

# PARISH FAMILIES OF ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE & ST. VITUS

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## Third Sunday of Easter May 5, 2019

### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday	May 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:50 am	+ All Souls Day Intentions of Steve & Linda Niemann
Tuesday	May 7 <sup>th</sup>	7:50 am	+ Wayne Walla
Wednesday	May 8 <sup>th</sup>	7:50 am	+ Ed Pacula
		5:30 pm Touhy	+ The Caha Family
Thursday	May 9 <sup>th</sup>	7:50 am	+ Lucille Ptacek
Friday	May 10 <sup>th</sup>	7:50 am	+ Ed & Helen Stuchlik/Ed Stuchlik, Jr.
Saturday	May 11 <sup>th</sup>	5:30 pm Weston	Missa pro Populo
Sunday	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 am Touhy	Mother's Day Intentions
		10:00 am Weston	Mother's Day Intentions

**5:00 pm Weston Exposition of Eucharist with Evening Prayer & Benediction**

### NOTES FROM FR. VANDEWALLE

**May Crowning:** This week we have May crowning since the month of May is dedicated to Mary. She is a good mother (the best!) in whom we can confidently entrust our cares and our treasures.

**Mother's Day Weekend Poster & Masses for May 11-12<sup>th</sup>**—This is the last weekend that we will be taking names (\$1.00 per name) in the back of both churches. You can also contact Donna Janecek (St. John's) at 402-642-5449 or Donna Furasek (St. Vitus) at 402-784-6285 to put in your Mothers' names (living and deceased) for our annual Mother's Day Masses on May 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>. The money donated will be given to the Right to Life campaign.

**Congratulations to our High School Graduates**—From St. John's: Sam Adams, Paxton Janecek, Josie Johnson, Blake Lacey, Hallie Reeves and Tanner Woita. From St. Vitus': Joshua Schulz, Kobey Simons and Allissa Turnwall.



**Rosary Crusade This Sunday! – Haymarket Park Global Living Rosary:** Sunday May 5<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm at the Haymarket Baseball Park in Lincoln, gates open at 5:00pm. It will be a memorable event. I hope to see you there! Here is a note from our Bishop: Bishop Conley invites and encourages all families and individuals this Sunday evening, May 5<sup>th</sup> to join together at Haymarket Park in Lincoln to give praise to God for His merciful and faithful love. There will be a diocesan family rosary, followed by a beautiful Eucharistic procession and time for adoration of Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist.

**Charity and Stewardship Appeal 2019 "Cast Your Net" (CSA/DDP):** This collection is for both our parishes and our diocese. We work together to do the works of Jesus, "casting his net." Up to goal, we get back 80% since we support two Catholic Schools (and then 100% rebate for everything over our goal). Last year \$15,145 was pledged at Weston (An anticipated rebate of \$12,887 back to St. John's) and \$10,279 at Touhy (an anticipated rebate of \$8,965 back to St. Vitus). I am very grateful for all your support and generosity and the support we get from the diocese to help our parishes and schools as well as all the charitable works for which they use this money (such as Catholic Social Services aid to the needy, counseling services, St. Gianna's home for women, and many more). Our Goals this year are: St. John's: \$11,290.00 St. Vitus: \$6,570.00

**2018 CSA giving from our parishes:**

Parish	# Parishioners	# Pledges	Average Pledge	Total	Anticipated Rebate
St. John's	128	76 (59%)	\$199	\$15,145	\$12,887
St. Vitus'	76	45 (59%)	\$228	\$10,279	\$8,965
Combined	204	121	\$210	\$25,424	\$21,852

### WEEKLY TITHING COLLECTIONS

	St. John Nepomucene	St. Vitus
Amount Budgeted per Week (\$2,636.54) in April	\$10,546.16	
Amount Budgeted per Week (\$1,740.00) in April		\$ 6,960.00
Amount Received in April	\$ 7,176.52	\$ 5,041.36
Net Excess (Deficit) for the month of April	\$(3,369.64)	\$(1,918.64)

