

Mass Schedule

<i>Date / Feast</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>	Intentions <i>Mass offered for:</i>	<i>Mass offered by:</i>
Mon., Nov. 25 <i>Last Week in Ordinary Time St. Catherine of Alexandria</i>	5:30 p.m.	Sutton	Thanksgiving for Blessings Received	C. & M. Stuhmer
Tues., Nov. 26	7:15 a.m.	Sutton	†Fred & Etta Leininger Family	Alyce Leininger
Wed., Nov. 27	7:15 a.m.	Sutton	†Thomas Warren	Weston Family
Thurs., Nov. 28 <i>Thanksgiving Day</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sutton	†Jade Schoneberg	Bruce & Karla Fehr & Family
Fri., Nov. 29	5:30 p.m.	Sutton	Steve & Marcia Leininger Family	S. & M. Leininger
Sat., Nov. 30 <i>St. Andrew, Apostle</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sutton	All Deployed Service Members & Their Families	
	5:30 p.m.	Sutton	The People of St. Mary's & St. Helena's	
Sun., Dec. 1 <i>First Sunday of Advent</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sutton	†John & Audree Schoneberg	Suzie Schoneberg
	11:00 a.m.	Grafton	John Lowe	John & Lyn Lowe

Confession

St. Mary's (Sutton)	Saturday 5:00-5:20 p.m. and Sunday 8:20-8:50 a.m.
St. Helena's (Grafton)	Sunday 10:45-10:55 a.m.

The Holy Rosary—15 minutes before Mass at St. Mary's (Sutton)

First Friday Mass & Adoration—On the First Friday of each month, Mass is offered at 7:15 a.m. at St. Mary's in Sutton. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is available until 1:00 p.m., closing with Benediction.

Prayer Chain

<i>For the Sick:</i>		<i>For the Faithful Departed:</i>	
Bill George	Carol Fessler	†Timothy Pariset	Mass for the Dead Once a month, Mass will be offered for all the faithful departed of our parishes.
Tate Ross	Kathy Sneed	†Randy George	
Bill F. Holoubek	Liz George	†Richard Yaeger	
Mary Johnson	Megan Hinrichs	†Maria Flores	
Nora Schwank	Scott Borders	†Rodger Johnson	
Traci Ebert	Thayer Overturf	†Pat Finnegan	
Jean O'Connor	Maria Miranda	†Jade Schoneberg	
Madalyn McKeone	Rhonda Cloet	†Dwayne Jakub	
Teresa Ayala	John, Josh & Jed Sharky	†Dorothy Yaeger	
Cinda Zimmer	Juan Castanada	†Leota Griess	
Erik Gonzales	April Lemkau	†Poor Souls in Purgatory	
Jean Laffitte			
Pam Hofmann			

Parish Announcements

- St. Helena's will be collecting food to donate during November. Items can be placed in the entrance.
- Goodwill Industries of Greater Nebraska will have a Donation Drive at George's 66 Gas Station on Mondays, Dec. 2 and Dec. 9. See flyer on bulletin board for details.
- If you wish to receive a contribution statement BEFORE the end of the year, please contact our bookkeeper, Lindsay Anderson (contact info is listed on the front of the bulletin). Contribution statements will still go out after the 1st of the year to all parishioners.
- 2020 Catholic Calendars are available at St. Mary's right now. St. Helena's shipment has not arrived yet.

Around the Diocese

St. Michael's (Hastings) will host a Forty Hours Devotion December 6 – 8 led by Fr. Christopher Goodwin, Vicar for Clergy of the Diocese of Lincoln. Along with Eucharistic Adoration spanning continuously from Friday evening until Sunday evening, Fr. Goodwin will speak at the start of Forty Hours, Friday, Dec. 6 at 5:30 p.m., at the Saturday morning Mass on Saturday, Dec. 7, at all of the Sunday Masses, and at the end of Forty Hours at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 8. Please mark your calendar for this event of renewal and healing.

The Annual Mass of the Holy Innocents will be celebrated on Saturday, Dec. 28. All are invited to attend this Memorial Mass, especially those families who have suffered the loss of a baby through miscarriage, stillbirth, infant death or abortion. Reading of names will begin at 6:30 p.m. with Mass at 7 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center Chapel (Lincoln). If you would like your child's name to be remembered & placed on the banner, please call the Office of Family Life at 473-0620 before 5 p.m. on Dec. 19. If you placed your child's name previously, it will remain on the list.

Join Dan Burke for an Into the Deep pre-Lenten mini-retreat to discover the depths of prayer. All are welcome at St. Michael Catholic Church (Hastings) from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mass will begin 8 a.m. and registration is at 8:30 a.m. Lunch provided. Register at Avila-Institute.org/events for \$20 early bird special! Register after January 1st and the cost is \$25 per ticket. See you on Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020! Dan Burke is the president of the Avila Institute for Spiritual Formation, president and COO of EWTN News, the author / editor of fifteen books on Catholic Mystical Tradition, the cohost of Divine Intimacy Radio & founder of SpiritualDirection.com.

Ministry Schedule

<i>Mass Times</i>	<i>Acolyte</i>	<i>Reader</i>	<i>Servers</i>	<i>Gift Bearers / Greeters</i>
Daily Mass Nov. 25-30	---	---	Juan Reyes & Miguel Castorena	---
Nov. 30 at 5:30 p.m.	Mike McLaughlin	Doug George	Max & Tony Castorena	Joan Hultman & Cheryl Dedrickson
Dec. 1 at 9:00 a.m.	Cal Stuhmer	Jason Hajny	Tyson & Landon Scheidemann	Jim & Cecilia Van Kirk
Dec. 1 at 11:00 a.m.	---	John Lowe	---	---

Collection—will be available next weekend.

The Week Ahead

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
9 am Mass	Hall reserved	7:15 am Mass	7:15 am Mass	<i>Thanksgiving</i> 9 am Mass (Sutton)		9 am Mass
10-11:30 am Practice			2:15-3:30 pm Practice			
11 am Mass	5:30 pm Mass		No CCD		5:30 pm Mass	5:30 pm Mass

10 Ways to Support Her When She's Unexpectedly Expecting

*Read the full version at
respectlifeprogram.org/support-her.*

As a mom who had my first baby in college, I know that an unexpected pregnancy can sometimes bring fear, shame, and doubt. Perhaps one of your friends has become pregnant unexpectedly. I encourage you to support her in her new journey of being a mother.

**Your support
may be the
only support
she receives.**

It's okay if you don't know the perfect words to say. Let her know you are there for her, and ask how you can support her. Assist her in lining up practical help. She may not feel she "deserves" to show happiness; reassure her it's okay (*and good*) to be happy. Your support might be the only support she receives. You can make a difference in her life. Will you?

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