

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Why do I need a Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care?

Plan to attend a seminar hosted by St Michael Parish of Hastings and The Catholic Foundation of Southern Nebraska. Fr. Steve Major will provide information about the important teachings of the Catholic Church on end of life issues and supply you with a Medical Power of Attorney form.

Monday January 23<sup>rd</sup>  
St. Michael Parish Hall  
7:00 p.m.



**2016 Tithing contributions** to St. Ann's Parish must be received by Noon, Saturday, December 31<sup>st</sup>. Please be mindful of this deadline if you are wanting your tithing contributions on your 2016 Tax Year Statement. Thank you.



**LIGHTHOUSE** CDs are an easy way to learn the faith and inspire you to live it out in your daily life. This month's feature: "Who am I to Judge?".

CONSIDER having a Mass celebrated for someone you love, living or deceased. **There is no greater gift!** Envelopes can be found on the back table for your request. \*The customary offering for a Mass in the Diocese of Lincoln is \$10 however, Fr. Sughroue will gladly offer Mass without an offering.



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### Mary, Mother of God Mass Schedule

Saturday– December 31<sup>st</sup> 5:00 p.m. Vigil – St. Ann's  
Sunday– January 1<sup>st</sup> 9:00 a.m. - St. Ann's  
Sunday – January 1<sup>st</sup> 11:00 a.m. - Sacred Heart

Over the past four weeks, there have been 45 to 50 total abortions at the Lincoln PP clinic. A year ago, the number of abortions in Lincoln was eight or nine every other week. That was fewer than 20 a month. So, abortions in Lincoln are now more than double the number of a year ago. We don't know why, and we won't have the real data for the year until the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services report for 2016 comes out next spring.

*"I especially encourage Catholics to pray, peacefully, at abortion facilities themselves – to bring the grace of Our Lord's mercy, and the consolation of Our Lady's maternal love, to places of evil."* – Bishop James Conley (*Southern Nebraska Register*, Oct. 7, 2016)

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Help save our council postage by picking up your Knights of Columbus due notice on the table by the front doors.

## CCD/CYO NEWS

### NO CCD/CYO CLASSES

Wednesday, December 28  
*Have a Blessed Christmas Season!*

**Reminder:** Family Formation for Parents of K – 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 4, 2017  
*2<sup>nd</sup> graders will practice for 1<sup>st</sup> Confession on Jan. 4 – Parents must attend.*

## St. Ann's Catholic Church

Pastor: Fr. Adam M. Sughroue

### *The Nativity of the Lord*

**December 25, 2016**

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Doniphan NE 68832  
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Office Phone: 402-845-2707; Rectory Phone: 402-845-4477  
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Rectory: 404 Cedar  
**Office Hours: Mon-Thurs, 8:30-11:30 am**



**CONFESSIONS: Monday 5:30-5:50 pm;  
Tuesday – Friday 6:40-6:55; Saturday 3:00-3:50**

<b>MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS</b>		
Monday (26th)	6:00 pm	<b>NO MASS</b>
Tuesday (27th)	7:00 am	Int. of Charles Walter
Wednesday (28th)	7:00 am	Baby Allen +
Thursday (29th)	7:00 am	Sr. Cecilia (Mary) Beardslee +
Friday (30th)	7:00 am	Int. of Maura Driscoll
<b>Saturday (31st)</b>	<b>5:00 pm</b>	Bernard McMahan +
Mary, Mother of God (1st)	9:00 am	<i>Pro Populo</i>

<b>SATURDAY—Ministry Assignments</b>	
<i>December 31st— 5:00 pm – Vigil</i>	
ACOLYTE	Mike Ley
READER / LECTOR	Pat O'Donnell
HEAD SERVER	Jayden DeVries*
SERVERS	Benjamin VanDiest/Volunteer
MUSICIAN	Acapella
GIFT BEARERS	Volunteers
USHERS	Volunteers