### ST. JOHN NEPOMUCENE PARISH

**Liturgical Ministries for the weekend of May 11-12, 2019**

<b>Acolyte:</b>	Sat. 5/11 Byron Shanahan	Sun. 5/12 Chris Tvrdy
<b>Lector/Reader:</b>	Sat. 5/11 Ginger Laughridge	Sun. 5/12 Marvin Wiese
<b>Servers:</b>	Sat. 5/11 Volunteers	Sun. 5/12 Mason Wiese/Spencer Wiese
<b>Ushers:</b>	Sat. 5/11 Rich Cherovsky/Joe Janecek	Sun. 5/12 Jim Woita/Paul Pleskac
<b>Gifts:</b>	Sat. 5/11 Paul Virgil Family	Sun. 5/12 Jim Woita Family

**Stewardship of Treasure: April 28, 2019** We gave back to the Lord in return for all that He has given us...

Total: \$1,663.21 **PLUS: Candles:** \$25.00 **Holy Land:** \$145.00 **Easter Sunday:** \$95.00  
**Southern Nebraska Register:** \$15.00

**Collection Counter** for Sunday, 5/5—Dotty Virgl  
 Sunday, 5/12—Lorene Stuchlik

**St. John's PCCW Meeting** will be on Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm in the school basement.

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29	Friday:	Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59
Tuesday:	Acts 7:51—8:1a; Jn 6:30-35	Saturday:	Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69
Wednesday:	Acts 8:1b-8; Jn 6:35-40	Sunday:	Acts 13:14, 43-52; Ps 100; Rev 7:9, 14b-17;
Thursday:	Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51		Jn 10:27-30

## SPIRITUAL CORNER

Understanding is the reward of faith. Therefore seek not to understand that thou mayest believe, but believe that thou mayest understand. —St. Augustine

## ST. VITUS PARISH

### Liturgical Ministries for the weekend of May 11-12, 2019

<b>Acolyte:</b>	Sun. 5/12 Tom Rezac
<b>Lector/Reader:</b>	Sun. 5/12 Ron Furasek
<b>Servers:</b>	Sun. 5/12 Lane Bohac/Chase Bohac
<b>Ushers:</b>	Sun. 5/12 Ernie Osmera/Mike Bouc
<b>Gifts:</b>	Sun. 5/12 Larry Masek Family

**Stewardship of Treasure: April 28, 2019** We gave back to the Lord in return for all that He has given us...

Total: \$1,087.00 **PLUS: Special Intentions:** \$1.00 **Easter Sunday:** \$295.00 **Holy Land:** \$60.00

**Guardian Angel:** \$200.00 **Easter Flowers:** \$30.00

**Collection Counter** for Sunday, 5/5—Jarold Bartek  
Sunday, 5/12—Shawn Strizek

**St Vitus Cemetery Mowing**—Monday May 6<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome to help.

**St. Vitus May Church Cleaning**—Chairman: Pat Dvorak. Group: Skye Rezac, Heather Byers and Sheila Stanek.

## OTHER INFORMATION

Please remember in your prayers and, on occasion, pay a visit or send a card to our home-bound/assisted care facilities parishioners: Home—Rose Furasek; South Haven—Charles Kadavy, Rose Walla, Mary Lou Woita & Patsy Sabatka; Saunders County Care Center—Julius & Marcella Meduna. Please let us know if you would like to be added to this list.

## SCHOOL NEWS

**Spring Plant Sale**—St. John School on Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am-2:00pm

**Bishop Neumann High School Spring Band Concert** will be on Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm at Bishop Neumann High School.

**Bishop Neumann High School Senior Baccalaureate and Last Day of School for Seniors** is Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 10am at St. Wenceslaus.

**Bishop Neumann High School Performing Arts Banquet** will be on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at St. James in Mead.

**Bishop Neumann High School Senior Graduation** will be May 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. Congratulations to the Class of 2019!

**Bishop Neumann Youth Boys' Basketball Camp:** Boys who were in grades 3rd, 4th, or 5th this past 2018-19 school year will have their camp—Mon, May 20<sup>th</sup> and Tues, May 21<sup>st</sup>. Boys who were in grades 6th, 7th, or 8th this past 2018-19 school year will have their camp—Wed, May 22<sup>nd</sup> and Thurs, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Contact Mike Weiss @ 277-0495 or by email at [mike-weiss@cdolinc.net](mailto:mike-weiss@cdolinc.net) for more information.

