

Tuesday, August 21st Sacred Heart Finance Council Meeting 7:00pm

Thursday, August 23rd Sacred Heart Pastoral Council Meeting 7:00pm

Saturday, August 25th Special Diocesan Committee Meeting 9:00am St Patrick Parish Center

Sunday, August 26th Pancake Breakfast Dunlap Care Center 8:00am – 12:30pm



Saturday, Sept 1st 1st Saturday Mass 8:30am St Patrick's

Sunday, Sept 2nd Breakfast after mass St Patrick Parish Center

Sponsored by the Catholic Daughters and the Knights of Columbus



Wednesday, Sept 5th St Patrick & Sacred Heart REP Classes start

UPCOMING EVENTS



BENEFITS ARE ABSOLUTELY HEAVENLY
Who wants a huge blessing from God ??

Then you will want to be part of our Religious Education ministry.

Passing on the gift of faith to a new generation of disciples is one of the most important things we do. We are just a few weeks away for the beginning of Religious Education and are in need of:

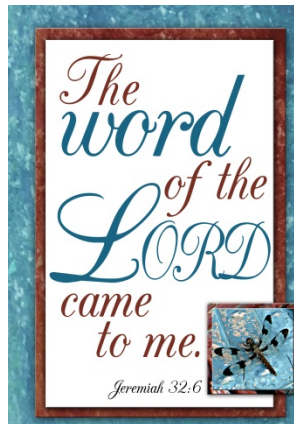
Woodbine: K&1st grade (2 teachers)

Dunlap: 3rd, 4th, 5th grade teaches and adult helpers in the classrooms

(PS. we really could use the help and the example of some men helping!)

For more information, please contact Woodbine: Mindy Crook- 712.647.2406 or mindycrook@iowatelecom.net

Dunlap: Dawn Fokken- 605.695.6775 or dlfokken@gmail.com



Sacred Heart Woodbine
August 19th 2018
St. Patrick Dunlap

Eucharistic Celebrations:

Saturday, Aug 18th 4:00pm Sacred Heart
JoAnn Thompson
5:15pm St Patrick
Jerry Klein

Sunday, Aug 19th 9:00am Sacred Heart
John & Betty Hanigan
10:30am St Patrick
Bob Nauroth

Tuesday, Aug 21st 8:00 am Sacred Heart

Wednesday, Aug 22nd 8:00am St. Patrick
Irene Tremel

Thursday, Aug 23rd 8:00am Sacred Heart
Paul Churchill

Friday, Aug 24th 8:00am St. Patrick
Susan Schneider

Saturday, Aug 25th 4:00pm Sacred Heart
Edwin Skalla
5:15pm St Patrick
Gene Harre

Sunday, Aug 26th 9:00am Sacred Heart
Theresa Sullivan
10:30am St Patrick
Ray Nauroth

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Woodbine – Saturday 3:30pm
Dunlap – Saturday 6:00pm

Please let me know of any accidents or illness within our Parish families. If you know of someone who is in need of a visit feel free to contact me. Thank you so much for your assistance. Father Joel

Learn About Catholicism

Last year we had several people take part in our classes on the Catholic faith. Some were people looking to join the church. Others were Catholic seeking to deepen their faith. We met about twice a month on Sunday afternoons for 90 minutes. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Joel. We would like to start before the end of September.

Are you thinking of becoming Catholic?



SEPTEMBER 29 & 30 DES MOINES

www.ChristOurLifeIowa.com

For questions: Woodbine Contact is Andrea Harper

712-592-1532 Dunlap Contact is Rose Thompson 712-643-5333

PS.... there will be a bus leaving from Harlan each day and returning each evening. Bus Tickets are available now @ \$25. Round trip. More information is available on the bulletin board.

It's coming up FAST!

Rural Life Mass near Guthrie Center

The eighth annual Rural Life Mass will be Sunday, Aug. 26 at 10:30 a.m. at the farm of Marty and Debbie Arganbright, 2414 Redwood Ave., near Guthrie Center (two miles south of Highway 44).

The outdoor Mass offers an opportunity for urban and rural residents to come together to show solidarity with rural Iowans and celebrate their important role in the diocese.

