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**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2022** THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

## 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, DECEMBER 26** *Saint Stephen, The First Martyr*

6:30am † Dr. Laddie Bicak  
5:30pm † Rena Gustafson

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27** *Saint John*

6:30am Maria Benes  
5:30pm † Jack Pierce

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28** *The Holy Innocents*

6:30am Sam Miller  
5:30pm † Terry Maly

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29** *Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord; Saint Thomas Becket*

6:30am † Frank & † Jackie Romero  
5:30pm Deceased of the Kroner & Hookstadt Families

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30** *The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph*

6:30am † Julie Frazier  
5:30pm † Gordon Burkhardt

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31** *Seventh day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord*

8:15am † Clare Many & † Cathy Nielsen  
4:00pm † Jeanette Andreasen

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 1** *Solemnity of Mary; The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord*

8:00am † John Sedlak  
9:30am Parishioners  
11:00am Special Intentions of Ruth Spatz



## THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD

The angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for behold, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For today in the city of David a savior has been born for you who is Christ and Lord." - Lk 2:10-11

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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### 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, the numbers have not been updated per December 4, 2022\*

Tithe Envelopes (Sunday and Holy Days)	\$ 20,093.86
Electronic Tithe	\$ 15,331.58
Plate	\$ 994.93
<b>Total Tithe Received</b>	<b>\$ 36,420.37</b>

### Collection Fiscal Year to Date

Received to Date: July 1 – December 4	\$ 910,129.97
Received Previous Year: July 1 – December 4, 2021	\$ 885,402.67
Variance between previous year and current year:	\$ 24,727.27

\*\*\*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.\*\*\*

## HOLY DAY

### Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass Times

Saturday, Dec 31st @ 4:00pm

Sunday, Jan 1st @ 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am

**Please note our Parish office will be closed Dec 26th and Jan 2nd.**

## CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS

Wishing you and your family a very blessed & Merry Christmas. Thank you all for the generous gifts and prayers you have given us. We hope you are all filled with peace, love, and joy this Christmas season.

Merry Christmas and a Happy, Grace-filled New Year! God Bless!

St. Peter Parish Staff

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

*Annual All Parish Retreat*

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH**

DETAILS TO FOLLOW



## YEAR END DONATIONS TO THE PARISH

2022 tithe statements will be mailed to you in January. If you would like your donations to be reflected, please have them in the parish office no later than December 31, 2022.

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BLOOD DRIVE

The annual Christmas Blood Drive will take place on Tuesday, December 27. The Community Blood Bank Mobile Unit will be in St. Peter's Parking lot from 2-6:30pm. All those who are present to donate will receive a free long sleeve shirt and will be entered in a drawing for free cookies for a year!

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please contact Dan Fuoco 402-421-6630.



## ST. PETER PARISH WISH LIST

Interested in giving back to St. Peter this Advent? Please visit our Christmas Wish List page on our parish website at [www.saintpeterlincoln.com](http://www.saintpeterlincoln.com) under News & Events—Christmas Wish List to view our updated wish list items. Thank you for all those who have already generously donated!

## HOLY INNOCENTS HOLY HOUR

Please join us on the eve of the Feast of the Holy Innocents, December 27th, at the UNL Newman Center. There will be carols at 6:30pm, a Holy Hour at 7:00 pm, and a family dance at 8:00pm. Please bring a plated dessert to share. Sponsored by One Heart, One Mind.

## SCAMMER ALERT

Please be aware of several fake emails and texts, that look like they are from Father Eric Clark, but are not. Someone is impersonating Fr. Clark and using an email address that looks like his, but is actually not. Or sending a text message, but it is not from his phone number.

These emails and texts may ask you to send gift cards confidentially after scratching off the back. They also sometimes say not to call or text Fr. Clark at this time, but that he needs your help. One email has even been upset with someone for not being discrete about the situation.

**Do not fall for any of these scams. Fr. Clark will never ask you for money of any kind via email or text.**

But if you would like to set up a recurring tithe, please visit our website and click Online Giving.

## FUNDRAISER FOR WOMEN'S CARE CENTER

Fundraiser for Women's Care Center (WCC) by St. Peter's Knights of Columbus Council 10510 & Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW). \$10 buys the best ROCKET CARWASH (a \$23.99 value) \$6 of that will be donated to WCC. If we reach 500 carwashes, Rocket adds a \$500 bonus and the KCs add a \$600 match so, \$8.20 of your \$10 will be donated to WCC. Great opportunity to help those WCC babies and parents! The wash vouchers are digital and will be sent by text messages. They can also be sent as digital gifts. Vouchers are good for 12 months so buy 10 for you and more for gifts. To purchase vouchers, go to this webpage or scan this QR code. Questions: Gary Bouc 402-430-6303

<https://rocketcarwash.com/fundraiser/st-peters-knights-of-columbus-council-10510/>



## GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE

Wanting to schedule a retreat for next year? Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House has their NEW 2023 Spring Retreat Schedule. Join Fr. Eric Clark for "Becoming Apostles of Mercy" Retreat on Jan. 13-15. On Jan.19-22 Regnum Christi will host the "Meet Me at the Well: Women's Spiritual Exercises". "Encounter Virtual Watch Party" Conference is Dec. 28-30. Read more and register at [www.goodcounselretreat.org](http://www.goodcounselretreat.org), email [office@goodcounselretreat.org](mailto:office@goodcounselretreat.org) or call 402-786-2705.

## DATE NIGHT

Make time for your vocation! The Family Life Office invites you to a date night out on January 10th, 6:00-9:00pm at UNL Newman Center Rosary Hall. The topic is "Praying with Scripture with Your Spouse and Family". \$45 for dinner/drinks/apps for two or come for free to the talk and go out to eat on your own (will also be streamed). More info/registration at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/datenightjan>. Limited free babysitting available!

## MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM

"Fearfully and Wonderfully Made" for girls age 9-13 and their mothers will be held Saturday, January 28th, 2023 from 9:00am-noon at John XXIII Diocesan Center. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per mother/daughter or \$35 per family in person. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughter>.

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