, January 6:

5:00- S. Heftie, S. Sartore, G. Steiner, A. Korta.

SUNDAY, January 7:

6:00- A. Reinke, A. Rowley.
7:30- A. Miller, C. Norris, C. O'Brien.
9:00- G. Ridder, G. Ridder, M. Sweeney, M. Terrano.
11:00- K. Villa, A. Vrbka, M. Warner, S. Wamer.
6:00- T. Kauffman, A. Tate, L. Turner, W. Turner.

OFFERTORY GIFTS

SUNDAY, January 7:

9:00 - Herb Reese family.
11:00 - Ray Coulter family.

SUNDAY, January 14:

9:00 - Pat & Nancy O'Brien family.
11:00 - Bill Feltes family.

GREETERS

MONDAY, January 1:

6:00 - Greeters needed.
7:30 - Greeters needed.
9:00 - Greeters needed..

SATURDAY, January 6:

5:00 - Eileen Childerston, Shirley Ficke.

SUNDAY, January 7:

7:30 - John & Nancy Hilt, Bill & Lylaine Abbott.
9:00 - Mike Villa Family.
11:00 - Sharon Burger.
6:00 - Sandra Vrooman.

To sign up to be a greeter, call Natalie at 402-480-4844.

Schedules are on the Cathedral Web page: www.cathedraloftherisenchrist.org.

SCRIP

Cathedral School Family Association your weekend to sell scrip is January 6 and 7.

PARISH

ACTS Young Adults Group



Cinnamon rolls are coming! Mark your calendars: the Cathedral young adults group

(ACTS) will be selling cinnamon rolls the weekend of Jan. 27/28; Young adult volunteers are needed that Saturday and Sunday to help bake and sell the rolls. If you would like to help (in any amount), please contact Adam at 402-560-0452 or at adam.schlautman@gmail.com.

Blood Pressure Checks

Blood pressures will be taken by the Cathedral nurses after the 7:30, 9, & 11am Masses next weekend.

Cathedral Bookstore

Check out the titles and topics available in our bookstore and CD rack located in the vestibule.

Cathedral Prayer Line

Call Barb (402-483-5105) or Mary (402-617-2233) to have Cathedral Prayer line members intercede for your intentions.

End of the Year Giving

If you have any gifts you want posted for 2017, please have your gifts turned in by Sunday, December 31 and have it clearly marked for which year you want the gift posted.

Fish Fry

Cathedral Lenten Fish Fry's are just around the corner! The 2018 Fish Fry's are February 16 through March 23. Volunteers are needed in many areas. Please consider joining the Fish Fry Team as a volunteer. To volunteer or for more information, please contact Ann Baker at abaker2@unl.edu or Ursula McLaughlin at ursmac53@gmail.com.



Light of the World

"Light of the World" retreat is in THREE WEEKS! Prayerfully consider attending this parish-based retreat held in Benedictine Hall on January 19-21. Treat yourself and feed your soul. If you feel God is calling to strengthen or deepen your relationship with Him, register for the retreat by calling or emailing Barb Weckman at 402-304-3377 or at bjweckman49@gmail.com to sign up.

Note from the Parish Office

There will not be an 8:10am or 5pm Mass on Monday, January 1 or an 8:10am Mass on Tuesday, January 2. Also, the Cathedral parish office will be closed on Monday, January 1 for the Solemnity of Mary. Since the solemnity falls on a Monday, it is not a Holy Day of Obligation, although it remains a Solemnity. The Mass schedule is as follows: Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God: Sunday, Dec. 31: 6pm (Vigil Mass); Monday, Jan. 1: 6:30, 7:30, & 9am. The Sunday 6pm Mass will still fulfill your Sunday Obligation.

Online Giving

Online giving is now available! Please visit the parish website's home page www.cathedraloftherisenchrist.org and look for the "Click Here to Donate" button (see image below) to donate online. You can then click on Quick Give for a one time gift or register for recurring gifts. Questions, please call the parish office at 402-488-0948.



Perpetual Adoration Program

There are several **OPEN HOURS:** SUN 11AM, WED 2AM, THURS 2PM, and SAT 6AM. Many share hours are available. Call Rita 402-421-2918 (daytime hours) or Cassie 402-310-7799 (evening hours). It is better to give than receive we are told, especially at Christmas.



Jesus would like to receive a spiritual gift from you. What better gift than to give of yourself in Perpetual Adoration? Start out the year right with a holy hour.

Poinsettia Donations for the Altar

There was one more donation for poinsettias from the David Calhoun Family: In Memory of Anne Sowles Calhoun, Dr. & Mrs. O. V. Calhoun, Ruth and Duncan Sowles, and Elva Baxter. Thank you to everyone who donated poinsettias for the altar for Christmas!

Prayers for Our Nation

We will not meet for evening prayer and night prayer on January 1, 2018 but will resume January 8, 2018.

SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT

Good Counsel Retreat House

On January 12-13 there will be a Winter Symposium for the Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women with Fr. Lux and Fr. McGuire. All women are welcome to attend. Please visit www.goodcounselretreat.com for more information.

Holy Spirit Adoration (Pink) Sisters

The First Friday Holy Hour is January 5 at 7:15 PM at the Pink Sisters' Chapel, 1040 S Cotner Blvd. The singing will be led by the Blessed Sacrament Choir (Hannah Jo Smith).

Introduction to Deliverance

The Office of Evangelization will host a free evening of four 20 minute talks on the meaning of deliverance and the Unbound Ministry, in St. Joseph Parish Hall in Beatrice on Thursday, January 4, 2018 from 7pm-8:30pm. Contact Matt at matthew-simmons@cdolinc.net or 402-805-9668 with questions.

Pilgrimage to Italy and the Vatican

Join Fr. Rand Langhorst on a 12 day pilgrimage to Italy and the Vatican from June 4-15, 2018. See Rome, the Vatican, Assisi, Eucharistic Miracle sites, San Giovanni Rotondo (Padre Pio), and Cascia. Cost is \$3795 per person double occupancy. Include flights, lodgings, breakfast and dinner daily. For a brochure, please email fr.randlanghorst@gmail.com or register online at www.tektonministries.org.

Unbound

The next Unbound Retreat for men and women is January 19-21, 2018 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House with Fr. William Holoubek. Register at www.goodcounselretreat.com.

SUPPORT/EDUCATION

Catholic Divorced Survival Guide

The Catholic Divorced Survival Guide was created to bring hope and healing to divorced and separated Catholics. This 12 week program will be leader facilitated and features 30-minute DVD segments that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, kids, annulment, and much more. The next session will begin February 5, 2018 at John XXIII Center from 7pm-9pm. Classes are kept small. Register by calling the Family Life Office at 402-473-0620 or send an email to catholicflo@cdolinc.net.

Lincoln MOMs

Join us Sat., Jan. 6, at Gianna's Java and Gelato (in the Guadalupe Center) from 8:30am-10:30am for "Beating the Baby Blues" for an honest conversation about postpartum depression with guest speaker, Karen McGivney-Liechti, a certified nurse midwife at Good Life Birth Place, and Breanna Kaup, a mental health therapist at Lincoln Wellness Group. We will talk about how you can help yourself and other new moms. Please bring a friend! Suggested

donation is \$5. You may also join us for 8am Mass at the Gianna Chapel. Contact us at lincolnmoms@outlook.com or our Facebook page: "Lincoln MOMs" if you need babysitting.

YOUTH ~ FAMILY ~ SCHOOL

Knights Free Throw Contest

All boys and girls ages 9-14 are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship on Sunday, January 7 at the Cathedral School Gym. Registration begins at 12:30pm with the Free Throw Contest beginning at 1pm. Basketballs will be provided. Questions, call Alvin Raef, Grand Knight, at 402-570-0949.

Playground Equipment Needed

Cathedral School is looking for quality used (or new) playground balls: footballs, basketballs, four-square balls, kickballs and the like would all be welcomed donations. Please contact Cathedral-Info@cdolinc.net to make your donation.

Religious Awards for Girls & Boys

Scout leaders obtain religious award books for girls from the Youth Ministry Office and for boys from the Local Comhusker Council. Award ceremony is March 4 with Bishop Conley presenting! For details visit www.lincolndiocese.org/scouting. Contact Michele at 402-473-0625 with questions.

Shoparoo App

Check out a simple and free way to help Cathedral School earn money by downloading the Shoparoo app. After you shop, take a picture of the receipt and send it to Shoparoo via their app. If asked for a code, use **meY11433** and Cathedral will earn extra points and money. Shoparoo your SCRIP receipts and double-dip the fundraising efforts. Questions, call Principal Jeremy Ekeler at 402-489-9621.



S.T.A.G.E. Theatre

Please consider S.T.A.G.E. Theatre for a unique gift this Christmas. Visit stage4kids.com for ticket info on upcoming performances, along with our theater and art classes. Register soon for: *Androcles, If You Please*, a musical play for children 6-10 years. Classes are from Jan. 24-Feb. 18.

OTHER

Healing Ministry Presentation

Healing: Bringing the Gift of God's Mercy to the World will be presented by Dr. Mary Healy, S.T.D. at St. Thomas Aquinas Church/UNL Newman Center on February 24 from 3:30pm-4:30pm. Register at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/healing-presentation>. Cost is \$10. All are welcome for the 6pm vigil Mass, then join Dr. Healy for a healing prayer service from 7pm-10pm. There is no cost or registration required for the prayer service.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Catholic Social Services St. Louise Gift & Thrift Store has an opening for an assistant manager. Full-time position with benefits. Merchandising/retail experience is preferred. Contact Curt at 402-474-1600.

Happy New Year and have a Blessed Solemnity of Mary from all of us in the Cathedral Parish Office!