Lunch will be available after Mass.

For more information, contact Deacon Luke Tieskoetter at 515-249-1327 or tieskoetterluke3@gmail.com.



Please note to help keep the prayer list updated I will be discontinuing a name after 4 weeks. If you would like someone's name on longer than 4 weeks you will need to just let me know. Thanks Debbie (PS this doesn't include nursing home residents)

Please pray for: Pam Heller, Joleen Wessling, Georgiana Bissen, Father Paul Kock (Paula Riester's uncle) Jim Goeser (son-in-law of Ralph & Eula Kramer), Ruth Lacey, John Houston, Michelle Leuschen, Wally Murphy, Alvin Ring, Tamera Magee (Jolene Wessling daughter) Jeff Mumm, Betty Frazier, Donald Dai, & Betty Murphy Remember in Prayer those in the nursing homes: Bob Stephany, Katheryn Stessman, Terri Thompson, Walter & Catherine Bissen, Phyllis Hansen, Mary Ann Melby, Darlene Trierweiler, Betty Wheeler, David Nizio, Norma Sullivan, JoAnn Thompson, Pete Heller, Evelyn Jochims, Marie Heller, Lavina Schwarte, Pete Gross, Sandy Mahlberg, Dean Block, Clarice Rule, Francis Mumm, & Ray Krajicek

Train up a child in the way he should go: even when he is old he will not depart from it...

Proverbs 22:6

August 11th August 12th
No information available



Sacred Heart Church



sugar, flour, brownie mix, crackers, peanut butter, pancake mix, syrup, pork n beans, mushroom soup, spaghetti, salt, pepper, paper towels, toilet paper, shampoo, tooth paste.

It's getting to be that time again for Our Annual Caramel Apple Sale



Work list signup sheets are at the back of the church. If you have any suggestions to make our fundraiser even BETTER Please let us know! We would love any and all help! For any questions contact Julie Reisz PH 402-689-4444 email juliereisz@4sons.com

Sacred Heart REP Class for 6th – 12th
Starts Wednesday, September 5th
Sunday School for K-5th
Starts Sunday, September 9th

This Week's Sacred Heart Birthdays

AUGUST
20th Kodi Wendt
22nd Hendrix Blum
23rd Cynthia Pryor
25th Derek Peterson
27th Knox Bartels
31st Danielle Peterson
31st Heather Smith
27th Knox Bartels

Many thanks to Sacred Heart for the beautiful St. Cecilia print honoring my 50 years as a musician. I began playing in high school and have had the privilege to work with so many wonderful young people and adults through the years. Some special memories include the Children's Christmas masses and Midnight masses.

Sacred Heart is very special to me! It is a joy to be a part of its ministry. Thank you so much again. Mary Eby

You're Invited

Leuschen Annual

Barn Dance



Labor Day Weekend
Sunday, September 2nd
Potluck begins at 5:30
Live music at 7:00 by Bob Mages & The Roadhaus Band William & Millie Leuschen Farm
3755 220th St Portsmouth
??ss contact Annette Dunlop 712-647-3154

Saturday August 25th 4:00pm

Lector: Sherri Webb
EME: Kathy McHugh
(Cup): Sherrie Webb & John Houston
Servers:
Music:

Ushers: John Houston

Sunday August 26th 9:00am

Lector: Shawn Cogdill
EME: Marshall Scichilone
(Cup): Amy Cogdill & Samantha Fitchhorn
Servers: Landon & Owen Fitchhorn
Music: Andrea Harper
Ushers: Shawn Cogdill & Marshall Scichilone

August 11th August 12th
Plate \$144.00 Plate \$191.86
Tithes \$230.00 Tithes \$510.00
Total \$374.00 Total \$701.86



Saint Patrick Church



We appreciate your immediate attention

You have received a letter/information packet in the mail to update your personal information for the church directory. We have a committee that will be working hard to update all parishioner information. It is extremely important that when you receive this letter/packet that you read it over and make any corrections or additions to your family's information.

Saturday, August 25 – 5:15 p.m.

