



# St. Patrick Parish

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**Pastor:** Fr. Troy Schweiger

**Parochial Vicar:**

**Priest in Residence:** Fr. David Bourek

**Deacon:** Deacon Stephen Kuchar

**Principal:** Mrs. Kristine Placek

**Saturday Vigil:** 6:30 p.m.

**Sunday Mass:** 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 a.m.

**Weekday Mass:** 6:30 a.m. Mon-Fri .8:00 a.m.

Mon-Sat and 5:30 p.m. Thursday

**Holy Days:** Please check bulletin

**Confessions:** Saturday 4:00-5:00, 7:30-8:00 p.m.  
and by calling the rectory to schedule an appointment

**Baptisms:** Those expecting a baby should contact the rectory 1-4 months before the baby is born for baptismal instructions

**Weddings:** Engaged couples must contact a priest at least 4 months (preferably 6-8 months) before the tentative wedding date

**RCIA:** Classes are held on Mondays in Finigan Hall at 7 p.m.

**Religious Education Classes:** Grades K-8.  
Wednesdays 5:15-6:30 p.m. during school year

**New Parishioners:** Pick up a form at the rectory

**Altar Society:** First Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall

**Legion of Mary:** Thursday afternoons at 4:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall  
Kathy Kastl 402-435-2242

**Home & School:** Tonia Wasser 402-416-0069

**Knights of Columbus:** First Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall  
Grand Knight Jim Bunch 402-681-9344 or  
Kofc13576@gmail.com

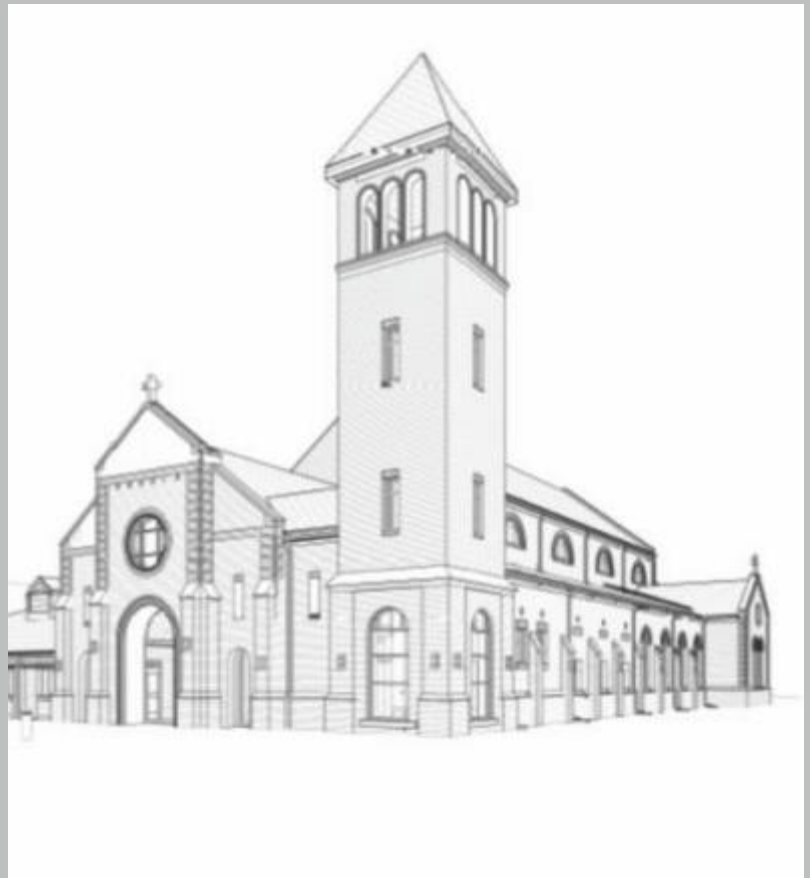
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 6:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall

**FCSLA:** Second Sunday of the month at 11:00 a.m. , Youth Council after 11:30 Mass.

**God Teens:** Meet Wednesday nights 7:00 p.m., for more information call 402-466-2752

**Eucharistic Adoration Program:** Mary Doher, 402-499-8665

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 22, 2021



**WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK CHURCH! WE ARE SO HAPPY YOU JOINED US FOR MASS TODAY! IF YOU ARE NEW TO OUR PARISH, PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY SO WE CAN PROPERLY WELCOME YOU AND GET YOU REGISTERED WITH ST. PATRICK CHURCH.**





From the  
Pastor's Desk

Fr. Troy Schweiger

August 22, 2021

Father Schweiger got so caught up in the joyous return of our St. Patrick School students and getting to welcome each of them back that he forgot to do his homework this week! So no article this Sunday. Hopefully we can get him back to his desk next week.

