

# ST. WENCESLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Established 1876

256 N. Linden Wahoo, Nebraska 68066

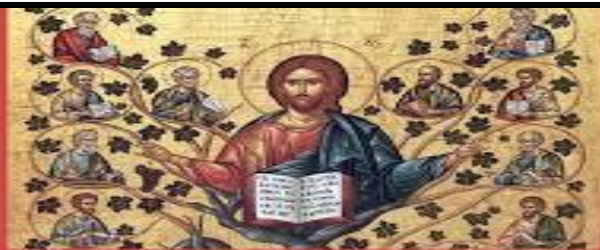
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"I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower. He takes away every branch in me that does not bear fruit, and every one that does he prunes so that it bears more fruit."  
John, 15:1-21

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER — APRIL 28, 2024

### Mass Schedule:

Monday-Friday: 7:00am  
and 8:05am (when school is in session)  
Saturday: 8:00am, 4:30pm (New Time)  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, Noon (Latin Mass)

### Confession Schedule:

Monday through Friday: 6:30am-6:50am  
Mondays: 7:30pm  
First Fridays: 4:30pm  
Saturday: 7:30-7:50am and 3:00-4:00 pm

St. Wenceslaus Parish Office: 443-4235  
St. Wenceslaus Church Basement: 443-9913  
St. Wenceslaus Elementary School: 443-3336  
Bishop Neumann Jr/Sr High School: 443-4151  
Marian Sisters Convent: 443-4443

### Parish Council:

Bob Sullivan-President; Barb Chall, Mary Egler,  
Chris Lautenschlager, Tobin Spangler & Dianne Turman

### Neumann Advisory Board Parish Representative:

Steve Sladky: 443-1639 or [stevendsladky@aol.com](mailto:stevendsladky@aol.com)

### Welcome New Parishioners!

Welcome to St. Wenceslaus Parish! We invite you to participate actively in our sacramental and prayer life, to enjoy yourself at our social events, and to share your gifts of time, talent and treasure with our parish community. Please introduce yourself to the Priest following Mass and fill out a Parish Registration form as soon as you can. The form is available at the Parish Office and on our parish website: [wahoocatholic.org](http://wahoocatholic.org) under "I'm New"

For more information, please contact the  
Parish Office at: 443-4235 or  
Email: [stwencooffice@wahoocatholic.org](mailto:stwencooffice@wahoocatholic.org)

### Table & Chairs Rental:

Paul & Linda Cernik: 443-5832 or  
Greg & Susan Hraban: 443-3378

NEW: Parish Prayer Chain Requests? Call  
Rachel Woita at: 443-6948 or email her at:  
[woitarachel8@gmail.com](mailto:woitarachel8@gmail.com)

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, April 29:

7:00am: Special Intention of April Proskovec

8:05am: Marsha Otte+ & Opal Rezac+

9:00am: (SMC) Msgr. Myron Pleskac+

### Tuesday, April 30:

7:00am: Monica, James & Andrew Chohon+

8:05am: Sharon Spicka+

### Wednesday, May 1:

7:00am: Bernice Noonan+

*LATE START—NO SCHOOL MASS*

6:00pm: (CCD): Leonard & Dolores Bartek+

### Thursday, May 2:

7:00am: Special Intention of John & Maria Albin

8:05am: All Souls Intention of Daniel & Karen Hines

9:15am: (South Haven) John Meduna+

### Friday, May 3: FIRST FRIDAY

7:00am: Edwin Rotert+

8:05am: August Weiss+

5:15pm: Living & Deceased Members of St. Ludmilla's Guild

### Saturday, May 4:

8:00am: Gene McConaghey+

4:30pm: All Souls Intention of Blanche Bartek

### Sunday, May 5:

7:30am: Lena Abler+

9:00am: Special Intention of Rex & Jody Gittens

10:30am: Sylvia Krenk+

Noon (Latin Mass): Pro Populo

## NEXT WEEK AT A GLANCE

**Sunday, April 28:** No Scheduled Events

### Monday, April 29:

6:30pm: Catholic Daughters Mass-Church, followed by Meeting in Church Basement

7:30pm: Eucharistic Adoration, Confessions & Benediction- Church

### Tuesday, April 30:

7:00pm: The Most Holy Rosary—Church

### Wednesday, May 1:

1:00pm: St. Wenceslaus Sewing Ladies-Church Basement

6:30pm: CCD Pizza Party-Church Basement

**Thursday, May 2:** No Scheduled Events

### Friday, May 3:

5:30am: That Man is You—Church Basement

8:40am-5:00pm: Eucharistic Adoration-Please sign up for a Holy Hour in the back of church