Lector: Don Stessman
EMHC: Patty Weis, Bob Klein, & Don Stessman
Music: Guitar Mass
Cantor: Pat & Joyce Cogdill
Servers: Katelyn, Kristen & Gwen Neilsen

Sunday, August 26 – 10:30 a.m.

Lector: JoEtt Cogdill
EMHC: JoEtt Cogdill, Shelly Buresh, & Rose Thompson
Music: EveVonne Muff
Cantor: Marilyn Murphy
Servers: Johnny Tremel, Maddie Gunia, & Levi Reineke
Care Center: Andi Sharp, Mary Jane Zehner

The John Chapter 6 Series - week 4

Four weeks ago we considered the Eucharist as **"The Good Shepherd's Banquet"**. Three weeks ago we considered how the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves points to the miraculous change in the bread & wine; the Eucharist is **"The Miraculous Banquet"**. Two weeks ago we considered how the Eucharist is connected to conversion as **"The Bread of New Life"** pointing us towards eternity. Last week we considered the Eucharist as **"Bread For Our Journey"** to the new Promised Land of heaven. This week we consider the Eucharist as **"The Banquet of Wisdom"**.

In our 1st reading (Proverbs 9:1-6), Wisdom is personified as a woman who has prepared a banquet and calls out to all those who wish to be wise to come to her feast. She promises to feed with insight and knowledge. You'd have to be a fool to ignore her invitation. Her home has 7 columns which represents perfection; she offers the perfection of wisdom. Our psalm (number 34) invites us to "Taste and see the goodness of the Lord." In our 2nd reading (Ephesians 5:15-20), St. Paul urges us, "Watch carefully how you live, not as foolish persons but as wise." An example of a foolish person is that they get drunk on wine which leads to debauchery. The wise person is filled with the Holy Spirit and worships God in psalms and hymns, and gives thanks ("eucharist") always.

In our Gospel (John 6:51-58), the people who loved Jesus when he gave out free bread started murmuring when he said that HE was the true bread from heaven. And now they are quarreling, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" And Jesus does not back down. He doesn't say, "Hey guys, I am only speaking symbolically". No, he doubles down, "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day."

-How are you a seeker of wisdom? Is your mind full of the world's "wisdom"? Do you hunger for God's wisdom?
How does attending mass help you grow in wisdom?

This Week's St. Patrick Birthdays

AUGUST

16th Betty Frazier
16th Tonya Wright
17th Jared Frazier
18th Liam Muff
19th Larry Neilsen
20th Chase Lehan
20th Donna Brasel
20th Mary Ellen Young
21st Larry Heller
21st Claire Gross
22nd Sylvia Sullivan
22nd Casey Schwery
23rd Elijah Beeck
23rd Sandra Krajcicek
24th Collin Malone
25th Harold Smith

The Feast of the Queenship of Mary, Wednesday, August 22nd

Pope Pius XII established this feast in 1954 shortly after declaring the dogma of her Assumption. But Mary's queenship has roots in Scripture. At the Annunciation, the archangel Gabriel announced that Mary's Son would receive the throne of David and rule forever. We recall that in the Old Testament the mother of the king had great influence. King Solomon had many wives, but he only had 1 mother. On one occasion Solomon's mother asks a favor of her son, and he says, "You know I can't deny you anything." We also recognize Mary as the woman in the book of Revelations 12:1 crowned by 12 stars.

In the 300's Saint Ephrem called Mary "Queen." Later Church fathers continued to use the title. Hymns of the 11th to 13th centuries address Mary as queen: "Hail, Holy Queen," "Hail, Queen of Heaven". The rosary as well as Mary's litany celebrate her queenship. Pius XII points out that Mary deserves the title because she is Mother of God, because she is closely associated with Jesus' redemptive work, because of her preeminent perfection, and because of her intercessory power.

And throughout nearly 2000 years of Christian history believers have experienced her help along the way. Whether the prayer of an individual in need or all our Europe when facing attack in 1571. She has visited us many times, like in Mexico (1531), France (1858), or Portugal (1917). Each time she expresses a mother's concern and helps to build the Kingdom of her Son, Jesus.