May all our school students have a safe and blessed school year!

**A BIG Thank You** to all the acolytes, lectors, servers and ushers who step up to the plate and fill in when we are short-handed at Mass! Your help is greatly appreciated!

**Join us for ice cream at Scoops** on 830 N 70th St, anytime from noon to 10 p.m. on Tuesday, August 24. Mention St. Patrick's so 20% of the sales will come back to St. Patrick!

**CCD registration:** letters were mailed on July 29 to parish families with information for this year's CCD along with a registration form. Please return the form and the fees by Friday, August 27 so we have time to order any additional books and supplies needed for this year's program. The first class will be Wednesday, September 8 from 5:15-6:30 p.m. Please call the rectory if you have not received your registration letter or if you have any questions at 402-466-2752.

**Godteens** is our high school youth program which combines an education in the faith with a chance for social activity. It involves students from both the public and private high schools of the same grade that meet together with their Godparent couple once a week, on Wednesday nights at 7:00 p.m. For questions and information please contact the Godparent Coordinators Adrian and Holly Carlson 402-984-0334 or David and Hannah Christensen 402-806-8765. September 8 will be the first meeting for the 2021-2022 year.

**Priest meals:** We are looking for volunteers to deliver a meal on Wednesday's during the school year to our priests. Wednesday evenings are an extra busy time for our priests; Wednesday is CCD and Godteens night. If you would like to volunteer to bring a casserole or Crockpot meal to the rectory Wednesday afternoon's please call or text Paula Ryan at 402-440-6451 or email her at [Trranch1@hotmail.com](mailto:Trranch1@hotmail.com). The more volunteers we have the less often you need to bring a meal. It normally works out that your turn is once every 4 to 6 weeks. Thank you!

**Wednesday at the Well** will start back up **Sept. 8** at 4:30 p.m. This is an on going study that meets every Wednesday during the school year. This year we will be watching and discussing "The Chosen." If you would like to join us, we meet Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the social hall at the church. All are welcome. **(please note date correction, it is on Wednesdays)**

**Totus Tuus:** we had a very exciting week! A total of 61 youth attended the daytime activities and 6 high schoolers attended the evening fun. It was great to be able to host Totus Tuus this year!

**Food drive:** the Knights of Columbus and St. Vincent DePaul Society would like to thank all those who donated food to the Walk to End Hunger. St. Patrick parish donated 2,056 lbs. of food and city wide 3,000 lbs. of food was donated. Also, a total of \$8,000 was donated city wide; all proceeds going to the Catholic Social Service St. Francis Food Pantry.

**Parish picnic:** the Knights of Columbus are hosting a parish picnic at the Marian Sisters house on Sunday, September 12 at 5 p.m. More information will come in the following weeks.

**Please join us in wishing Mary Jo Lauer (a.k.a. Father Schweiger's Mother) Happy Birthday on Thursday, August 26!**

**Altar Society meeting** Tuesday, September 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the social hall. **Jen Brown from Spirit Catholic Radio** will be our speaker. All ladies of the parish are welcome!