**Bishop Neumann Summer Wrestling Camp:** Boys who will be in the 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade will have camp May 31<sup>st</sup>, 5:00pm-9:00pm and June 1<sup>st</sup>, 9:00am-12:00pm at Bishop Neumann High School Gym. Please sign up by May 10<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Daryl Braunsroth at 402-417-5533 or John Walsh at 402-499-9168.

**Bishop Neumann Elementary Football Camp:** Boys who will be in grades 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, & 6<sup>th</sup> grade next school year (2019-2020). Camp will be held at the Neumann practice fields on Monday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, Tuesday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, & Wednesday June 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:15am–11:45am. For more information, contact Doug Lanik @ 402-875-0823 or by email at [Doug-Lanik@cdolinc.net](mailto:Doug-Lanik@cdolinc.net)

**Cor Jesu Rex** with the School Sisters of Christ the King, June 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Cor Jesu Rex is open to children who have finished grades 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> and will go from 9:00am-2:00pm. Please have children dress appropriately. Students will need to bring a sack lunch each day.

**Totus Tuus** will be held at St. Wenceslaus in Wahoo June 16<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>. There are registration forms in the back of church.

**Please Keep Saving Your Labels/Box Tops**—Please continue to save the Box Tops for Education labels, the Our Family UPC's, the Best Choice UPC's, and store receipts from Sun Mart, Wahoo Super and Corner Market. There is a basket in back of church to drop all your labels and receipts off in.

## AREA NEWS

**Global Living Rosary** at the Haymarket Park Stadium Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. This will be the third and final phase of the Eucharistic Family Rosary Crusade. Come join Bishop Conley, Fr. James Kelleher, priests and religious in the worshiping of Christ our King, the King of Kings! Families from all around Nebraska are invited.

**Healing Mass at Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church, Clarkson**—Healing Mass on Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Sts. Cyril & Methodius Church, 120 Cherry Street in Clarkson. Confessions will be heard at 6pm. Questions, call Fr. Rod at 402-892-3464.

**Healing the Whole Person** presented by the John Paul II Healing Center Team on July 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>. This seminar provides the opportunity to learn about and experience the healing power of God in the wholeness of body, soul and spirit. St. Peter's Church, 4500 Duxhall Drive, Lincoln, NE. Register at: [www.JPIIHealingCenter.org](http://www.JPIIHealingCenter.org). Early registration is open now and ends on April 29<sup>th</sup>. For scholarships, student and missionary discounts email [LincolnHealandEquip@gmail.com](mailto:LincolnHealandEquip@gmail.com).

**Day of Equipping** presented by Bart Schuchts, John Paul II Healing Center, on July 12<sup>th</sup>. This training is designed to equip and prepare you to live more fully into the mission of Christ. During this training you will encounter the Father's love and be inspired to live more fully in God's purpose for your life. St. Peter Church, 4500 Duxhall Drive, Lincoln, NE. Register at: [www.JPIIHealingCenter.org](http://www.JPIIHealingCenter.org). Early registration is open now and ends on April 29<sup>th</sup>. For scholarships, student and missionary discounts email [LincolnHealandEquip@gmail.com](mailto:LincolnHealandEquip@gmail.com).

**The Steubenville Mid-America Youth Conference** will be July 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>. There is an exciting lineup of speakers, musicians and presenters, to challenge Catholic youth to stand firm in their faith, to rely upon the awesome power of Jesus Christ as their guide, friend and Savior, and to show them that faith to the world. Keynote this year is nationally known speakers Fr. Mike Schmitz and Katie Prejean McGrady. For more information or to register go to [lincolndiocese.org/pilgrimages/steubenville-youth-conference](http://lincolndiocese.org/pilgrimages/steubenville-youth-conference)

**The Diocesan Canoe Trips are coming up!** This three-day outdoor adventure includes daily Mass, confessions, talks, private reflection time, and other opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ. A Campfire and rosary fill the evening hours. Dates are July 14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> and July 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, cost is \$100. To register, go to [lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-trip](http://lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-trip)

## A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR

A secondary-school student came home one night rather depressed. "What's the matter, son?" asked his father. "Bad news, Dad," said the boy. "It's my grades. They're all wet." "What do you mean 'all wet'?" "Below C-level," replied the son.