ALL SAINTS DAY
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted. Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth. Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled. Blessed are the merciful: for they shall obtain mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God. Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH ELMWOOD, NE & ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH 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 11/2 All Souls Day	8:00 AM (Elmwood)	Ruth & Richard Wassinger	Wis 3:1-9/Jn 6:37-40
Tuesday 11/3	No Mass	--	Phil 2:5-11/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday 11/4	8:00 AM (Manley)	Marilyn Stander	Phil 2:12-18/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday 11/5	8:00 AM (Elmwood)	John Chmelka	Phil 3:3-8a/Lk 15:1-10
Friday 11/6	8:00 AM (Manley)	Paul Stander	Phil 3:17—4:1/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday 11/7	5:00 PM (Manley)	The Family of Joyce Stander	Phil 4:10-19/Lk 16:9-15
Sunday 11/8	9:00 AM (Elmwood)	Jennifer Martin Peterson	Wis 6:12-16/1 Thes 4:13-18/Mt 25:1-13
	11:00 AM (Manley)	For the People	

Chili Cook-off Today!

Come and join the fun! All are welcome to sample some great chili, have some good conversation, and cast your vote for the 2026 Chili Champion! Meet us at St. Mary's in Elmwood from 4-6pm.

St. Patrick's Altar Society Meeting

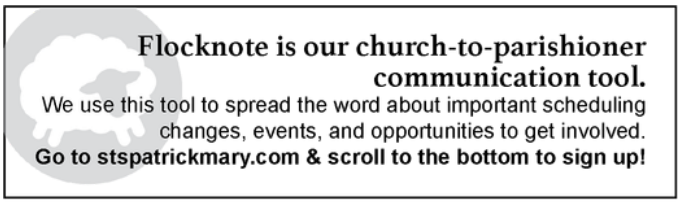
The annual St. Patrick's Altar Society dinner meeting will be held November 16 at 6:30pm. All women of St. Patrick's Church are invited. Please RSVP by signing the sheet in the church's narthax or to Cindy Spilinek at 402-314-9367.

November CCD

Wednesday - Nov 4 - Regular class
Wednesday - Nov 11 - Regular class
Sunday - Nov 15 - 6th Grade Youth Mass
Wednesday - Nov 18 Family Dinner & Adoration (dinner host volunteer needed)
Wednesday - Nov 25 - No class - Thanksgiving

CCD needs volunteers for:
Providing dinner for Family Adoration (expenses reimbursed)
Parents in a class room twice through the year to help with activities (no teaching required)

Please contact Ashley at 402-770-9442 or Kristi & Nate at 402-314-5957 with questions &/or to volunteer



St. Mary: Next weekend's ministries, 11/8

Acolyte: Ronhovde
Lector: Zoz
Servers: Stevens, Hohman
Greeters: Placek
Take up Collection/Gift Bearers: DeVilliers

Annual Food Drive at St. Mary's

November is the month for St. Mary's Annual Food Drive. Canned food and dry goods donations can be put in the collection container in the back of the church. Food donations will go to the Elmwood Community Center and Catholic Social Services.

You're invited! Come Hear Joe Heschmeyer's talk on the Early Church!

Spirit Catholic Radio welcomes Catholic Answers apologist and author Joe Heschmeyer to Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Lincoln on November 3rd @ 6:30pm. Joe will speak on "The Faith of the Early Christians," exploring what the first Christians believed and how their faith continues to shape the Catholic Church today. Get your tickets today at https://spiritcatholicradio.com/joe/! Catch Joe on Catholic Answers Live weekdays at 5 PM CT on Spirit Catholic Radio at 102.7FM in Lincoln and surrounding area.

November is for Poor Souls in Purgatory

Many Catholics may be unaware that they can obtain eight plenary indulgences for departed souls in the first week of November.

A plenary indulgence is a grace granted by the Catholic Church through the merits of Jesus Christ to remove the temporal punishment due to sin. It is not a forgiveness of sin but the remission of punishment for sins already forgiven. It may apply either to oneself or to souls already in purgatory.

In order to obtain a plenary indulgence the faithful must be in the state of grace, have the interior disposition of complete detachment from sin (even venial sin), have sacramentally confessed their sins and received the Eucharist, and must pray for the intentions of the Holy Father.

The faithful can obtain a plenary indulgence for the faithful departed every day, from the 1st to the 8th of November, if, in addition to fulfilling the normal terms of a plenary indulgence, one visits a cemetery and at least mentally prays for the dead.

The conditions for a plenary indulgence can be fulfilled a few days before or after performing the works to gain the indulgence, but it is appropriate that Communion and the prayer take place on the same day that the work is completed.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Send bulletin notices to both Father Doher: fr.jason-doher@lincolndiocese.org and Adrienne: patrickmary.outreach@gmail.com by the Thursday at noon prior to the weekend.