

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday- Vigil: Sixth Sunday of Easter

4:00 PM (IC) Don & Agnes Mangrich and Dan Huck

5:30 PM (SJ) Aggie Thome

Sunday- Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00 AM (IC) For the People

10:00 AM (IC) For the Don Bosco High School Class of 2017
Baccalaureate

Monday- Easter Weekday

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

Tuesday- Easter Weekday

8:00 AM (SJ) Ray Even (Anniv)

Wednesday - Easter Weekday

7:45 AM (IC) Kenny Youngblut

Thursday- Easter Weekday

8:00 AM (IC) Bernice (Anniv) & Bertin Schmitz
All school Mass - Eighth Grade Promotion

Friday- St. Philip Neri, Priest

7:45 AM (IC) Harry & Martha Roth and family

Saturday- Vigil: Ascension of the Lord

4:00 PM (IC) Jim Fischels (Anniv)

5:30 PM (SJ) Jim M. Schmitz

Sunday- Ascension of the Lord

8:00 AM (IC) Deceased members of the
Norbert (Anniv) & Jean Even family

10:00 AM (IC) For the People

1:00 PM (IC) The Deceased members of the
Delagardelle and Davis families
Fr. Ralph Davis First Mass



"Real love is demanding. I would fail in my mission if I did not tell you so. Love demands a personal commitment to the will of God." (St. John Paul II) Are we willing to make a personal commitment to Jesus and spend an hour with Him each week? Consider it! Visit the Perpetual

Adoration Chapel located at Columbus HS. Committed adorers are also needed Fridays at 3am. If interested email cvadoration@adorationmanager.com or call Mike Strei at [801-920-9130](tel:801-920-9130).

The Gloria for Mass can be found in the Music Issue # 923. This is from the Mass of Spirit and Grace. Musicians have been introducing this for several weeks now. The rest of the Service Music will be from that Mass Setting as well. You can find the Holy, Holy starting at # 926 - 931. Thanks for your participation in singing!

ACCW Layettes - A bassinette is in the Heritage Room for donations of layette items. A basic layette consist of: 6 cloth diapers, 2 undershirts or onesies, 2 gowns or sleepers, 2 receiving blankets, 1 sweater or jacket, 1 blanket, 2-4 diaper pins. Additional items that may be included are small bars of soap, bibs, booties, socks, hat & small stuffed toy. Garage sales are great places to get baby items. For more info call Nancy Schmitz 232-4615, Karen Rottinghaus 342-2694.

Daily Readings

Mon May 22 Reading - Acts of the Apostles 16:11-158
Psalm- 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a & 9b
Gospel- John 15:26 - 16:4a

Tues May 23 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 16:22-34
Psalm- 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8
Gospel- John 16:5-11

Wed May 24 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 17:15, 22 - 18:1
Psalm- 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14
Gospel- John 16:12-15

Thur May 25 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 18:1-8
Psalm- 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4
Gospel- John 16:16-20

Fri May 26 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 18:9-18
Psalm - 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Gospel - John 16:20-23

Sat May 27 Reading- Acts of the Apostles 18:23-28
Psalm- 47:2-3, 8-9, 10
Gospel- John 16:23b-28

Sun May 28 1st Reading- Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11
Psalm- 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9
2nd Reading- Ephesians 1:17-23
Gospel- John Matthew 28:16-20

Your Sacrificial Offering Previous Week Immaculate Conception Parish

Budget	\$5,939.00
Youth	\$1.00
Offertory	\$731.00
E-tithing	\$1,212.00
TOTAL	\$7,883.00
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00

St. Joseph Parish

Budget	\$1,535.00
Offertory	\$128.00
E-tithing	\$190.00
TOTAL	\$1,853.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

Thought of the week ~ "Christianity is worthless as a leaven in society unless people actually believe in Jesus Christ, follow the Gospel, love the Church, and act like real disciples. If they don't then religion is just another form of self-medication. And unfortunately, that's how many of us live out our Baptism." - Archbishop Charles J. Chaput ("Strangers in a Strange Land")

Dear Parishioners of Immaculate Conception and St. Joseph,
On behalf of Unbound, thank you very much for welcoming us to your parish, Our hearts are full of gratitude for the generosity you have shown to the children, youth and the elders in our sponsorship program. Through your willingness to partner with Unbound, your parish community has taken steps toward a closer walk with Jesus in the name of the poor. We pray that members of you parish community who answered the call to sponsorship will be richly blessed by their experience.

Thank You Notes

The family of the late Richard Steimel wish to thank family, friends and neighbors for all their kind messages of sympathy, comforting visits and prayers, delicious food, beautiful flowers and generous memorials. Special thanks to Fr. Huber, Msgr. Paul Steimel, Fr. Craig Steimel and Fr. Reuter, Hagarty-Waychoff-Grarup Funeral Service, the American Legion Nugent Demuth Post 714 and all the ladies who assisted with the wonderful funeral dinner. - Lenora, Tim, Karen, Mike and Jerry

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for all your love and support during mom's illness and time of loss. Thank you for all the cards, meals, thoughts and prayers. We are overwhelmed with all the support and help we received for her funeral. It was a perfect day.