**YOUR GIFTS TO THE LORD AUGUST 15, 2021**

**Adult Offering: \$ 7063.00**

**Loose Offering: \$ 701.01**

**Total: \$ 7764.01**

**Weekly collection needed to meet expenses \$10,500**

**Monthly Mortgage \$31,500**

**ST. PATRICK PRAYER LINE:** TO HAVE US PRAY FOR YOU OR TO PRAY WITH US, CALL PAULA RYAN AT 402-440-6451.

**The lost and found department is located at the rectory. Please stop by to claim items or to drop off found items.**

## Weekly Events Calendar

- Mon., Aug. 23 6:30 a.m. Mass Mon - Fri  
8:00 a.m. Mass Mon - Fri
- Tues., Aug. 24 9:30 a.m. Pray the rosary at Planned Parenthood  
10:00 a.m. Mass at Right to Life Center next to Women's Center  
12:00 - 10 p.m. Ice Cream at Scoops  
7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Officer meeting
- Wed., Aug. 25 6:00 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul meeting
- Thur., Aug. 26 Mary Jo's birthday  
4:00 p.m. Legion of Mary meeting  
5:30 p.m. Mass  
6:15 p.m. Lectio Divina after Mass  
7:00 p.m. Summer Instruction Series (**last session**)
- Fri., Aug. 27 Please pray for the Pope's monthly Intention
- Sat., Aug. 28 7:30 a.m. Rosary  
8:00 a.m. Mass  
8:30 a.m. Church cleaning  
6:30 p.m. Vigil Mass
- Sun., Aug. 29 30 minutes before each Mass pray the Rosary

**RCIA** is an adult class of instruction in the Catholic faith that is held by the pastor. This is available to all who want to learn more about the Catholic faith, both Catholics and non-Catholics. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults and are classes for those who may be taking them with a possible interest in joining the Catholic Church. Classes are held on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the social hall from September to Easter. Call the rectory for more information or to register. If someone wants to join the Church but cannot attend the classes, arrangements can be made for private instruction. The classes begin September 13.

**SCRIP:** remember to use SCRIP (gift cards) for all your shopping needs. We have gift cards to department stores, restaurants, grocery stores, gas stations and more. The cards come in various denominations and a percentage of the sales comes back to the church. They can be purchased after all weekend Masses or at the rectory. It's a win, win situation for all!

**Dishes:** if you furnished a dish for a recent funeral, please stop by the social hall and pick up your dishes/containers as soon as possible. Any unclaimed dishes will be disposed of.

## Other Opportunities

**St. Monica's Home fund raiser** Monday, August 30 5-8 p.m. at Mellow Mushroom. Proceeds from eat in or take out to go to St. Monica's.

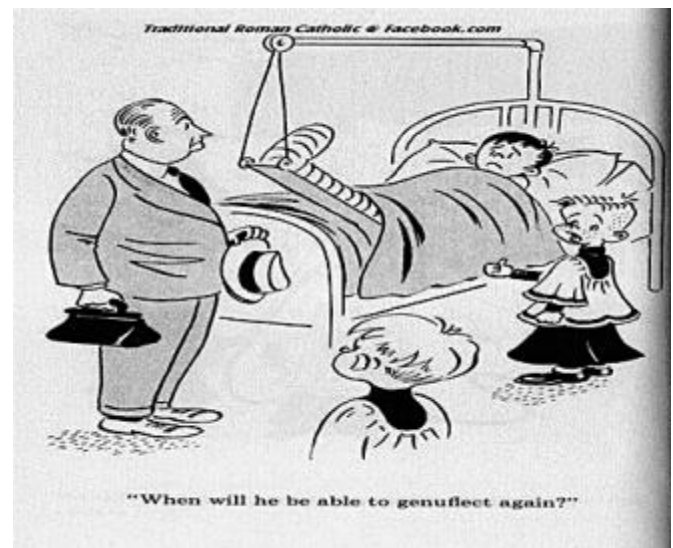
**The Legion of Mary 100th Anniversary Celebration** will be September 7 at St John XXIII starting at 5:30 PM and Mass at 6 p.m. Bishop Conley, Bishop Bruskewitz and Bishop Finn will be concelebrating Mass. All are welcome to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

The **Lincoln Christus Foundation** is hosting a **Golf Tournament benefit** for the ministries of **Regnum Christi**. Sponsors and golfers are invited to support Missions, Leadership Camp, and other Catholic Apostolates like the **Knights of the Holy Eucharist** and **Good Counsel Retreat House**. Register now for the Golf Scramble on Fri. Sept 17, 10 a.m. at Crooked Creek

