



St. James Catholic Church
November 3rd, 2024
31st Sunday in Ordinary Times

Your Contributions last week	
Adults	\$ 2291.00
Plate	\$ 607.00
For the Poor	\$ 43.00
Online Giving	\$ 746.62
Total:	\$ 3687.62

Weekday Mass Schedule:
 7:00 am Tuesday, Wednesday,
 Thursday, Friday

Weekend Mass Schedule:
 4:30 pm Saturday
 9:00 am Sunday

Confessions:
 Saturdays 3:30 - 4:00 pm
 Sundays 8:00 - 8:30 am
 or by Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration:
 First Saturdays/Sundays between
 weekend Masses.

Pastor
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Facebook/Mass Livestream
www.facebook.com/stjamesmead
 9:00 am every Sunday

Weekly Obligations	
St. Wenceslaus School	\$ 809.00
Bishop Neumann	\$2047.00
Other Parish Expenses	\$1700.00
Total Parish Weekly Expenses:	\$4556.00

Mass Intentions for the Week			
Monday	November 4 th	7:00 am	No Mass
Tuesday	November 5 th	7:00 am	Andrew McGill
Wednesday	November 6 th	7:00 am	Deceased Milliken Family
Thursday	November 7 th	7:00 am	Marsha Maschmann
Friday	November 8 th	7:00 am	James Brazda Jr.
Saturday	November 9 th	4:30 pm	Marilyn Benal
Sunday	November 10 th	9:00 am	Tom Newell

Ministry Assignments for Next Week

Saturday, November 9th
Reader: Cconnie Eckley
Acolyte: John Dunn
Servers: VOLUNTEER

Sunday, November 10th
Reader: Angela Knuth
Acolyte: Ray Casey
Servers: Peter Chohon & Blake Bolden

New Parishioners & Visitors

We are grateful you are here! In our parish community, all families and individuals are welcome! If this is your new parish, you are asked to pick up a registration form in the back of church on the bulletin board and return by placing it in the collection basket.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Our Catholic tradition prays for those who have gone before us. Each Mass includes prayer intentions for the whole church, living and deceased. Within these prayers, there is a place to recall a particular person/s or a special intention. We honor them by remembering that they were a gift from God to us; we are grateful for the gift they gave us and the inspiration we carry into our lives; we pray for the reparation of any sins they may have committed and the purification of their souls. You can remember someone who has died recently or many years ago, you can even remember all your deceased family, friends, and benefactors at one Mass. The intentions do not have to be just for the dead: they make beautiful gifts for any special occasion: birthday; anniversary; in thanksgiving for a prayer answered, an intention for someone who is struggling with a serious illness or other life trauma, who desires the Lord's support for them in their need. Mass intention envelopes can be found in the back of church on the table. Suggested offering is \$10.00. Just fill one out and place it in the regular collection basket or place it in the drop box at the office.

Reminder: Bulletin announcements need to be in by 9 am on Wednesdays.

PARKING LOT UPDATE—Reminder to please continue with your pledge payments. The quicker we pay off the debt, the less interest we will owe, saving all of us money! Thank you so much for your sacrifices. Pledge payments for October were \$2305.00. The total pledges paid for 2024 were \$17,762.00. – Fr. Gross

COFFEE & ROLLS – Will be NEXT WEEK on Sunday, November 10th.

ST JOHN NEPOMUCENE PTA – WESTON -Will be hosting a Drive-thru/Carry- out ONLY Pork Dinner on Saturday, November 9th, serving from 4pm – 8 pm. Serving Pork Sandwiches, Potatoes Salad, Chips, Cookie & Water. Free Will Donation. Proceeds go to teacher’s classroom needs & student educational activities.

PARISH FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 2024 –Parish financial statement for 2024 will be attached to next week’s bulletin. Thank you for your continued generosity in order for St James to be able to update facilities, maintenance, and other programs and activities to further the mission of our growing parish. May God Bless You – Fr. Gross

CONGRATULATIONS - to John and Marlene Vogt on celebrating their 69th wedding anniversary on October 26th. Also, John will celebrate his 90th birthday on November 28th. If anyone wishes to send them cards for either occasion, their address is: Saunders Medical Center Long Term Care c/o John and/or Marlene Vogt 1760 County Road J Wahoo, NE 68066

Bishop’s Appeal for Vocations

The Bishop’s appeal for Vocations is an annual fundraising campaign for the support of our seminarians. The Diocese of Lincoln depends on your support to find the information and education of our future priests. We rely on your generosity. To make a donation to the Bishop’s Appeal for Vocations, please pick up your pledge card in the back of church, return and deposit in the collection basket or you can mail it directly with your pledge card to:

Bishop’s Appeal for Vocations 2024
P O Box 82644
Lincoln, NE 68501-2644

The parish assessed goal is: \$4,000.00.

Any difference in what is donated, and the goal assessed will be assessed to the parish during the fiscal year.

Pick up your card in the back of church.

Gift of Crops as a Donation

1000 bushels of Corn @ \$5.00/ bushel	1000 bushels of Corn @ \$5.00/ bushel
Total Value: \$5000.00	Total Value: \$5000.00
Corn sold at the elevator and cash taken: \$5000.00	Corn is placed in a Parish account at the elevator.
TAXES:	TAXES:
12% Federal	0% Federal
15.3% SE	0% SE
6.8% State	0% State
34.1% TOTAL	0% TOTAL
Total Taxes = \$1705.00	Total Taxes = \$0.00
After selling the grain, the cash gift sent to the Parish will be:	After gifting the grain, the cash gift sent to the Parish will be:
\$3,295.00	\$5,000.00