



# ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

4500 DUXHALL DR. | LINCOLN, NE 68516



**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2022** FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

## Welcome!

*St. Peter Catholic Church  
will abide in Christ and  
build His kingdom.*

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### WEEKDAY

Monday—Friday: 6:30am, 8:15am & 5:30pm

Saturday: 8:15am

#### WEEKEND

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am & 11:00am

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28

6:30am † Ruby Ahrens

8:15am † Kevin Valaika

5:30pm † Jack Pierce

#### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

6:30am Marcia Merboth

8:15am † Fr. Walter Banach

5:30pm † Aggie Bruckner

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30 *Saint Andrew*

6:30am † Charles Orlen

8:15am † Mel & † Mary Ulrich

5:30pm Ivah Leemis

#### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1

6:30am Maureen Benes

8:15am † Mary Deraus

5:30pm † Jerry & † Dorothy Post

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

6:30am † Steve Morosic

8:15am Fr. Eric Clark

5:30pm † Jeanne DeWald

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 *Saint Francis Xavier*

8:15am † Justin Matthew Pierce

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 *Second Sunday of Advent*

4:00pm † Carmen Hoppe

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4 *Second Sunday of Advent*

8:00am † Ken Benes

9:30am Parishioners

11:00am Bernadette Benes



#### PLEASE KEEP OUR PARISH FAMILY IN YOUR PRAYERS FOR HEALING:

Herb Cords; Logan Keitges; Carla Sander; Jeri Lowe; Sandra Thompson; Constance Hiller-Koeran; Tom O'Hare; Chelsea Anderson; Jonah Moxley; and all those on the St. Peter Prayer Line.



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## PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH: (402) 423-1239  
SCHOOL: (402) 421-6299

## CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Monday & Friday: 7:00am — 8:00am  
Wednesday: 4:30pm—5:30pm  
Saturday: 3:00pm — 4:00pm  
Sunday 30 minutes before each Mass

## CHURCH HOURS

Open Daily: 7:00am — 9:00pm

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon- Fri: 8:00am — 4:30pm

## PARISH STAFF

**Fr. Eric Clark** Pastor  
**Fr. Brian Wirth** Assistant Pastor  
**Fr. Jason Doher** Assistant Pastor

**Katherine Norman** Parish Manager  
**Blake Vajgrt** Parish Catechist  
**Sarah Schafers** Parish Secretary  
**Brenda Shields** Communication & Development Coordinator  
**Curt Feilmeier** Principal

## WEEKDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The Eucharist is exposed for adoration Monday — Thursday 7:00am — 10:00pm and Friday 7:00am — 6:00pm

## PERPETUAL ADORATION

Katy Dornbos  
kldornbos@gmail.com

## BULLETIN NOTICES

Please send by Monday at noon to [stpeterchurch@cdolinc.net](mailto:stpeterchurch@cdolinc.net)

## CCD OFFICE

402-328-2866

## PARISH REGISTRATION

Stop by or call the parish office to register.

## PRAYER LINE

[stpeterprayerwarriors@gmail.com](mailto:stpeterprayerwarriors@gmail.com)

## BAPTISMS

First and third Sunday of each month at 12:00pm. All first time parents are required to attend the Baptism Preparation Classes and meet with Fr. Clark. Please see website for details and registration.

## WEDDINGS

Please contact the parish office to schedule as soon as possible after becoming engaged and at least 6 months before the wedding.

## Collection Report

### Tithe Received

\*Due to publication dates, numbers are from November 13, 2022. \*

Tithe Envelopes (Sunday and Holy Days)	\$ 21,320.44
Electronic Tithe	\$ 9,072.05
Plate	\$ 1,420.52
Total Tithe Received	\$ 31,813.01
<b>Collection Fiscal Year to Date</b>	
Received to Date: July 1 – November 13	\$ 796,426.84
Received Previous Year: July 1 – November 13, 2021	\$ 763,705.23
Variance between previous year and current year:	\$ 32,721.61

\*\*\*You may notice a difference in the numbers being reported. Previous bulletins compared the annual budget to the collection received year to date. However, the same collection is not received every month, but our budget is consistent month to month. Therefore, comparing this year's giving to last year's giving, is a more accurate picture of our current financial state. To view the full year-to-date financial report visit our website. Call our parish office with any questions and thank you for your generosity.\*\*\*



## ST. NICHOLAS IS COMING TO TOWN

Please join us after all Masses next weekend, December 3rd and 4th to meet St. Nicholas! Children of all ages are welcome, there will be goodies to enjoy for all!

## INCOMING KINDERGARTENERS

Please join us next weekend for Kindergarten Open House on Sunday, December 4th from 9:00-11:00am. Current and interested families who would like to learn more about enrolling in our 2023-2024 Kindergarten Program are encouraged to attend. For more information contact the school office at 402-421-6299.

## CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

### WE REACHED OUR GOAL!

Thank you so much for your generosity to the At the Feet of Peter Campaign. We have surpassed our goal of \$8.5 million! I am so grateful for your support and prayers for this campaign and our parish. With your help we will be able to create a place filled with beauty and peace, security and joy, which will bring glory to God and His people. I ask that the Lord gives us the grace to abide in Him and build His Kingdom. May the Lord bless and protect you and your family. Thank you again for your great faith and stewardship, we are blessed to have such wonderful parishioners.

In His Mercy,

Fr. Clark

*Fr. Eric Clark*





## STATIONS OF THE NATIVITY

Please save the date and join us for Stations of the Nativity Friday, December 9 at 6:00pm. What is Stations of the Nativity? It's much like the Stations of the Cross, but we now walk the path to Bethlehem with Mary and Joseph in anticipation of the birth of Jesus! All are invited to attend a family social following stations. You won't want to miss it!

## MORE FREE TIME OVER THE HOLIDAYS?

St. Peter Parish purchased a community subscription to FORMED, which makes it FREE for all the parishioners to use. FORMED is often referred to as "Catholic Netflix." Diving into the faith has never been easier at home, or on the go. There is something for every member of the family! Go to [www.formed.org/signup](http://www.formed.org/signup) to get started online with these three easy steps: 1) Enter the church zip code. 2) Select St. Peter. 3) Enter your name and email.

## AMERICAN HERITAGE GIRLS POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER

The American Heritage Girls are selling poinsettias after all Masses this weekend for \$20 each. American Heritage Girls (AHG) is a Christian-based scouting organization for girls.



## FAMILY FRIENDLY HOLY HOUR

Let the little children come (even the noisy ones)! Join us for a family friendly holy hour at John XXIII Diocesan Center (3700 Sheridan Blvd) on December 11th from 3:30-4:30 pm. We will have confessions available, a short reflection on Advent for families, some music, some silence (ish), and hot cocoa to follow! No registration required! We would love for you to join!

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT CARDS

Thank you for turning in your 2022-2023 Commitment Cards. If you still have a card to return, please return it to the parish office. Forgot your card? That's okay, you can fill out your Commitment Card online.

At [saintpeterlincoln.com/news-events/events](http://saintpeterlincoln.com/news-events/events) under Stewardship Renewal.

Thank you to all our parishioners for your time, talent, and treasure!

## HEALING, ENCOUNTER, & TRANSFORMATION CONFERENCE

Come and encounter the life changing love of Christ. Please join us this Friday, December 2nd (7-9pm) and Saturday, December 3rd (9:30am) for Healing, Encounter, and Transformation Conference presented by Barbara Heil. Please register by sending a \$32 check payable to St. Benedict Prayer Team c/o Lea Wawers to 5926 Fieldcrest Way, Lincoln NE 68512.

Additional information can be found on our [saintpeterlincoln.com](http://saintpeterlincoln.com) site under events. Sponsored by St. Benedict Prayer Team.

## ST. ANNE'S STAMPING PARTY

Join St. Anne's circle on Tuesdays from 1-2:30 pm in St. Paul Outside the Walls to stamp food bags for Tabitha Meals on Wheels! St. Anne's Circle, along with some fellow parishioners, have been decorating these sacks and we'd like to include you. We deliver 400 to 500 meals daily in Lincoln. Each meal includes a lunch sack with cookie, muffin etc. Tabitha has been looking for someone to decorate these sacks and have asked to include a Bible verse inside. What a wonderful way to evangelize! Bring any stamping material you'd like to share. Kindly RSVP to Bonnie Damrow (402)580-3673. Hope to see you there!

## ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Catholic Social Services invites all Lincoln parishes and schools to recommend families to be adopted. These families may have experienced a death in the family, job loss, or financial hardship. At the back of the church, you'll find angels on the Advent giving tree. Each angel is connected to the wish list of one of these families in need. Select an angel and follow the instructions listed to contact Rachel Tvrdy at 402-277-6299 to receive your selected family's Christmas wish list. If you don't want to adopt a family, but would still like to assist Catholic Social Services in the work we do, there are also empty gift card sleeves on the tree. Please take a sleeve, purchase a gift card, put it back in the sleeve and drop it off at your parish. A CSS staff member will collect them. Thank you and have a blessed Advent season!

## LITTLE FLOWER CHILDCARE CENTER

Little Flower Childcare Center is looking for part time caregivers with some experience in early childhood care. We offer flexible hours and minimum wage starting at \$12.

Please contact Sister Rosaria at 402-421-1704 or [littleflowerchildcare@gmail.com](mailto:littleflowerchildcare@gmail.com).

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