Golf Course in Lincoln: \$125 per player/\$500 per team includes lunch, prizes and more: [thechristusfoundation.org/events](https://www.lincolndiocese.org/diocese/lay-organizations/regnum-christi). Free mulligans for teams that register by Aug. 16. If you're not familiar with Regnum Christi or haven't heard of the Christus Foundation, I just want to assure you that Regnum Christi is an approved association of the faithful which has the support of Bishop Conley (<https://www.lincolndiocese.org/diocese/lay-organizations/regnum-christi>) and the Christus Foundation allows them to accept donations as a 501c3 non-profit. I am on the board of this foundation and it is a good cause to support. God bless, Fr. Gary Coulter

## History Glimpse

So, a new school year has begun, and once again students from St. Patrick parish families have walked into their classrooms armed with their new supplies and high hopes. For all these students, no matter which school they attend, we wish them a productive, happy, and holy school year. St. Patrick's parish school opened its doors 105 years ago, on September 11, 1916, as 97 students trooped up the stairs to their newly furnished classrooms above the church. The parish had been waiting for nearly 6 years for those classrooms to be filled and for their children to be given the opportunity of a Catholic education, and finally that wait was over. This year, 172 students fill the classrooms at St. Patrick School. They no longer endure the inconvenience of those early classrooms above the old church, and they proceed into church for Mass in the comfort of warm hallways instead of braving the elements of a separate church building, but they carry the same fond hopes of a good year that students here always have. God bless all our parish students and their families as they head into the 2021-2022 school year.



**Adoration Program** Below are the open time slots for St. Patrick's Eucharistic Adoration Program:

Sun: 1AM, 2AM, 3AM

Mon: 1AM, 7AM, 11AM

Tues: Midnight, 1AM, 2AM, 3AM

Wed: 11PM

Thurs: 2AM, 3AM, 7AM, 10AM, 1 PM

Fri: 11 PM, Midnight, 1AM, 2AM, 4AM

Sat: 1AM, 2AM, 5 AM, 5PM, 7PM, 8PM, 11PM

If you are interested in spending one hour a week with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration, please contact Mary Doher at [medoher@hotmail.com](mailto:medoher@hotmail.com); Text or call 402-499-8665.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

**Monday, August 23, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +William Gleason

8:00 a.m. +Don Mines

**Tuesday, August 24, 2021**

6:30 a.m. Anslee Grace Micek

8:00 a.m. +Bryan Stowe

**Wednesday, August 25, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +Paul John Benes

8:00 a.m. +Fr. Rudy Oborny

**Thursday, August 26, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +Tom and Dave McBride

8:00 a.m. +Don Burger

5:30 p.m. Ken and Gwen Reinke

**Friday, August 27, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +Tom McBride

8:00 a.m. +Fr. Ramon Decaen

**Saturday, August 28, 2021**

8:00 a.m. Deceased Stemper Family Members

6:30 p.m. +Robert McManus

**Sunday, August 29, 2021**

7:00 a.m. Geroldine Boelter Family L&D

8:30 a.m. +Ryan Lauenstein

10:00 a.m. People of St. Patrick

11:30 a.m. Bill Pankoke

**Families responsible for church cleaning** are listed below.

At least one member from each family should be present to assist after the 8:00 a.m. Saturday Mass; about 8:30 a.m. If someone from each family comes, it should take no more than one hour. *Children are welcome to join in and help. Can count for service hours.* Thank you!

**Saturday, August 28, 2021**

1. John and Terri Donahue
2. Patrick and Monica Dority
3. Curtis and Mary Downey
4. Alexander and Danielle Driscoll
5. Ashley Dugan
6. Ron and Liz Dulas
7. James and Linda Effle
8. Tony and Karen Egeberg
9. Harry and Angie Endrulat
10. Todd and Sara Enevoldsen

**Saturday, September 4, 2021**

1. Christopher and Kristine Engel
2. Jarod Epp
3. Aline Erdkamp
4. Larry and Teresa Erdkamp
5. Riley and Nicole Essay
6. Tony and Cathy Etherington
7. Dale and Dianne Etmund
8. Brent and Courtney Evans
9. Kelly and Robert Everson
10. Mike and Eileen Faughn

The NAVEX hotline is an anonymous hotline to assist persons in making reports of misconduct in the Diocese of Lincoln. The hotline is not a substitute or alternative to calling law enforcement; it is intended to offer the maximum alternative to ensure any wrong in the Church is uncovered and reported. Nebraska law requires all suspicions of child abuse or neglect to be reported to law enforcement or DHHS.

