

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday- Vigil: Palm Sunday

4:00 PM (IC) Dillon C. Schmit (Anniv)

5:30 PM (SJ) For the People

Sunday- Palm Sunday

8:00 AM (IC) Jack and Dan McGee

10:00 AM (IC) Bob, Catherine and Don Becker

Monday - Monday of Holy Week

8:30 AM (IC) Fr. Reuter's Intention

Tuesday - Tuesday of Holy Week

NO MASS

Wednesday - Wednesday of Holy Week

7:45 AM (IC) Helen Wagner

Thursday- Holy Thursday

7:00 PM (IC) Arnie, Camilla and Mick Weber



Friday- Good Friday

3:00 PM (IC) Liturgy of the Word

6:30 PM (IC) Stations of the Cross

7:00 PM (IC) Tenebrae

Saturday- Vigil: The Resurrection of the Lord

8:00 PM (IC) For the People and the Candidates and the Catechumen

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

6:30 AM (SJ) Bob Knipp

8:00 AM (IC) Deceased members of the Cletus (Anniv) & Maxine Even family

10:00 AM (IC) Cletus & Irene Thome

Meetings and Activities

Sunday, March 25

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

Sunday, April 1

NO RCIA Class

Daily Readings

- Mon Mar 26** Reading - Isaiah 42:1-7
Psalm- 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14
Gospel- John 12:1-11
- Tues Mar 27** Reading- Isaiah 49:1-6
Psalm- 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15 & 17
Gospel- John 13:21-33, 36-38
- Wed Mar 28** Reading- Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm - 69:8-10, 21-22, 31 & 33-34
Gospel- Matthew 26:14-25
- Thur Mar 29** 1st Reading- Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14
Psalm- 116:12-13, 15-16c, 17-18
2nd Reading- 1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Gospel- John 13:1-15
- Fri Mar 30** 1st Reading- Isaiah 52:13 - 53:12
Psalm - 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25
2nd Reading- Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9
Passion of the Lord - John 18:1 - 19:42
- Sat Mar 31** 1st Reading- Genesis 1:1 - 2:2
Psalm- 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24,35
2nd Reading- Genesis 22:1-18
Psalm- 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11
3rd Reading- Exodus 14:15 - 15:1
Resp. Psalm- Exodus 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18
4th Reading- Isaiah 54:5-14
Psalm- 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13
5th Reading- Isaiah 55:1-11
Resp. Psalm- Isaiah 12:2-3, 4, 5-6
6th Reading- Baruch 3:9-15, 32 - 4:4
Psalm- 19:8, 9, 10, 11
7th Reading- Ezekiel 36:16-17a, 18-28
Psalm- 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19
Epistle- Romans 6:3-11
Psalm- 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23
Gospel- Mark 16:1-7
- Sun April 1** 1st Reading- Acts of the Apostles 10:34a, 37-43
Psalm- 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23
2nd Reading- Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel- John 209:1-9



**The Parishes' office
will be closed
on Good Friday**



Please note that the Perpetual Adoration Chapel will close for the Triduum on Holy Thursday at 3:00 PM and reopen on Easter Sunday at 6:00 PM. Committed adorers as well as drop-ins always welcome. Specific needs at this time are Sundays at 4:00 AM and Wednesdays at 1:00 AM. Email cvadoration@gmail.com or contact William Brandle at [319-939-9000](tel:319-939-9000).



Your Sacrificial Offering
Previous Week
Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$7,447.00
Youth	\$1.00
Offertory	\$513.00
Easter	\$750.00
E-tithing	\$1,157.50
TOTAL	\$9,868.50
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$1,805.00
Offertory	\$121.00
Easter	\$100.00
E-tithing	\$275.00
TOTAL	\$2,301.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

Area Events

TODAY! Sunday, March 25 the Catholic Order of Foresters youth members **Easter Egg Hunt** is a 3:30 PM at St Mary Center in Gilbertville. Each child will hunt for candy and eggs. The children will also pick out a toy to take home.

NAMI Basics is a free six-week class for parents or family caregivers of children or youth who have mental health conditions or are experiencing symptoms but have no diagnosis. The class covers research about mental illness and effective treatments. It includes learning problem-solving skills, strategies helpful in handling challenging behaviors, and effective record keeping systems for working with the school and healthcare systems. The class will run every Thursday from 6 to 8:30 pm starting **April 12 through May 17**. It will be at the First Congregational Church, [608 West 4th Street](#), in Waterloo. Deadline for registration is Monday, March 26. Call Leslie Cohn at NAMI at [319-235-5263](#) with questions or would like to register for the class.