<b>SUNDAY - Ministry Assignments</b>	
<i>January 1st— 9:00 am – Mary, Mother of God</i>	
ACOLYTE	Volunteer needed
READER / LECTOR	Dave Hart
SERVERS	Lucas Williams Colton Horne/Tyler Engel
MUSICIAN	Ros McDermott
GIFT BEARERS/GREETERS	Volunteers
USHERS	Volunteers
Rosary before Mass 8:40 am	Sandy Mazour

**STEWARDSHIP:** (12/18/16)

Adult:	\$1985.00	Weekly Budget:	\$2,465.38
Plate:	\$254.00	YTD Budget:	\$61,634.50
Children:	\$1.50	YTD Actual:	\$62,902.43
Imm. Conc.:	\$20.00	YTD Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$1,267.93
Music Fund:	\$50.00		
Insurance:	\$20.00		
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$2330.50</b>		

Comb. Coll.	\$20.00	Mission Co-op:	\$20.00
Peter's Pence:	\$20.00	Mission Sunday:	\$20.00
Cloistered Sisters:	\$20.00		

Thank you for your donation!

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**Building Fund Envelopes**, are now being used for Building Repairs and Maintenance. You may still use the envelopes for this purpose. Thank you!



**Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House**  
**2016-2017 Retreat Schedule is now available.**

- Jan. 13-14 Fr. Thomas Lux & Fr. Thomas McQuire  
*LDCCW Winter Symposium* Women
- Jan. 20-22 Fr. Jay Buhman .....Men & Women  
*The Seven Signs in St. John's Gospel: A New Creation*
- Feb. 3-5 Fr. Andrew Apostoli, CFR.....Men & Women  
*Is my Faith and Trust in God Growing?*

**Go to [www.goodcounselretreat.com](http://www.goodcounselretreat.com) to view full schedule.**

**OFFICE CLOSED: Monday, Dec. 26**  
You may leave a message at 402-845-2707 or send an e-mail to [stanns@cdolinc.net](mailto:stanns@cdolinc.net).  
Have a Blessed Christmas Season!

**Camp Kateri Benefit Dinner ( March 4, 2017)** Camp Kateri is hosting its annual benefit dinner on Saturday, March 4, 2017. Entertainment is The Fun Piano Show, by 176 Keys. Dinner begins at 6:30 pm. The Dueling Piano Show starts at 8 pm. All proceeds will go to new activities for our summer camp. Tickets are \$50 per person and \$500 for a reserved table of eight. To order tickets, please email [CampKateriT@gmail.com](mailto:CampKateriT@gmail.com) or call [402-724-2596](tel:402-724-2596).

**PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS  
TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE!**

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Right after New Year's, pro-life Nebraskans' thoughts turn toward the annual **Nebraska Walk for Life**, January 14th, 2017. This will be the 43rd year that Nebraska Right to Life puts on this event which draws thousands of Nebraskans to Lincoln, first to the State Capitol and then ending at the UN-L Student Union to hear the keynote speaker. 2017's Speaker, Rebekah Buell, has a story which is not heard much. It is how she reversed her chemical RU-486 abortion and saved the life of her young son who will be present with her at the Walk. In recent years a medical technology was devised to reverse the killing impact of RU-486 on the developing baby and more and more women are finding out about this life-saving option. Rebekah's story is sure to send you home full of inspiration for reaching out to those who are at risk of chemical abortions from the three abortion facilities in Nebraska and those in Kansas and Colorado which also draw girls and women from our border.

"Compassion for the mother is extremely important, but is never served through destroying the innocent."  
*Randy Alcorn, Pro Life Answers to Pro Choice Arguments*



**ONLINE REGISTRATION**  
Will Open Early February  
More Details to Follow

**Camp #1 July 9 - 15**  
**Camp #2 July 16 - 22**

**How to Develop Deeper Prayer Life**  
**Saturday, Jan 7, 2017 8:00-Noon**  
**St. Cecilia's Church-Hastings**

All are welcome-no fee or requirements. Register if possible. 402-984-4120 or [mnoecker@live.com](mailto:mnoecker@live.com)  
See flyer for details!