NAVEX 1-844-527-0596

Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-652-1999

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator 402-613-2488

Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator 402-314-2899

## Acolyte/Lector/Server/Usher Schedule

|                |                             |  |                   |
|----------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------|
| <b>28-Aug</b>  | <b>6:30 p.m.</b>            | <b>29-Aug</b>  | <b>7:00 a.m.</b>  |
| <b>Acolyte</b> | Tom McMahon                 | <b>Acolyte</b>                                       | Ken Kalisek       |
| <b>Lector</b>  | John Mohr                   | <b>Lector</b>  | Stan Fraas        |
| <b>Server</b>  | Christian Maldonado Jimenez | <b>Server</b>  | Nevada Schweitzer |
| <b>Server</b>  | Mateo Dulas                 | <b>Server</b>  |                   |
| <b>Usher</b>   | Harlan Leibel               | <b>Usher</b>   | Jim Wilkerson     |
| <b>Usher</b>   | Patrick Dority              | <b>Usher</b>   | Dan Tvrdy         |
| <b>29-Aug</b>  | <b>8:30 a.m.</b>            | <b>29-Aug</b>  | <b>10:00 a.m.</b> |
| <b>Acolyte</b> | Gary Taylor                 | <b>Acolyte</b>                                       | Mike Hosek        |
| <b>Lector</b>  | Jerry Thraen                | <b>Lector</b>  | Michelle Fink     |
| <b>Server</b>  | Ryan Thraen                 | <b>Sever</b>   | Noah Philson      |
| <b>Server</b>  | Nick McGahan                | <b>Server</b>  | Harrison Philson  |
| <b>Usher</b>   | Stan Larchick               | <b>Usher</b>   | Richard Hosek     |
| <b>Usher</b>   |                             | <b>Usher</b>   | Derek Tjepkes     |
| <b>29-Aug</b>  | <b>11:30 a.m.</b>           | <b>No Communion Calls<br/>Scheduled At This Time</b> |                   |
| <b>Acolyte</b> | Joel Uhing                  | After 8:30 a.m. Mass                                 |                   |
| <b>Lector</b>  | Avery Uhing                 | Pyx 1:   |                   |
| <b>Server</b>  | Sam Montgomery              | Pyx 2:   |                   |
| <b>Server</b>  | Xander Wasser Runger        | After 10:00 a.m. Mass                                |                   |
| <b>Usher</b>   | Ted Kastl                   | Pyx 3 :  |                   |
| <b>Usher</b>   | Ted Kastl Jr                |  |                   |

***Please watch your email and the bulletin for the current Ministry schedule.***

***The Benedict XVI Diocesan School of Catechesis*** - is for Catholics wanting to strengthen their intellectual and spiritual formation to empower their evangelical mission in the world. It covers the Creed, the Sacraments, the Commandments, and Prayer (Year I) as well as Salvation History, Church History, Faith and Reason, and Spirituality (Year II). Class will be offered **in person and on Zoom simultaneously** in such a way that all participants can interact with one another. The time commitment is one Saturday a month from September to April for two years. The cost is \$100 per semester, however, those who teach CCD, God-teen/CYO, or in Catholic schools would receive a 25% discount. For more information go to [www.lincolndiocese.org/bxvi](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/bxvi) or call 402-473-0631.

**Healing Hearts Support Sessions** for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one are being offered to assist Catholics in the grief process. The sessions will be held on six weekly Tuesday evenings beginning Sept. 14, 2021, 7:00-9:00 p.m., at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 37th and Sheridan Blvd. Lincoln. Suggested Donation: \$25 (for materials) To register, please call 402-473-0620.

**St. Louise Gift & Thrift Store** of Catholic Social Services is seeking a detail oriented person with outstanding people skills. The part-time position has flexible hours and includes excellent Holiday and Holy day paid leave benefits. For the job description and instructions on how to apply, visit [www.csshope.org/careers](http://www.csshope.org/careers)

**Please Pray for the Sisters discerning a vocation:** Please pray for Sr. Peter Marie 1st Vows of the School Sisters of Christ the King. May God guide her in her journey.

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