Saturday, April 7 The Catholic Order of Foresters youth members can see a **Hockey game** between the Waterloo Blackhawks & Sioux Falls Stampedes at the Young Arena in Waterloo. The game starts at 7:00pm with doors opening at 6:00pm. Tickets must be ordered in advance by Tuesday, April 3. COF youth members tickets are \$3.00. Friends and any adult tickets are \$8.00. Call Donna Delagardelle at 827-1609 or 239-9945 for prearranged tickets.

Save the date: St. Athanasius Out of Hibernation

Celebration will be **Saturday, April 7**. All you can eat roast beef and broasted chicken dinner serving from 4:30 to 7:00 PM with the auction to follow.

SAVE THE DATE FOR FUN AND GAMES - The 2018 IC – St. Joseph's Confirmation Class is once again hosting the **LOCK IN** – a night of fun and games for students in grades 2-8 **on Friday, April 13, 2018** at St. Mary Center. This fundraiser is **to support the FIRE Foundation of Northeast Iowa**. The FIRE Foundation *mission is to provide children with special needs the opportunity for an inclusive Catholic education in their home parish*. All proceeds from the Lock-In will go to the FIRE Foundation to support this mission. Pre-registration is recommended, but not required. Pre-registration is \$13 per student and due by April 9, 2018. Registration forms are available in the IC School Office or on the school's website. Admission at the door will be \$15 per student. Your admission includes pizza and snacks, games and FUN! Anyone interested in supporting this project can do so by donating your time, talent or treasure. If you'd like to volunteer to work at the event or provide drinks please contact Kim Rottinghaus at (319) 239-1672 or kimrottinghaus@gmail.com. If you would like to make a monetary donation to offset the costs for this event please send your check payable to IC Church and mail it to the parish office: IC Church P.O. Box 136, Gilbertville, IA 50634 Attn: Lock In. If you would prefer to make a donation directly to the FIRE Foundation, make your check payable to FIRE Foundation and mail to the parish office. All proceeds and donations from this event will go to the FIRE Foundation of Northeast Iowa following the event.

Thank you for your support of this project and the Confirmation students. We sincerely appreciate your help!

The 2018 IC/St. Joseph Confirmation Class

Gilbertville Daze- Things are shaping up for a fun filled Gilbertville Daze weekend, we are still in need of help and ideas. Join us for our next meeting **Monday, April 2** at 6:00 PM in City Hall. Bring a friend and see you there!

Job Opportunity- Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Waterloo, Iowa is in need of an Office Manager. Basic secretarial skills are required as well as general bookkeeping ability and familiarity with Quick Books or similar bookkeeping software. Hours for this full-time position are Monday through Friday 8:30 am – 4:00 pm. Competitive pay and benefits will be related to the skill level of the individual hired. If you are interested please forward your resume to: Office Manager, [237 West Orange Rd, Waterloo, IA 50701](#), or email to: sphvarsity@aol.com.

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

www.boscocatholic.org

Hy-Vee receipts must be from the Cedar Falls, Waterloo or Waverly Hy-Vee food stores or gas stations and must be dated June 1, 2017 through April 29, 2018. Hy-Vee will give back \$1 for every \$250 in receipts submitted!

Reminder that April 29 is the last date for the Hy-Vee receipts. Any receipt dated after April 29, 2018, cannot be counted in this year's total for redemption. Please send your Waterloo, Cedar Falls, Waverly Hy-Vee receipts to school by **May 3** so they can be tallied and redeemed.

Thank You Notes

Thanks to everyone for all the beautiful cards, gifts and attending my open house for my 90th birthday. Special thanks to all my families, they are the greatest. Also thanks to Fr. Huber for the Mass on Saturday at 5:30 for the Delagardelle family. I will cherish in my heart forever.

Rosemary Delagardelle

Thank you to St. Mary's Circle for assisting in the funeral dinner for the Tony Frost Family, and St. Rita's Circle for assisting in the funeral dinner for the Hilda Schmit Family. **St. Rose's Circle is in charge of the next funeral dinner.**

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Castille #49 is offering two \$750 College scholarships to area high school senior Catholic girls. Applications are due April 12, 2018 and are available from your school Guidance Office

The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court St. Pius X #1714 (Jesup), is offering two scholarships at \$250.00 each. Each will be awarded to a Catholic individual (male or female), within the court community, who wishes to continue their education: a high school student going into college, or a current college student or adult furthering their education. You can pick up an application form at St. Athanasius Church in Jesup, St. Francis Church in Dunkerton, Immaculate Conception Church in Gilbertville, Don Bosco High School, or Jesup Community High School. The deadline is April 10, 2018. If you have any questions please call or email Valerie Weber at [319-269-5526](tel:319-269-5526) or vweber@rfs.com.