

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday- Vigil: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (IC) For the People

5:30 PM (SJ) Germain Decker

Sunday- Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM (IC) Irma Delagardelle (Anniv)

10:00 AM (IC) Kenny Youngblut (Anniv)

**Monday- Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection
of Unborn Children**

NO MASS

Tuesday- Saint Francis De Sales, Bishop

8:00 AM (SJ) Al Dittmer

Wednesday- The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle

7:45 AM (IC) Mike Rottinghaus

Thursday- Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops *Grades K&1*

8:00 AM (SJ) Ted & Lena Becker

Friday- Saint Angela Merici, Virgin *Grades 2-12*

7:45 AM (IC) Don & Agnes Mangrich

Saturday- Vigil: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM (IC) Lora Schares

5:30 PM (SJ) For the Unborn

Sunday- Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM (IC) Ella Even

10:00 AM (IC) For the People

Meetings and Activities

Sunday, January 22

RCIA Class, 8:45 - 10:00.....I.C. School

Baptism Class 9:00 AM.....Heritage Room

Sunday, January 29

RCIA Class, 8:45 - 10:00.....I.C. School

Confirmation Class, 11:00 AM.....St. Mary Center

If people spent an hour a week in Eucharistic Adoration, abortion would be ended.

Saint Teresa of Calcutta

An hour of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament can easily be achieved at the Perpetual Adoration Chapel located at

Columbus HS. Drop-in anytime or consider becoming a committed adorer whenever it fits your schedule. Specific needs at this time are for Saturdays at 2am, 5pm, 6pm & 7pm. If interested call William Brandle at 319-939-9000 or email cvadoration@adorationmanager.com



Dear Immaculate Conception and St. Joseph Parishioners:

On Saturday, May 27, 2017 Ralph Davis will receive his ordination at St. Raphael Cathedral in Dubuque. On Sunday, May 28 Ralph will celebrate his first Mass at Immaculate Conception Church. A beautiful 100 year old Chalice originated in France has been purchased by the parishes to be given to Ralph for the occasion. If anyone would like to contribute to the gift of the Chalice you are welcome do so. Please contact the parish office.

Confirmation Class will meet on Sunday, January 29 at 11:00 AM at St. Mary Center.

Daily Readings

Mon Jan 23 Reading - Hebrews 9:15, 24-28
Psalm- 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6
Gospel- Mark 3:22-30

Tues Jan 24 Reading- Hebrews 10:1-10
Psalm- 40:2 & 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11
Gospel- Mark 3:31-35

Wed Jan 25 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 22:3-16
Psalm.- 117:1bc, 2
Gospel- Mark 16:15-18

Thur Jan 26 Reading- 2 Timothy 1:1-8 or Titus 1:1-5
Psalm- 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10
Gospel- Mark 4:21-25 or Luke 10:1-9

Fri Jan 27 Reading- Hebrews 10:32-39
Psalm - 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40
Gospel - Mark 4:26-34

Sat Jan 28 Reading- Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19
Resp.- Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75
Gospel - Mark 4:35-41

Sun Jan 29 1st Reading- Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13
Psalm- 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10
2nd Reading- 1 Corinthians 1:26-31
Gospel- Matthew 5:1-12a

Your Sacrificial Offering
Previous Week
Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$5,818.00
Youth	\$1.00
Offertory	\$544.00
Holy Day	\$0.00
E-tithing	\$1,312.50
TOTAL	\$7,675.50
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$2,260.00
Youth	\$5.00
Offertory	\$125.29
Holy Day	\$25.00
E-tithing	\$190.00
TOTAL	\$2,605.29
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

The Ark of the Covenant

- a. was built by Noah.
- b. housed the tablets of the law.
- c. was burned piece by piece by Caiaphas.
- d. probably never existed; it was made up to instruct the Israelites about Yahweh's mercy.
- e. none of the above

School News

Bosco Catholic School System
www.boscocatholic.org

Omelet Breakfast- St. Joseph Parish will be hosting a Made to Order Omelet breakfast on **Sunday February 12**. If you would like to help cook omelets or work at the breakfast please call Janan Weber at 232-6251. Donations to offset the expense of the breakfast can be placed in an envelope marked St. Joseph Omelet Breakfast and placed in the collection basket at any weekend Mass. All help and donations are greatly appreciated.

NINE DAYS FOR LIFE NOVENA -- January 21-29. The U.S. Catholic bishops sponsor this annual novena on behalf of human life in conjunction with the national Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Children which marks the anniversary of the 1973 Supreme Court decision to legalize abortion. You can participate in the novena through social media or receive the daily prayers by email. Information about access on social media is here: <http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/january-roe-events/9-days-for-life-pray.cfm>. Register for daily emails here: <https://waterloocatholics.wufoo.com/forms/9-days-for-live-novena>

Area Events

Knights of Columbus 4516 of Cedar Falls will hold a "Dad's Belgian Waffle Brunch" TODAY, **January 22**. It will be at St. Patrick's Catholic Church 7th and Main, Cedar Falls in the Dutcher Gymnasium. Serving from 8:00 AM to 12:00 noon. We will be serving Giant Belgian Waffles topped with butter, 10 flavored syrups including fruit and nut flavors, sausages, whipped cream and beverages. All You Can Eat. Adults \$5.00 in advance from any member or the church office. Tickets at the door are Adults \$7.00, Children 6-12 \$4.00 and Children age 5 and younger eat free. All proceeds go towards Birthright & Alternatives.

