

Sunday, March 8, 2026

Third Sunday of Lent

Image: "Woman at the Well," Crystal Close, 2016

ST. MARY



CATHOLIC CHURCH

ELMWOOD, NE

ST. PATRICK



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MANLEY, NE

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Sunday Mass: 5:00PM Vigil at Manley, 9:00AM at Elmwood, 11:00AM at Manley*

**Except the first Sunday of each month, 9:00AM at Manley, 11:00AM at Elmwood*

Confessions: Saturdays: 4:15-4:50PM, Sundays: 30 mins before each Mass as time allows

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE, INTENTIONS, & READINGS

Monday 3/9	No Mass	--	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday 3/10	8:00 AM (Elmwood)	Helen Ruzicka	Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
Wednesday 3/11	8:00 AM (Manley)	Henry & Betty Groleau	Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
Thursday 3/12	8:00 AM (Elmwood)	Ruth & Richard Wassinger	Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
Friday 3/13	10:00 AM (Louisville CC)	Mary & Harold Haschke	Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
Saturday 3/14	5:00 PM (Manley)	Jean Colbert & her intentions	Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14
Sunday 3/15	9:00 AM (Elmwood)	For the People	1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/-
	11:00 AM (Manley)	Mary Frances Kresak	Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

ST. PATRICK'S DAY POTLUCK will be following Mass on Sunday, March 15, at St. Patrick's Church. The Altar Society will furnish corned beef with the traditional vegetables, fried chicken, drinks and table service. Please sign RSVP sheets on the table in the entrance of St. Patrick's Church before March 9. Families with last names starting A thru N are asked to bring a side dish or salad; families with last names starting with O thru Z are asked to bring a side dish or dessert.

ST. MARY'S: ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

Please reach out if you have a 3rd grade or older boy interested in altar serving! It is a wonderful and noble way for them to serve our parish! We will train them. Ashley Krajewski: 402-770-9442

ST. MARY'S: CCD COORDINATOR NEEDED STARTING

SUMMER 2026! Ashley Krajewski is retiring as our CCD Coordinator fully in May 2027; we would love to have an individual shadow her beginning THIS summer in 2026. The program already has a lot of resources in place to hopefully make a smooth transition. Please reach out to Ashley if you have interest in taking on this important role to serve our wonderful youth in their spiritual formation: 402-770-9442

YOU THE MAN IS BREATHING NEW LIFE! Men of both parishes, join us very other Thursday (meetings on 3/19, 4/2, 4/16, and 4/30). 7pm in the Miller Man Cave, 29033 Church Rd. The Lenten series will be a video presentation by Curtis Martin (viewable at <https://seekreplay.com/category/lent>). Each 30 minute video will be followed by a 20 minute discussion. Refreshments and fellowship before and after. See you then.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

All are invited to join us each Friday during Lent at 5:30pm for this special devotion.

March 13: St. Mary

March 20: St. Patrick

March 27: St. Mary

Good Friday, April 3: St. Patrick

RECENT TITHING St. Patrick & St. Mary parishes are sustained by the generosity of our parishioners. Thank you for your continued support!

2-15-26 St Mary Cash 514.00	Checks 1520.00
	Total 2034.00

2-22-26 St Mary Cash 144.25	Checks 1915.00
	Total 2059.25

Diocesan Announcements

CELEBRATION OF HOPE: CSS GALA AND SILENT AUCTION

Join the worthy cause of Catholic Social Service of Southern Nebraska for their annual gala on 3/14/26 at the Embassy Suites in Lincoln. Social Hour at 4:30pm, dinner at 6:00pm. Register at: <https://secure.qgiv.com/event/celebration2026/>

ST. PATRICK'S & ST. MARY'S PARISHIONERS are invited to St. Mary's, Ashland, for a day-long Scriptural Retreat that will be given by Father Gary Coulter on March 21 from 8am-3pm. This is a great opportunity for spiritual growth during lent! Conferences, prayer time, Mass and lunch included. \$10/person. Register now at <https://goodcounselretreat.org/>. Click "retreats" for the March 21 event.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY! LITTLE BLESSINGS CHILD CARE OF CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES seeks a childcare manager. In this position, you'll lead a Christ-centered program that develops the whole child by building self-compassion, fostering learning through play and academics, and sparking imagination for learning. This is a full-time position at CSS Lincoln (2241 O St). See the full description and apply online: csshope.org/careers

MAGNIFICAT SPRING PRAYER MEAL, MARCH 21 9:30 a.m. to noon in the new Sacred Heart Parish Center, 3127 T Street. Our speaker will be Rosemary Celments sharing her testimony, her Magnificat! Register by March 15 at <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/prayermealmar21> Please contact coordinator Rhonda Litt by text at 402.525.6396 for further information.

WILD AT HEART

Discovering the secret of a man's soul. Come get your heart back.

(based on the book by John Eldredge)

A silent retreat for young men (21-39)
single or married

May 15-17 2026

Directed by Deacon Matt Hecker, PhD

Our Lady of Good Counsel
Retreat Center

www.goodcounselretreat.org

Space is limited. Register today.
Scholarships available on request!



BULLETIN DEADLINE: Send bulletin notices to both Father Doher: fr.jason-doher@lincolndiocese.org and Mollie: agme.outreach@gmail.com by Thursdays at noon.