

SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2020

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

<i>Feast Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Mass offered for</i>	<i>Mass offered by</i>
Monday, May 18 <i>St. John I, Pope and Martyr</i>	5:30 p.m.	Sutton & Live stream	Frances Fessler	Bob & Mary Fessler
Tuesday, May 19	5:30 p.m.	Sutton & Live stream	Trish Zimmerman	Suzie Schoneberg
Wednesday, May 20 <i>St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest</i>	5:30 p.m.	Sutton & Live stream	Family of Cal & Mary Stuhmer	C. & M. Stuhmer
Thursday, May 21 <i>The Ascension of the Lord</i>	5:30 p.m.	Grafton & No live stream	The People of St. Mary's & St. Helena's	
Friday, May 22 <i>St. Rita of Cascia, Religious</i>	5:30 p.m.	Sutton & Live stream	Caden Zimmerman	Suzie Schoneberg
Saturday, May 23	No Morning Mass			
	5:30 p.m.	Sutton & Live stream	The People of St. Mary's & St. Helena's	
Sunday, May 24 <i>Seventh Sunday of Easter</i>	9:00 a.m.	Sutton & Live stream	†Ray Karnatz	Kirk & Marie Pope
	11:00 a.m.	Grafton Only No live stream	†Robert Waltrip	Greg & Darcie Girmus

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

<i>Daily Mass</i>	<i>Acolyte</i>	<i>Reader</i>	<i>Servers</i>	<i>Gift Bearers</i>
May 23 at 5:30 p.m.	Nao Trejo	Jennifer Johnson	Ty Skalka & Jesse Mohnike	Gift bearers and greeters will not be scheduled at this time.
May 24 at 9:00 a.m.	Neal Schlautman	Jason Hajny	DJ & Johnny Hajny	
May 24 at 11:00 a.m.	---	Richard Hoarty	---	

PRAYER CHAIN

<i>The Sick</i>	<i>Faithful Departed</i>	<i>Our Seminarians</i>
Diane Etzelmiller	†Ray Karnatz †Dan Swett †Ruth Maul †Betty Mertens †Jack Blanke †Olive Leininger †Frances Ambrose †Roger Nittler †Deb Buerer	†Timothy Pariset †Randy George †Richard Yaeger †Maria Flores †Rodger Johnson †Pat Finnegan †Jade Schoneberg †Dwayne Jakub †Poor Souls in Purgatory

Please contact the secretary to add individuals to the prayer chain. Those on the sick list will remain on for two weeks unless otherwise noted. The faithful departed stay on the list for one year from the date of their death.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday May 17	Monday May 18	Tuesday May 19	Wednesday May 20	Thursday May 21	Friday May 22	Saturday May 23
8:20 am Confessions	5:30 pm Mass	5:30 pm Mass	5:30 pm Mass	Ascension Thursday	5:30 pm Mass	5 pm Confessions
9 am Mass		6-7 pm Adoration		5:30 pm Mass (Grafton)		5:30 pm Mass
10:45 am Confessions						
11 am Mass						
3 pm First Communion						

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

On May 21st, the Diocese of Lincoln celebrates the Ascension of the Lord, which is normally a holy day obligation; however, the obligation to attend Mass is still abrogated at this time. Fr. Zimmer will offer a 5:30 p.m. Mass in Grafton for anyone who wishes to attend. Note: livestreaming is *not* available in Grafton.

Congratulations to all of the First Communicants: AJ Smith, Ryker Kobza, Claire Trejo, Noah Kimminau, Madden Kliever, Janetzy Hernandez, Yimy Arevalo and Emory Molina. A big thank you to Fr. Zimmer, their parents and their dedicated teacher, Michelle Schmer, for helping to prepare them for this sacrament! First Communion Mass is set for Sunday, May 17 at 3 p.m. at St. Mary's.

Prayer cards are available at each entrance of St. Mary's to be prayed for our pregnant mothers for the Year of MOM. They are also available in the pews. Please take as many as needed for your families. Also, there is an extra prayer card that is a prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Thanks everyone, and keep praying!

The high school students' summer mission trip to Gallup, New Mexico has been canceled per the Missionary of Charity's request due to Covid-19 concerns. Navajo Nation is getting hit especially hard. News reporters have been surprised to learn that 40% of the Navajo Nation does not have running water or electricity in their homes. Let us keep them in our prayers.

The annual Charity and Stewardship Appeal is underway for 2020 which helps to fund several great Catholic ministries and programs in the Lincoln Diocese. For St. Mary's parishioners, if you donated last year, your pledge card was mailed to you. Others can find their pledge card in the back of church. For questions, please contact Neal or Nancy Schlautman. The goal for St. Mary's is \$7,060.00. Thank you for your support!

Richard Hoarty has the CSA pledge cards for St. Helena's. Envelopes are available in the church basement when you are finished filling out your pledge card. The CSA goal for St. Helena's is \$1,700.

We are blessed at our parishes to receive so many Mass intentions for loved ones. These intentions should be offered within the year from the time they were requested; if that isn't possible, they are passed on to another parish in need of intentions, which we will have to do as the one-year date is approaching for many of them. As always, if you have a special date you'd like for your Mass intention, please request it. Otherwise, intentions are offered in the order they are received. Thank you!