



ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

ABIDE IN CHRIST AND BUILD HIS KINGDOM



CELEBRATING 35 YEARS 1991-2026

NEWSLETTER – March 16, 2026

25-26 SCHOOL THEME – BUILD HIS KINGDOM

SISTER OF THE WEEK – Pray for young women to discern a vocation to the Sisterhood in our Diocese of Lincoln Motherhouses.

SEMINARIAN OF THE WEEK – Joseph Whitney / St. Gregory the Great Seminary / College 1 / St. Mary in Nebraska City

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK – Moderation / Attention to balance in one's life. / To view the Education in Virtue Calendar, click [HERE](#).

ITEMS INCLUDED in this NEWSLETTER (Scroll to view specific information):

2026-27 Enrollment

Teaching/Administrative Positions

Faith, Academics & Activities

Safety, Health & Wellness

St. Peter Parish, Community, & Pius X Opportunities & Events

SUPERSTAR CATHOLIC SCHOOL & ST. PATRICK'S DAY OUT OF DRESS CODE DAY

Tomorrow, March 17th

In honor of St. Patrick's Day and St. Peter Catholic School being named a four-time Superstar Catholic School, on Tuesday, March 17 (tomorrow), students may wear a school-appropriate green t-shirt, sweatshirt, or hoodie with jeans or sweatpants. No leggings. — Hosted by St. Peter Student Council

LUNCH MENU CHANGE

Wednesday, March 18

Chicken tenders, dinner roll, baked beans, fruit and milk.

SCHOOL FAMILY ASSOCIATION MEETING – Tuesday, March 24

Reminder ** Rosary at 6:30pm – Church / Meeting at 7:00pm – Gym

7:00 P.M. - Opening Prayer & Guest Speaker

Navigating a Digital Maze: An Online Safety Guide for Parents - **Ryan S. Sothan**, Outreach Coordinator, State of Nebraska - Office of the Attorney General

7:25 P.M. - WAX Museum Presentations - 5th Grade

8:00 P.M. - Closing Prayer

2026-27 ENROLLMENT

To view the materials online, visit the following links. [Tuition agreement forms were due Friday, February 27.](#)

- [Preschool & PreKindergarten Enrollment](#)
- [K-8 Enrollment](#)

Re-enrollment Now Open – Online re-enrollment is now called “Annual Student Information Review”. There have been a few changes to the online enrollment for [returning students](#). Parents will initially see **only one form**, the “Annual Student Information Review”. Based on the responses provided in that form, the system will determine which additional forms the parent needs to complete. Returning students will still be required to complete 1) Health History, 2) Medical Authorization, and 3) Agreements. This redesigned process will eliminate forms where no changes are needed which will save time for parents.

NOTE: The enrollment process for [brand new students](#) entering the system for the first time will remain unchanged.

Scholarship Opportunities – St. Peter offers three (3) scholarship opportunities for K-8, click [HERE](#) for an overview.

- Good Shepherd Scholarship – up to \$1800 per child - application due March 31st
- (NEW) Discipleship Scholarship – up \$1000 per child – application due April 30th
- Family Cap Scholarship – 4th enrolled child is free

ENROLLING NOW
for 2026–2027

K–8 SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Due March 31 Good Shepherd Scholarship
Up to \$1,800 per child

Due April 30 **NEW!** St. Peter Discipleship Scholarship
Up to \$1,000 per child

Family Tuition Cap Scholarship: 4th child free

TEACHING/ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS FOR 2026-27

St. Peter Catholic School is searching for the following positions:

- Assistant Principal
- Teacher Assistant (Part-time)
- Activities Director (stipend)
- Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Coordinator (stipend)

If interested in these positions, please email a cover letter and resume to Principal Curt Feilmeier at curt-feilmeier@cdolinc.net.

FAITH, ACADEMICS & ACTIVITIES

FAITH:

Upcoming Retreats:

7th Grade – Friday, March 20th / Theme: Needful Prayer & Discernment

6th Grade – Tuesday, March 24th / Theme: Need for Community

Please pray for the success of each of these retreats as part of our Junior High Retreat Program.

Friday Mission Collection – As part of our school’s Faith Program in the area of “outreach”, our school conducts a “Mission Collection” each Friday of the week to help those in need. Students are invited to participate by bringing a food item (e.g. canned food) or students are encouraged to bring a little of their own money, or to do an extra job for which they can earn funds to give support to diocese, community, or national causes. Mission money collected will be for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Stations of the Cross will be held this Friday, March 20, at 2:30pm. Join us for ***Living Stations of the Cross*** on Friday, March 27, 2:30pm in St. John Paul II Hall. Presented by our 7th Grade students.

School Confessions - continue for our Grade 3 – 8 students next Monday, March 23rd and 30th.

