

We are re-sending this newsletter because of an embarrassing typo. By December 15, we are trying to find total pledges of \$100,000 per year over three years -- the previous newsletter was missing a zero on that amount. We apologize for the error. But we do have some good news: in just two days, people in the Lincoln area have pledged almost \$14,000 per year for three years, and another local group is close to pledging a gift of \$10,000 per year. Please pray for the success of this appeal, and let us know if you or someone you know is able to help.



Sacred Notes Newsletter

October/November 2018

Message from Fr. Leo Kosch

Dear Alumni,

We appreciate your taking an interest in Sacred Heart School these past few years. We write today with an urgent request, which I have first shared with the current parishioners:

In the budget for 2019-2020, we face a **shortfall of \$80,000**, assuming we fill up our school with 50 additional students and that a new diocesan low-income scholarship program is implemented fully. This deficit could threaten the school's existence next school year.

However, we can **possibly buy three more years for our truly unique and outstanding school**: If one of our major donors stays with us, AND we can get pledges in the next month totaling \$100,000 per year for the next three years (on top of the current giving - not "robbing Peter to pay Paul"), we could go forward. Please [contact me](#) if you have any ideas or leads.

To learn more, see the [financial report](#) I gave to the parish last week.

Above all, we need to pray that God's will be done: that we will be able to find the financial help we need. Please pray the Novena starting this Sunday, November 11, through Monday, November 19.

In Christ's Love,
Fr. Leo Kosch
Pastor
Sacred Heart Catholic Church & School

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus - For Sacred

Heart Catholic School



Sacred Heart Catholic School 1928

I. O my Jesus, you said, "Truly, I say to you, ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened to you," behold, I knock, I seek and I ask for the grace of (*state your intentions*).

Pray 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary, and 1 Glory be.

"Sacred Heart of Jesus, I put all my trust in thee."

II. O my Jesus, you said, "Truly, I say to you, whatsoever you shall ask the Father in My Name He will give it to you," behold, in your name I ask the Father for the grace of (*state your intentions*).

Pray 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary, and 1 Glory be.

"Sacred Heart of Jesus, I put all my trust in thee."

III. O my Jesus, you said, "Truly, I say to you, heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away," behold, encouraged by your infallible words, I now ask for the grace of (*state your intentions*).

Pray 1 Our Father, 1 Hail Mary, and 1 Glory be.

"Sacred Heart of Jesus, I put all my trust in thee."

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, to whom one thing alone is impossible, namely, not to have compassion on the afflicted, have pity on us miserable sinners and grant us the grace which we ask of you, through the sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, your tender Mother.

Pray the Hail Holy Queen, and add:

"St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus, pray for us."

Printable Version of the [Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus](#)

**Sacred Heart Welcomes
Bishop Conley**

**Sacred Heart
Legacy**



Bishop James Conley made his annual visit to Sacred Heart Catholic School the end of October. Students met and visited with Bishop Conley following his celebration of Holy Mass creating an opportunity for the students to come to know Bishop Conley.

Bishop Conley is entrusted with the care of the local churches within the Diocese of Lincoln. He is responsible for teaching, governing, and sanctifying the faithful of his diocese. He oversees the preaching of the Gospel and Catholic education in all forms.

Through visits to the schools, Bishop Conley is able to see first-hand the positive impact the schools are having on the students. At Sacred Heart, we offer classical education methods of teaching to enhance the formation and educational program offered to our students. Classical education is the teaching of students in the pattern of grammar, logic, and rhetoric.

We pray for Bishop Conley and that he continues to make good decisions as the leader of our diocese.

[Learn more](#) about Sacred Heart Catholic School.

As part of the Sacred Heart Legacy, alumni and friends have been able to reconnect with our school. The Sacred Heart Legacy is a way for all to come together through the stories and memories shared in connection to Sacred Heart. Whether there was a teacher or a special friend met through school, Sacred Heart has provided a means that has helped a lot of people to becoming who they are today.

We encourage you to reach out to your friends and former classmates. Ask them to become part of the Sacred Heart Legacy. Everyone is welcome to share with us their favorite memories of Sacred Heart. Tell us about your adventures you had with your classmates or how your experiences at Sacred Heart have benefited you.

Be a part of the Sacred Heart Legacy. You are invited to provide us with your contact information and/or to contact us with your story. Your story could be featured in an upcoming newsletter!

[Join the Sacred Heart Legacy today!](#)

Fun at the Pumpkin Patch



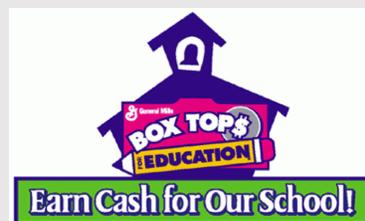
We couldn't have asked for a more beautiful day! Students in Kindergarten through second grade and eighth grade enjoyed a fun-filled day at Vala's Pumpkin Patch. From a walk through the corn maze to a ride on the train to taking on the big slides, students had a wide variety of adventures to explore and keep them busy throughout the day. They finished their day by picking out their own pumpkin they were able to take home as they shared stories of their adventures with their families.

[See more](#) pictures of their adventures.

Other Happenings at Sacred Heart



[News & Updates](#)



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[Student Awards](#)

Support Our Students

Please consider sending in a donation to Sacred Heart Catholic School to help our students and families in need. Sacred Heart Catholic School serves a diverse group of students and provides a strong Catholic and academic foundation for any child, regardless of their ability to pay. Your donations will help us continue to keep our tuition affordable, so we can serve our students and families.

You can [Donate Online](#) by using the Sacred Heart Church Online Giving Portal, or send your donations to:

Sacred Heart Catholic School

540 N 31st Street
Lincoln, NE 68503
(402) 476-1783

Donations can also be sent to the Parish office:

Sacred Heart Church and School

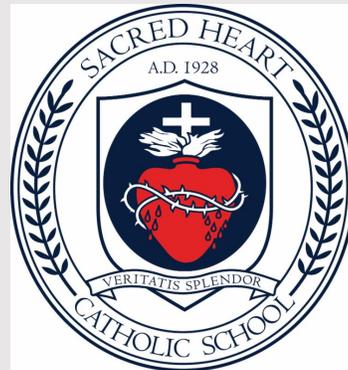
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"I know now that true charity consists in bearing all our neighbors' defects - not being surprised by their weaknesses, but edified at their smallest virtues." - St. Thérèse of Lisieux



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