

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sunday- Seventh Sunday of Easter

8:00 AM (IC) Tom Delagardelle

10:00 AM (IC) For the People

Monday- Easter Weekday

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

Tuesday- Easter Weekday

8:00 AM (SJ) Living & deceased members of COF

Wednesday- Easter Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Lavern Schneider

Thursday- Easter Weekday *Grades K & 1*

8:00 AM (SJ) Living & deceased members of Gerald C. Delagardelle family

Friday- Easter Weekday *Grades 2-12*

7:45 AM (IC) Becker/Sondag Families

Saturday- Satin Matthias, Apostle

1:00 PM (IC) Wedding: Ashley Wellman & Rick Uhlenhopp

Vigil: Pentecost Sunday

4:00 PM (IC) John & Rosella Schmit

5:30 PM (SJ) Randy Snyder

Sunday- Pentecost Sunday

8:00 AM (IC) For the People

10:00 AM (IC) John & Mary Hames

Meetings and Activities

Saturday, May 14

AED Training, following 4:00 Mass.....Heritage Room

Sunday, May 15

AED Training, following 8:00 Mass.....Heritage Room

Confirmation Class 11 AM.....St. Mary Center

IC Dessert Auction Results ~~

We would like to thank our 13 bakers who each gave a wonderful dessert to be auctioned - we greatly appreciate your time and talents! We would also like to thank those who stayed after dinner to bid on and enjoyed the great desserts. The crowd was **very slim** so your attendance and dedication to your parish and school was much appreciated! The proceeds ~ \$1,670 ~ will be sent to Don Bosco High School.

Our "Sew Day" is coming up next week! Anyone

interested in helping make baby items for Alternatives Pregnancy Center clients is invited and encouraged to join us at Dunkerton Public Library on **Friday, May 20**, at 9:00 a.m. A few machines will be available, along with miscellaneous supplies and fabric. However, if you *can* bring your own machine, that would be helpful. Any

fabric/items you care to donate will be much appreciated! Don't worry, and don't stay away, if you are not a seamstress; we will have some simple projects ready to sew that you can easily complete! We will start at 9:00 a.m. and keep sewing until everyone is ready to pack up! You may join us at any time during the day, but contact Paula so she is aware you intend to show up.

822-4586 or pwinkers@dunkerton.k12.ia.us



Daily Readings

Mon May 9 Reading - Acts of the Apostles 19:1-8
Psalm- 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab
Gospel- John 16:29-33

Tues May 10 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 20:17-27
Psalm- 68:10-11, 20-21
Gospel- John 17:1-11a

Wed May 11 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 20:28-38
Psalm- 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab
Gospel- John 17:11b-19

Thur May 12 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 22:30; 23:6-11
Psalm- 16:1-2a & 5, 7--8, 9-10, 11
Gospel- John 17:20-26

Fri May 13 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 25:13b-21
Psalm- 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab
Gospel - John 21:15-19

Sat May 14 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17, 20-26
Psalm- 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
Gospel - John 15:9-17

Sun May 15 1st Reading- Genesis 11:1-9
Psalm- 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30
2nd Reading- Romans 8:22-27
Gospel- John 7:37-39

Your Sacrificial Offering	
Previous Week	
Immaculate Conception Parish	
Budget	\$16,206.00
Youth	\$2.00
Offertory	\$652.00
Holy Day	\$15.00
E-tithing	\$1,072.50
TOTAL	\$17,947.50
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00
St. Joseph Parish	
Budget	\$2,180.00
Youth	\$0.00
Offertory	\$78.00
Holy Day	\$50.00
E-tithing	\$1,480.00
TOTAL	\$3,788.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

This week's Mercy Challenge- Mercy requires sacrifice. Many of our mothers are excellent examples of this. As Jesus returns to the Father on this Feast of the Ascension, his mission of sacrifice finished, reflect on the role of sacrifice in your life. When have you been the recipient of a great sacrifice by another? What sacrifices can you make to express your love to another?

Family Challenge: Give each family member a list of the names of the other family members. Have them come up with a random act of kindness that they can do for each member that week.

Thank You Notes

We would like to thank everyone for their support, prayers, cards, memorials and food through this difficult time. Words can't express how we feel.

Special thanks to Fr. Huber, Fr. Reuter, Chaplain Robert Murdock, Cedar Valley Hospice, White Funeral Home, Bobbie Schares and the Resurrection Choir, American Legion-Demuth Post 714, all the people who served and helped with the wonderful dinner, doctors and wonderful nurses at Covenant Hospital who took care of Howdy for years.

A HUGE thank you to Howdy and Linda's family for all their support and prayers these last few years. God Bless All, Howdy Knight Family

Thank you - Immaculate Conception Parish would like to express our sympathy to the family of Howdy Knight. We thank them for remembering Immaculate Conception with their generous donation to our parish. May God bless you.

Thank you - St. Joseph Parish would like to express our sympathy to the family of Brenda (Fettkether) Burnett. We thank them for remembering St. Joseph with their generous donation to our parish. May God bless you.