Leadership Training Summit - Saturday, March 28 - St. Paul Outside the Walls / 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. / Lunch Provided

- Who’s invited: All parishioners, especially small group leaders and members and teachers (school and CCD).
- Why come: Heeding the call of our Lord and evaluating the current needs of the Church, the Emmaus Institute offers a **Leadership Training Summit** that equips individuals to be active leaders and missionary disciples in their parishes, organizations, and vocations.
- What will take place: The Leadership Training Summit is a one-day experience (8am–3pm) during which parishioners are given training as well as time for discussion and prayer to consider how Jesus is calling them to participate in “building up the body of Christ” (Eph 4:12), specifically in the ministry of learning, loving, and teaching God’s Word.
- How to register: [St. Peter Catholic Church & School Leadership Training Summit – Fill out form](#)

ACADEMICS:

Family Nature Night – A partnership event with the Lower Platte South NRD - Thursday, March 26th @ 6:30 pm – 7:30pm being held in St. John Paul II Hall / FREE. Fliers will be sent home with Communication Folders this Wednesday (3/18). Come visit craft vendors and see a variety of small animals including birds from the [Raptor Conservation Alliance](#).



ACTIVITIES:

Jr. High Bowling – Students in grades 6-8 who are Bowling began competition. The season continues each Monday through April 6 at Sun Valley Lanes from 4:10-5:40pm.

Jr. High Golf – The 2026 golf season begins on April 1. Questions? Contact Mrs. Zohner at laine-zohner@cdolinc.net

Jr. Panther Archery – The Archery Club meets on Mondays after school. The NASP State Tournament will be March 20-21 at Sandhills Global Event Center, with archers participating at 10:00am and 11:00am.

SAFETY, HEALTH & WELLNESS

Bike Safety – As the weather warms up, we see more bicycle riders at school. For safety reasons, all students riding their bike to school must wear a bicycle helmet. Thank you for keeping our students safe.

Attention 6th Grade Parents – Sixth grade students are required to have a physical exam completed by a healthcare provider **within six months prior to the entrance into 7th grade** AND an updated immunization record including a Tdap vaccine. Sometimes it takes a long time to get an appointment if you wait until summer to schedule. **A copy of your student's physical and a complete list of immunizations from your provider is due in the school office before August 18, 2026.**

Lost & Found Items – Our box is considerably full again. Please check the box if you are missing coats, fleece, lunch boxes, uniforms, etc. **Unclaimed items will be donated on Friday, March 20.**

ST. PETER PARISH, COMMUNITY, & PIUS X OPPORTUNITIES & EVENTS

School Uniforms by Tommy Hilfiger – Our school provider is offering a [promotion](#) this week, March 16-23 only. The more you buy, the more you save: 10% off discount up to \$149.99, 15% off 150-249.99, and 20% off for any orders \$250+. Promo Code at checkout is MC26BMSMEM. Please note that the code will ONLY work during this promotion.

Lenten Giving Tree – Stop by the Lenten Giving Tree in the church narthex. Donations will be given to St. Vincent de Paul to help people with emergency needs. Super Saver gift cards, gas gift cards, and checks made out to “St. Vincent de Paul” can be brought to the Parish Office or the black drop box. Questions, please call Susan Foley at 402-975-9191. --Sponsored by Jesus of Divine Mercy Ministries



Need a Car Wash? – St. Peter Knights of Columbus Council #10510 is hosting a Rocket Carwash Fundraiser in support of St. Peter Catholic School. \$12 buys the top ROCKET Carwash (a \$25.99 value). \$6 of your \$12 purchase will be donated to St. Peter Catholic School. Vouchers are good for 12 months. Follow the QR Code to purchase.

2026-27 Pius X Cheer Tryouts – Pius X Cheer Candidates are required to complete the Tryout Registration Form (due April 10) and attend the Athlete/Parent Tryout Information Meeting prior to Tryout Week in April. Please note the dates below for specific Pius X Cheer Tryout Information. [26-27 Px Cheer Tryout Registration Form – Fill out form](#) **All JV and Varsity Members will have Mandatory UCA Camp June 22-25.**

- Athlete/Parent Tryout Information Meeting: Thursday, April 9 at 7:00pm in PXHS Commons
- Tryout Clinic Days: Monday, April 13 and Tuesday, April 14 5:00-8:00pm in PXHS Commons
- Varsity Stunt Invite: Thursday, April 16 5:00-8:00pm in PXHS Commons
- Formal Tryouts for ALL CANDIDATES: Friday, April 17 starting at 5:00pm (Team Placement Posted Saturday, April 18 by 9:00am)

Please direct questions to Caycee Hays (caycee-hays@cdolinc.net)

NATS Detasseling – NATS is accepting applications now at www.notafraidtosweat.com (ages 13 & up).

Jr. Bolts Football - Registration for Lincoln Youth Football 2026 season is now open. Visit <https://www.jrbolts.com/football/> for more information and for the link to get registered. Jr Bolts tackle football is open to all Catholic school students in 3rd-8th grade. Questions? Please contact Taylor Ashburn (President, Jr. Bolts Football) at jrboltsfootball@gmail.com. Year 1 was a fantastic experience for our players. Come be part of a faith-based, Christ-centered program, as we continue to lay a foundation which will greatly benefit our players, our Catholic school community and Pius X Football. Go Bolts!

Mayor's Run - This year's run will take place on Saturday, May 2. Register at [Mayor's Run](#). Children through Grade 6 are eligible to submit artwork for consideration in the Mayor's Run T-Shirt Design Contest. Deadline for artwork is March 20. Details at the website.

Mary Our Queen...Pray for Us!

St. Peter...Pray for Us!

Live Jesus in Our Hearts...Forever!