

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday- Vigil: Third Sunday of Lent

4:00 PM (IC) Lloyd Welter

5:30 PM (SJ) For the People

Sunday- Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM (IC) Harry Fischels

10:00 AM (IC) Gary Lee Frost

Monday- Lenten Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Fr. Gossman's Intention

Tuesday- Lenten Weekday

5:30 PM (SJ) Stations of the Cross

6:00 PM (SJ) Reynold & Marie Schmitz

Wednesday- Lenten Weekday

5:00 PM (IC) Stations of the Cross

5:30 PM (IC) Pat and Dillon Schmit

Thursday- Lenten Weekday

8:00 AM (SJ) Dick Thome (Anniv)

Friday- The Annunciation of the Lord

7:45 AM (IC) James B. Schmitz family

Saturday- Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Lent

4:00 PM (IC) For the People

5:30 PM (SJ) Carol Schmitz (Anniv)

Sunday- Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00 AM (IC) Marv Schares

10:00 AM (IC) Jerome "Bus" Becker (Anniv)

Don Bosco-Columbus High School Soccer Team Mass



Daily Readings

Mon Mar 21 Reading- 2 Kings 5:1-15b
Psalm- 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4
Gospel- Luke 4:24-30

Tues Mar 22 Reading- Daniel 3:25, 34-43
Psalm- 25:4-5ab, 6 & 7bc, 8-9
Gospel- Matthew 18:21-35

Wed Mar 23 Reading- Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9
Psalm- 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20
Gospel- Matthew 5:17-19

Thur Mar 24 Reading- Jeremiah 7:23-28
Psalm- 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9
Gospel- Luke 11:14-23

Fri Mar 25 1st Reading- Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10
Psalm- 40:8a, 8b-9, 10, 11
2nd Reading- Hebrews 10:4-10
Gospel- Luke 1:26-38

Sat Mar 26 Reading- Hosea 6:1-6
Psalm- 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab
Gospel- Luke 18:9-14

Sun Mar 27 1st Reading- Joshua 5a:9a, 10-12
Psalm- 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
2nd Reading- 2 Corinthians 5:17-21
Gospel- Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Meetings and Activities

Sunday, March 20

RCIA Class, 8:45 – 9:45 AM,I. C. School Library

Communal Penance, 2:00 PM.....I. C. Church

Wednesday, March 23

Soup Supper, following 5:30 PM Mass.....St. Mary Center

Sunday, March 27

RCIA Class, 8:45 – 9:45 AM,I. C. School Library

Confirmation Class, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM.....DBHS Rm 113

13 Hours Devotion following 10:00 AM Mass.....I. C. Church

Talk – 7:00 PM followed by BenedictionI. C. Church



"Intense love does not measure, it just gives." (St. Teresa of Calcutta) Do you have an intense love for God, willing to give a weekly hour of prayer in the Perpetual Adoration Chapel at Columbus HS?

Committed adorers, substitutes and drop-ins are all needed. Specific needs are Wednesdays at 12:00 AM, Thursdays at 12:00 AM and 5:00 AM, Fridays at 12:00 AM and 2:00 AM, and Saturdays at 11:00 AM and 7:00 PM. If interested call Maria Pranger at 319-429-4920 or email cvadoration@gmail.com.

Communal Penance- TODAY

Sunday, March 20.

**Immaculate Conception at 2:00 PM
and St. Athanasius at 4:00 PM**

Your Sacrificial Offering
Previous week
Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$7,301.00
Youth	\$6.00
Offertory	\$523.00
E-tithing	\$1,942.00
TOTAL	\$9,772.00
Needed Each Week	\$15,729.35

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$2,985.00
Offertory	\$5.00
E-tithing	\$730.00
TOTAL	\$3,720.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,999.40

Preparation Class for Baptism will be **Sunday, April 3**, at 9:00 AM in the Heritage Room at IC. It is recommended that parents attend the class before the baby is born. Expectant parents or parents of newborns, please call the rectory at 296-1092 between 8:00 and 4:00 weekdays to register. Also expectant parents who have not attended a Baptism Preparation class within three years are required to attend.

Soup Supper this week will be serving Ham and potato and a variety of other soups, fresh bread, coffee and a treat. Serving immediately following the Wednesday 5:30 PM Mass at St. Mary Center.

Immaculate Conception and St. Joseph parishes will have 13 Hours Devotion March 27th and 28th.

13 Hours will begin with Exposition and Adoration immediately following the 10:00 AM Mass on Sunday. Adoration will continue through to a talk by Fr. Huber at 7:00 PM and close with Benediction. Monday morning, following the 7:45 AM Mass, we will have Exposition and Adoration through the day with a talk by Fr. Huber at 7:00 PM and then will close with Benediction. There will be a sign up sheet in the church entrance for Adoration which will offer you many opportunities to spend quiet time with our Lord.

