

**Holy Trinity Parish**

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**March 12, 2023**

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**Parish Council** (Trustees, Board, PCCW Officers): Kurt Palik (Trustee), Dwayne Pelan (Trustee), Alan Tejral, Leon Jakub, Josh Pelan, Wayne Pernicek, Sandy Bongers, Andrea Svoboda, Deb Pleskac & Ashley Miller.

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**Prayer Circle Leaders:**

M.L. Meister: 545-2731, Joyce Rezac: 545-3374,  
Darlene Kucera: 545-3289

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**Confessions:** 30 min. before weekend Masses

**The Holy Rosary:** 20 min. before each Mass

**Perpetual Help Devotions:** after Mass each Tuesday

**Divine Mercy Chaplet:** after Mass each Friday

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**Weekday Masses**

Mar. 13	Mon	7:30 AM	Richard Steager
Mar. 14	Tues	7:30 AM	Bill Vandenberg
Mar. 15	Wed.	7:30 PM	Loretta Snitily
Mar. 16	Thur.	7:30 AM	Dan Jakub
Mar. 17	Fri.	7:30 AM	Twila Petrzilka

**Fourth Sunday of Lent**

Mar. 18	Sat.	5:00 PM	Daniel Spatz
Mar. 19	Sun.	9:00 AM	For the Parishioners

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Adults	<b>03/05/2023</b>	\$ 1,410.00
Children's Offerings		\$ 5.00
Loose Plate		\$ 71.00
Votive Candles		\$ 91.25
Southern Nebraska Register		\$ 135.00
½ Farm Rent-Soukup Farm		\$ 16,200.25

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**Holy Trinity Quilters** will meet March 20 at 1:00 p.m. in the Klein Center.

**Stations of the Cross** will be on Fridays at 7:00 p.m.

**Pork and Dumplings Dinner:** The annual Pork Dinner sponsored by our Knights of Columbus will be held on Sunday, March 12, 2023 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. **Mass on Sunday, March 12, will be at 10:00 a.m. There will be NO CCD that Sunday. Also, remember to set your clocks one hour ahead for Daylight Saving Time.**

**Bake Sale** Sponsored by the FCSLA-Branch W016 and the March circle for the benefit of the PCCW starting at 9:00 AM on March 12, 2023 in the Klein Center. Proceeds will be matched by the FCSLA. **Bakery and cash donations from all parishioners is appreciated.**

**Students in grades 7-12** are invited to attend The Sacrament of Confession, Wednesday March 15 at 7:00 PM at Assumption Parish in Dwight. Food and fellowship to follow in the parish hall.

**The Holy Trinity Church College Scholarship** will be offered again this year for eligible high school seniors. Please download the application from the parish website under the "Parishioner Resources" tab. Applications are due to Fr. Snitily by April 16.

**Mass before Prom:** There will be a Vigil Mass on **Saturday, March 25 at 4:00 p.m.** for students attending Prom. All parishioners are welcome. **There will be no 5:00 p.m. Mass on that day.**

**Vigil Time Change:** The time of the Saturday vigil Mass will change to 6:30 p.m. beginning on **Saturday, April 1.**

**New ministry schedules** for Holy Week and beyond are available on the parish website. Hard copies are available in the back of church.

**Totus Tuus** is scheduled for June 17-23. Assumption in Dwight will host this year. Watch the bulletin for more information as it gets closer.

**The Combined Collection** will be taken up through March. Six different Catholic charities benefit from

this collection. You may specify which charity you wish your donation to benefit, or you may give a general donation that will be divided up after the collection is complete. Envelopes are available in the back of church. Make checks payable to Holy Trinity.

**Apostles for Life** are PCCW members who contribute \$12/yr. to assist pregnancy centers in Superior, McCook, Hastings and Lincoln. To become a member for **just one dollar a month**, call Barb Ratkovec (543-2120) or place your donation and name in the collection. This is one simple way to help combat the *culture of death* in our day.

**Please pray for our seminarians**, Dominic Jasti from St. Thomas Aquinas parish in Lincoln, who is in Pre-Theology I at St. Gregory the Great Seminary.

**Waffleman & Accordion Jamboree:** Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at Assumption parish in Dwight. They will serve Scrambled eggs, sausage, and all-you-can-eat waffles with fresh whipped cream. Serving 9AM-NOON. Bake sale & Raffle. Free will donation. Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 AM.

**The Retreat for Moms of Young People** will be happening on March 18th, 2023, at the Good Counsel Retreat house. Fr. Ryan Kaup will be giving a series of talks for moms of younger children. This is a day long retreat and babies are welcome. For more information and to sign up please visit: <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/ymretreat>

**Wanting to go deeper with God this Lent?** Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, Waverley has several retreats for you. Join us Mar. 18 with Fr. Ryan Kaup for the "Holiness for Mom's" Day of Reflection, Mar. 27-30 or April 3-6 (Holy Week) 4-Day Ignatian Directed Retreat with Matt Simmons or Fr. Coulter, and "Following the Lord Little by Little (Poco a Poco)" with Fr. Innocent Montgomery, CFR. Read more and register at

[www.goodcounselretreat.org](http://www.goodcounselretreat.org), email [office@goodcounselretreat.org](mailto:office@goodcounselretreat.org) or call 402-786-2705

**Join an Easter Monday Pilgrimage** April 10 with Fr. Coulter to visit Boys Town, Omaha Churches and Cathedral. Departs 8:30am St Mary, Ashland. Mass & Prayers during the day, return 5pm. \$60 includes lunch, snacks and charter bus. Make your reservations at: [www.frcoulter.com/EasterMonday](http://www.frcoulter.com/EasterMonday) or contact: [frcoulter@gmail.com](mailto:frcoulter@gmail.com) or 402-786-2705.

**Healing Hearts Grief 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 April 11, 2023, 7:00-9:00 p.m., at John XXIII Diocesan Center, 37th & Sheridan Blvd. Suggested Donation: \$25 (for materials) To register, please call 402-473-0620.

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**March 17 Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM**

Acolyte: Vern Dvorak  
Servers: Vincent & Spencer Vandenberg

**March 18 Saturday Mass at 5:00 PM**

Acolyte: Alan Tejral  
Lector: Ron Hula  
Servers: Volunteers  
Rosary: Diane Pleskac

**March 19 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM**

Acolyte: Gale Janak  
Lector: Bill Perk  
Servers: Alex Pierce & Wyatt Steager  
Rosary: Larry Ratkovec's