**Saturday, May 4:** No Scheduled Events

**Sunday, May 5:** Coffee & Rolls after morning Masses-Basement

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**The Bishop Neumann Kitchen will have an opening beginning next school term.** Hours are Monday through Friday 7:30am until 1:30pm; all school holidays are off. Perfect for mothers with school-aged kids. Duties include meal preparation and general cleaning, must be able to lift 50 pounds. If you are interested please contact Bishop Neumann (402) 443-4151 and ask for Carolyn or email [Kitchen@cdolinc.net](mailto:Kitchen@cdolinc.net). The position is also posted on the Bishop Neumann website <https://saunderscatholic.com/saunders-catholic-schools/careers/>.

## WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Aaron Kastl, Lewis Burke, Ruth Adam, Kelly Mann, Aiden Church, Jacob Williams, Bee Benchimol, Dante Oswald, Chloe Moffatt, Emily Sladky, Maggie Prochaska, Don Syverson, Ron Herley, Bryan Divis, Diana Wyllie, Maverick Gall, Doris Benal, Elaine Meduna, Kelly Luetkenhaus, Sandy Johnson and Lyle Divis.

## EVENTS

**Catholic Daughters Meeting~Monday, April 29th, 6:30 pm at St. Wenceslaus Church starting with Mass.** A meeting will follow in the church basement. We welcome anyone interested in joining Catholic Daughters to attend as a guest. **Please note that this month we are meeting at 6:30pm.**

**St. Wenceslaus Catholic School is in need of a Part-Time Music Teacher and Full-Time Teacher's Classroom Aide for the 2024-25 school year.** If you are interested and would like to apply please contact Mr. Mike Weiss via phone (402-443-3336) or via email at: [Mike-Weiss@cdolinc.net](mailto:Mike-Weiss@cdolinc.net)



**St. Wenceslaus Catholic School Childcare Summer Program is taking registrations.** The Summer program is open to all students enrolled in Pre-Kindergarten through Sixth Grade in one of the Saunders Catholic Schools as well as children whose parents are parishioners of a Catholic parish in Saunders County. Summer Care runs from May 13th-August 9th; closed only on May 27th, July 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested or want more information, please contact: [SWChildcare@cdolinc.net](mailto:SWChildcare@cdolinc.net)

**Due to a member's term running out on St. Wenceslaus School Advisory Board an election will be held the weekend of May 18-19 during the weekend Masses.** If you are interested in becoming a member of the school Advisory Board you can pick up an information sheet on a table at the back of the church. To be put on the ballot you must completely fill out this sheet and return it to the rectory office or St. Wenceslaus School no later than Wednesday, May 15. If you have any questions feel free to contact Mike Weiss at school: 443-3336 or via email: [mike-weiss@cdolinc.net](mailto:mike-weiss@cdolinc.net)

**St. John Nepomucene School Spring Plant Sale~Saturday, May 4th, 8:30am-2pm; Sunday, May 5th, 9am-Noon~Garage North of St. John's School-Weston.** Selection of unique pots, containers, garden décor, etc. Veggies grown and provided by Finley @ Great Plains Nursery. Annuals and perennials provided by Burr Oak Contracting. All sale proceeds support St. John's School.



**Saunders County Driving School Summer Session will be June 3rd-6th, 8am-1pm, 570 N. Elm, Wahoo. Note:** Students must have a Learner's Permit to drive in the driver's education car. Students can take the classroom portion without having a Learner's Permit. Contact Randy Shada at 443-8051 for more information.


**PARISH & DIOCESAN NEWS**

**TOTUS TUUS ~ SAVE THE DATE!**

**June 23-28th, 2024**

St. Wenceslaus Parish will again be hosting Totus Tuus, the Diocesan summer catechetical program for all students entering First Grade in the fall through newly-graduated high school seniors. **Elementary students will attend June 24-28 from 9am-3pm. High School will be June 23-27 from 6:30-8:30pm.** There will be two teams this year so registration limit will be 180 students. Registration forms will be in the back of St. Wenceslaus Church for those interested in attending. Forms and payments (made payable to St. Wenceslaus Church) should be returned to the St. Wenceslaus Parish office. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer as a host family or donate a meal for the team, contact our parish Totus Tuus Coordinator, Amy Reisen at: [amy-reisen@cdolinc.net](mailto:amy-reisen@cdolinc.net)