St. Joseph Parishioners- We are having a **ROLL SALE** on **April 23**. Please volunteer at any of the following times.

Text or call Linda Kayser at 319-830-2746.

Friday, April 22 at 2:00 PM We will need ten volunteers to set out rolls and make caramel. Mary McMahon is making the frosting; she will need one volunteer to help her.

Saturday, April 23 Linda and Dawn will bake rolls. At

8:00 AM we will need four volunteers

9:00 AM we will need five volunteers

3:45 PM we will need 30 volunteers in total. This is your parish, everyone needs to help out, please be one of them. Again, call or text Linda at 319-830-2746. We are also looking for someone to take over the baking of the rolls. If you are interested contact Linda Kayser, it would be good to have you shadow a couple of times. Thank you in advance.

GRW T-Ball & Boy's Pitching Machine League

The 2022 GRW T-Ball and Boy's Pitching Machine League sign up is underway. To be eligible for GRW T-Ball, your son or daughter must be 4 years of age by April 21/22rd and no older than first grade in the fall. To be eligible for the Boy's Pitching Machine League, your son must be going in to 1st grade in the fall and not older than 4th grade in the fall. (Current Kindergarten boys can choose to either play t-ball or the pitching machine league. Parents will need to make that determination based on what they feel is appropriate for their child.)

Entry fee is \$25.00 per child. Checks should be made out to GRW T-Ball/Pitching Machine. Games will begin on **April 21/22rd** and every Thursday/Friday night for approximately 6 weeks at the Gilbertville softball complex.

Please return all forms and money to I.C. or St. Joe's by **March 31st, 2022** to the attention of Erin Hogan or mail to 6755 Jubilee Rd, La Porte City IA 50651. If you have any questions , please call Erin Hogan at 830-1672, Crystal Frost at 215-9599, or Andy Frost at 239-0368.

Be sure to check out our Facebook page **GRW T-Ball and Pitching Machine League** for forms and upcoming information regarding games and weather updates.

GRW T-Ball and Pitching Machine League:

Volunteers Needed! This program would not be possible without the time and talent of many generous volunteers! We are looking for responsible and enthusiastic people to join our committee to help us plan and coordinate this season and future seasons of T-Ball and Pitching Machine league. No baseball or softball experience is required. Please contact Erin Hogan (319-830-1672) or Crystal Frost (319-215-9599) or Andy Frost (319-230-0368). We looking forward to working with you!

A copy of TOGETHER, a monthly bulletin from the archdiocese can be found in the back entrance of the church or on the Archdiocesan website <https://dbqarch.org/> under Communications

AREA EVENTS

Jesup Knights of Columbus #8227 will hold their monthly meeting on **Wednesday March 23rd** in the basement of Jesup City Hall. Social at 6:00 PM followed by our Meal (Beef and Noodles and sides) and then our meeting. Please be sure to make a reservation by Sunday March 20th if you plan on attending and were not called or emailed. Thanks

The Catholic Order of Foresters youth members can jump one hour for \$5.00 at Get Air Trampoline Park at 3729 University Ave., Waterloo next **Sunday, March 27**. Friends can jump one hour for \$10.00. See Donna Delagardelle at the front entrance from 2:00 to 4:00 PM to get passes.

Christian Experience Weekend - Looking for a way to work on your relationship with God this Lent? How about a spiritual renewal retreat? A Christian Experience Weekend (CEW) consisting of presentations, reflections, liturgies, and other activities is scheduled for **March 25-27** at Blessed Maria Assunta Pallota in Waterloo. Brochures are available at church. Call Mona Rottinghaus 319-827-6222 or Mike Williams 319-504-2641 with questions.

Omelet Breakfast! Jesup Knights of Columbus #8227 will hold an all you can eat omelet and sausage breakfast next **Sunday, March 27th** serving from 8:00 AM until noon in the St. Athanasius lunchroom. Carry outs are available. This is a free will donation breakfast with the proceeds split between the purchase of a new organ for St. Athanasius and the reconstruction of the grotto at Immaculate Conception.

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

www.boscocatholic.org .

The Bosco Drama Department will present their spring musical Bugsy Malone Jr at **7:00 PM Friday, March 25** and **Saturday, March 26** and at **2:00 PM on Sunday, March 27** in the DB Gym. This musical features a cast and crew of 27 students in grades 7-12 from Immaculate Conception, St. Athanasius, and Don Bosco. Set in the 1920's, this show is sure to be lots of fun to watch with great costumes and catchy songs.

Seniors Treat Seniors - Our annual Seniors Treat Seniors celebration is being held on **Wednesday, April 6**. Please join us in this special celebration in order to THANK YOU for your love and support throughout our school years! This celebration will start with Mass at 7:45 AM at Immaculate Conception Church, followed by brunch in Saint Mary Center. RSVP to your Don Bosco Senior or call (319) 296-1692 by Monday, March 28th.