All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast- Knights of Columbus Council #11192 will hold an all you can eat pancake breakfast at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Scallon Hall on **Sunday, January 29** from 8:00 AM to 12 noon. Pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, cinnamon rolls and beverage will be served. Cost is Adults \$7.00, under 5 free. Part of proceeds will go to St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Blood Drive- The American Red Cross will have a blood drive at the Legion Hall in Gilbertville on **Tuesday, January 31**, from 1:30 to 6:30 PM. Please consider donating. Your donation will help to save lives.

Archdiocesan Women's Conference- Calling all women! Beauty in Christ, **Saturday, February 4th**, St. Pius X in Cedar Rapids. Invite your friends and relatives to hear Leah Darrow and Kelly Nieto, who will touch the hearts of all ages - from teens to more seasoned women. For more information or to view videos of our presenters visit www.ArchWomensConference.org

The answer is b. It was more like a safe-deposit box, made of gold-plated wood and measuring two and a half cubits in length and one and a half cubits in width and height. (A cubit is the length from the elbow to the tip of the outstretched middle finger, about eighteen inches.)

Community Members of DBHS...

I realize this is early but we want to see how many are interested in riding a charter bus for state wrestling this year. If we don't have enough sign up we will be cancelling the charter. We want to get this information out as soon as possible so all parties can plan appropriately.

-The cost **per day** if you would like to ride is \$20 per person per day. The charter bus will come back after the final Don Bosco match each day.

-Wednesday Feb. 15 the charter bus will depart from I.C. Church at approximately 6:00 AM and will return after the last Don Bosco match. There will be about 40-45 seats available with the cheerleaders and managers riding as well.

-Thursday Feb. 16 the charter bus will depart from I.C. Church at approximately 10:30 AM and will return after the last Don Bosco match. There will be about 50 seats available.

-If you wish to ride either day please contact and pay Leigh Anne in the high school office.

-Any students that are in 6th grade or under need to be accompanied by a chaperone.

THE LAST POST-PROM FUNDRAISER The Post-prom committee began the last fundraiser for post prom this past Monday, January 9th. This fundraiser is EASY and well-worth the effort! Each student received a sales packet from SCRATCH CUPCAKES on Monday, January 9th. WE PROFIT 40% OF EVERYTHING WE SELL! So again, this could be a HUGE fundraiser for us!

Students will sell the cupcakes from : January 9th to Friday, January 27 with delivery at 2pm on Wednesday, February 15!

The truck will deliver to Bosco that afternoon at 1:30pm and we will need the students to pick up the cupcakes at that time. Money needs to be taken at time of cupcake sell.

If you place an order PLEASE BE SURE ALL CHECKS ARE MADE OUT TO DON BOSCO HIGH SCHOOL. We will issue one check to Scratch Cupcake after all sales are calculated. AGAIN- we get to keep 40% of the profit!

If you have any questions, please contact Sheri Purdy at 319-939-4905, Wendi Welter at 319-231-9844, Nikki Brown at 319-404-6033, Shelby Douglas at 319-269-5149, Jill Even at 319-429-0571.

JON LEONETTI is an international Catholic speaker, best-selling author and radio host who conveys a message of lasting fulfillment in Jesus Christ. Through Jon's keynote presentations and parish missions, thousands of Catholics each year discover the freedom Christ offers by way of his life and love. Mr. Leonetti will be presenting at Don Bosco Catholic High School **Wednesday, February 1**, at 1:00 and 6:30 p.m. All students in grades 6 through 12 are welcome to attend the 1:00 presentation. All community members are welcome to attend either time, but prefer they attend the 6:30 p.m. presentation. This is a FREE presentation for students, staff and community members brought to you by the Don Bosco Catholic High School Campus Ministry

Catholic Schools Week T-shirt Drive- During Catholic Schools Week (January 29 - February 4) we would like any clean t-shirts in good condition brought to the Campus Ministry room at Don Bosco High School or placed in the boxes just inside the entrance at Immaculate Conception or St. Joseph Schools. A box will be placed in the back of churches January 28 through February 5. As part of the Catholic Mission of our school, the T-shirts will be sent to Chinandega, Nicaragua where they are used by the girls who are being taught to sew at school. This helps them two-fold by providing materials to practice sewing and by making cloth diapers, which are a very useful/needed end product for their community. Special thanks to the Rotary Club and the Sigma Nu Fraternity of Coe College for their support of this program.