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**MAGNIFICAT's SPRING PRAYER MEAL with SPEAKER ~ Rachael Tvrdy, the Director of the Office of Family Life and Discipleship ~ There's still time to register! It's Saturday, May 4, 9:30 a.m.,** Dawson Hall at John XXIII, 3700 Sheridan Blvd, Lincoln. Text 402.525.6396 by Tuesday, April 30, with your reservation (or call and leave a message) and mail your \$20 check payable to Magnificat, (students \$15) c/o Tina Colgan, 521 N 56 ST, Lincoln, NE 68504. Be a friend and bring a friend, and share the Joy of Magnificat! All Catholic women are invited and those not of our Faith too. "Glorify the Lord with me. Let us together extol His Holy Name!" Ps 34:4

 **Diocesan Canoe Trip~Camp #1: July 7-9; Camp #2: July 9-11.** Open to Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors & College Students. Daily Mass, confessions, talks, private reflection time & opportunities for youth to grow in their relationship with Christ. Cost: \$110. Adults volunteers are also needed. Questions? Contact Fr. Homes (402) 873-4569 or Amy Riesen (402) 473-0625 or go to: [www.lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-tripsite.com](http://www.lincolndiocese.org/camps/diocesan-canoe-tripsite.com)

**Are you yearning for a time of rest with the Lord?** Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly invites you into a time of peace and solitude with God on retreat. Upcoming retreats: 4-Day, 5-Day or 8-Day Ignatian Directed Retreat with Fr. Coulter, Matt Simmons or Sarina Stokes May 4-8, May 3-8, or May 3-10, "Let's Talk Roses" Retreat for Women with Janette Howe on May 10-11, and Women's Spiritual Exercises with Traditional Latin Mass (June 7-9) and Men's (June 14-16). Read more and register: [goodcounselretreat.org](http://goodcounselretreat.org), email [office@olgcretreat.org](mailto:office@olgcretreat.org) or call (402) 786-2705.



**Join the Diocese of Lincoln in a Eucharistic Pilgrimage to Mexico City. Pilgrimage #1 is October 3-8, 2024 #2 is October 24-29, 2024, #3 February 1-6, 2025.** The cost of each pilgrimage is \$1,900. To register, scan the QR code or go to: [lincolndiocese.regfox.com/07-dio-2024-25-lincoln-diocesan-pilgrimage-to-mexico-city](http://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/07-dio-2024-25-lincoln-diocesan-pilgrimage-to-mexico-city)



**MASS MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**May 4th & 5th, 2024**

**LECTOR/READER:**

- 4:30pm Bob Sullivan
- 7:30am Bob Bartek
- 9:00am Sally Gerdes
- 10:30am Daryl Blum

**ACOLYTE:**

- 4:30pm Pat Sullivan
- 7:30am Glenn Baumert
- 9:00am Martin Barry
- 10:30am Chris Ostwinkle

**EMCS:**

Randy Klein, Joe & Deb Spicka, Don Furasek

**SERVERS:**

- 4:30pm Isaiah & Ben Nagle
- 7:30am Dylan Zimola & Christian Ahrens
- 9:00am Andrew Hiemstra & Jackson Golladay
- 10:30am Luke Sylliaasen, Parker Baumert  
Matthias Fritsch

**USHERS:**

- 4:30pm Steve Spicka, Ed Sladky, Matt Marxsen  
VOLUNTEER
- 7:30am Dan, Pat, Jerry, Terry & Tom Dailey
- 9:00am Jim Miller, Joel Wenninghoff, Mike Hancock  
VOLUNTEER
- 10:30am Ron Scanlon, Mike Sabatka, Jason Hatfield  
Larry Pospisil

**Church Cleaners-May4th:** Cindy Peterson, Josey Nelson, Renee Zwick, Laurie Sylliaasen, Alice Kobza & Emily Adams



**Religious Vocations of the Week:**

Please pray for Sr. Maria Bernadette Phuong Nguyen, a Jr. Professed Sister of the Sisters of Mary, Queen of Mercy and Isaac Wahlmeier, Theology 3 at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary

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**St. Wenceslaus Parish Tithing**

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| <b>Sunday &amp; Pushpay Giving</b>       | <b>\$ 12,588.92</b> |
| <b>Second (&amp; Pushpay) Collection</b> | <b>\$ 450.00</b>    |
| <b>E-Tithe April 20th:</b>               | <b>\$ 17,950.50</b> |