May God Bless you,
The family of Paulette Sadler

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

www.boscocatholic.org

DB Yard Signs & DB Softball/Baseball Yard Signs

Customize DB Logo yard signs, along with Customized Softball and Baseball yard signs are now available for purchase through the Booster Club. You can see a colored photo by logging on to the Bosco Catholic School system website – <http://www.boscocatholic.org/> Order forms are located in the back of church or on the schools website. They are due on Thursday, May 25th to the Don Bosco High School office. If you have any questions, please let one of the following Booster Club members know. Sheri Purdy, Jill Even, Nikki Brown, Lisa Reiter

Bosco Boys Basketball Bonanza registration forms are in the south east entrance of Immaculate Conception Church. For more information contact Carol Berry cberry@boscocatholic.org

Chinandega Shoebox Project Sign-up – The incoming Don Bosco freshman class will be filling boxes for children in Chinandega, Nicaragua, this summer for pick-up and delivery in early September. Anyone interested may sign-up for boxes. We have males and females ages 5 through 16 available. If you or your family would like to “adopt” one or more of these children by filling a box for them, please call either Mrs. Berry at Immaculate Conception (296-1089) or Mrs. Schares at Don Bosco (296-1692). If you come across good sales on things like clothing and school items, let us know. We often are able to take advantage of this and purchase needed items for a good price. Please call Teresa Schmitz (827-1189) or Helen Hellman (319-231-8151). Thank you for whatever you can do!

BOOSTER CLUB IS HIRING AN CONCESSIONS EVENT COORDINATOR!

The Bosco Booster Club is hiring a Booster Club Home Event Coordinator for the next school year starting in August, 2017-2018. **This is a paid position.** This person would be responsible for ordering and overseeing concession supplies for all concessions (high school and junior high home sports events, drama, band, choir). Responsible for coordinating concessions and gate duties and managing concession and gate workers for all home events. This person does not need to be at every home game (other than Football games) but needs to make sure everything is ready to go in the concessions and volunteers are ready to work their events. Volunteers will still be placed in events by the Booster Club. This person will report to the Booster Club and the Athletic Director and takes about 5-10 hours a week depending on the season.

For more information email one of the Booster Club officers:

Sheri Purdy: sheri.purdy@wfhc.org

Jill Even: Jill Even Evenjill@aol.com

Lisa Reiter: Reitersss@aol.com

Nikki Brown: nikkibrown@mchsi.com

Area Events

COF Youth Members can go to the Thorp Family Fun on Sunday **May 21** form 2 - 5 PM. Anyone 17 or younger needs a waiver of liability release signed by their parent. Waiver may be completed at Thorp Family Fun or you may download at www.thorpfamilyfun.com. Click on [fun center](#) then click on [download waiver](#). Cost to non-COF youth members is \$4. Everyone attending must wear socks. Questions call Donna Delagardelle 319-239-9945 or 319-827-1609

Gilbertville Daze is fast approaching July 14, & 15, we are in need of helpers to set up starting Thursday evening and Friday, also to clean up Sunday morning. Please contact City Hall at 296-1822 if you are willing to help with this event. Please consider helping, even if just for a short while, remember many hands make light work. Also put it on your calendar to attend the festivities, look for more information on our web site: www.gilbertvilleia.com.

Guiding Star Imagine a first of its kind pro-life supercenter with a variety of services dedicated to women and families, including prenatal care and childbirth support, breastfeeding support, natural family planning resources, and drop-in childcare for families while they are visiting the center. The Guiding Star Cedar Valley fills this unmet need in our community as a place to energize a the Culture of Life. Save the date for our first annual fundraising event, the Guiding Star Gala, on **Tuesday, May 23**, at 6:00 p.m. at The Rotary Club in Cedar Falls. Want to learn more about attending, hosting a table, or underwriting the event? Visit guidingstarcedarvalley.org or call 319-939-3530 for more information.

DIVERSITY IMMERSION AND PILGRIMAGE OF SERVICE in WATERLOO - July 9-13

Come join this Franciscan Common Venture opportunity to give a variety of service related to the inclusion and celebration of the increasingly diverse population of Waterloo. This will include such things as gardening tasks at a food bank community garden, a meal site, and activities with the Burmese community, among other service needs. In addition there will be the opportunity to learn from and share with various residents about the rich diversity found in the metro area. Volunteers will have the opportunity to experience each organization visited as a “holy site” in the spirit of pilgrimage. Volunteers will live at the Catholic Worker House. Due date to apply is June 23rd. For more information or to apply contact: Sr. Shell at balekm@osfdbq.org or [563-583-9786](tel:563-583-9786)

MEMBERS OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. JOSEPH PARISHES

*With joy and gratitude to Almighty God,
you are cordially invited to join*

FR. RALPH DAVIS,

*in a Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving on
The Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord,*

Sunday the twenty eighth of May

*Two thousand and seventeen at
one o'clock in the afternoon*

at Immaculate Conception Church

*An open house lunch reception will follow
the Mass at the American Legion Hall*