AED Refresher Classes for ushers and any interested parishioners will be held the weekends of May 14/15 and May 21/22, following the Masses. Each week please see the **Meetings and Activities** section of the bulletin for locations and times.

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

www.boscocatholic.org

High School Music Concert - Everyone is invited to the Don Bosco High School Band and Choir Concert that will take place on **Wednesday, May 18th** at 7:30p.m. in the high school gym. The high school band and choir will perform several selections each as well as some events from the past State Solo and Ensemble contest that took place on April 16th at Don Bosco. End of the year awards will also be presented. A "Free-Will" donation bake sale will also take place before and after the concert. Come and enjoy an evening of great music.

Save The Date - Please mark on your calendars- Fury 13U and Flames 13U volleyball teams will be having a Pizza Ranch Fundraiser in Cedar Falls on **Wednesday May 18th** from 5pm-8pm. Thank you in advance.

HONORING ALL PAST BASEBALL & SOFTBALL STATE QUALIFYING TEAMS Friday, JUNE 17th, 2016!

The Bosco Booster Club will be honoring all past state qualifying BASEBALL & SOFTBALL teams with a "Champions Night" on Friday, June 17.

PLEASE RSVP and let us know if you can attend the celebration by May 13th! to Bosco Athletic Director, Casey Redmond at: credmond@boscocatholic.org.

Box Tops for Education - Thank you to all who donate Box Tops. We received a check in the amount of \$1,250.50. What an easy way to earn money for our school. A huge thank you to Anna Distler for her countless hours spent clipping, sorting, and bundling all those box tops.

ACCW and Parish Bake Sale- St. Joseph and Immaculate Conception Parishioners will hold a bake sale for the Waterloo Deanery Council of Catholic Women and parish on May 14 and 15. The St. Joseph Bake Sale will be in the west entrance following the 5:30 PM Mass. Immaculate Conception Bake Sale will be in the southeast entrance following the Saturday 4:00 PM Mass and Sunday 8:00 and 10:00 AM Masses. Baked items may be brought to either parish as you attend Mass or if you do not have time to bake please donate \$5 to \$10 to the Council and Parishes. Designate your parish. **ALL** women of both parishes are ACCW members and participation is encouraged. St. Joseph parishioners contact Janan Weber at 232-6251 and I.C. parishioners contact Karen Rottinghaus at 342-2694 if you have any questions. Your participation for a successful bake sale is necessary and appreciated. Volunteers are welcome.

AREA EVENTS

Annual Mother's Day Omelet Breakfast TODAY Sunday, May 8, serving from 8:00 AM to 12 Noon at the Knights of Columbus Council #700 Hall, 1955 Locke Avenue, Waterloo. Made to order omelets and all the fixings. Also a Bloody Mary Bar will be available. This is the last breakfast this spring. There will NOT be a breakfast on May 1st. We will resume serving the breakfasts in October 2016.

St. Edward Parish in Waterloo, IA is hosting the **Surge of the Heart** Parish Mission, **May 8-10**, from 6:30-7:40pm. Our mission presenter is Jon Leonetti, an international Catholic speaker, radio host, and best-selling author of two books entitled, *Mission of the Family* and *Your God Is Too Boring*. Jon travels extensively, helping Catholics understand this greatest story ever told—the story of Jesus Christ and his Catholic Church. And you're a part of it! Bring your family and friends!

The Catholic Order of Foresters regular monthly meeting will be at 7:00 pm on **Wednesday, May 11th**, at St. Mary Center, Gilbertville.

Give Just 3 Days of Service in Milwaukee, WI on a Franciscan Pilgrimage of Service, May 22-26, 2016. If you are a woman between the ages of 21 and 45, and have a desire to learn about issues related to care of the earth, solidarity with those who are poor and peace and nonviolence, all while serving in a variety of Franciscan-sponsored ministries in the Milwaukee area, then this *Franciscan Pilgrimage of Service* experience is for you! As a volunteer you will have the opportunity to experience each ministry visited as a "holy site" in the spirit of pilgrimage. This volunteer experience, co-sponsored by the Dubuque Franciscans and the Sisters of St. Francis of Assisi, Milwaukee, provides the opportunity for you to contribute your talents, time and commitment in service among people who are poor. Applications are due no later than April 29. For more information or to apply contact: Sr. Shell Balek, OSF at balekm@osfdbq.org or 563-583-9786 or visit: www.osfdbq.org/commonventure

Calling All Knights Golfers- The Brothers of Council #11492 in Cedar Rapids are hosting the 2016 Iowa KC State Golf Tournament on **Saturday, June 25**. The 4-man best shot will take place at Wildcat Golf Course in Shellsburg with a shotgun start at noon. Discounted registration is available through May 15. Download full event details and registration form at kofc11942.org/upcoming_events.html. If you have any questions or would like to be put on a team, contact Rick Zettler at 319-551-9361 / rckkzettler@gmail.com or Roger Henley at 319-450-4365 / rdhenley45@yahoo.com.